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Sub: Execution of paid pending Ag pump Energisation works under full turnkey contract.

In order to clear the paid pending agricultural connections, various orders are being issued for execution of works under turnkey contracts by the Circle offices after approval from the Head Office. These tenders have a scope of HT Line,, LT Line, DTC and Ag pump connections. It is expected that after completion of the full turnkey contract order, 100% Ag pump connection works envisaged in the order should be completed and connections released. However, it is brought to the notice of the Corporate office that during the execution of these turnkey contracts, the scope of DTC is completed 100% whereas bare minimum scope of Ag pumps connections is covered to the tune of 20-25%. It is also seen that the order for turnkey contract is issued for clearing Ag paid pending connections, however, majority of the Ag pump connections are released from the newly paid consumers instead of from the list of old paid pending consumers.

As a result of all above irregularities, there is discontent amongst the paid pending agricultural consumers. Also there is no progress in clearance of paid pending consumers as a result of which the issue of Ag pump energisation is being raised by various public representatives at various forums.

It is hereby directed that the above, the concerned Chief Engineer and Superintending Engineer of O&M Circle should personally monitor the progress of Ag pump energisation and ensure that the execution of work is done strictly as per the contract and connections are released as per chronology of the paid pending consumers. They should also monitor that the scope of Ag pump coverage under the turnkey contract must be completed 100% and weightage should be given for completion of Ag pump paid pending connections over and above the DTC works.

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Superintending Engineer(Infra) Circle should also closely monitor these works and inform any deviations to zonal C.E as well as C.E (Infra), H.O, Mumbai.

Any payment of the turnkey contractor for Ag pump energisation works against the bill should be made only in proportionate to the number of agricultural pumps covered by the contractor, irrespective of execution of DTC works. For example, if DTC works is done 50% of the scope and Ag pump paid pending works to 20% of the scope, then only 20% payment of the executed work is to be released to the contractor.

It is decided that the DTC metering is not to be done through the Ag pump energisation contract and Field officers are directed to inform the contractors well in advance not to install DTC metering.

All the officers including Accounts & Technical sections are directed to scrutinize the bills of Ag pump energisation contractors in view of above directives and also ensure that the Ag pump connections released are fed to I.T. failing which the authorities scrutinizing and passing the bills will be held responsible.

The above circular will come in force with immediate effect.

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