

No. Co-ord cell/Re-delegation of power/15311

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COMMERCIAL CIRCULAR No. 135

Sub: Re-delegation of powers in respect of load sanction.

The State Govt. vide it's Resolution No. SAC-1093/CR-4445/NRG-5 dtd. 2.1.1995 has given full powers to all licensees for sanctioning the load without any upper limit.

Now, MERC Electricity Supply Code and Standards of Performance are in force since 20-01-2005 in which specified voltage levels corresponding to load/contract demand and time bound policy of releasing the connections to the consumer have been mentioned. In order to maintain the time bound schedule of standards of performance (SoP) and to fulfill the power requirement of various consumers as per appendix "A" mentioned under SoP Regulation No.12, the existing delegation of powers have been modified / re-delegated by the Managing Director (MSEDCL).

As per the powers conferred to the Managing Director (MSEDCL) vide Admn. Circular No.1 dtd. 29.09.2005, the Managing Director (MSEDCL) has approved the re-delegation of powers in respect of load sanction as follows:

Sr. No.	Authority	Existing delegation of powers	Revised delegation of powers	Remarks
-1-	-2-	-3-	-4-	-5-
01	E.Es of O&M Divisions	To sanction and release of loads upto and inclusive of 107 HP in all areas except in Municipal Corporation areas where such limit would be 201 HP . Inclusive of existing load/demand, if any.	No Change	Provided that the supply is extended on prescribed voltage levels as per MERC Regulation 2005 (standards of performance)

02	S.Es. of O&M Circles	To sanction and release of loads to all installations with contract demand above 107 HP upto 5 MVA in all areas except in Municipal Corporation areas where such limit would be above 201 HP upto 5 MVA. Inclusive of existing load/demand, if any	No Change	Provided that the supply is extended on prescribed voltage levels as per MERC Regulation 2005 (standards of performance)
03	S.Es. of O&M Circles in consultation with concern C.E. EHV (O&M) of MSETCL	-----	To sanction and release of loads to all installations with contract demand above 5 MVA upto 10 MVA. Inclusive of existing demand /load if any, provided the supply is extended on EHV only.	Provided that the supply is extended on prescribed voltage levels as per MERC Regulation 2005 (standards of performance)
04	S.Es. of O&M Circles in consultation with Executive Director (Projects) MSETCL	-----	To sanction and release of loads to all installations with contract demand above 10 MVA without any upper limit provided the supply is extended on EHV only.	Provided that the supply is extended on prescribed voltage levels as per MERC Regulation 2005 (standards of performance)
05	C.Es. of O&M Zones in consultation with C.E. EHV (O&M) of MSETCL	To sanction and release of loads to all installations with contract demand above 5 MVA upto 10 MVA. Inclusive of existing demand /load if any, provided the supply is extended on EHV only.	Powers are re-delegated to S.E.'s of O&M Circles.	-----
06	Regional Executive Director in consultation with Executive Director (Projects) MSETCL.	To sanction and release of loads to all installations with contract demand above 10 MVA without any upper limit provided the supply is extended on EHV only.	Powers are re-delegated to S.E.'s of O&M Circles.	-----

07	Director (Operations) in consultation with Executive Director (Commercial) and Executive Director (Projects) MSETCL	To sanction all the loads where prescribed voltage level corresponding to the contract demand is not being maintained	No change	All cases where specified norms of MERC Regulation 2005 (Standard of Performance) is not being maintained
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Note: To expedite the load sanction process, the loads above 5 MVA contract demand inclusive of existing demand without any upper limit will be dealt at S.E.'s office provided the supply is extended on EHV level.

All the cases where specified norms of MERC Regulation 2005 (Standard of Performance) is not being maintained will be dealt at Head Office only. The consumer seeking the connections may be advised to submit their applications to concern offices along with relevant documents.

All field officers are therefore, requested to note the above changes and finalize the load sanction cases accordingly.


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