Subject: Increase in Time of Day (ToD) rebate for off-peak consumption.

Reference: 1. MERC Tariff Order dt. 16/08/2012 in the Case No. 19 of 2012.
2. Commercial Circular No. 175 dt. 05/09/2012.
3. MERC Tariff Order dt. 26/12/2012 in the Case No. 107 of 2012.

In the Petition in Case No. 19 of 2012 submitted by MSEDCL, it had been proposed that the rebate available for consumption during night hours (2200 hours to 0600 hours) shall be increased from 85 paise/kWh to 250 paise/kWh, with the intention to encourage Industries to shift its operations to night hours and consume low cost power available during the off-peak period.

The Commission in the Tariff Order in Case No. 19 of 2012 has increased ToD rebate for night hours from 85 paise/kWh to 100 paise/kWh, based on information made available by MSEDCL as a part of Petition.

Consequent upon the above impugned order, MSEDCL submitted Review Petition vide Case No. 107/2012 for increase in ToD Rebate as proposed by submitting additional required data and detailed information.

Considering the additional and detailed information provided by the MSEDCL regarding impact of revision in rebate of ToD during night off-peak hours, which was not available at the time of issuance of Order dated 19th August, 2012, the Commission vide Order dt. 26/12/2012 has approved the increase in the ToD rebate for off-peak consumption (i.e. 2200 hours to 0600 hours) to all such consumer categories for which ToD rebate was approved in Order in Case No. 19 of 2012, from 100 paise/kWh to 250 paise/kWh.
This increased ToD rebate of 250 paise/kWh for off-peak consumption (i.e. 2200 hours to 0600 hours) is on only trial basis for 3 months starting from 1st January, 2013. This revised rebate shall come into force from 1st January 2013 and remain effective till 31st March, 2013.

All field officers are requested to take due note of increased in ToD rebate for off-peak consumption and issue the energy bills accordingly for trial period of 3 months starting from 1st January, 2013 to 31st March, 2013.

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- It is requested to revise the billing system accordingly for trial period of 3 months starting from 1st January, 2013 to 31st March, 2013.

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