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(A State Government Undertaking)

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To

1. The Chief Engineers (Op.), South/ North/ Central Zone, HPSEBL, Shimla/ Dharamshala/ Mandi.
2. All the Dy.CEs/ SEs, Operation Circles under HPSEBL.

Sub:- Lockdown/ Curfew in the State as per Govt of India / HP Govt directions- Problems being faced in certain areas by billing staff.

Sir,

As you all are aware that due to lockdown to contain the community spread of COVID 19, Govt of India and Govt of Himachal Pradesh have issued advisories, guidelines, preventive and protective measures from time to time. Further HPSEBL has also issued communication over this issue vide ED(Pers) letter No: HPSEB(Sectt)/6-1-SA/Bio Metric System-2-2—84551-85 dated 7/3/20, HPSEBL (Sectt)2-1(Dispensary)/2019-20-Genl: 86089-149 dated 19.3.20 & 88052-88202 dated 21/3/20, No: HPSEB(Sectt)/R&E(Misc.)/2020-88894-89074 dated 30/3/20 & 88713-893 dated 30/3/20, No: HPSEB(SECTT)/R&E(Govt. Instructions-CoVID-19/2020-91294-334 dated 4/5/20 and Director(Pers) letter No: HPSEB(Sectt)-DIR-(F&A)-2-2-61-211 dated 6.5.20.

It is understood that these advisories and guidelines are being and adhered to followed meticulously & strictly in the offices under your respective jurisdictions.

However, it is to apprise that General Secretary, HP State Electricity Board Employees Union vide letter No: Nil dated 11/5/2020 (Copy enclosed) has raised certain issues regarding the logistic and protection equipments for billing staff.

In this regard, it is requested that the concerns raised by HPSEB Employees Union may please be addressed appropriately keeping in view the advisories and guidelines from Govt of India, Govt. of HP and local administration in your jurisdiction and from HPSEBL.

Yours sincerely,

Chief Engineer (Comm.),
HPSEBL, Vidyut Bhawan,
Shimla-4

Copy to ED(Pers.), HPSEBL alongwith representation from HPSEBL Employees Union for information and further necessary action please.

Copy to General Secretary, HPSEB Employees Union, New Thistle bank Building, the Mall Shimla-1 w.r.to his letter dated 11/5/2020 for information please.

Chief Engineer (Comm.),
HPSEBL, Vidyut Bhawan,
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11th May, 2020

To

Er. R K Sharma Ji,
Managing Director,
HPSEBL, Shimla-4.

Subject:- Regarding problems are being faced in energy billing due to non availability of transportation in certain area in the state.

Respected Sir,

I have been directed to bring to your kind notice certain problems are to be faced by electricity billing staff and make a request for suitable action in the matter.

It is submitted that regular/ outsourced staff deployed in energy billing are facing various problems in execution of their duties due to non availability of transportation as well as shortage of protection equipments.

Every electrical sub division in the state having certain area which cannot be visited without transportation facility. Such areas may have small numbers of consumers under sub division but it is difficult to bill energy to every consumer on door to door basis. Further it will be very risky to conduct billing in containment and red zone areas in the state such as Baddi, Nalagarh etc.

It is therefore requested that the matter may be reviewed and a holistic approach be taken to decide the issue. Although revenue collection cannot be deferred further but possibility of average billing mechanism etc. can be explored. Further, proper precautions kit, as prescribed by the Govt. such as Mask, Sanitizer as well as Identity Card may please be made available to such staff in field units.

With regards.

Yours faithfully,


(Hira Lal Verma)

General Secretary

