



GULBARGA ELECTRICITY SUPPLY COMPANY LTD.

Proceedings of the meeting held on 25-02-2020 at 11.00 AM under the Chairmanship of Managing Director, GESCOM to bring back EHT/HT consumers to GESCOM Grid who are on open access, wheeling, discussion regarding relaxation of TOD during morning peak between 6 AM to 10 AM and hearing the problems of EHT/HT consumers and representatives of HKCCI regarding quality and reliable power supply to industries.

At the outset, the Managing Director welcomed all the EHT/HT consumers of 1000 KVA and above, representatives of HKCCI and all officers present during the meeting.

1. M/s Tappal Steels, Halkundi – RR No. HT-130:

It is represented that the power is fed to their industry from dedicated feeder from 110 KV South Sub Station Ballari. Their industry was not working fully due to some internal problems. Now they are operating the industry fully but facing low voltage problem and interruptions as already additional 9 to 10 industries are connected to their dedicated feeder. The firm requested GESCOM to provide reliable power supply.

The Director (Tech.) instructed the EE/SEE Ballari to look into the matter and resolve the issue. If necessary, examine and to put up a proposal for dedicated U.G. cable to the affected party.

Action: EE/SEE Ballari.

2. President, HKCCI, Kalaburagi:

It is represented that due to odd hours i.e. 10.00 PM to 06.00 AM, the Special Incentive Scheme facility provided by GESCOM is not been able to utilize by the small scale industries i.e. particularly by the Dall Industries in Kalaburagi area and requested the said facility to be introduced right from 6.00 AM to 10.00 PM. Further it is represented that LT connections to be redefined up to 99 HP instead of below 67 HP.

The MD informed the case may be represented to the Hon'ble KERC and such an initiative will help the Dall Industries in the region and also other SSI units.

Action: CEE(O) Corporate Office.

3. M/s Kalyani Steels Ltd. RR No. MHT-20 & M/s Mukund Ltd. RR No. MHT-62:

It is represented that their monthly average consumption is around 13 to 14 million units. Relaxation of ToD during morning peak hours i.e. 06.00 AM to 10.00 AM will be of help to their industries.

4. M/s Praxier India Pvt. Ltd. Koppal – RR No. MHT-34:

The representatives of the firm requested for relaxation of TOD during morning peak hours i.e. 06.00 AM to 10.00 AM and also assured that they would consume more power from GESCOM.

The D(T) advised the representatives of the industry to avail Special Incentive Scheme introduced by KERC.

Action: EE/SEE Koppal

5. M/s South India Cements – RR No. HTP-17:

The representatives of industry stated that power supply to their industry is fed from 220 KV sub station, Betagera, Sedam and found unbalanced low voltage during peak hours and requested to arrange reliable power supply. They also suggested to remove the TOD and further stated that their industry is having no captive generation and using GESCOM energy only.

D(T) directed the EE Sedam/SEE Kalaburagi to inspect the industry and resolve the power supply problem and if necessary to conduct a co-ordination meeting with the KPTCL officers.

Action: EE Sedam/SEE Kalaburagi

6. M/s Chettinadu Cement – RR No. EHT-5:

It is represented that power supply to their industry is fed from 110 KV Sub Station Chincholi and their industry is facing the problem of un balanced voltage. They have also applied for change of name of the industry to GESCOM but no response has been given. Back up charges of Rs.16.50 Lakhs is not yet refunded and requested to resolve the issues.

The MD/D(T) directed to EE Sedam/SEE/CEE Kalaburagi to resolve the issue of un balanced voltage duly conducting meeting with the officers of KPTCL and also take immediate action for change of name and also immediate action for refund of Rs.16.50 following due procedures.

Action: EE Sedam/SEE Kalaburagi

7. Representative of HKCCI, Yadgir:

They represented that they were not aware of the Special Incentive Scheme. Further represented that in other states LT industries are given power connection upto 99 HP on LT basis and the same may be considered in GESCOM also. They requested for fixed charges for HT/LT to be cancelled and 9% electricity tax was higher which also is to be cancelled. EE O&M Yadgir stated that out of 45 Rice Mills, 6 No. of installations have already availed Special Incentive Scheme.

The MD instructed the EE Yadgir/SEE Kalaburagi to contact the owners of Rice Mill Association and guide them to avail Special Incentive Scheme.

Action: EE Yadgir/SEE Kalaburagi

8. M/s ACC Ltd. Kuduthini, Bellari.

It is represented that power is supplied to their industry through 220 KV Sub Station, Allipur. Due to fluctuation in voltage and low voltage problem there is delay in restarting the plant and also scheduled outages was not informed to them in advance and also intimated that power bills are served on 10th instead of 5th of every month. They requested to provide quality voltage and to inform power supply interruptions in advance and also arrange to issue bills within 5th of every month. for arranging payment within the due date.

The MD instructed to EE Ballari, SEE and CEE Ballari to conduct a co-ordination meeting with the KPTCL officers to provide quality voltage to the consumer and also inform the consumer schedule outages through Urja Mitra App and resolve the other complaints.

Action: EE/SEE Ballari.

9. M/s Shilpa Medcare, Raichur.

It is represented that due date for payment of the bill is on 15th, but bill served on 13th. If 16th of the month is holiday penalty is raised for nonpayment. Requested for enhancement of the due date if bills are issued after 5th.

MD instructed to EE Raichur to issue the bill to the consumer within 4th of every month and avoid consumer complaints.

Action: EE Raichur.

10. M/s Orient Cements Sedam:

It is represented that power is supplied to their industry from 220 KV Sub Station, Betagera Sedam. And also informed that due to tripping of other 220 KV Lines connected at Sedam sub station, their plant is tripping on vector surge relay and further stated that FAC at 13 paise per unit is being charged.

MD instructed to EE Sedam/SEE Kalaburgi to resolve the complaint duly conducting a co-ordination meeting with the KPTCL officers.

Action: EE Sedam/SEE Kalaburagi.

11. M/s G.E. Ltd. Shahabad – RR No. SHBDHT-1.

It is represented that they have purchased the industry of M/s Alstom Ltd. Shahabad and applied for change of name from M/s Alstom to M/s G.E. Ltd., but no action has yet been taken for change of name.

The MD instructed EEE O&M Division-II Kalaburagi to look into the matter and take action early duly observing the company norms.

Action: EE Divn. II Kalaburagi.

12. M/s Keshav Cements Koppal:

It is learnt that the Wheeling & Banking is likely to be withdrawn and requested not to withdraw W&B.

D(T) informed that it is a policy matter and GESCOM will not take any action in the matter.

13. M/s Sai Life Sciences Ltd., Bidar – RR No. KHT-35.

It is stated that the electricity tax is claimed at 18% instead of 9% under solar billing. GESCOM revised the energy bill of May 2019 without any reason. Even though the installation is provided with dedicated feeder, there are many interruptions.

MD instructed the EEE/AO Bidar to resolve the issue and submit compliance.

Action: EE/AO Bidar

14. M/s Balaji Ispat Udyog , Halakundi village, Ballary – RR No. HT-130

It is represented that they are facing voltage problems to run their industry and as enquired with GESCOM officers it is stated that low voltage problem is from incoming end and suggested to provide a 110 KV sub station by procuring land from Govt.

MT/DT instructed EE/SEE Ballari to study the case and furnish their proposal. (copy of letter dated 25-02-2020 of the consumer is enclosed).

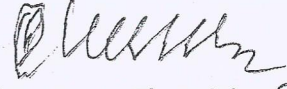
Action: EE/SEE/CEE Ballari.

15. Sri. Deepak Gala, Member, Advisory Committee, KERC present during the meeting requested the representatives of HKCCI jointly with KASSIA to present a memorandum to the Hon'ble KERC to supply power to LT industries upto 99 HP, since the said issue can be debated at KERC.

During discussion, mainly the complaints from HT/EHT consumers are about low voltage complaints, unbalanced voltage, voltage fluctuations and interruptions which are pertaining to KPTCL. Also most of HT consumers had the opinion, TOD be relaxed from 6.00 AM to 10.00 AM.

The M.D. instructed to have a co-ordination meeting with KPTCL officers at GESCOM to resolve the issue.

The meeting concluded at 01.30 PM.


Chief Engineer Electricity, Operations
GESCOM, Kalaburagi.

Memo No. GESCOM/SEE(Com.)/EE(Com.)/DCA(C)/19-20/ dated: 09.03.2020
Copy to: 64173-200

- 1) The Chief Engineer Elec., O&M Zone, GESCOM, Kalaburgi/Bellari to conduct a Co-ordination meeting with KPTCL officers for reliable and quality p/s to EHT consumers from 110 KV and above sub stations.
- 2) The Chief Engineer Electy., KPTCL, Sedam Road, Kalaburagi.
- 3) The Chief Financial Officer, GESCOM, Kalaburgi.
- 4) The Financial Adviser(I.A.), GESCOM, Kalaburgi.
- 5) The General Manager (A&HRD), GESCOM, Kalaburgi.
- 6) The Superintending Enginer El., O&M Circle, GESCOM, Kalaburgi/Bidar/Raichur/Bellari/Koppal.
- 7) All the Executive Engineer El., O&M Urban/Rural Divisions, GESCOM for information and compliance.
- 8) SPS to MD/D(T) place the before the Managing Director/Director(Tech.),