



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—INTRODUCTION OF CENTRALISED SYSTEM FOR THE
PAYMENT OF ELECTRICITY/WATER CHARGES OF GOVERNMENT
DEPARTMENTS—AMENDMENTS—ISSUED

FINANCE (BUDGET WING-A) DEPARTMENT

G. O. (P) No. 101/13/Fin. Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 23rd February, 2013.

- Read*—1. G. O. (P) No. 706/12/Fin. dated 26-12-2012.
2. D. O. No. Fin. 1/Credit/Centralised System/2012-13 dated
18-1-2013 of the Chairman, KSEB.

As per the G. O. read above, Government have introduced a Centralized system of payment of electricity/water charges with effect from 1-1-2013 under which the Heads of Departments shall make all payments of electricity/water charges in respect of all his subordinate offices directly to KSEB/KWA from 1-1-2013.

The Chairman, KSEB, vide his D. O. letter read above, has requested to withhold the implementation of the order till 1-4-2013 since various measures have to be completed before the switch-over to the new system, such as the process of mapping the Government Department against which each office has to be attached etc. It is also informed that at present, the payment of electricity charges of several educational institutions/hospitals are not made from Government funds but are borne by bodies like Parent Teacher Associations of the Schools/Hospital Development Committees etc.

After having examined the matter in detail, Government are pleased to order that the new system of payment of Electricity/Water Charges envisaged by the Government Order read above will be effective only with effect from 1-4-2013. Further, Government Institutions which makes payment towards Electricity/Water Charges from sources other than Government Fund such as PTA Fund/Hospital Development Committees etc. (i.e. Schools, Colleges, Public Health Centres and Hospitals under the Directorate of Public Instructions, Directorate of Technical Education, Directorate of Collegiate Education, Directorate of Vocational Higher Secondary Education, Directorate of Higher Secondary Education, Directorate of Health Services and Directorate of Medical Education) are exempted from the new centralized system of payment of Electricity/Water Charges. However the system will apply to Government offices in the above Departments also.

The G. O. read above stands modified to this extent.

By order of the Governor,

JOITH MATHEW,
Additional Secretary (Finance).

To

All Heads of Departments.
All Departments of Secretariat.
Finance (P.U.A) Department.
The Secretary, Kerala State Electricity Board, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Managing Director, Kerala Water Authority, Thiruvananthapuram.
All Treasury Officers.
The Nodal Officer, www.finance.kerala.gov.in
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