Secretary  
Karnataka Electricity Regulatory Commission  
6th & 7th Floor, Mahalaxmi Chambers  
No.9/2, M.G. road, Bangalore-560001

Sub: Furnishing comments on the imprudent works and compliance to the observations and recommendations made in the final report for Prudence check FY17 and FY18 – reg.


With reference to the above, I am directed to submit herewith the comments on imprudent works and compliance to the observations and recommendations made in the final report for Prudence check of FY17 and FY18 pertaining to MESCOM, as per the enclosed annexure (1) and (2).

In respect of Prudence works of FY-17 and FY-18, the primary objective and secondary objective is defined wherever applicable. The cost benefit ratio analysis is made for all the works except civil, hamlet electrification and power supply to applicant where it is not applicable. The reasons for cost overrun, time overrun for the works inspected by M/s RSA and Co, Kolkata, is enclosed.

Further, necessary directions have been issued to the field officers to follow the Capital expenditure guidelines issued by KERC.

The justification facts are submitted for kind perusal and consideration of the Hon’ble commission with a request not to disallow any expenditure in respect of above Capital investment projects from APR of FY-20.

It is assured that MESCOM always adheres to the guidelines and advices of the Hon’ble Commission.

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]

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