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Dated, Kolkata, 11th December, 2014

From:

K. P. Bhar, I.A.S (Retd.),
Secretary, WBERC

To:

The Chairman & Managing Director,
West Bengal State Electricity Distribution Company Limited,
Vidyut Bhawan, Block – DJ, Sector – II,
Kolkata – 700 091

**Sub : Legal charges for the financial years 2011-12,
2012-13 & 2013-14**

Ref : Our letter No : i) WBERC/B-11/8/0565 dated
02.09.2014 and ii) WBERC/B-11-8/0811 dated
21.11.2014 and your letter No : PTR/SERC/APR 2013-
14/1890 dated 03.12.2014

Sir,

I am directed to request you to refer to all the correspondences on the above matter resting with your letter dated 03.12.2014. As per provisions of West Bengal Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and conditions of tariff) Regulations, 2011 'legal charges' forming part of 'Operation and maintenance' expenses is a controllable factor for determination of tariff. The Commission is required to exercise prudence check before accepting any component of 'O&M' expenses for tariff determination. The Commission, accordingly, directed all the licensees to submit segregation of the legal expenses incurred during the years 2011-12, 2012-13 & 2013-14 for different purposes laid down in the letter of the Commission dated 02.09.2014.

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The reason for non-submission of required information as put forward by WBSEDCL is non acceptable to the Commission. WBSEDCL is once again directed to submit the details as per the format without further delay. List of payments where composite cases are involved may be submitted separately indicating the amount of fee paid and nature of cases for which payments made.

Yours faithfully,


(K.P. Bhar)
Secretary

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Copy forwarded to the Addl. Chief Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal, Deptt of Power & NES along with the copy of this Commission Letter Nos. WBERC/B-11/8/0565 dated 02.09.2014 and WBERC/B-11-8/0811 dated 21.11.2014 for information.

Encls : As stated above


(K.P. Bhar)
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