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15-6-2015

To,

The Hon'ble Governor of Andhra Pradesh,

Raj bhavan,

Hyderabad.

Respected Sir,

Sub: A.P. Power Sector – A.P.Re-organisation Act, 2014 –
Bifurcation of the Employees in the Power Sector – Reg.

Ref: 1. Letter No: 686 / HR.A1 / 2015 dt 06-06-2015 Issued by
Secretary to Government , Energy Department, Telangana
Secretariat, Hyderabad

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This has reference to the issue of bifurcation of A.P. Power sector employees in to Telangana and Residuary Andhra Pradesh State in view of the bifurcation of United Andhra Pradesh State. APSEB Engineers' Association has been submitting representations on this issue to the authorities from time to time. Regarding bifurcation of employees, the following is submitted for your kind perusal.

1. The AP power utilities whose functions fall in both the States after appointed date were bifurcated when the state is under Hon'ble Governor's Rule.

- As per the AP Reorganisation Act 2014, a separate TRANSCO (TS TRANSCO) is created for Telangana State and existing AP TRANSCO is continuing for residuary AP State. Assets & Liabilities along with Posts & Staff are temporarily bifurcated between APTransco & TSTransco vide G.O.Ms NO. 26 Dated 29.05.2014.

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- As per the AP Reorganisation Act 2014, separate GENCO (TSGENCO) is created for Telangana State and existing AP GENCO is continuing for residuary AP State and Assets & Liabilities along with Posts & Staff are temporarily bifurcated between APGENCO & TSGENCO vide G.O.Ms NO. 25 Dated 29.05.2014.
 - Similarly, as the two districts of Ananthapur and Kurnool fall within the residual state of AP, in accordance with Schedule XII of Andhra Pradesh Reorganization Act 2014 and reassigned the distribution business of these two districts to the present APSPDCL from APCPDCL. The assets and liabilities along with posts & employees are reassigned temporarily to APSPDCL as per the Section 53 of the Act vide G.O.Ms NO. 24 Dated 29.05.2014 and about 26.1% employees in APCPDCL corporate office were also allocated to APSPDCL Corporate office.
2. The APTRANSCO management has been requesting the Telangana TRANSCO management for finalization of guidelines since Nov' 2014 and they are continuously avoiding on some or other pre-text. In such a scenario the Secretary to Government, Energy Department, Telangana Secretariat **vide their letter dated 6.6.2015** has issued guidelines unilaterally for allocation of employees in the power sector of State of Telangana.
 3. TS power utilities have published on net on 11-6-2015 with a back dated orders i.e 10-6-2015 stating that all AP native employees are relieved from duties from TS power utilities. The TS Transco issued relived orders, stating that all relieved employees should approach APTransco. Similarly TSGenco issued relived orders, stating that all relieved employees should approach APGenco. But APGenco/APTransco are stating that the personnel allocated to TS power utilities were issued in combined APTransco/APGenco and TSpower utilities have no power to relive the employees unilaterally. Further, APTranco/APGenco are not accepting to take the relieved employees without any acceptable modalities and the assets , liabilities & posts are already apportioned as per the act .
 4. TSSPDCL & TSNPDCL (erstwhile APCPDCL & APNPDCCL) are the distribution companies of Telangana and its jurisdiction also falls within its territory. The employees were also recruited/appointed by those respective companies to serve in their territory. TSSPDCL & TSNPDCL are two separate independent entities. Some of the employees working in TSSPDCL & TSNPDCL are relieved from their duties branding them as ANDHRA natives. TSSPDCL & TSNPDCL have directed the relieved employees to approach the CMD/APEPDCL or APSPDCL. It is pertinent to note that the personnel recruited in TSSPDCL

cannot be transferred to TSNPDCL though they are in the same State of Telangana. When such is the case, sending the employees of TSSPDCL & TSNPDCL to APSPDCL & APEPDCL which is in A.P State is highly ridiculous. Thus the territorial distribution companies will not attract the bifurcation of employees as per the act.

5. The State of Telangana has formulated the guidelines unilaterally and lot of pressure is exerted on the employees by arbitrarily dividing them in to Andhra and Telangana. The Telangana Managements and Associations are working in Tandem and floating the Constitution, creating there own rules and troubling a section of employees branding them as Andhra.
6. The employees on rolls as on the date of bifurcation can not be relieved unilaterally without issuing a suitable reposting orders. These employees are State level Officers and recruited through Open notification following all statues. The AP counter parts cannot absorb these employees.
7. As per the section 82 of AP State Reorganization Act- 2014 read as **“On and from the appointed day, the employees of State Public Sector Undertakings, corporations and other autonomous bodies shall continue to function in such undertaking, corporation or autonomous bodies for a period of one year and during this period the corporate body concerned shall determine the modalities for distributing the personnel between the two successor States”**. As per the above clause, the utilities have to frame modalities and allocate the personnel between the two successor entities within one year of its function after appointed day **but in the present scenario the clause is not applicable as the entities (APTransco/APGENCO/APCPDCL) was already bifurcated without framing modalities for allocation of employees. Even after bifurcation of one year also, the successor entities (APTransco/TSTransco; APGenco/TSGenco) have not come forward to resolve the bifurcation of employees. In the prevailing surcharged atmosphere there is no hope of getting the modalities amicable between two state power utilities.**
8. In this context, it is to submit that section 108 of AP state Re-organisation Act-2014 is applicable. Section 108 is read as follows- **“ 108. (1) If any difficulty arises in giving effect to the provisions of this Act, the President may, by order do anything not inconsistent with such provisions which appears to him to be necessary or expedient for the purpose of removing the difficulty: Provided that no such order shall be made after the expiry of a period of three years from the appointed day. (2) Every order made under this section shall be laid before each House of Parliament”**.

9. In view of the above, it is requested to his Excellency that

- a. Necessary instructions to the TS power utilities may please be issued to re-join all the relieved employees immediately and restore their status as on 9.6.2015 duly ensuring safety and security to the employees and their families.
- b. Further, it is requested to appraise the difficulty arose to frame modalities as per the act and recommend to the Central Government invoking section 108 of the AP Re-organisation Act for framing the guidelines for employee bifurcation between two APTRANSCO / TSTRANSCO and APGENCO / TSGENCO.

Thanking you and Assuring you of our co-operation at all times.

Yours Faithfully,



M. Vedavyasa Rao.
Secretary General

Copy submitted to

1. Hon'ble Prime Minister of India, New Delhi.
2. Hon'ble Home Minister, Govt. of India, New Delhi.
3. Hon'ble Minister for Urban Development & Poverty Alleviation and Parliament Affairs, Govt. of India, New Delhi.
4. Hon'ble Minister for Civil Aviation, Govt. of India, New Delhi.
5. Hon'ble Minister for Commerce and Industry, Govt. of India, New Delhi.
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