## DELHI JAL BOARD GOVT. OF NCT OF DELHI OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR (REVENUE) VARUNALAYA PH.II, KAROL BAGH, NEW DELHI

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## CIRCULAR

Sub.: Reverting back to the old assessed average water consumption in the event of non-replacement of the defective water meters - regarding.

Delhi Jal Board in its meeting held on 20.06.2009 has taken a policy decision by which the DJB would do away with the existing billing system of charging at presumptive average of 20/30 kl pm applicable to defective meters in domestic category and instead issue the bills on actual consumption basis. For implementing this policy, DJB has, therefore, taken further decision to issue the notices to all such consumers having connection with defective meters / without meters to install good quality meters and if they fail to do so, then they will be sent bills at the old average consumption worked out on their past working meters.

As such, the Revenue Department has the task cut out for it by which it would be sending notices to all such consumers giving them sufficient time to have their connections fitted with working meters. A proforma of the notice has been drafted and the same is enclosed herewith for using the draft to send the notices.

As the current billing round is over, this exercise of issuing notices to all such consumers will start immediately. Immediate preference will be given to those areas where Contd....P/2

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water supply has perceptibly improved. Joint Directors (Revenue) are, therefore, directed to select the areas accordingly in consultation with Executive Engineer (W/S/R) and closely monitor / supervise the entire exercise.

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## For Press Release

Delhi Jal Board has taken decision to issue notices to consumers to install new meters, if their meters have gone out of order or in case their connections are running without meters. In this regard, one month's notice for installation of new meters is being issued to such consumers from the Delhi Jal Board field offices. The notice requires that in case a functional meter is not installed in a month time, the monthly bills of the consumers will be revised to the old average that existed before the current policy of issuing the bills on presumptive monthly average of 20 kls. or 30 kls. as the case may be. The Board has further decided that even the connections can be disconnected, if the consumer does not pay heed to the notice.

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