

OFFICE OF DIRECTOR REVENUE DELHI JAL BOARD: GOVT. OF NCT OF DELHI VARUNALAYA PHASE-II, KAROL BAGH NEW DELHI-110005.

No. DJB/DOR/Tariff/2016/ 1562

Dated: 08-02-2016

Subject: Penalty on account of non compliance of Rain Water Harvesting provision.

As per provisions of Delhi Water & Sewer (Tariff and Metering) Regulation 2012, Rain Water Harvesting is mandatory for property/floor size of 500 Sq.mtr. or more. This provision was to be made functional by the commercial/industrial category consumers of the Board within one year and by the domestic consumers within 3 years from the date of coming into force of above regulations i.e. 31-08-2012. As per tariff regulations, such consumers who fail to comply with the above provision will be charged 1.5 times the normal tariff. Accordingly, vide circular dated 08-07-2015, the above provision was invoked.

- 2. Subsequent to the imposition of the enhanced tariff, representations from various forums/consumers/associations have been received against imposing aforesaid penalty citing various reasons and therefore, the matter was reviewed when various difficulties in implementing / installing the Rain Water Harvesting System including absense of identified agency who can guide consumers to install Rain Water Harvesting Structure, delay in permission for boring etc. were indicated.
- 3. Considering the difficulties faced by the consumers, Board has approved to defer the implementation of Rain Water Harvesting penalty till onset of the monsoon season i.e. upto 30-06-2016 and the bill issued to such consumers should be revised as per normal tariff and amount levied/paid by a consumer on this account should be adjusted in the next bill. The consumers would also be advised through a Public Notice to install the system by 30-06-2016 under intimation to the Z.R.O. concerned.
- 4. The above decision of the Board is being issued in anticipation of the confirmation of the minutes of the meeting by the Board.

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(Nidhi Srivastava) Director (Revenue)

- 1. PS to Chairman, DJB for kind information.
- 2. Vice Chairman, DJB for kind information.
- 3. Members of the Board for kind information.
- 4. Secy. to CEO for kind information of CEO.
- Member (A)/Member(F)/Member(W)/Member(Dr.).
- 6. All Chief Engineers .
- 7. Director(F&A)/ Director(A&P)/ Secretary, DJB
- 8. Jt. Director (Vig.)/Jt. Director (F&A)-I & II.
- 9. All ACs/AOs/AO(Treasury).

Copy for information and necessary action to:

- 1. All Area Jt. Directors (Revenue)/ All Dy. Directors(Revenue).
- 2. All SEs(Maintenance)/ All EEs (W/S/R).
- 3. All ZROs are directed to take action accordingly.
- 4. Consultant (PR): for necessary Press Release.
- 5. A.O.(Revenue)HQ/A.A.O.(Revenue)HQ.
- 6. E.E. (EDP) . for uploading on DJB Website.
- 7. Project Director, M/s. TCS, 6th Floor, Varunalaya Building-II for necessary modification in application software.

8. Guard File.

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DIRECTOR (REVENUE)

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