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**(For the state of Goa and Union territories)**

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**PRESS RELEASE**

**(Under Regulation 31 of JERC (Conduct of Business) Regulations, 2009)**

1. Electricity Department, Puducherry (EDP) has filed a petition before the Commission for approval of Aggregate Revenue Requirement (ARR) and determination of Tariff for the year 2009-10.
2. Commission after due analysis and prudent check in accordance with the provisions of Electricity Act 2003 hereby approved the following :

**Annual Revenue Requirement (ARR) for the year 2009-10**

(Rs. lakhs)

S.N	Particulars	Proposed by the EDP	Approved by the Commission
1.	Cost of power purchase	61408	57681
2.	Employee cost	6684	6191*
3.	Repairs & maintenance expenses	683	616
4.	Administration & general expenses	851	728
5.	Depreciation	2108	62
6.	Interest and finance charges	2359	-
7.	Interest on working capital	1685	666
8.	Provision for bad debts	142	55
9.	Return on equity / capital employed	3153	-
10	<b>Total Revenue Requirement</b>	<b>79073</b>	<b>65999</b>
11	Less: Non tariff income	325	177
12	<b>Net Revenue Requirement</b>	<b>78748</b>	<b>65822</b>
13	<b>Revenue from existing tariff</b>	<b>56973</b>	<b>58540</b>
14	<b>Gap for 2009-10 (12-13)</b>	<b>21775</b>	<b>7282</b>

15	<b>Sales (Lakh units)</b>	<b>22669.3</b>	<b>22660</b>
16	<b>Average cost (Rs./kWh)</b>	<b>3.47</b>	<b>2.90</b>

\* Net after capitalization

3. Based on the approval of Aggregate Revenue Requirement (ARR) the new tariff for different categories of Consumers in the Union territory of Puducherry w.e.f. 20.2.1010 will be :

<b>Proposed &amp; approved tariff</b>							
S. N	Category/ sub category	Energy charges			Demand charges		
		Existing energy charges (P/ kWh)	Proposed energy charge tariff by EDP (Ps/kWh)	Approved by Commission (Paise per KWH)	Existing Demand charges (Rs. / kVA/PM)	Proposed demand charges tariff BY EDP(Rs./kVA)	Approved by Commission (Rs./KVA) per month
<b>I</b>	<b>High Tension</b>						
<b>1</b>	<b>HT Category I (A)</b>						
a)	Upto 1lakh units	260	345	295	135	205	155
b)	Above 1 lakh units	275	355	310	135	205	155
	<b>Total</b>						
<b>2</b>	<b>HT I – B</b>						
	All units	280	355	315	140	210	160
<b>3</b>	<b>HT Category II</b>						
	All units	210	285	285	120	190	190
<b>4</b>	<b>HT Category III</b>						
	All units	280	355	315	140	210	160
	<b>HT Total</b>						
<b>II</b>	<b>Low Tension</b>						
<b>1</b>	<b>Domestic</b>						
a)	0-100 units	55	90	60	0	0	0
b)	101-200 units	80	130	90	0	0	0
c)	201-300 units	145	225	165	0	0	0
d)	Above 300 units	175	300	200	0	0	0
	<b>Total</b>				<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>Public Lights</b>	175	350	290	0	0	0
<b>3</b>	<b>Commercial</b>						
a)	A1 – I						0
b)	0-100	190	350	215	20	20	25
c)	101-250	280	350	315	20		25
d)	Above 250	325	400	365	20		25
	<b>Total</b>						
<b>4</b>	<b>Agriculture</b>						
a)	Small Farmers				0	Rs.50/HP/Annum	Rs.25 /HP/Annum
b)	Other Farmers total				Rs.75 /HP /Annum	Rs.150/HP/Annum	Rs.100 /HP/Annum
	<b>Total</b>						
<b>4</b>	<b>LT industrial</b>						
a)	0-1000	230	330	260	20	20	25

b)	Above 1000	250	375	280	20	20	25
	<b>Total</b>						
<b>5</b>	<b>Water tank C-2</b>	180	350	290	25	25	25
	<b>Total LT</b>						
III	OH. OB				0	Rs.15/month/conne ction	Rs.15/month/connection

4. Further, in compliance with the order dtd.14.12.2009 of Hon'ble High Court of Judicature of Madras at Chennai, in the matter W.A. No.1822 of 2009 and M.P. No.1 of 2009, the above said tariff schedule will come into effect from 20th Feb, 2010.
5. The detail tariff order on Aggregate Revenue Requirement (ARR) and tariff determination on EDP Petition for the year 2009-10 are available in the Commission's website : [www.jercuts.gov.in](http://www.jercuts.gov.in).

By Order

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