

POWER (A) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (Ms.) No. 4/92/P.D., Thiruvananthapuram, dated, 6th February 1992.

Abstract- Power Department-Concessional Power Tariff and Electricity Duty to industries as a measure of incentive-Orders issued.

- Read- 1. G.O. (Ms.) No. 21/91/P.D. dated 30th November 1991.
 - 2. G.O. (P) No. 13/92/I.D. dated 22nd January 1992.

ORDER

In the light of the Statement of Industrial Policy approved for implementation of Government the following incentives in respect of electricity are ordered.

- I. New Industrial units will be exempted for 5 years from payment of enhanced power tariff which came into effect on 1st January 1992. This concession will be available-
- i to the new units from the date of commercial production, which start such production between 1st January 1992 and 31st December 1996;
 - ii. to manufacturing units only and not to service and entertainment units;
- iii to existing units of substantial expasion/modernisation/ diversification the concession in such cases will be available only for the consumption of the new machinery and equipment which adds to the capital asset, by not less than 25 per cent of the existing fixed capital investment excluding land and building, the installation of which is to be certified by the competent authority;
- iv to the industrial units for modernisation which involves the scrapping up of old equipments, in which case the consumption of new equipments, in which case the consumption of new equipments will be eligible for this concession will be certified by K.S.I.D.C/K.F.C. in respect of units funded by them, by D.I.C. in respect of S.S.I. Units. There will be no further scrutiny of eligibility by Kerala State Electricity Board.
- II. The Industrial Units which set up their own captive power facilities will be exempted from payment of electricity duty to the extent to which they generate power for their own consumption. This concession shall cover all generation of power for captive use including micro /mini/small Hydro Electric Power.

Above concessions will also available to the units which may have stated commercial productions or set up captive generating units, as the case may between 23rd September 1991 and 31st December 1991.

(By Order of the Governor)
Arun Kumar
Commissioner and Secretary to Government.