

महाराष्ट्र विद्युत नियामक आयोग

Maharashtra Electricity Regulatory Commission

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Dt. 16.10.2023

To, Shri Sanket Kumbhar, SS-2, Room No.597, Sec No. 04, Koparkhairane, Navi Mumbai- 400709.

Subject : Your application dated Nil submitted under RTI Act 2005.

Sir,

The office of the Commission is in receipt of your application on dated 18.09.2023 under section 6 (1) RTI Act 2005 seeking information by the PIO. Applicant has sought the information as under: -

No	Information Sought	Information Provide
1	Please provide the content of point no. 3 of Daily order in Case No. 208 of 2022 dated 8 th August, 2023.	Daily Order is self-explanatory The Commission's hearing schedule is available in events/ calendar on MERC website www.merc.gov.in. All the matter scheduled for hearings / daily order are available at the above mentioned location on the MERC Website.
2	Please provide the date on which report of compliance was submitted by Chairman & Managing Director of MSEDCL as directed by Commission in point No. 3 of Case No. 208 of 2022 dated 8 th August, 2023.	Proceeding in the case referred is in process. The hearing in case no. 208 of 2022 is scheduled on 17.10.2023. As the desired document is pertain to the petition before the Commission, you may
3	Please provide the copy of above compliance report and/or any other report pertaining to point No.3 of Daily order of Case No. 208 of 2022 dated 8 th August 2023, is submitted by Chairman & Managing Director of MSEDCL.	sought for such documents as per provision of MERC (Transaction of Business and Fees and Charges) Regulations, 2022. Copy of the same is available in downloadable format on Commission's website www.merc.gov.in
4	Please provide if the copy of directions given to filed staff by Chairman & Managing Director of MSEDCL is submitted to MERC.	
4a	If yes, please provide the copy of same.	
5	Please provide the content of point no. 5 & 6 of Daily order in Case of Case No. 243 of 2022 dated 11 th August, 2023.	Daily Order is self-explanatory. The Commission's hearing schedule is available in events/ calendar on MERC website www.merc.gov.in. All the matter scheduled for hearings / daily order are available at the above mentioned location on the MERC Website.

6	Please provide the action initiated by Hon'ble Commission after 11 th August 2023 against CMD MSEDCL and/or Concerned officer of MSEDCL, for noncompliance of CGRF/Ombudsman Orders as per point No. 5 of Daily order in case of Case No. 243 of 2022 dated 11 th August 2023.	Proceeding in the case referred is in process. The hearing in case no. 243 of 2022 is scheduled on 17.10.2023. As the desired document is pertain to the petition before the Commission, you may sought for such documents as per provision of MERC (Transaction of Business and
7	Please provide the details of action taken by Hon'ble Commission after 11 th August 2023 against CMD MSEDCL and Concerned officer of MSEDCL, for noncompliance of CGRF/Ombudsman Orders as per point No. 5 of Daily order in case of Case No. 243 of 2022 dated 11 th August 2023.	Fees and Charges) Regulations, 2022. Copy of the same is available in downloadable format on Commission's website www.merc.gov.in
8	Please Provided the details of Proceedings initiated by MERC Suo Moto and/or against Letter (s) submitted by consumer/appellant for noncompliance of CGRF order.	Not available
9	If Answer of above question number 8 is no, please provide the reason.	Information asked is in question format. The Act does not expect the PIO to find answers for raised question. A Public Information Officer (PIO) is not expected to provide intangible such as interpretations, opinions, advices, explanations, reasons as they are not included in the definition of information in Section 2 (f) of the RTI Act, 2005.

As per the Hon'ble CIC decision No. CIC/YA/A/2014/000379/SB Dated 19.09.2016 in the matter of Shri. K. Lall Vs M. K. Bagri, Assistant Registrar of Companies and CPIO, Appeal No. CIC/AT/A/2007/00112, dated 12.04.2007, since the same is available in public domain, the PIO is not obliged to provide the same to the appellant under the RTI Act.

Shri Abhijeet Chatuphale, Deputy Director (A&F) is the first Appellate Authority for the purpose of Appeal under Sub- Section (1) of section 19 of the Right Information Act, 2005. Address: Maharashtra Electricity Regulatory Commission, World Trade Centre, Centre No.1, 13th Floor, Cuffe Parade, Mumbai – 400005 Tel. No. 022-22163964/65/69. Email: abhijeet.chatuphale@merc.gov.in.

Yours faithfully,

(Arun Walunj)

Public Information Officer & Under Secretary