

NOTICE

Subject: Petition of Venkateshwara Hatcheries Pvt. Ltd. for Proper Tariff Categorization of the units which are involved in Research & Development in relation to Poultry / Hatchery and to apply LT/HT Agricultural Category and to stop improper Industrial and / or Commercial Tariff application by MSEDCL

- **Case No. 57 of 2013**

2. Venkateshwara Hatcheries Pvt. Ltd. have submitted a Petition along with an affidavit on 26.04.2013 for proper Tariff Categorization of the units which are involved in Research & Development in relation to Poultry / Hatchery (Petitioner is involved in this activity) and to apply LT/HT Agricultural Category and to stop improper Industrial and / or Commercial Tariff application by MSEDCL. The main prayers of the Petitioner are as under-

a) *to issue Rule;*

b) *to issue appropriate order, direction or clarification to the effect that all the Research and Development Units in relation to Poultry Breeding, Hatching and Poultry farming and allied activities, both situated inside and outside the hatcheries and poultries, are included in the Tariff plan namely HT-V Agricultural to all the Research and Development Units in relation to Poultry Breeding, Hatching and Poultry Farming and allied activities, both situated inside and outside the hatcheries and poultries w.e.f. 1/08/2012;*

c) *pending the hearing and final disposal of the present petition, to stay the effect, operation, implementation and/or execution of the impugned order dt. 16/08/2012 passed by MERC, at the instance of Respondent No.1 in case No.19/2012 only to the extent whereby the same categorizes the Research and Development Units in relation to Poultry Breeding, Hatching and Poultry Farming and allied activities which are situated outside the Industrial Premises i.e. the hatcheries or poultries, into HT-II commercial Tariff Plan w.e.f. 1/08/2012;*

d) *pending the hearing and final disposal of the present petition, to direct the respondents to charge the Petitioner as per the Tariff Plan namely HT-V (Agriculture) and allow the Petitioner to pay the electricity bills as per HT-V (Agriculture) w.e.f. 1/08/2012;*

e) *pending the hearing and final disposal of the present petition, to refund or to adjust against the future electricity bills issued by the Respondent to the Petitioner as per HT-V (Agriculture) the excess amount paid by the Petitioner under Industry/Commercial category;*

f) to grant interim /Ad-interim reliefs in terms of prayer clause (c) & (d) above;

g) to pass such other orders and to grant reliefs in favour of the Petitioners as this Hon'ble Commission may deem just, legal and proper.

3. I am directed to communicate that the Hearing in the above matter will be held in the presence of the authorized consumer representatives on **Thursday 6th June, 2013 at 15.00 hrs** in the office of the Commission at 13th Floor, Centre No.1, World Trade Centre, Cuffe Parade, Mumbai 400 005.

4. The Petitioner is directed to immediately serve a copy of its above mentioned Petition (both in soft and hard versions) to the authorized consumer representatives.

5. The Respondent is directed to submit its say on affidavit, if any, on the above mentioned Petition with a copy to the Petitioner and authorised consumer representatives.

Sd/-

(R. S. Sonawane)

Dy. Director (Legal)

Venkateshwara Hatcheries Pvt Ltd.,
Venkateshwara House,
Survey No. 114/A/2, Pune-Sinhagad Road,
Pune - 411 030
subodh.dandawate@venkys.com

Petitioner

The Chief Engineer (Tariff Regulatory Cell)
Maharashtra State Electricity Distribution Company Ltd
5th Floor, Plot G-9, Anant Kanekar Marg,
Prakashgad, Bandra (East),
Mumbai 400 005
E-mail: cetrc@mahadiscom.in

Respondent

The Chief Engineer (Commercial)
Maharashtra State Electricity Distribution Company Ltd
5th Floor, Plot G-9, Anant Kanekar Marg,
Prakashgad, Bandra (East),
Mumbai 400 005

Consumer Representatives:

Cc:

Prayas (Energy Group)
Amrita Clinic, Athvale Corner,
Lakdipool-karve Road Junction,
Deccan Gymkhana, Karve Road,
Pune 411 004.
E-mail: peg@prayaspune.org

Cc: Mumbai Grahak Panchayat,
Grahak Bhavan,
Sant Dynaneshwar Marg,
Behind Cooper Hospital,
Vile Parle (West),
Mumbai 400 056
E-mail: mgpanchayat@yahoo.com

Cc: The General Secretary,
Thane Belapur Industries
Association,
Rabale Village, Post Ghansoli,
Plot P-14, MIDC,
Navi Mumbai 400 701
E-mail: tbia@vsnl.com

Cc: Vidarbha Industries Association,
1st Floor, Udyog Bhavan,
Civil Line,
Nagpur 440 001.
E-mail: rkengg@gmail.com