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Dated: 21/03/23

CORRIGENDUM-III

Sub : Revised procedure adopted for empanelment of firms in the field of net energy meters-**Bi-directional meters** reg.

- Ref:** 1. Circular No BESCOM/GM (Q&S)/ DGM El/3/BC 11/12-13/CYS-18 dated 16.5.2012
2. T.O. OM No. BESCOM/GM (M&C)/DGM (M)/AGM2/BC24/F-1992/14-15/CYS-7 dated 07.05.2014.
3. T.O Corrigendum No. BESCOM/GM (M&C)/DGM (M)/AGM2/BC-24/14-15/CYS-50 dated 28.06.2014.
4. T.O. Corrigendum-II No. BESCOM/GM (M&C)/DGM (M)/ AGM2/BC-24/14-15/CYS-106 dated 11.09.2014.
6. Proceedings of the ACS meeting No. BESCOM/BC-51/2018-19/1127-29 dated 16.10.2018
7. OM No. GM (QS&S)/ DGM (El)-3/ BC-11/ 20-21/ CYS-191 dated 15.10.2020
8. Approval of D (T), BESCOM vide para (78) dated 06.12.2022

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PREAMBLE:

This office has issued the procedure for empanelment of firms in the field of net energy meters vide OM cited under ref(2) and subsequent corrigendum's vide cited under ref(3) and (4).

As per the CEA guidelines and existing norms, an amendment is to be issued for the empanelment and its renewal procedures in terms of document verification, period of validity of the type test reports, collection of Bi-directional meters (tested) cost charges and modem charges, GST @18% on the processing fee etc.,

Hence this OM,

An amendment to the empanelment of firms and its renewal mechanisms in the field of net energy meters is detailed as under:

Sl. No	As Existing	Amended
1	The firm shall pay the processing fee of Rs.10,000/- only (for all category of meters) by DD drawn in favour of AGM (E&S), Corporate Office, BESCO on intimation from the General Manager (Ele), Meters & Commercial Office.	The firm shall pay the processing fee of Rs.10,000/- + GST @18% (for all category of meters) by DD drawn in favour of AGM(E&S), Corporate Office, BESCO on intimation from the General Manager (Ele), Meters & Commercial Office.
2	New	Firm shall offer inspection call for initial and extended period to ascertain the meter specifications.
3	New	The approved Vendors to maintain a minimum of 25 no. of meters of each approved category at each outlet.
4	New	Firm shall declare the unit rate applicable for each category of meter with GST amount. No extra charges shall be collected from the Applicants/Consumers without intimation to the office of the General Manager (M&C), Corporate office and consent.
5	New	Firm shall declare authorized outlet details with contact information.

Renewal mechanisms:

1. The approved Vendors shall submit their request for renewal of approval one month in advance before the expiry of validity.
2. Further renewal is subject to the performance of the firms on the basis of quality of meters supply, maintenance of sufficient quantity of meters, delivery within the schedule etc.,
3. The approved Vendors shall sell the MT lab tested bidirectional meters duly collecting the testing fees from the consumers.
4. BESCO reserves the right to call for any document/credentials for verification during inspection of meters by BESCO authorities to ascertain the manufacturing experience/performance/technical suitability of the meters.

5. Firm shall offer inspection call for initial and extended period to ascertain the meter specifications.
6. BESCO reserves the right to withdraw/cancel the vendor approval issued without prior notice and assigning any reason for such decision in case vendor:
 - Fails to furnish valid documents/credentials to BESCO for verification
 - Supply of poor-quality/defective meters to the consumers
 - Fails to maintain sufficient quantity of meters
 - Excess Meter cost collection
 - Poor performance
 - Poor sales service
 - Deviations reported in the technical specifications of BESCO
 - Misleading to the Company
7. BESCO reserves the right to blacklist the firm for the above reasons.

Other terms and conditions of the Circular and its amendments issued vide ref (1, 3 & 4) remains unaltered.

This order shall come into force with immediate effect.



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Copy to:

1. The Chief General Manager (Operations) / Corporate Affairs, Corporate Office, BESCO.
2. All the Chief Engineers (El), O&M Zones, BESCO, for kind information.
3. All the General Managers (Ele), Corporate Office, BESCO for information.
4. All the Superintending Engineers (Ele), O&M Circles, BESCO for information.
5. All the Executive Engineers (Ele), O&M Divisions/ MT divisions, BESCO, Bangalore for information and needful action.
8. All the Asst. Exe. Engineers (Ele), O&M Sub-divisions, BESCO.
9. PS to MD/ DT with a request to place before the Hon'ble Managing Director, Director (Technical), BESCO.
10. OC/MF.

