

Minutes of Meeting, 2nd Meeting

The 2nd SAC meeting was held on 11/04/2013

Agenda Point No.1

Aggregate Revenue requirement (ARR) Projected by Deptt. of Power (DOP)

Agenda Point No.2

Comparison of Existing Tariff with Tariff proposed for 2013-14 by the DOP

It was felt by all the participants that the Commission should cautiously and sympathetically look into the complaints of the Consumers. The increase in the Tariff should be of a reasonable amount and should be absorbable by all sections of the society. The proposed tariff needs to be reviewed for reduction and alternatively some amount of revenue can be generated by virtue of reducing the existing huge AT&C losses and also by reduction in administrative costs, O&M expenses and by increasing overall efficiency of the Deptt.

Agenda Point No.3

Transmission and Distribution (T&D) Losses

It was mentioned that a plan & policy of taking up 100% metering has already been approved by the State govt. and that on its completion it may reduce 30 to 35% of AT&C losses in the state.

Agenda Point No.4

Security Deposit

It was felt by all present in the meeting that the security deposit of the Consumers can be on higher side. However, the SAC was appraised about the existing regulation of the APSERC on AP Electricity Code- 2013 having a definite formula for working out security deposit to be taken from various categories of the Consumers.