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ABSTRACT

WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT—EXISTING RATE OF WATER USER CHARGES—NOTIFIED AS FLOOR RATE FOR ALL CATEGORIES AS PART OF IMPLEMENTING STATE LEVEL REFORMS FOR STRENGTHENING LOCAL BODIES TO MAKE THE STATE ELIGIBLE FOR ADDITIONAL BORROWING OF 2% OF GROSS STATE DOMESTIC PRODUCT (GSDP)—ORDERS ISSUED

WATER RESOURCES (WATER SUPPLY-B) DEPARTMENT

G. O. (Ms.) No. 9/2021/WRD.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 10th February 2021.

Read:—(1) G. O. (Ms.) No. 88/2014/WRD dated 25-9-2014.

(2) G. O. (Ms.) No. 92/2014/WRD dated 30-9-2014.

(3) Letter F. No. 40/(06)/PF-S/2017-18/Vol.V dated 17-5-2020 from Government of India, Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure (Public Finance-State Division).

(4) Minutes of the review meeting held on 22-6-2020 by the Hon'ble Chief Minister.

ORDER

In the wake of negative impact on resources of Central & State Governments due to COVID-19 pandemic, Ministry of Finance, Government of India had allowed additional borrowing of 2% (including 1% unconditional borrowing) of GSDP to the States for the financial year 2020-21 subject to the implementation of following four State level reforms as per letter read above.

- a. Implementation of One Nation One Ration Card System;
- b. Ease of doing business reform;
- c. Urban Local body/utility reforms (reforms for Strengthening Local Bodies); and
- d. Power Sector Reforms.

2. As per the reforms for Strengthening Local Bodies, the State will have to notify floor rates of user charges in respect of the provision of water-supply, drainage and sewerage which reflect current costs/past inflation.

3. Accordingly, Government hereby notify the existing water charges including Sewerage charges, as ordered vide the G.Os read above and appended to this Order, as floor rates with 5% annual increase from next financial year onwards for all categories as part of implementing reforms in this sector.

By Order of the Governor,

T. K. JOSE,
Additional Chief Secretary.



<i>Category and consumption per month</i>		<i>Revised Tariff from 1-4-2022 to 31-3-2023</i>	
		<i>Fixed charge</i>	<i>Variable charge</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1. <u>Domestic</u>			
	Up to 5000 litres	Nil	₹ 4.41 per 1000 litres with minimum ₹ 22.05
	Above 5000 to 10,000 litres	Nil	₹ 22.05 plus ₹ 4.41 per 1000 litres in excess of 5000 litres
	Above 10,000 to 15,000 litres	Nil	₹ 44.10 plus ₹ 5.51 per 1000 litres in excess of 10000 litres
	Above 15,000 to 20,000 litres	Nil	₹ 6.62 per every 1000 litres for the entire consumption (0 to 20000 litres)
	Above 20,000 to 25,000 litres	Nil	₹ 7.72 per every 1000 litres for the entire consumption (0 to 25000 litres)
	Above 25,000 to 30,000 litres	Nil	₹ 9.92 per every 1000 litres for the entire consumption (0 to 30000 litres)
	Above 30,000 to 40,000 litres	Nil	₹ 13.23 per every 1000 litres for the entire consumption (0 to 40000 litres)
	Above 40,000 to 50,000 litres	Nil	₹ 15.44 per every 1000 litres for the entire consumption (0 to 50000 litres)
	Above 50,000 litres	Nil	₹ 772.00 plus ₹ 44.10 per every 1000 litres in excess of 50000 litres
<i>Note:</i> (a) No water charges will be collected from BPL families consume up to 15000 litres per month.			
(b) For flats fixed charges will be @ ₹ 55.13 per dwelling unit.			
2. <u>Non Domestic</u>			
	For consumption in a month	₹ 55.13	
	Up to 15000 litres		₹ 16.54 per 1000 litres with minimum ₹ 165.40
	Above 15000 to 30000 litres		₹ 248.10 plus ₹ 23.15 per every 1000 litres in excess of 15000 litres
	Above 30000 to 50000 litres		₹ 595.35 plus ₹ 30.87 per every 1000 litres in excess of 30000 litres
	Above 50000 litres		₹ 1212.75 plus ₹ 44.10 per every 1000 litres in excess of 50000 litres



(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
3. Industrial			
	For consumption in a month	₹ 165.38	₹ 44.10 per 1000 litres with minimum ₹ 275.63
4.	Sewerage charges will be applicable @ 11.02% of water charges. Payable by those consumers who have availed sewerage connections.		
5.	The rate of per tap per year for Rural and Urban Public Hydrants.		
	Municipal Taps		₹ 8692.11 per year
	Panchayath Taps		₹ 5788.13 per year
6. Bulk Supply			
	The bulk water supply (Excluding Tanker Lorry) to Local Self Govt.		₹ 6.62 per 1000 litres
	Tanker Lorry Supply		₹ 66.15 per 1000 litres at filling point plus Conveyance charge ₹ 42 per KM and Administrative charge ₹ 330.75 up to 6000 litres ₹ 551.25 above 6000 litres

Note: The above rates are subject to annual revision as per G.O.(Ms.)No. 9/2021/WRD dated 10-2-2021 for all categories.

