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From the Chairman & Managing Director's Desk

My dear colleagues,

The Rabi season is fast approaching. With the experience gained during Kharif, we need to gear up to providing seven hours of power to agriculture sector besides quality power to Industries. As we all know power is a precious resource and availability has always been trailing the demand (particularly due to the high economic growth rate witnessed in recent years). This gap is of concern and the State has left no stone unturned to buy power from all possible sources, irrespective of the cost. We need to work hard to tide over these issues.

In this connection, all the Operation Circles have to meticulously plan and ensure quality supply to the customers.

- a. ensure daily seven hour three phase power supply for agriculture and reduce over draws with judicious planning in order to maintain safety of the Grid.
- b. take up separation of loads of agriculture from Mandal head quarter's feeders.
- c. farmers should be encouraged to regularize their unauthorized agricultural connections immediately.
- d. farmers should be informed well in advance about supply timings.
- e. inspect lines and other electrical equipment to reduce interruptions.
- f. regularize of UDC/OSL services.

I would like to appreciate the efforts made by our Staff and Engineers of all Circles of Greater Hyderabad in providing uninterrupted supply during Ganesh Chaturthi and Ramzaan. The effort drew



praise from all quarters including the Hon'ble Minister for Power.

During the last six months, our company has fared well by achieving an input of 13,851 MU, total sales of 11,620 MU thereby improving the specific revenue with respect to input from Rs. 2.32 to Rs.2.38 per unit. The efforts of Operation Circles of Kurnool, West Circle/ Greater Hyderabad and Medak need mention for securing first three positions respectively in contributing for the company's growth. My appreciation to the Engineers and the Staff of these Circles.

We are soon moving into our new Corporate Office building which was inaugurated on 9th October, 2008. Working in a new environment, I hope you will all continue to show the vigor and energy for providing still better service to our consumers. We should not rest on our laurels and should constantly work towards bettering ourselves. We should focus on line loss reduction and providing un-interrupted supply to consumers. I am sure that every one of you will work to this end by taking the slew of measures that we have been discussing.

G. SAI PRASAD, I.A.S.,
Chairman & Managing Director

Festive Greetings !

OUR COMPANY BAGS PRESTIGIOUS INDIA POWER AWARD -2008

For the best services rendered to the consumers, for the first time, our company bagged the



coveted India Power Award – 2008 for best overall Utility Performance from the 'Council for Power Utilities'. The award was received by Sri. P. Raja Gopal Reddy, our Director (Finance & RA), from Sri. Ponnala Lakshmaiah, Hon'ble Minister for Major Irrigation on 3rd November 2008 at New Delhi.

The Central Power Consumer Council and KW Conference entrusted the job of selecting the best power utility to Mercados Energy Market International – Asia. APCPDCL was adjudged as the best for overall performance among the 60 nominations received for this prestigious award. AP Genco, AP Transco and APSPDCL also received the awards for their impressive performance.

Sri G. Sai Prasad, I.A.S., our Chairman and Managing Director while congratulating the employees on this achievement, exhorted them to work hard and contribute their might for providing better services to the consumers and winning more such laurels, keeping the company flag flying high.

Our congratulations!

OUR OPERATION DIRECTOR'S TERM EXTENDED



Our Director (Operation) Sri B. Ravindra Reddy was given an extension of three more years by the Govt. of AP and posted in the same place with effect from 28th September, 2008.

We wish all the best in his future endeavour!

HARDWORK PAYS REWARDS

Smt. J. Sandhya, Assistant Engineer (YCB)/ Energy Audit/M&P Division of Ananthapur Circle was awarded with a "Merit Certificate" on the



occasion of the Independence Day celebrations, 2008 by Sri J.C. Diwakar Reddy, Hon'ble Minister for Panchayat Raj for her excellent performance in discharging duties as Assistant Engineer in the presence of the District Collector & Magistrate, Ananthapur. She played a vital role in the M&P Division in conducting energy audit, generation of reports such as Division's input, finalizing of system losses, boundary meter readings, assessing Agricultural Consumption etc.

Our Congratulations !

చైర్మన్ మరియు మేనేజింగ్ డైరెక్టర్ గాలి సందేశం



నా ప్రియమైన సహోద్యోగులారా !

రబీ పంటకాలం అతిత్వరలో మన ముందుకు రాబోతుంది. గత ఖరీఫ్ సీజన్లో గడించిన అనుభవంతో, మనం వ్యవసాయరంగానికి ఏడు గంటల విద్యుత్ సరఫరాతోపాటు పరిశ్రమలకు కూడా నాణ్యమైన విద్యుత్ను అందించుటకు సంసిద్ధులం కావాలి. విద్యుత్ అమూల్యమైన వనరని దీనిలభ్యత అవసరానికన్నా వెనుకంజలో ఉందని మనందరికీ తెలుసు. ఇటీవలికాలంలో ఆర్థిక రేటు గణనీయంగా పెరుగుదల చూపడం వల్ల, మన రాష్ట్ర ప్రభుత్వానికి కూడా ఈ విద్యుత్ వినియోగం, లభ్యతలలో వ్యతాసం కలవరపాటును కలిగిస్తున్నదని అయినా ఎక్కువ ధరకు కొనటంతో పాటు ఈ వ్యత్యాసాన్ని తొలగించడానికి అన్ని విధాలా ప్రయత్నాలు జరుపుతున్నది. మనము ఈ విషయాన్ని అధిగమించడానికి అవిరళ కృషి జరుపవలసి ఉంది.

ఈ సందర్భంగా అన్ని ఆపరేషన్ సర్కిల్స్ నిర్దుష్ట ప్రణాళికలతో క్రింది విషయాలపై కృషి సల్పి వినియోగదారులకు నాణ్యమైన సరఫరాను తప్పక అందించగలరు.

- ఎ) వ్యవసాయానికి ఏడు గంటలు మూడుఫేజ్ల విద్యుత్ సరఫరాను తప్పక అందిస్తూ, గ్రిడ్ను కాపాడుటకు ఓవర్ డ్రాల్స్ను తగ్గించడం.
- బి) మండల కేంద్ర ఫీడర్లనుండి వ్యవసాయ విద్యుత్ లోడ్లను విభజించటం.
- సి) రైతు తమ అనధికార పంపుసెట్లను క్రమబద్ధీకరించుకునే దిశగా ప్రోత్సహించటం.
- డి) విద్యుత్ సరఫరా సమయాలను వ్యవసాయదారులకు ముందుగా తెలియపరచటం.
- ఇ) విద్యుత్ సరఫరాలో అంతరాయాలను తొలగించటానికి లైన్లను మరియు ఇతర విద్యుత్ పరికరాల తనిఖీలను నిర్వహించటం.
- ఎఫ్) యుడిసి/ఓయస్యల్ సర్వీసులను క్రమబద్ధీకరించటం.

గణేశ్ చతుర్థి మరియు రంజాన్ పండుగల సందర్భంగా ఎటువంటి అంతరాయాలు లేకుండా విద్యుత్ సరఫరా గావించిన గ్రేటర్ హైదరాబాద్ అన్ని ఆపరేషన్ సర్కిళ్ళ ఇంజనీర్లు మరియు సిబ్బందిని నేను ప్రశంసిస్తున్నాను. మన ఈ కృషికి అందరి ప్రశంసలను పొందటమే గాక ముఖ్యంగా గౌరవనీయ విద్యుత్ శాఖామాత్యులు కూడా మనల్ని కొనియాడటం జరిగింది.

గత ఆరునెలలకాలంలో, మన కంపెనీ 13,851 యం.యు.ల ఇన్పుట్తో, 11,620 యం.యు.ల మొత్తం అమ్మకాలతో, ఇన్పుట్తో కూడిన స్పెసిఫిక్ రెవెన్యూను యూనిట్కు రూ. 2.32 నుండి రూ. 2.38 కి పెంచుకోగలిగాం. కర్నూల్, గ్రేటర్ హైదరాబాద్ వెస్ట్ సర్కిల్ మరియు మెదక్ ఆపరేషన్ సర్కిల్స్ తమ కృషితో మొదటి మూడుస్థానాల్లో నిలిచి మన సంస్థ అభివృద్ధికి తోడ్పడ్డాయి. ఈ సర్కిల్స్ ఇంజనీర్లు మరియు సిబ్బందికి ఈ సందర్భంగా నా ప్రశంసలను తెలుపుతున్నాను.

అక్టోబర్ 9వ తేదీన ప్రారంభించుకున్న కొత్త కార్పొరేట్ ఆఫీసు భవనంలోకి మనము త్వరలో ప్రవేశించబోతున్నాము. నూతన వాతావరణంలో మీరు ద్విగుణీకృత ఉత్సాహంతో, శక్తితో సామర్థ్యంతో పనిచేసి మన వినియోగదారులకు ఇతోధికసేవ లందించగలరనే ఆశ నాకుంది. మనం ఇంతటితో సాధించుకున్న కీర్తిప్రతిష్ఠలతో ఆగిపోక, మన కృషిని నిరంతరాయంగా సాగించి, పనితనాన్ని మెరుగుపరచుకుంటూ ఉత్తమ ఫలితాలను సాధించుకోవాలి. నష్టాలను తగ్గించుకోవటమే గాక, వినియోగదారులకు నాణ్యమైన విద్యుత్ సరఫరా గావించడంపైనే మనం దృష్టి సారించాలి. ప్రతి ఒక్కరూ ఈ దిశగా తమ కృషిని సాగించగలరని, మనము చర్చించుకుంటున్న వివిధ కార్యక్రమాలను చేపట్టగలరనే ధృఢ నమ్మకం నాకుంది.

(జి.సాయి ప్రసాద్, ఐ.ఎ.యస్.)
చైర్మన్ మరియు మేనేజింగ్ డైరెక్టర్.

NEW CORPORATE OFFICE BUILDING INAUGURATED

On 9th October, 2008, Hon'ble Minister for Energy, Coal, MW, Wakf & UA, Shri. Mohammed Ali Shabber inaugurated the newly constructed Corporate Office building at Mint Compound, Hyderabad in the presence of Guests of Honour, Hon'ble M.L.Cs Shri. Sudhakara Reddy and Dr. (Smt.) K. Rajyalakshmi and Sri. Ajeya Kallam, I.A.S., then Chairman & Managing Director, AP Transco and a large gathering of Sr. Officials, engineers and staff.

Earlier, Sri. G. Sai Prasad, I.A.S., our Chairman & Managing Director and our Directors Sri. K.H. Gulam Ahamed, Projects, P&MM; Sri. A. Srinivasa Rao, HR & Commercial; Sri. B. Ravindra Reddy, Operation and Sri. P. Raja Gopala Reddy, Finance & RA welcomed the Hon'ble Minister and other dignitaries.

The Chief Guest while addressing complemented the efforts of power utilities in the State in providing uninterrupted supply to the consumers. He exhorted the employees to work hard and to provide better services and get good name for the Company in the power sector. Later, the Hon'ble Minister addressed press and media representatives, giving them latest power supply position. On this occasion, foundation stones were also laid for 'B' Block of Corporate Office and the Sports Complex.



DETAILS OF NEW CORPORATE OFFICE BUILDING

- **Cost of the Project:**

a) Civil Works	:	Rs. 4.25 Crores
b) Interior & Work Stations	:	Rs. 2.25 Crores
c) Fire Detection, LAN Wiring & IT Server Installations	:	Rs. 1.00 Crores
Total		Rs. 7.50 Crores

- **Building Details:**

a) Area of each floor	:	8500 Sft.
b) Total plinth/ floor Area	:	55000 Sft.
c) No. of floors	:	6 Nos (G + 5 Structure, RCC Structure)

- **No. of Staff to be accommodated**

: 330 Nos.

- **Land Area** : 4500 Sq. Yards

- **Floor Wise Accommodation**

- i) **First Floor** : IT Wing, Load Dispatch, Vigilance Offices
- ii) **Second Floor** : HRD & Commercial Wings
- iii) **Third Floor** : Accounts & Quality Control Wings
- iv) **Forth Floor** : Operation, P&MM & Projects Wings
- v) **Fifth Floor** : CMD & Directors

DETAILS OF "B- Block" of NEW CORPORATE OFFICE BUILDING

(Foundation Stone laid on Dt. 09.10.2008)

- **Proposed Offices Housed** : Assessment, IPC, DPE, Crèche & Bank
- **Appx. Cost of the Project** : Rs. 3.50 Crores
- **Proposed No. of Floors** : Ground + 3 Floors
- **Proposed Area Floor** : 7500 Sq. ft.
- **Total Plinth /Floor Area** : 30000 Sq. ft.
- **Land Area** : 2500 Sq. Yards.



Know your Divisional Engineer:-

Sri Rathode Shivaji

Divisional Engineer, Erragadda Operation Division



Sri Rathode Shivaji took over charge as Divisional Engineer, Operation of Erragadda Division which falls under Hyderabad North Circle in the month of March 2008. Previously, he was ADE/Op/Lal Bazar and was responsible for getting sites of Substations at Bollaram & Subhash Nagar. Improving Customer satisfaction by providing effective and efficient Services to 2.23 Lakhs of LT and 420 Nos of HT Consumers, as priority in which he has taken up several new initiatives.

Some of the high lights are:

- Achieving 2000 Sq Mtrs land at HPS Bagumpet by which the company benefited Rs. 20 Crores and also achieved 500Sq Yards of land at ESI Hospital which is a long pending since 2006 for erecting a new Substation.
- Achieved 100% revenue collection and raising the revenue by 11.25%, with cent percent T.C. Sealing.
- All services of Category-II were provided with High Quality Meters for loss reduction and improving the revenue.
- Bifurcation of 3 Nos. 11 KV overloaded feeders for improved voltage with reliable and quality supply.
- 36 Nos of new Distribution Transformers were added for system improvement and to reduce loads on over loaded Transformers.
- Exceptionals has been reduced from 0.86 to 0.35
- LT collectable arrears have been reduced from Rs.11 Crores to Rs.9.8 Crores.
- 1180 Cat-Services have been inspected and changed into Commercial catagory.

ERO AT GACHIBOWLI OF WEST CIRCLE

A new Electricity Revenue office was set up at Gachibowli in view of bifurcation of existing ERO, Kukatpally for rationalizing the workload and for effective monitoring of accounts and billing works, started functioning.

BABY CARE CENTRE AT MINT COMPOUND

A Baby Care Centre was established at Mint Compound by the Electricity Women's Welfare Association and this will start functioning after the Corporate Office building gets going at Mint Compound. All women employees of APCPDCL can utilize the benefit.

New Operation Divisions Formed

Gachibowli and Champapet Divisions were formed in West and East Operation Circles of Greater Hyderabad Zone.

The Sections/ Sub- Divisions in Kukatpally and Gachibowli divisions of West Circle, Greater Hyderabad after bifurcation and formation of new Operation Gachibowli Division are as follows:

Operation Division, Kukatpally:

Operation Sub-Division, Kukatpally

Operation Sections - Kukatpally, Bhagyanagar, Bachupally and Miyapur

Operation Sub-Division, Jeedimetla

Operation Sections - IDA Jeedimetla, Shapur Nagar and D.P Pally.

Operation Division, Gachibowli

Operation Sub-Division Gachibowli

Operation Sections – Gachibowli, Kondapur, Taranagar (Newly formed)

Operation Sub-Division, KPHB

Operation Sections – KPHB, Balaji Nagar, Chandanagar.

The Sections/ Sub- Divisions in Saroornagar and Champapet Divisions of East Circle, Greater Hyderabad after bifurcation and formation of new Operation Champapet Division are as follows:

Operation Division, Saroornagar

Operation Sub-Division, Saroornagar

Operation Sections- Saroornagar, Kothapet, R.K Puram and L.B Nagar.

Operation Sub-Division, Hayathnagar

Operation Sections- Hayathnagar, Autonagar and Peddamberpet.

Operation Sub-Division, Ibrahimpatnam

Operation Sections- Ibrahimpatnam, Manchal and Yacharam.

Operation Division Champapet

Operation Sub-Division, Champapet

Operation Sections – Champapet, Meerpet and Lenin Nagar

Operation Sub-Division, Vanastalipuram

Operation Sections - Vanastalipuram, Turkayamjal and Bairamalguda.

Operation Sub-Division, Mamidipally (Newly formed)

Operation Sections - Pahadishareef, Kandukur and Maheswaram.

PERSONNEL MOVEMENTS

Sl. No.	Name, Designation and present place of working	Transferred to
DIVISIONAL ENGINEERS		
1	Ch.Chakrapani, DE/DPE/Central Circle	DE/Opn/Medak
2	D.Venkatrami Reddy posted as DE/Opn/Medak	DE/Opn/Gachibowli /West Circle
3	A.Ramakrishna, DE posted as DE/Lines/SCADA	DE/Techl /Central Circle
4	K.Ashok Kumar, DE	DE/DPE/Central Circle
5	M.Surendra, DE/Opn/ Wanaparthy	DE/Lines /SCADA
6	R.Sudheer Kumar, I/c DE/ Techl. to CMD	I/c DE/Opn/Champapet / East Circle
PROMOTIONS AS ADE TO DE		
1	R.Sudhir Kumar, I/c DE/Opn/ Champapet/East Circle	DE/Opn/Champapet/East Circle
2	C.Ramachandra Rao, ADE/Opn/ Dhone/Kurnool	DE/Opn/Wanaparthy/MBNR
ASSISTANT DIVISIONAL ENGINEERS		
1	V.Bhanu Prasad, ADE/Lines - VII/Alwyn/SCADA	ADE/Opn/Greenlands /North Circle
2	J.Luther Janapriya, ADE/Opn/ Greenlands/North Circle	ADE/Opn/Jeedimetla /West Circle
3	B.Damoder Rao, ADE/Opn/ Jeedimetla/West Circle	ADE/DPE - II/South
4	S.V.V.Satyanarayana Raju, ADE/DPE - II/South	ADE/Opn/ KPHB /West Circle
5	B.Madusudhan Reddy, ADE/ IPC/Corporate Office	ADE/Opn/Patancheru /Medak
6	E.M.Chakravarthy, ADE/Opn/ Patancheru	ADE/SD-III /Master Plan
7	P.Ratnakar Rao, ADE/SD-III/ Mater Plan	ADE/Opn/Gachibowli /West Circle
8	K.Lakshmi Narayan, ADE/ Opn/Gachibowli	ADE/RAC
9	M.Narendra Kumar, ADE/RAC	ADE/HT Meters/Sangareddy
10	R.Shyam Kumar, ADE/Lines/ Kalyannagar/SCADA	ADE/Opn/Sanathnagar /North
11	P.V.Mohan Krishna, ADE/Opn/ Sanathnagar	ADE/CBD/City-VII/Rethi Bowli /Central Circle
12	A.Venkateswarlu, ADE/CBD/ City-VII/Rethi Bowli	ADE/Opn/Malkajgiri /West Circle
13	B.S.Jayaprakash Naik, ADE/ Opn/Malkajgiri	ADE/Techl to CMD/APCPDCL
14	A.Swamy, ADE/CBD/ Saroornagar East Circle	ADE/Construction /South Circle
15	G.Markandeya, ADE/ Construction/South Circle	ADE/Opn/Champapet /East Circle
16	B.Sangameshwar, ADE/TRE/ Sangareddy	ADE/Opn/Gummadidalla /Medak
17	R.N.Seshagiri Rao, ADE/Opn/ Gummadidalla	ADE/TRE/Sangareddy
18	V.S.Ramalingam, ADE/Opn/ Kalwakurthy/ Mahaboobnagar	ADE/DPE/North
19	P.Krishna, ADE/DPE/North	ADE/Opn/Vanasthalipuram /East Circle
20	Mohd Anwar Pasha, ADE/ Opn/Champapet/East Circle	ADE/Opn/Mamidipalli /East Circle
21	M.Amaranath, ADE/Opn/ Town/MBNR	ADE/O/Siddipet/Rural /Medak
22	M.Rajesham, ADE/O/Siddipet/ Rural/Medak	ADE/Lines - VII/Alwyn/SCADA
23	K.Bagaiah, ADE/ECR/ Erragadda/SCADA	ADE/Opn/Bollaram /Medak
24	V.Raja Sekhar, ADE/Opn/ Bollaram/Medak	ADE/Opn/Rayadurg /Anantapur
25	M.Hanumantha Rayudu, ADE/Opn/Rayadurg/Anantapur	ADE/Kadiri/Rural/West /Anantapur
26	G.Ranga Swamy, ADE/ Protection/MBNR	ADE/Opn/Bethamcherla /Kurnool
27	M.Nagaraju, ADE/SPM/Kurnool	ADE/Opn/Allagadda /Kurnool
28	K.G.B.Rama Krishna Goud, ADE/Opn/Allagadda/Kurnool	ADE/SPM/Kurnool /Kurnool
29	U.C.V.Annaiah, ADE/HT Meters/Patancheru/Medak	ADE/Opn/Santoshnagar /South Circle
30	B.Satyanarayana, ADE/Opn/ Santhoshnagar	ADE/IPC/Corporate Office
31	A.Jayaramulu, ADE/Opn/Medak	ADE/HT Meters/Patancheru /Medak
32	C.Rachappa, ADE (on return from DRUM Training)	ADE/ECR/Erragadda/SCADA
33	B.Venkataiah, ADE/Opn/Falaknuma	ADE/SCADA
34	MD.Farhat Ali, ADE/Opn/Mothkur/Nolgonda	ADE/Opn/Falaknuma/South circle
35	D.Thirupathaiah, ADE/MRT/SCADA	ADE/Opn/Kalwakurthy/Mahaboobnagar

Retirement

SE : Sri V. Vijayapaul,

AAE : Sri B.L. Narasimha Reddy,

AAO : Sri V. Madhusudhan

We wish them a Happy retired life !

Ayudha Pooja at Corporate Office



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NATAKA SANGEETHA NIDHI - SRI RAJA BABU



Sri Raja Babu with the then H.E. Governor of A.P., Sri Rameswar Thakur.

mettle in his regular office work also by winning laurels from his superiors.

Hailing from a traditional stage artists family, Sri. Raja Babu took interest in practicing Harmonium and earned command over it. He plays nearly 75 tunes like Kalyani, Mohana and Sivaranjani on Harmonium.

Sri. Raja Babu performed the skit "Srinadhudu" which was written by well known Movie Writer Sri. Akella, at Detetroit, USA for 65 days, which was well applauded.

As a token of contribution to traditional stage shows, he was honoured with the esteemed "Nandi Award" in 1999, by Government of AP. Sri. Rameswar Thakur, the then H.E. Governor of AP, praised the histrionic talents of Sri. Raja Babu through a letter also. Besides these, Sri Raja Babu received many awards as a Best musician from B.H.E.L. Kala Parishad, Tirupati Garuda Parishad, from Nellore Kala Parishad to name a few.

We wish Shri.Raja Babu to win many more honours in future!

Behind busy Office hours some squeeze time to pursue fine arts or music and the like. Sri. Raja Babu is one such who by profession, a Junior Accounts Officer in Hyderabad Central Circle takes off time to pursue his hobby and now reached the stage of a professional harmonist and a back ground musician. He shows his

Rajendranagar Division Emerges Winners in Intra Circle Tournament



Sri Sridhar ADE/C receiving the Table Tennis Trophy

The Intra Circle Tournament of East Circle, Greater Hyderabad was held at Vijayananda Gardens Cricket Stadium, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad

physical fitness and also bring oneness among employees.

Sri G. Raghuma Reddy, Superintending Engineer/Op, East Circle



Rajendra Nagar Division - Winners of Wollyball

from 8 to 10 th August 2008, on the eve of the Independence Day with events such as Cricket, Volley ball, Kabaddi, Carroms, Table Tennis & Shuttle Badminton. The tournament was conducted by the Rajendranagar Division.

Sri M. Narasimhulu, Chief General Manager, Rangareddy Zone who was the Chief Guest in his address stated that sports and games should form part of every one's daily life as they build



said that the all the Engineers and Staff should utilize the facility being extended to them. The function was participated besides others by Sri A. Kamesh, Divisional Engineer/Opn. Rajendranagar - Vice President and Sri M. Prabakar Rao, Store Keeper - General Secretary/ Sports council.

Sri Babu Rao. Asst. Secretary - Sports Officer proposed a vote of thanks.