28.02.2012

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The Chairman, New Delhi Municipal Council Palika Kendra, Sansad Marg New Delhi 110 001

Subject: - Implementation of Fuel Price Adjustment Surcharge reg:-

Sir,

A provisional 5 % Fuel Price Adjustment (FPA) Surcharge for the quarter Oct-Dec., 2011 was allowed effective from 14.02.2012 for three months as per the directions of the Commission vide letter No. F. 3 (298)/Tariff/DERC/ 2010-11/2602, dt. 14.02.2012.

- 2. It has come to the notice of the Commission that NDMC has been levying Fuel Price Adjustment (FPA) Surcharge on all the bills raised from 14th Feb onwards regardless of the period of consumption.
- 3. It is clarified that Fuel Price Adjustment is a component of tariff and its application shall be in the same manner as in case of a tariff revision i.e. it shall be applicable only on the pro-rata consumption with effect from 14-2-2012. It is, therefore, clarified that the above FPA is to be levied only on the energy consumed from 14.02.2012 onwards for a period of 3 months upto 13.05.2012. The consumption shall be determined on pro-rata basis if meter reading is before 14-2-2012 or after 13.05.2012.
- 4. It is, therefore, directed that in cases where excess amount has been collected from the consumers on account of FPA for the energy consumed by them prior to 14.02.2012, the same shall be adjusted in the next bill. Compliance report on the above issue should reach the Commission latest by 15.03.2012.

Yours faithfully,

(Jayshree Raghuraman)

Secretary