

PONGAL FESTIVAL 2023 – Sanction of Pongal Prize amount to those who retired from Class III and IV Service/All Family Pensioners and Ex-gratia beneficiaries of the Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution Corporation Limited – Orders –Issued.

### (SECRETARIAT BRANCH)

# (PER) FB TANGEDCO PROCEEDINGS NO.3, DATED THE 10<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY, 2023.

Subakirudhu Varudam, Margazhi-26, Thiruvalluvar Aandu-2053.

#### **READ:**

- 1. (Per) CMD TANGEDCO Proceedings No.5 (SB), dated 11.01.2022.
- 2. (Per) FB TANGEDCO Proceedings No.25 (SB), dated 18.10.2022.
- 3. G.O.Ms.No.374, Finance (Pension) Department, dated 26.12.2022.

#### **PROCEEDINGS:**

The Government of Tamil Nadu in its order third read above, have sanctioned a lump sum Pongal Prize amount of Rs.500/- (Rupees five hundred only) to each of the Pensioners who retired from the categories of 'C' and 'D' and all Family Pensioners.

- 2. After careful consideration, it has been decided to adopt the said orders of the Government in TANGEDCO and to extend the same benefit to (i) the Pensioners who retired from Class III and IV Service; (ii) all Family Pensioners; and (iii) Ex-gratia beneficiaries of Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution Corporation Limited. Accordingly, the Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution Corporation Limited hereby sanctions a lump sum Pongal Prize amount of Rs.500/- (Rupees five hundred only) to each of the Pensioners who retired from Class III and IV Service, all Family Pensioners irrespective of the Class from which the pensioners/deceased employees had retired/died while in service and Ex-gratia beneficiaries.
- 3. The Pongal Prize amount will not be admissible to those employees who retire on or after 10.01.2023. Those who have retired/died in harness on or after 11.01.2022 are also not eligible for the Pongal Prize amount, if they were paid Bonus and Ex-gratia as per the orders issued in the Proceedings second read above. Further, the Pongal Prize amount will not be admissible to those Family Pensioners who are appointed on Compassionate grounds, if Bonus and Ex-gratia are paid to them as applicable to the employees in service.
- **4.** The Pongal Prize amount shall be credited in the respective Bank accounts of the eligible Pensioners/Family Pensioners/Ex-gratia beneficiaries on 12.01.2023 as a special case.

- <u>5.</u> In order to ensure correctness of the orders issued in para-3 above, the Pension Sanctioning Authorities are requested to obtain a Certificate of non-drawal of Bonus/Ex-gratia for the accounting year 2021-2022 from the Pay Disbursing Officers concerned, who disbursed Bonus/Ex-gratia for the accounting year 2021-2022 and to forward the same to the Chief Internal Audit Officer/Audit Branch. The Chief Internal Audit Officer/Audit Branch shall scrutinize the same and if the Pongal Prize amount has been paid to the ineligible Pensioners/Family Pensioners, the same shall be recovered from their pension/family pension.
- 6. The expenditure on sanctioning Pongal Prize amount shall be debited to the following Heads of Account:-

"TANGEDCO Funds - Revenue Expenses - Account No.75.502".

## (BY ORDER OF THE BOARD)

A.MANIKKANNAN SECRETARY

To
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All Chief Financial Controllers/TANGEDCO & TANTRANSCO.
The Chief Internal Audit Officer/Audit Branch.
All Superintending Engineers.
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