

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 30.11.2020

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE N.ANAND VENKATESH

WP.No.17362 of 2020

and

W.M.P.Nos.21514 & 21522 of 2020

APPU HOTELS LIMITED

Represented by its Authorised Signatory,
B.Naagarajan
having office at No.762,
Avinashi Road, Chinniampalayam,
Neelambur, Coimbatore - 641 062.Petitioner

Vs

1.Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution
Corporation Limited (TANGEDCO)
Represented by its Chairman and Managing Director,
No.144, Anna Salai,
Chennai - 600 002.

2.The Superintendent Engineer,
Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution
Corporation Limited (TANGEDCO),
Coimbatore Electricity Distribution Circle (Metro),
Coimbatore - 641 012.

3.The Accounts Officer/Revenue (E & OE),
Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution
Corporation Limited (TANGEDCO),
Coimbatore Electricity Distribution Circle (Metro),
Coimbatore - 641 012.Respondents

Prayer :- Writ petition filed under Article 226 of the
Constitution of India praying for issuance of a writ of
certiorarified mandamus calling for the records leading to the
issuance of the original impugned High Tension Bills
(Provisional) issued by the third respondent for the months of
March 2020 dated 06.04.2020, April 2020 dated 06.05.2020, May
2020 dated 01.06.2020, June 2020 dated 04.07.2020, July 2020
dated 01.08.2020, August 2020 dated 07.09.2020 and September
2020 dated 05.10.2020, pertaining to Service No.039094350361 in

violation Regulation 6(b) of the Tamil Nadu Electricity Supply Code, 2004 and quash the same and direct the respondents to rework the HT bill with service number 039094350361 and the excess amount shall be adjusted towards the future bills and the minimum charges alone shall be collected by the third respondent for the period from March 2020 to August 2020 and not to levy any penalty for the period of Lock Down.

For Petitioner : Mr.Vijayan Subramanian
For Respondents : Mr.Gunaraj
Standing Counsel

ORDER

The issue that has been raised in this present writ petition is covered by the orders passed by this Court in a batch of writ petitions in WP. Nos.7678, 7679, 9141, 9312, 9537, 9538, 9550, 10012, 10042, 10044, 10031, 9825, 9831, 10087, 10091, 10110, 10164, 8852 and 9689 of 2020 dated 14.08.2020. Consequently, the directions issued by this Court in the batch of writ petitions be equally applied to the present writ petition also.

2.Accordingly, this writ petition is allowed. No costs. Consequently, the connected Miscellaneous Petitions are closed.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS III)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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