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Sri Meela Jayadev

President - FTCCI

Sri Meela Jayadev is unanimously elected as President for the year of 2023-24 at its 106th Annual General Meeting held on 15th July, 2023 at Federation House, FTCCI, Hyderabad.

Meela Jayadev is Managing Director of M/s. Sudhakar Irrigation Systems Pvt Ltd, and Director of Sudhakar PVC Products Pvt. Ltd., and Sudhakar Polymers Pvt Ltd.

Sudhakar is the leading and biggest PVC Pipes & fittings manufacturer in South India and belongs to the renowned SUDHAKAR Group, a household name in plastic piping systems in Telangana, Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka and Orissa. They are also diversified into manufacturing Wires & Cables, UPVC Doors & Window profiles.

Meela Jayadev is the youngest son of Late Sri Meela Satyanarayana, the founder and chairman of the SUDHAKAR Group.

He is an innovator and entrepreneur with 40 years in the business. He is experienced in all aspects of business formation, operation, finance and management. In addition, he is a visionary product developer with a strong command of business and management principles.

His passion for the latest technologies in plastics made him travel to various countries to attend many international exhibitions, seminars, programs and industry visits.

He is also an active member of the All India Plastics Manufacturer's Association, Andhra Pradesh Plastics Manufacturers Association, and Lions Club of Hyderabad.

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| | ▶ Legal | ▶ Company Law |

The main purpose of creating the helpdesk is to provide guidance to the members in getting the necessary help to resolve the problems.

All the members are requested to make use of this helpdesk facility

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Congratulations



Sri Suresh Kumar Singhal
Senior Vice President - FTCCI

Sri Suresh Kumar Singhal is unanimously elected as Sr. Vice President for the year of 2023-24 at its 106th Annual General Meeting held on 15th July, 2023 at Federation House, FTCCI, Hyderabad.

Suresh Kumar Singhal has served in the Managing Committee of FTCCI for over a decade and played a key role in several expert committees such as Energy and others. He has actively represented to the government on various issues on tariff pertaining to Industry.

He graduated in commerce from Madras University in 1979 and started his own company by name India Wrapping Paper Industry at Jeedimetla. It manufacturers of printing, wax coated paper.

Subsequently he has started the company in 1991 namely Prompt Packaging Pvt.Ltd., (Unit-I) It manufacturers of Corrugated boxes. Again he started the Unit-II in 2001 and Unit-III in 2017

Simultaneously, he has started one Steel Company namely Shalini Steel Pvt. Ltd. in 1994. It manufacturers of TMT Bars. He is promoter and Managing Director of the company till 2020 in IDI, Bollaram. Again in 2006, he has started Vijay Iron Foundry Pvt.Ltd. a mini steel plant in IDI, Bollaram. He is Promotor and Managing Director. It manufacturing MS Billets and TMT Bars.

Suresh Kumar Singhal is eldest son of Sri Kishan Chand Singhal. He has got 41 years of experience in various fields like Packaging, Steel & Paper manufacturing.

Singhal has started one paper mill by name Prompt industries Pvt. Ltd. A paper mill in Rudraram, Sangareddy district manufacturers of specialty papers and exporting its finished product. He has started another paper mill in 2014 by name of Prompt pulp and fiber pvt.ltd at Medchal. It manufacturers Soft tissue Papers & exporting it and supplying in domestic market.

He has been nominated member of Council for Consumer Affairs in Ministry of Steel, Government of India (2011-13)

He has interest in social welfare activities of nation and he has headed so many Social Organisations like Haryana Sava Sangh, Haryana Nagarik Sangh, Agarwal Samaj & Friends of Tribal Society.

DIRECTORATE OF ECONOMICS & STATISTICS, GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA STATE, HYDERABAD

Consumer Price Index Numbers for Industrial Workers for the month of "MAY - 2023"

Base :: 2001 = 100

CENTRAL SERIES (2001=100)

STATE SERIES (2001=100)

Sl.No.	Centre	Apr-23	May-23	No. of Points	Centre	Mar-23	Apr-23	No. of Points
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	Hyderabad	326	328	2	Miryalaguda	419	423	4
2	Warangal	408	410	2	Kothagudem	394	397	3
					Nizamabad	409	413	4
	ALL INDIA	386	388	2	Telangana State	379	382	3

Source :: Labour Bureau, Government of India, Shimla

Source : Directorate of Economics & Statistics, Govt. of Telangana,Hyd.

LINKING FACTORS

	1960=100	1982=100	2001=100		1971=100	1982=100	2001=100
1 Hyderabad	5.23	4.79	2.44	1 Warangal	2.36	4.75	2.97
2 Kothagudem	—	4.58		2 Nizamabad (N.S.B.)	2.52	4.21	
All India	4.93	4.63	2.88	3 Godavarikhani(M.G.P.)	2.49	4.45	

Sd/- (G.Dayanandam)
Director

MINISTRY OF POWER NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 14th June, 2023

G.S.R. 437(E). In exercise of the powers conferred under sub-section (1), clause (z) of sub-section (2) of section 176 of the Electricity Act, 2003 (36 of 2003), the Central Government hereby makes the following rules, further to amend the Electricity (Rights of Consumers) Rules, 2020, namely:-

1. (1) These rules may be called the Electricity (Rights of Consumers) Amendment Rules, 2023.
(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.
2. In the Electricity (Rights of Consumers) rules, 2020 (hereinafter referred to as the principal rules), in rule 5, for sub-rule (5), the following sub-rule shall be substituted, namely: -
“(5) All types of smart meters shall be read remotely at least once in a day and the other pre-payment meters shall be read by an authorised representative of the distribution licensee at least once in every three months and the data regarding energy consumption shall be made available to the consumer, through website or mobile application or Short Message Service and the like, provided that the consumers having smart pre-payment meters shall also be given the data access for checking their consumption and balance amount atleast on daily basis.
(5A) After the installation of smart meters, no penalty shall be imposed on the consumer, based on the maximum demand recorded by the smart meter, for the period before the installation date.
(5B) In case maximum demand recorded by the smart meter exceeds the Sanctioned Load in a month, the bill, for that billing cycle, shall be calculated based on the actual recorded maximum demand and consumers shall be informed of this change in calculation through Short Message Service or mobile application:
Provided that the revision of the Sanctioned Load, if any, based on the actual recorded maximum demand shall be as under:
(a) in case of increase in recorded maximum demand, the lowest of the monthly maximum demand, where the recorded maximum demand has exceeded the sanctioned load limit atleast three times during a financial year, shall be considered as the revised Sanctioned Load, and the same shall be automatically reset from the billing cycle in next financial year; and
(b) in case of reduction of maximum demand, the revision of sanctioned load shall be done in accordance with the Supply codes/ Standard Operating Procedures issued by the respective Regulatory Commission.
3. In the principal rules, after rule 8, the following rules shall be inserted, namely:-
(8A) **Time of Day Tariff.**-The Time of Day tariff for Commercial and Industrial consumers having maximum demand more than ten Kilowatt shall be made effective from a date not later than 1st April, 2024 and for other consumers except agricultural consumers, the Time of Day tariff shall be made effective not later than 1st April, 2025 and a Time of Day tariff shall be made effective immediately after installation of smart meters, for the consumers with smart meters:
Provided that, the Time of Day Tariff specified by the State Commission for Commercial and Industrial consumers during peak period of the day shall not be less than 1.20 times the normal tariff and for other consumers, it shall not be less than 1.10 times the normal tariff:
Provided further that, tariff for solar hours of the day, specified by the State Commission shall be atleast twenty percent less than the normal tariff for that category of consumers:
Provided also that the Time of Day Tariff shall be applicable on energy charge component of the normal tariff:
Provided also that the duration of peak hours shall not be more than solar hours as notified by the State Commission or State Load Despatch Centre.
Explanation:- For the purposes of this rule, the expression “solar hours” means the duration of eight hours in a day as specified by the State Commission.
(8B) **Display of Tariff.**-The tariff for each category of consumers shall be displayed on distribution licensee's website and consumers shall be notified of change in tariff excluding fuel surcharge and other charges, at least one month ahead of time, through distribution licensee's website as well as through energy bills or Short Message Service or Mobile Application and the like.”

[F. No. 23/05/2020-R&R]

PIYUSH SINGH, Jt. Secy.

Note : The principal rules were published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part II, Section 3, sub-section (i) *vide* number G.S.R. 818(E), dated the 31st December, 2020, *vide* number G.S.R. 448 (E), dated 28th June, 2021 and last amended *vide* number G.S.R. 306(E), dated 20th April, 2022.



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