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GOVERNMENT OF ORISSA  
HOUSING & URBAN DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

## RESOLUTION

The 16<sup>th</sup> August, 1996

**Subject: Revision of Water Tariff for Domestic, Industrial, Commercial & Institutional Consumers and of Sewerage maintenance charges in Urban areas.**

**Ref:** Govt. in H&U.D.Deptt.Resolution No.38409/HUD., dated the 1<sup>st</sup> December 1980, No.4229-HUD., dated the 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1981, Corrigendum No.14117-HUD., dated the 6<sup>th</sup> March 1982, Resolution No.43023-HUD., dated the 8<sup>th</sup> December 1988.

The question of revision of tariff on drinking water as provided in the Orissa Water Works (Urban Local Bodies) Rules, 1980 and in amendment subsequent thereto was under consideration of Government sometime past. The State Government after careful consideration do hereby make following further amendment to the said Rules and order that the same may be given effect from the date of publication of this Resolution in Orissa Gazette:

1. Rule – The existing Rule 7 (last paragraph) shall be substituted as under :-  
Rate of security deposit on residential quarters owned by Government both State & Central, Corporation, Universities & Local Body.

Type of Quarters	Amount of security deposit
i. Type VIII, VII-N. S.G.O. 6R or equivalent thereto	-- Rs.200.00
ii. Type VII, VII-R, VII-C or equivalent thereto	-- Rs.180.00
iii. Type VI, VI-R, VI-R(F),4R,4R(F) & VI-C or equivalent thereto--	Rs.150.00
iv. Type V, VA, 3R, 3R(F) or equivalent thereto	-- Rs.130.00
v. Type IV, IVA,IVR,IVN,2RB,2RA or equivalent thereto	-- Rs.100.00
vi. Type II, IIR, IR or equivalent thereto	-- Rs. 50.00

2. Rule – The existing Rule 7 (last paragraph) shall be substituted as under :-

Amount of fees

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|----------------------------|---|------------------------|
| a. Domestic                | - | Rs.3000 per connection |
| b. Institutional           | - | Rs.4000 per connection |
| c. Industrial / Commercial | - | Rs.5000 per connection |
3. Provision to above Rule 8 shall be deleted and a new item for connection of “new sewerage line connection charges” inserted as rule 8 (a) :-
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|                            |   | Amount of fees         |
| a. Domestic                | - | Rs.1500 per connection |
| b. Institutional           | - | Rs.2000 per connection |
| c. Industrial / Commercial | - | Rs.2500 per connection |

Sewer fee Rs.20.00 shall be collected per connection in every month from the consumer.

3. Rule – The existing Rule 15 shall be substituted as under:-

Water charges shall be realized from the servants of either State or Central Government, employees of the Corporations, Boards, Universities and Local Bodies in occupation of Government Buildings of their respective offices or owners of the private, residential houses at the rate Rs.1.50 paise per 1000 ltrs. or part thereof Rs.6.85 paise per 1000 glns. or part thereof. Where the supply has not been metered water charges shall be realized at the following rate on tap basis.

**Domestic**

Supply through taps	--	Up to 2 taps Rs.30 @Rs.15 each 3 <sup>rd</sup> & subsequent tap @Rs.10 each	} Minimum charge Rs.30 per month.
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NOTE-I For calculation purposes, only two taps in every bathroom including latrine will count even if there are more.

NOTE-II Government may sanction one tap to any religious or cultural institutions free of any payment.

NOTE-III For calculation of water tariff in respect of Govt. quarters, a national number of taps shall be adopted in place of existing number of taps as indicated below:-

<u>Govt. quarters having following number of taps</u>	<u>No. of taps to be adopted for calculation of water tariff</u>
(a) 2 to 3	1
(b) 4	2
(c) 5 to 6	3
(d) 7 to 8	5
(e) 9 to 10	6
(f) 11 to 12	7
(g) 13 to 19	9

Note IV In case of Class-IV employees of State Government in occupation of State Government Quarters, the water tariff will be reduced by 50%.

4. Rule – The existing Rule 16 shall be substituted as under :-

FIXATION OF WATER METER:

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All new connections will be invariably metered. Meter of approved make (certified by the Department) shall be provided by the consumer. The water meter will be installed / fixed in the premises or buildings either owned by the Central Government, State Government, Local Bodies, Corporation, University or Private parties where water is used for domestic and non-domestic purposes, on being duly tested by the Public Health Engineering Department within a period not exceeding thirty days from the date of deposit of the meter (Executive Engineer or his authorized officer). All existing un-metered connections shall be metered within a period of 5 (five years from the date of publication of the Resolution in the Orissa Gazette).

5. Rule – The existing Rule 20 shall be substituted as under :-

Water consumption charges shall be levied for non-domestic use according to the following rates:

- (i) Water rate for use of piped water in public institutions such as Central & State Government Offices, Schools, Colleges, Hospitals, Buildings owned by Corporation, Board, Local Bodies or Universities will be charged at the rate of Rs.3.50/- per 1000 liters or part thereof or Rs.16.00 per 1000 gln. or part thereof. Government retain the right to fix the water rate in such cases concessionally if there be any satisfying special reasons to be recorded.
- (ii) Water rate for commercial purposes, such as shops of all types, hostels, restaurants, tea stalls, guesthouse, panthanivas, railway station, dairy farms, dhobighats etc., will be charged at the Rs.3.50/- per 1000 liters or part thereof or Rs.16.00 per 1000 gln. or part thereof.
- (iii) Water for use of piped water for Industrial purpose in all types of small, medium and large-scale industries, either owned by Government or Corporations or private parties will be charged at Rs.3.00/- per 1000 liters or part thereof or Rs.13.00 per 1000 gln. or part thereof..
- (iv) Water rate for use of piped water through public stand post will be charged at the rate of Rs.30/- per stand post, per month (to be paid by the concerned Urban Local Bodies).

6. Rule – The existing Rule 21 shall be substituted as under :-

TEMPORARY WATER SUPPLY:

- (a) Water rate for temporary water supply for construction of houses for residential purposes will be charged at Rs.50.00 per tap / month or part thereof, and for non-residential purposes or fairs, etc. at the rate of Rs.3.50/- per 1000 liters or part thereof.

Note-I On application made by the house owner to the Executive Engineer / Officer-in-charge of water works concerned, temporary water supply connection may be discontinued. On written request to the Executive Engineer / Officer-in-charge of

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water works, reconnection of water supply may however be given on payment of arrears dues and 10% of the connection charges as applicable.

- (b) Water rate for temporary water supply for construction of buildings by the contractors will be charged on the basis of consumption of water at the rate indicated in rule 20 (2) above. Meter rent will also be charged according to Rule 18 above and the meter will be supplied by Government / Urban Local Body.

7. Rule – The existing Rule 27 shall be substituted as under :-

Water Supply connection cut off due to non-payment of dues under Rules 25 & 26 will be reconnected only after payment of arrear dues and 10% of the connection charges as applicable.

For all unauthorized connections penalty will be charged in the following manner:

Water charges calculated for the period commencing from the date of approval of the building plan or three years which is earlier plus connection charges as applicable.

ORDER: Ordered that this Corrigendum be published in the Orissa Gazette and copies of the same forwarded to all Departments of Govt. /all Heads of Deptt./Accountant General,Orissa/ Deputy Accountant General, Orissa/all Revenue Divisional Commissioners/Chief Engineer, PH (Urban)/Chief Engineer,RWSS/all District Magistrates/ Director, Municipal Administration and Ex-Officio Addl. Secretary to Govt.,H&U.D.Deptt. / all S.Es, PH & RWSS/ all E.Es, PH & RWSS/ all Executive Officers of Municipal Corporations, Municipalities & Notified Area Councils / Estate Officer, G.A.Deptt. / Rent Officer, GA (Rent) Deptt. / Valuation Officer, H&U.D.Department.

By Order of the Governor  
Sd/-  
H.S.CHAHAR  
Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Government

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