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**To**

**Director/Project Director**  
**All the ICAR Institutes/Project Directorate/Bureaux/NRCs/ZCUs**

**Sub- Installation of individual metering system in residential quarters in ICAR -reg.**

It has come to the notice that many ICAR's institutes are paying the electricity charges from Institute's Budget initially for the residential quarters on the campus and then making recoveries from the occupants. Moreover, in many institutes, the recoveries though made, are taken as revenue receipts resulting in electricity charges getting paid from the Government Grants. This is mainly due to only one common electricity meter installed for institute and residential quarters. Moreover it is also possible that the institute is buying electricity at industrial rate and making recoveries at domestic rate resulting in loss of grant and under recovery.

(2) In view of the above, it has been decided that the Government Grants should not be used for installation of individual meters, security deposit if any and paying electricity charges for residential quarters. All expenditure towards that is to be borne by the occupants of the residential quarters. Therefore, immediate necessary action is required for installation of individual electricity metres in all types of residential quarters in ICAR system and all allottees presently residing occupants and all future allottees are required to get the meters installed at their own costs and pay electricity charges directly. At the time of vacation of the quarter, they can get meter surrendered also. Government grant should not be utilized at all.

(3) All Directors of the institute are requested to send compliance report to the undersigned at the earliest please.

This issues with the approval of Secretary, ICAR.

  
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