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#### GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

### Power (A) Department

#### ORDER

G. O. (P) No. 10/2014/PD. Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 11th April, 2014
28th Meenam, 1189.

S. R. O. No. 241/2014.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 18 of the Energy Conservation Act, 2001 (Central Act 52 of 2001), the Government of Kerala hereby direct that for all new connections in the agricultural sector, the use of BEE (Bureau of Energy Efficiency) star labelled pump sets with minimum four star rating and ISI marked accessories shall be mandatory. The pump sets which are presently in use and not having the said four star rating shall be replaced with new BEE star labelled pump sets and ISI marked accessories in a phased manner within a period of three years from the

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date of this order. The Kerala State Electricity Board, Department of Electrical Inspectorate and Agriculture Department shall make necessary amendments to this effect in their relevant rules, regulations and guidelines within two months from the date of this order.

By order of the Governor,

M. SIVASANKAR,

Secretary to Government.

#### Explanatory Note

(This does not form part of the notification, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

The Government of Kerala accords highest priority to energy conservation and energy efficiency. In order to make the agricultural sector energy efficient and to reduce the energy wastage, the Government of Kerala have decided to issue directions for the mandatory use of BEE star labelled pump sets with minimum 4 star rating and ISI rated accessories for new connections in agricultural sector and replace the existing non-rated pumps and accessories with rated ones in a phased manner.

The order in intended to achieve the above object.