24(b) 235th Meeting of BOD dated 20.10.2006.

Description: To review the policy to grant permission for the installation of Tele-Communication tower in the areas falling under the purview of PSIEC.; BOD's decision dated 20.10.2006

Decision:

The Board considered the agenda and approved the following amendments/additions in the existing policy for setting up of Telecommunication towers approved earlier in its meeting held on 08.02.2005 read with amendments approved by PSIC, Punjab on 26.05.2006:

- i) Corporation shall charge the regularization fee equivalent to 50% of the amount being paid by the Cellular Companies to the allottees or RS.2,000/- per month for roof towers & Rs.1.00 1akh per month for High-rise Telecommunication tower and allied equipment and exchange whichever is higher.
- ii) Corporation shall also charge double the component of applicable restoration fee in those cases where allotments are cancelled due to unauthorized installation Tele-communication Towers and non-completion of pre-requisites by the allottees.
- iii) Corporation shall charge applicable fee in lumpsum effective from the month of installation of Tower alongwith interest on arrears @11% per annum+penal interest @3% per annum on simple basis to be calculated from the month the fee became due.
- iv) In those cases where allottees have got installed towers without having obtained permission from PSIEC besides are also not completing the pre-requisites laid by PSIEC, the allotments of such plots/sheds/sites may be cancelled after giving show cause notice.
- v) Where allottees have got installed towers without having obtained permission from PSIEC and are coming forward to complete the

pre-requisites the towers may be regularised after obtaining fee as mentioned at (i) & (iii) above.

Where allottees have got installed towers without having obtained permission & allotments are cancelled by the Corporation, permission to regularize the telecommunication towers shall be granted on deposit of applicable fee as mentioned at (i) and (iii) above apart from charging component of restoration fee as mentioned at (ii) above.