

# ALL INDIA POWER ENGINEERS FEDERATION



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Lt Governor  
Jammu & Kashmir  
Srinagar

Sub: AIPEF supports JK EEGA demand for withdrawal of suspension orders of 12 JE's, AE's & AEE's on unrealistic grounds.

Respected Sir,

All India Power Engineers Federation (AIPEF) is federation of power engineers working in power corporations / power departments of all States and Union Territories. JK Electrical Engineering Graduates Association (JK EEGA) is also a constituent of AIPEF.

2. It is learnt that on 19th March twelve Junior Engineers, Assistant Engineers & Assistant Executive Engineers have been unilaterally suspended enmasse on flimsy grounds by the Power Development Department, Government of Jammu & Kashmir. In this reference the resolution passed by J&K Electrical Engineers Graduates Association dt 21 - 03 - 2024 is attached for your ready reference (Copy attached).

3. You are kindly aware that power engineers of J&K are working day and night in very difficult conditions to maintain the power supply. With time the number of consumers has increased manifold but as per the requirement infrastructure has not improved and there is an acute shortage of field staff and engineers even as per the norms decided way back in 1988. Now it is an urgent requirement of recruitment of field staff to cater the demand.

4. AIPEF has learnt that under the given circumstances power engineers were doing well and were ahead of the target. You know that Financial Year 2023 - 24 is at the closing end and this is the crucial period when maximum revenue is realised everywhere. At this juncture suspending engineers enmasse shall demoralise the whole rank and file which will have adverse effect on the whole performance.

5. You would kindly agree Sir, that this action is totally uncalled for and unwarranted. AIPEF requests you to kindly use your good office and direct the concerned authorities to immediately withdraw all suspension orders.

6. In case JK EEGA is forced to adopt an agitational path to get justice then AIPEF & its all State Constituents shall solidly stand with Jammu & Kashmir Power Engineers.

Hope for an early positive action. Thanking You.

With Regards.

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Chairman

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1. Chief Secretary, Govt of J&K.
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