

To

1. All EIC/CE(DS), Under PSPCL
2. CE/TA &I, PSPCL, Patiala
3. CE/EA & Enforcement, PSPCL, Patiala

Memo No. 365-71 / Unauthorized colony

Dated: 30 / 04 / 2025

Sub: Regarding release of electricity connections to the applicant(s) of Unauthorized regularized colonies.

Ref: This office memo no. 1095-1101 dated 04.12.2024.

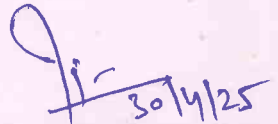
This office had earlier issued instructions vide memo no. 1095-1101 dated 04.12.2024 in reference to notification no. 18/12/24-5Hg2/1829 dated 25.11.2024, issued by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (Housing-II Branch), Government of Punjab. The said instructions stipulated that electricity connections shall be released to those plots that are registered in accordance with the provisions of the aforementioned notification.

However, the Hon'ble Division Bench of the Punjab and Haryana High Court vide order dated 03.04.2025, while deciding CWP No. 5971 of 2025 titled *Jaishree Bagga Vs State of Punjab and Others*, has quashed and set aside Clause 2.0 of the said Notification dated 25.11.2024. The said clause was also endorsed by PSPCL vide letter dated 04.12.2024.

In view of the above order of Hon'ble Punjab and Haryana High Court, the instructions issued by this office vide memo no. 1095-1101 dated 04.12.2024 are hereby **held in abeyance** till further decision is taken in this matter.

Meticulous compliance of these instructions must be ensured.

This issues with the approval of competent authority.


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PSPCL, Patiala.