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IESCO Will Not Allow Anyone To Steal Electricity

13.6 Million Fine Imposed During Anti Power Theft Campaign In October 2025

42 Power Pilfers Arrested Multiple Connections Disconnected

Chief Executive IESCO, Engineer Ch. Khalid Mahmood

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Chief Executive IESCO, Engineer Ch. Khalid Mahmood has stated that electricity theft is not only a major obstacle to Pakistan's progress and prosperity but also a burden on honest consumers who pay their electricity bills regularly and this situation will not be tolerated at any cost.

Ch. Khalid Mahmood said that the anti power theft campaign is being successfully carried out across all operation circles Islamabad, Rawalpindi Cantt, Rawalpindi City, Attock, Jhelum, Chakwal, and surrounding areas with the active support of the police and other law enforcement agencies.

IESCO Chief further informed that during October 2025, IESCO teams inspected over 94,000 electricity meters, out of which 142 meters were found with direct electricity usage and 16 were found tampered. Total 158 electricity thieves were fined more than Rs. 13.6 million and 42 individuals were arrested by the police for their involvement in this national and unethical act.

The IESCO Chief issued strict directions to all field formations to continue the crackdown against electricity theft without any discrimination. He reaffirmed his resolve, saying We will not allow anyone to steal electricity, and we will eliminate this menace at all costs. The dream of a bright and prosperous Pakistan can only be achieved by completely eradicating this curse."

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