

No. 11/16/2020-Th-II
Government of India
Ministry of Power
Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg,

New Delhi, 15th May, 2020

To,

- 1. All Power Generation and Transmission CPSEs under Ministry of Power**
- 2. All Subsidiaries/ Joint Ventures of Power Generation and Transmission CPSEs under Ministry of Power**

Subject: Rebate to Distribution Companies (DISCOMS) by Central Generating and Transmission Companies of Ministry of Power for the Lock down period on account of Covid-19 pandemic

Sir/ Madam,

This is in the light of the announcements made by Hon'ble Finance Minister on 13.05.2020 under the Atmanirbhar Bharat (आत्मनिर्भर भारत) special economic and comprehensive package including therein the liquidity infusion by PFC/REC of Rs.90,000 crore to DISCOMs against receivables and loans to be given against State guarantees for exclusive purpose of discharging liabilities of DISCOMS to power Generating companies (Gencos), and also giving rebate to DISCOMs by Central Public Sector Generation Companies for passing on to the final consumers.

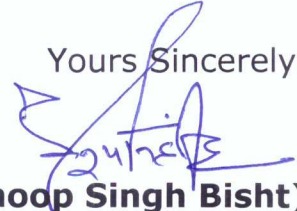
2 In view of the above, it has been decided that all Central Public Sector Generation Companies under Ministry of Power including their Joint Ventures/Subsidiaries and Central Public Sector Transmission Company, may consider to offer following rebate to the Distribution Companies (Discoms) for passing on to the end consumers for the lockdown period on account of Covid-19 pandemic:

- i. Deferment of capacity charges for power not scheduled, to be payable without interest after the end of the lockdown period in three equal monthly instalments.

- ii. Rebate of about 20-25% on power supply billed to Discoms and inter-state transmission charges levied by PGCIL
3. Accordingly, Central Public Sector Generation and PGCIL may kindly consider taking necessary action in this regard, including concurrence of respective Board of Directors required, if any.

This issues with the approval of Hon'ble Minister of State (Independent Charge) for Power and New & Renewable Energy.

Yours Sincerely,



(Anoop Singh Bisht)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

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2. **Secretaries of Power of all States/UTs** for kind information and necessary action please.