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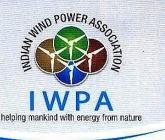
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Shri R K Singh Honourable Minister of State (Independent Charge) Power and New & Renewable Energy Government of India Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg

Sub: Request MOP / MNRE to allot a Fund to IREDA to enable a funding against delayed Payments by Discoms - Regarding

Respected Sir,

This is regarding the Constitution of Committee by MoP for deliberation on delayed / non-payment to IPPs/ GENCOS by DISCOMS. We understand that present committee is only looking thermal power plants and not Renewable Energy projects. Their focus appears to be largely on Thermal Plants of GENCOs/NTPC/SECI.

We wish to draw your attention to the fact that RE energy suppliers across the country across all the leading RE rich states have an outstanding for 1½ Years and Rs 13,000 Crores. And RE energy suppliers are more vulnerable than Thermal Power plants due to the delayed payments by DISCOMs because, RE projects have only single part tariff.

In lieu of the above reason, that dire situation of RE energy suppliers like IWPA should also be part of the deliberations of the above mentioned committee.

We also want to highlight that MOP / MNRE should consider formulating a Rs 5,000 Crore fund to IREDA to set right for enabling payment to Wind generator based RE energy suppliers against delay by Discoms just as the Rs 500 Cr fund recently sanction by MNRE for SECI.

Thanking you in anticipation,

With Best Wishes & Regards

Yours faithfully

For Indian Wind Power Association

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