March 31, 2021

IWPA Circular No. 16 of 2020-21

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Dear Member,

Sub: Legal action for Extension of unutilized banked units from 2020-21 to 2021-22

You are aware that the banked units could not be utilized due to reasons well known to all in the financial year 2020-21.

Due to Covid-19 pandemic, many industrial units could not function for the full time for its full rated capacity. Under instructions from the Central and State Government Industrial units had to close their Manufacturing and Production Shops from the month of March 2020 for the next five months, fully or partially.

This had resulted in underutilization of a major portion of the banked units for no fault of our industrial members.

We request that the period for 51% consumption of unutilised banked units of Wind Energy generated during the year 2020-21 may please be extended for the next year 2021-22 either for the whole of the year or for first five months for consumption from April 2021 to August 2021 by industries who were denied of such consumption for five months during the year 2020-21 due to unforeseen occurrence of Covid19.

Hence, we have decided to seek legal remedy from the High Court of Madras / TNERC for rollover of the unutilized banked units to the next year.

To enable filing of case, necessary legal charges have to be borne by the beneficiary members at the earliest. We request the affected members to send your payment of Rs. 20,000/- per member to effectively fight the case.

For favour of necessary early action from your end, please.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully, For Indian Wind Power Association

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