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Date:- 10 /07/2017

To,

✓ The Secretary,

Maharashtra State Electricity Commission,
13th floor, World Trade Centre,
Cuffe Parade, Coloba,
Mumbai-400005.

Sub : Sou-Motu proceedings for verification and compliance of Renewable Purchase Obligation targets for FY 2010-11 to FY 2013-14 by obligated Entities (Other than Distribution Licensees) (Case no-101 of 2017).

Ref.: Your letter no MERC/Case no 101 of 2017/2017-18/3783 dt. 23.06.2017.

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Dear Sir,

The investigation, planning, design, construction & commissioning of Electrical & Mechanical part of Hydro Power Projects is entrusted to the Hydro organisation under Water Resources Department. Most of the Hydro Projects undertaken by the department for execution are multipurpose schemes involving one or more items viz. irrigation, flood control, water supply & power generation. On commissioning of Hydro Project, the power station is handed over to Maharashtra State Power Generation Company Ltd for operation & maintenance on lease basis. Maintenance of civil engineering works of the projects is looked after by Water Resources Department. GoMWRD has developed 7 SHEPs having individual capacity less than 3 MW & total capacity of about 10.325 MW. These projects are not taken over by MSPGCL for operation and maintenance on lease basis. Hence all these projects are operated & maintained by GoMWRD. The energy generated from these projects is supplied to MSEDCL grid and Power

Purchase Agreement for each of these 7 SHEP is signed with MSEDCL.

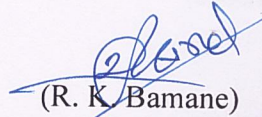
To encourage private sector participation in development of small hydro projects, GoMWRD has framed policy since 1999. Hydro Policy vide GR No PVT-1204/(160/2004)/ HP dated 15.09.2005 declared by GoMWRD encourages Private Sector Participation in Development of Small Hydro Projects having installed capacity up to 25 MW. Under this policy, projects are allotted to private Promoters on Build, Operate and Transfer (BOT) basis for a period of 30 years. Till date, 30 SHEPs with overall installed capacity of 117.60 MW are commissioned by Private Participation. The operation & maintenance of these 30 SHEPs is done by respective promoter.

As the Hydro organisation does not have Captive Power Plant and Open Access Consumer, information in the subject matter may please be considered as NIL."

Submitted for your further needful please.

Thanking You,

Yours faithfully,



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- Copy Submitted to Chief Engineer (Electrical), Hydro Projects, Mumbai for favour of information w.r.t. letter no 1391 dt. 10.07.2007 please.