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Dear Shri Ajay Nayak,

As you may be aware that Hon'ble Minister of Power & Deputy Chairman, Planning Commission has released documents on "Integrated Rating Methodology for the State Distribution Utilities", "Standard Bidding Document for appointment of input based urban distribution franchisee" & "Guidelines for National Electricity Fund (Interest subsidy scheme)", during the Power Ministers' Conference on 17th July 2012 at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi. Copies of the same have been distributed to the Power Ministers and State Secretaries (Power) etc., who had attended that meeting. Copies are available in the Ministry of Power also which may be obtained from the undersigned or can be downloaded from MoP's website at www.powermin.nic.in.

- States like Maharashtra and UP have gone ahead and appointed distribution franchisee with useful outcomes especially in terms of loss reduction. 'Standard Bidding Document for Distribution Franchisee' can be gainfully utilized for similar purpose in your State.
- Integrated rating methodology outlines the parameters on which distribution utilities will be rated by a rating agency to be selected by PFC. We expect to bring out final draft of rating by December, 2012. You are requested to cooperate in providing necessary inputs and data to facilitate this exercise and also work towards improving the rating and rank in subsequent years.
- NEF provides tremendous opportunity to plan and implement investment in upgrading distribution infrastructure with a view to reducing losses and improving financial health of utilities. I expect you will utilize this facility to submit DPRs to REC, the Nodal Agency at the earliest.

With regards,

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