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All Central Ministries/ Departments
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Subject : **Inviting applications for the post of Technical Member in Appellate Tribunal for Electricity**

Sir,

The Appellate Tribunal for Electricity (APTEL) was set up at New Delhi by the Government of India under the provisions of the Electricity Act, 2003. The Tribunal consists of the Chairperson, one Judicial Member and three Technical Members including one Technical Member appointed under the Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board Act, 2006. Appointment to the posts of Chairperson and Members is governed by the relevant provisions of the Electricity Act and the Appellate Tribunal for Electricity (Salaries, Allowances and other Conditions of Service of Chairperson and Members) Rules, 2004 and the Appellate Tribunal for Electricity (Salaries, Allowances and other conditions of service of Chairperson and Members) (Amendment) Rules, 2008. One post of Technical Member in the Tribunal will fall vacant on 3.3.2013 on completion of tenure by the incumbent. It is proposed to fill up the anticipated vacancy.

2. In terms of section 113(1)(b)(ii) & (iii) read with explanation (ii) below section 112(3) of the Act, qualification of a person to be appointed Technical Member of the Appellate Tribunal is as follows:

- (i) he or she is, or has been, a Secretary for at least one year in the Ministry or Department of the Central Government dealing with economic affairs or matters or infrastructure; or
- (ii) he or she is, or has been, a person of ability and standing, having adequate knowledge or experience in dealing with the matters relating to electricity generation, transmission and distribution and regulation or economics, commerce, law or management.

3. Under the provisions of section 114 of the Act, a Member shall hold office for a term of three years from the date on which he or she assumes office or till he or she attains the age of sixty-five years, whichever is earlier. The Member shall also be eligible for reappointment for a second term of three years subject to the maximum age of 65 years. The prospective candidate has also to give a declaration in the prescribed proforma that he/she does not have any financial or other interest, which is likely to affect prejudicially his/her functioning as Member of the Appellate Tribunal for Electricity.

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