## No.44/8/2008-RE (Vol.II) Government of India Ministry of Power Shram Shakti Bhavan, New Delhi-110001

Dated, 1st January, 2018

To

Principal Secretary (Power) of All the States/UTs.

Subject:

Installation of sign boards on the assets created under DDUGJY/ IPDS in

villages/towns.

Sir,

Kind attention is invited to this Ministry's letter of even number dated 12.9.2016 and also various letters dated 12.5.2017, 27.3.2017, 7.7.2016 from Rural Electrification Corporation (REC) Limited and letters dated 7.6.2017 and 21.2.2017 from Power Finance Corporation (PFC) Limited regarding setting up of signboards on the assets created under Deendayal Upadhuyaya Gram Jyoti Yojana (DDUGJY) / Integrated Power Development System (IPDS) where electrification of works have been completed in villages / towns.

- 2. It is stated that display of works carried out under DDUGJY / IPDS through signboards is a pro-active measure in transparency and accountability. It also creates adequate awareness about the programmes. The pro-active disclosure creates substantial public value by enabling the public, the ultimate beneficiaries, to monitor the works.
- 3. In this regard, nodal agencies of REC/PFC for DDUGJY / IPDS have already shared the template of signboards along with specifications and requested to ensure installation of such signboards in villages/towns being electrified under these schemes. All the States have also been requested to ensure engraving name of the Scheme i.e. DDUGJY or IPDS (as the case may be) on major equipments / material (Poles, Sub-stations, Transformers, Cables, Energy Meters etc.) being installed. The matter has been discussed in various RPM meetings wherein it was emphasized to expedite the work of installation of signboards in villages / towns. However, the progress in the matter has not been shared regularly either with Ministry or with the Nodal agencies.
- 4. It is therefore requested that the progress on installation of signboards in villages / towns where electrification of works are completed or under progress may be furnished to this Ministry / REC / PFC, at an early date, and thereafter be shared every month.

Yours faithfully,

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