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Government of India  
Ministry of Power**

**Shram Shakti Bhawan,  
Rafi Marg, New Delhi-110001.**

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**To**

- 1. Principal Secretary (Energy)/Secretary (Power) of all States & UTs**
- 2. CMDs / MDs of all DISCOMs of all States & UTs**

**Subject: Participation of Hon'ble Members of Parliament in launch and inauguration of Projects under IPDS, DDUGJY and SAUBHAGYA.**

Sir / Madam,

Kindly refer to this Ministry's OM of even number dated: 3<sup>rd</sup> May, 2016 (Copy enclosed) on the above cited subject and to reiterated that as per DoPT's OM No.11013/4/2011-Estt(A) dated 01st December,2011 that all Members of Parliament/State legislatures of the area are to be invariably invited to public functions organized by a Government Office.The said OM further states that a proper and comfortable seating arrangement at public functions and proper order of seating on the dais should be made for Members keeping in view the fact that they appear above the Officers of the ranks of Secretaries to the Government of India(GOI) in the Warrant of Precedence.

2. Pradhan Mantri Sahaj Bijli Har Ghar Yojna SAUBHAGYA, Integrated Power Development Scheme (IPDS) & Deen Dayal Upadhyay Gram Jyoti Yojana (DDUGJY) are priority programmes of the Government of India. The Ministry of Rural Development has already institutionalised mechanism of DISHA under the Chairmanship of the senior most Member of Parliament (Lok Sabha) of the District. This committee is mandated to review and monitor the implementation of all Central Schemes in the Power sector. This committee is also mandated to monitor the implementation of these Schemes.