

**Material on important works/achievements or any new development pertaining to F&CA Divisions of CEA for “CEA’s News” is as below:**

**A. Revision of Standard Bidding Documents (SBDs) for Case-I and Case-II**

Ministry of Power constituted a Drafting Committee to review and revise the Standard Bidding Documents (SBDs) for Case-I and Case-II bidding process and Guidelines for determination of Tariff by bidding process for procurement of power by distribution licensees. Officers of E&C wing, CEA were associated in deliberations of this committee. Ministry of Power, accordingly, on finalization the following Model Bidding Documents along with corresponding guidelines for procurement of power has been issued.

1. Model Bidding Documents for Long Term Procurement of power (for 30 years including construction period, with a provision for extension of 15 years at the option of either of the concessionaire or the utility and another extension upto 15 years if both the parties so agree) from Thermal Power Stations set up on Design, Build, Finance, Operate and Transfer (DBFOT), where location, technology & fuel are specified by the Procurer issued on 20/09/13 and its Guidelines were issued on 21/09/13.
2. Model Bidding Documents for Long Term Procurement of power (for 25 years including construction period with provision of extension of 5 years at the option of either party) from Thermal Power Stations set up on Design, Build, Finance, Own and Operate (DBFOO), where location/ technology is not specified by the Procurer issued on 8/11/13 and its Guidelines were issued on 9/11/13.
3. Model Bidding Documents for procurement of electricity base load power for medium term (between one and five Years with the provision for extension of this period for the lower of 25 % of the initial contract period and one year with mutual consent of parties) from Power generating Stations set up and/ for operate on Finance, Own and Operate (FOO) basis were issued on 29/01/14 and the Guidelines were issued on 10/02/14.
4. Model Bidding Documents for procurement of peaking power in the medium term (between one and five year with the provision for extension of this period for the lower of 25 % of the initial contract period and one year with mutual consent of parties) Power generating Stations set up and/or operated on Finance, Own and Operate (FOO) basis were issued on 20/02/14 and the Guidelines were issued on 24/02/14

**More details on these Model Bidding Documents are available at Website [powermin.nic.in](http://powermin.nic.in)**

## **B. Financial Restructuring Plan (FRP) for State DISCOMS:**

A Scheme of Financial Restructuring of State DISCOMS was notified by MoP vide OM dated 05.10.2012 to ensure turnaround of the State owned DISCOMS.

In the Scheme, two monitoring committees are constituted, one at the central level as Central Level Monitoring Committee (CLMC) and the other at state level being State Level Monitoring Committee (SLMC) for monitoring the progress of turnaround plan. CEA shall function as secretariat for CLMC.

The Central Level Monitoring Committee (CLMC) comprises of Member (Energy), of Planning Commission as Chairperson, Secretary (Power), Secretary (Financial Services) and Secretary (Economic Affairs), Ministry of Finance and CMDs of PFC and REC as Members with Chairperson, CEA as Member Secretary.

The SLMC will meet every quarter to monitor the performance of each state DISCOM for mandatory conditions and send its report to CLMC till the DISCOMS achieves financial turn around who in turn will verify these performances and recommend the grant of incentives to the states. The officers of CEA are also nominated as Member of various SLMCs.

FRP has been successfully implemented in four States namely Tamil Nadu, Rajasthan, UP and Haryana.

AP, Jharkhand and Bihar could not participate in earlier scheme due to practical difficulties faced by them in compliance of mandatory conditions. The CCEA approved shifting of cutoff date of reckoning eligible amount under the scheme. The scheme is under implementation in these States.