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Government of India
Ministry of Power
Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg, New Delhi – 110001

Dated 28.10.2020

To,
The Chairperson,
Central Electricity Authority,
R K Puram New Delhi

Sub: Clarification to Bidders' queries with respect to MoP circular on provision on Preference to Make In India for ongoing TBCB projects- reg.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to Central Electricity Authority letter No. CEA-EC-11-18(23)/1/2018-FCA Division, dated 28.08.2020 on the above cited subject and to say as under:

- i. On the issue of whether MoP Order dated 02.07.2020 regarding testing of imported item is applicable for all imported items or applicable for only those equipment, components and parts imported for use in the Power Supply System, which can be a threat to for Cyber Attack in the form of embedded malware/ Trojans / cyber threat etc., it is clarified that the above cited order will be applicable to all imported items, equipment, components and parts thereof, **having embedded systems** that may have vulnerabilities to cyber attacks, malware/Trojan/cyber threat.
 - ii. On the issue of applicability of Department of Expenditure's order on Public Procurement dated 23.07.2020 regarding public procurement from a bidder of a country sharing land border with India to the TBCB projects, it may be noted that MoP has already decided that the above public procurement orders of DoE will also be applicable for 14 under bidding TBCB projects (copy enclosed).
2. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

Encl: As stated.

Yours faithfully,



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