

No. 25/27/2004-R&R Government of India Ministry of Power

> Shram Shakti Bhavan, Rafi Marg New Delhi, the May 28, 2005

To

Shri A.K. Basu Secretary, Damodar Valley Corporation KOLKATA

Subject: Regulatory jurisdiction over the DVC under the Electricity Act 2003.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to sur message dated 26th October 2004 and the letter No.25/27/2004-R&R dated 27th August 2004 of this Ministry on the above subject and to say that the matter of regulatory jurisdiction over the DVC under the Electricity Act 2003 has been examined in the Ministry. Following is being conveyed for necessary action:

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- The Central Electricity Regulatory Commission has jurisdiction under section 79 of the Electricity Act 2003 in respect of the generating stations of the DVC and the inter-state transmission of electricity undertaken by the DVC.
- ii) The concerned State Electricity Regulatory Commission has jurisdiction in terms of section 86 of the Act in respect of distribution of electricity and intra-state transmission of electricity undertaken by the DVC.

(Alok Kumar)

Director (R&R)

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- 1. Secretary (Energy), Govt. of West Bengal
- 2. Secretary (Energy), Govt. of Jharkhand
- 3. Secretary, CERC, New Delhi
- Secretary, Jharkhand ERC
- Secretary, West Bengal ERC
- 6. JS (Thermal), Ministry of Power