

48-17/1/2025-NRE SECTION

Government of India

Ministry of Power

Shram Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg,

New Delhi, 06th August, 2025

To,

1. Principal Secretary/Secretary in charge of Energy /Power Department, All States /UTs.
2. CMDs Heads of all CPSUs.
3. DG, APP and IPPAI

Subject: Clarification on Renewable Generation Obligation (RGO)

Sir / Madam,

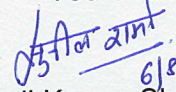
I am directed to refer to the Ministry of Power's Resolution even number dated 27th February 2023 on Renewable Generation Obligation (RGO) mandating the Generating company establishing a coal/lignite-based thermal generating station having the Commercial Operation Date (COD) of the project on or after 1st April 2023 to establish a minimum capacity of Renewable Energy (RE) generation sources or purchase and supply the RE equivalent to such capacity.

2. The Resolution mandates that the coal/Lignite based thermal generating Station, having COD between 1st April 2023 to 31st March 2025, RGO may be complied by 1st April 2025. Thermal generating station having COD after 1st April 2025 shall be required to comply with RGO of 40% by the COD.

3. This ministry has received representations seeking clarification regarding RGO compliance through subsidiaries. After careful consideration, it is clarified that RE generated or procured and supplied by wholly owned subsidiary of the Generating Company or wholly owned subsidiary of any of the Companies of a Joint Venture (JV) company shall be counted towards RGO compliance for the Generating Company or the JV Company establishing Coal / Lignite based thermal generating station. It is also clarified that establishment of a minimum capacity of Renewable Energy generation sources or purchase and supply the renewable energy equivalent to such capacity, as mentioned in the subject notification is voluntary.

4. This issues with the approval of Competent Authority.

Yours faithfully,



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Yours faithfully,

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