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Sub:- Encouraging Independent Power Producers
to participate in development of Mini
Hydel Schemes in consonance with the
policy of the Government.

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In connection with the above subject, I am directed
to state that the State Government has been encouraging develop-
ment of non-conventional energy resources in the State by invit-
ing Independent Power Producers to participate in the power
sector so that the power sector attracts more and more invest-
ment. This policy have been evolved on the basis of the policy
of Government of India to encourage renewable non-conventional
energy resources and the said policy envisages that the Mini Hydel
Projects of less than 25 MW capacity should be allotted to the
Independent Power Producers. The experience has been that there
is a great demand from Independent Power Producers for allotment
of Mini Hydel Projects.

Having regard to these factors, I am to impress upon
you that Mini Hydel Projects should be reserved for private
sector developers and that M/s. Karnataka Power Corporation Ltd.,
should concentrate on Mega projects of more than 25 MW capacity.

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B. K. RAO
Special Officer

Yours faithfully,