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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: 'MUST-RUN' for Renewable Energy Generating Stations

1. Please refer to this office's O.M. of even no. dated 1st April, 2020 (copy enclosed), clarifying that 'Must Run' status of Renewable Energy (RE) remains unchanged during COVID-19 lockdown period and that RE should not be curtailed but for grid security reasons.
2. Since, some of the DISCOMs are still resorting to RE curtailment without any valid reason i.e. grid safety; it is once again reiterated that **Renewable Energy (RE) remains 'MUST RUN' and any curtailment but for grid safety reason would amount to deemed generation.**
3. **This issues with the approval of Secretary, MNRE.**

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To:

1. Addl. Chief Secretaries/ Pr. Secretaries/ Secretaries of Power/ Energy / Renewable Energy Departments of Governments/ Administrations of all States/ UTs
2. Managing Directors of all DISCOMs
3. CMD, Solar Energy Corporation of India Limited (SECI)
4. CMD, NTPC Limited

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