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To
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Sub: Setting up of 100 MW Solar PV Project at Chitradurga, Karnataka in Build Own Operate basis by SECI for DRDO- Reg.

Ref:

1. Revised Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) signed between Solar Energy Corporation of India Ltd. (SECI) and the Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO) on 17.04.2025
2. Land Use Permission Agreement signed between SECI and DRDO on 08.09.2025
3. Power Purchase Agreement (PPA) executed between SECI and DRDO on 15.09.2025 for 100 MW Solar PV Project at Chitradurga, Karnataka

Sir,

With reference to the above, we would like to inform that SECI has submitted an application to CTUIL on 24.09.2025 for seeking ISTS connectivity at Chitradurga PSS. Same is expected to be taken up in the forthcoming Consultation Meetings for ISTS (CMETS) of M/s CTUIL.

In parallel, SECI is in the process of finalizing the Request for Selection (RfS) document for the 100 MW Solar PV Project. To ensure that the project design and tender parameters are aligned with **DRDO's operational and load requirements**, it is requested to kindly provide the **indicative load profile/data** for the relevant facilities/establishments identified under DRDO's **greening initiative**. The indicative data may include the following parameters as per the enclosed **Annexure-A**:

- Monthly load patterns of the facility/establishment
- Seasonal variation in load demand (summer, monsoon, winter)
- Present grid-connected load and backup system configuration



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- Expected expansion or additional load (if any) under DRDO's green energy roadmap

This information will enable SECI to optimize the power evacuation plan, structure the scheduling mechanism, and tailor the RfS provisions for enhanced efficiency and cost-effectiveness.

For ease of communication and smooth coordination, the following officers have been designated as nodal points from SECI's side:

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1.	Smt. Anita Mohan Goel, DGM - Projects	Pre-Award Activities	9811030805
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We look forward to receiving the requisite data and observations from DRDO at the earliest, to ensure timely progress of this strategic project.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

(Sivakumar V Vepakomma)
Director (PS)

Annexure A

Sl. No.	Description of Facility / Establishment	Average Monthly Load (kW / MW)*	Address
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2			
3			
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*3- year Electricity bills of each Facility may be provided for detailed analysis.