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भारत सरकार (Government of India) कौशल विकास और उद्यमशीलता मंत्रालय (Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship)

प्रशिक्षण महानिदेशालय Directorate General of Training

Room No. 414, Kaushal Bhawan, New Delhi- 23 Dated: 27.01.2025

To,

The Director(s)/Commissioner(s) of States/UTs dealing with ITIs.

Subject –PM-Surya Ghar: Muft Bijli Yojna (PMSGMBY): Job opportunities reg.

Ref: Letter No. REC/RTS/24-25/184 dated 16.01.2025 issued by Rural Electrification Corporation Limited (REC Limited).

Madam/Sir,

The Government of India has approved the PM - Surya Ghar: Muft Bijli Yojana (PMSGMBY) on 29th February 2024 to boost the share of solar rooftop capacity and empower residential households to generate their own electricity. The scheme, with an outlay of Rs 75,021 crore, will be implemented until FY 2026-27.

- 2. The main objective of the scheme is to install 1 crore rooftop solar panels across the country. In this context, the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE) has designated the Directorate General of Training (DGT) as the nodal agency to implement the skill component of the scheme to train 1,00,000 solar technicians and 2,000 trainers across the country. Under this scheme, DGT has already trained more than 37,000 solar technicians and 1,100 trainers across the country through ITIs/NSTIs.
- 3. Further, MNRE has designated Rural Electrification Corporation Limited (REC Limited) as the National Project Implementing Agency (NPIA) to monitor, regulate, and provide funding under the scheme to all the implementing agencies.
- 4. Subsequently, REC has communicated (Ref: REC/RTS/24-25/184 dated 16.01.2025), certain hiring firms require a significant number of trained technicians for the installation of solar rooftop panels. These hiring firms have also published advertisements in newspapers and reaching out to ITIs and trained technicians for recruitment.
- 5. Accordingly, M/s Waree Energies, informed that 1,008 solar installers technicians are needed across the country (Annexure I) and M/s Urjastrot Private Limited, requires

approximately 543 solar installer technicians (Annexure II) for the their operations. The detail of contact persons of both the firms as mentioned above is also attached in respective annexures.

6. In this regard, it is requested that respective State/UT directorate may circulate the details of the above mentioned agencies to their ITIs/NSTIs imparting skill development component of PMSGMBY to avail this employment opportunities.

This issue with the approval of DG/AS, DGT, MSDE.

Encl: A/A

Yours Sincerely,

(G. C. Ramamurthy) Director, DGT

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1. Sr. PSO to DG/AS, DGT

2. Executive Director NIMI, Chennai- For circulating to all Training Centres (TCs) and uploading on the PMSGMBY portal (https://suryaghar.nimiprojects.in/).

3. Executive Director, REC