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To, Shri Shrikant Sharma Hon'ble Energy Minister, Uttar Pradesh

The Managing Director Uttar Pradesh Power Corporation Limited Lucknow

Subject: Request for extension of date for depositing Electricity Bills till 30<sup>th</sup> June due to extension of Lockdown Period

Sir,

We refer to your orders vide Letter No 241 Dated 4<sup>th</sup> May 2020 (copy attached for ready reference) wherein you were kind enough to extend the date for depositing Electricity Bills by Industries by 31<sup>st</sup> May 2020 in view of the Lock Down extended from 4<sup>th</sup> May to 17<sup>th</sup> May 2020. The Lock Down period has now been further extended till 31<sup>st</sup> May 2020 and industries are not allowed to operate in Hot Spot & Containment Areas. In other areas also the industries are either not able to launch the production or are operating at very low capacity utilization.

In view of the situation stated above, it is requested that the date for depositing Electricity bills without any surcharge may please be extended till 30<sup>th</sup> June 2020 and the fixed Charges may also be waived off for the period of Lockdown i.e 25<sup>th</sup> March 2020 to 31<sup>st</sup> May 2020.

Looking forward for fabourable response.

Kind regards

Manmohan Agarwal General Secretary