GOVERNMENT OF RAJASTHAN

ENERGY DEPARTMENT

No. F.15(5) Energy/95

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ORDER

The Rajasthan Industrial & investment Development Corporation (RIICO) has proposed development of three Special Economic Zones (SEZs) in the State for promotion of Exports. These SEZs would be located in the following areas:

- i) Gems & Jewellery in Jaipur.
- ii) Handicrafts in Jodhpur
- iii) Woollen Carpets in Bikaner

Apart from the above, a few private investors have also expressed a desire for developing SEZs in private sector for export of various items.

In compliance of the decision taken in the 11th meeting of the Board of infrastructure Development and Investment (BIDI) held under the chairmanship of Honfole Chief Minister on 30.11.2002, the following facilities incentives would be provided:

- i) The SEZ will ensure good quality, continuous supply of electricity in their respective zones.
- ii) The industrial units established in the SEZs will be allowed to set up Captive Power Plants for generation of electricity for the rown use/ consumption.
- The institutions involved in development of SEZs as well as the industrial units set up in the SEZs and operating in electricity generation transmission & distribution will be exempted from the levy of Electricity Duty for a period of 10 (Ten) years, provided such electricity is consumed within the SEZs.

The rules & regulations as applicable under Rajasthan Power Sector Reforms Act, 1999 and rules & regulations made/ circulated by Rajasthan Electricity Regulatory Commission will have to be complied with by the SEZ authorities and incustries set up in such zones for generation, transmission & distribution of power.

This order will come into force with immediate effect.

By Order

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Secretary to Government