



**RURAL MANAGEMENT & DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
GOVERNMENT OF SIKKIM
GANGTOK**

Ref. No. 23 /RM&DD/M

Dated: 30/04/2014

To,
The PCE cum Secretary,
Energy & power Department,
Government of Sikkim.

Subject : Convergence of REDRH Project and CMRHM Project with the RGGVY Programme

Sir,

Reference is drawn to letter no 304/RM&DD/M dated 6th March, 2013, (copy enclosed) wherein this office had requested that external electrification to the REDRH (reconstruction of Earthquake damaged Rural Houses) be provided under the RGGVY Programme. I am to again re-iterate the request for convergence as this would greatly benefit the beneficiaries whose houses had been damaged during the earthquake of 11th September, 2011. As of date 7972 beneficiaries have been identified and around 2000 houses have been completed.

Further , I would like also to inform you that the State Government is in the process of building Rural houses under the Chief minister's Rural Housing Mission (CMRHM) for the BPL households. AS of date 6000 beneficiaries have been identified under this programme and around 2000 houses have been completed. Therefore, we would like to request you to kindly explore convergence of RGGVY with both the above housing programmes.

In view of the above, we would like to request you to kindly direct your district level functionaries to coordinate with the office of the ADC (Dev) for closer coordination and operationalising this convergence at the earliest. A copy of the letter to the districts may be endorsed to this office for follow up from our end.

Yours faithfully,

**(Sandeep Tambe)
Spl. Secretary- RM & DD**

Encl : a/a

