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INSPIRE AWARD CELL
Dy. No. 231
dated 30-4-2012.

Dear Sir

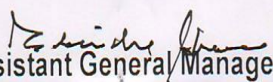
INSPIRE PROGRAM
REVALIDATION OF INSPIRE AWARD WARRANTS

We refer to your telecon dated 18th April 2012 regarding revalidation of the outstanding INSPIRE Award warrants, the validity of which had expired.

We confirm that all such warrants have been revalidated for payment upto 31.03.2013 and as such, the beneficiaries may please be advised to present the warrants for payment at the nearest branch of State Bank of India. There is no need to send the warrants to us for revalidation.

As you are aware, the warrants are being issued for validity periods of three months only as per RBI and it would be desirable that the payment of the warrants is obtained by the beneficiaries within three months only to avoid difficulties to the beneficiaries and also to enable effective reconciliation. We therefore request you to please instruct the State Govt. authorities to ensure expeditious delivery of warrants to the beneficiaries for smooth implementation of the program.

Yours faithfully,


Assistant General Manager