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To: Members of the Council

Sub: <u>Technology Acquisition and Development Fund (TADF) for MSMEs</u>

Dear Member,

The Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion (DIPP) has notified the Technology Acquisition and Development Fund (TADF) for MSMEs in the Gazette of India on 21st September 2015 (as a component of the National Manufacturing Policy being implemented by DIPP).

The scheme is conceptualized to enable the MSMEs to acquire Clean, Green & Energy Efficient technologies through patent pool and licensing and reimbursement of direct patent acquisition cost. The Scheme envisages incentivizing production of equipment for controlling pollution, reducing energy consumption and for water conservation through interest and capital subsidies; as well as incentives for energy and environment audit, waste water treatment, rain water harvesting, renewable energy and Green Buildings.

The subsidy/incentives/financial support under the scheme will be available to those MSME manufacturing units which are pre-registered with the appropriate Government and whose projects are sanctioned and operational prior to 31.3.2017.

MSME units are advised to visit the webpage at http://www.gita.org.in for detailed information and online filing of the application.

A copy of the brochure on this scheme is enclosed for ready reference. The notification of the scheme on TADF is available on DIPP website, dipp.nic.in.

Members who are MSMEs are requested to please take a note of the above and do the needful.

For any further clarification, please get in touch with us.

Regards,

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