On announcement of General Election 2009, this office has received number of requests across the country to guide the Dist. Level Task Force Committee Convenors for holding the regular meeting for processing the applications under PMEGP by the Dist. Level Task Force Committee.

2. This office has approached to Ministry of MSME, Govt. of India for the guidance on the matter. In this regard, the Election Commission has decided and intimated that the DTFCs constituted before 2\textsuperscript{nd} March, 2009 may continue to process the applications received upto 2\textsuperscript{nd} March, 2009. However, where the DTFCs have not been constituted no initiatives should be taken till General Elections are over.

3. In view of above, all the State/Divisional Directors of KVIC are hereby advised to request the District Magistrate/Collectors to hold the meetings of the District Task Force Committee to clear the pending applications received upto 2\textsuperscript{nd} March, 2009. The State/Divisional Directors are also advised to impress upon State Govt. agencies to make all out efforts to achieve the targets under PMEGP for 2008-09.
4. The copy of the letter received from the Jt. Secretary, Ministry of MSME, Govt. of India and along with the copy of the letter received from the Secretary, Election Commission of India has also been placed on the web site www.kvic.org.in and www.pmegp.in.

5. The State/Divisional Directors of KVIC are also advised to hand over a copy of this Circular to the Dist. Magistrates/Collectors in their State/Division for information and necessary action.

This is for immediate compliance by all concerned.

Encl.: as above.

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Copy for information and for immediate compliance:

1. All State/Divisional Directors of KVIC
2. All State/UT KVI Boards
3. Director of Industries of all State/UT Govts.

Copy for information to:

1. The Jt. Secretary, Ministry of MSME,. Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi.
2. Dy. Governor, RPCD, Reserve Bank of India, Mumbai.
3. All Commission Members.
4. Indl. Dev. Commissioner/Principal Secretary, Industry State
5. Principal Secretary, KVI State
6. CMDs of all Public Sector Banks.
7. All Zonal Dy. CEOs, KVIC
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D.O.No.4(83) (1)/2007-KVI
26 March, 2009

Dear Shri Mishra ji,

Please refer to your DO letter no. PMEGP/Policy/2008-09 dated 4th March 2009, regarding the reluctance of some District Magistrates to hold the meetings of District Task Force Committee (DTFC) under PMEGP to recommend applications to Banks in view of the operation of the Model Code of Conduct for General Elections 2009.

2. The matter was taken up with the Election Commission (EC) by the Ministry. EC has decided that wherever the DTFCs have been constituted before 2nd March, 2009 such DTFCs may continue to process the applications received upto 2nd March, 2009. However, wherever DTFCs have not been setup, they should not be setup/constituted till elections are over and thereby the processing of applications in such areas may also not be taken up till elections are over. A copy of Election Commission of India letter no. 437/6/27/2009-CCRRF dated 26th March, 2009 is enclosed for further necessary action and to communicate the above decision to all the District Magistrates/Collectors requesting them to hold the meetings of the District Task Force Committee to clear the pending applications with them in accordance with the decision of EC.

3. I request you to please impress upon all the implementing agencies and banks to make more vigorous efforts to achieve the targets under PMEGP for 2008-09. Details of action taken in this regard may please be endorsed to this Ministry.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Sesh Kumar Pulipaka)

End: Copy of EC letter dated 26.03.2009

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No. 437/6/27/2009-CC&BE

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New Delhi


Subject: - Applicability of Model Code of Conduct - Prime Minister’s Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP) - Regarding.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.4(83) (1)/2007-KVI dated 19th March, 2009 on the subject cited, I am directed to state that the Commission has decided that wherever the DTFCs have been constituted before 2nd March, 2009 such DTFCs may continue to process the applications received upto 2nd March, 2009. However, wherever DTFCs have not been setup, they should not be setup/constituted till elections are over and thereby the processing of applications in such areas may also not be taken up till elections are over.

Yours faithfully,

(K. AJAY KUMAR)
SECRETARY