

1. An Empowered Committee has been constituted by the Ministry of Power under the chairmanship of Member, CERC. The Other Members of the Committee are Member (Power System) and Member (E&C) from the CEA, representative from the Planning Commission, the CTU and two experts from the power sector. The functions of the Empowered Committee are:

- (a) To identify project to be developed under the Scheme.
- (b) To facilitate evaluation of bids.
- (c) To facilitate development of projects under this Scheme.

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