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Dear Sir,

Conference on
"Open Access"

- *Vision for Competitive Power Market in India* -

17th Feb 2009 - ASSOCHAM House - 47 Prithviraj Road, Opp. Safdarjung Tomb - New Delhi

As a major initiative to promote competition in the power sector so as to offer consumers an option of providing power at competitive rates, the Electricity Act 2003 has enabling provisions in the form of Open Access to transmission and distribution networks. A critically important change that the act sought to encourage was replacing the present single - buyer model to multi - buyer model.

Despite some progress in open access rules, the benefits of it are yet to be realized to the fullest extent. However, open access has been recognized by the Electricity Act as one of the most important instrument for transforming the power sector.

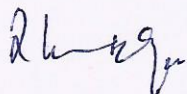
In order to discuss various issues associated with the development and implementation of open access rules, ASSOCHAM is organizing a Conference on "Open Access - Vision for Competitive Power Market in India" at 9.30 AM on 17th February 2009 at ASSOCHAM House, 47 Prithviraj Road in New Delhi.

In view of the major contemporary relevance of the Conference, we would highly value and appreciate participation from your organization. A nominal delegate fee of Rs. 1,000/- per participant has been kept to defray a part of the organization cost. Conference details are enclosed for your kind reference and use.

We look forward to your active participation.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,



(Kalyan Mukherjee)
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Enclosure