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NTPC Limited
(A Govt. of India Enterprise)

दर्लिपाली / Darlipali

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To,
Deputy Director General of Forests (C),
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
Integrated Regional Office A/3, Chandersekharpur,
Bhubaneswar – 751023

Sub: Submission of Half Yearly Compliance Report for Environmental Clearance of NTPC Darlipali Super Thermal Power Project, Stage-I (2x800 MW) of NTPC Ltd. for the period of Oct,2023 to March,2024.

Ref: EC Letter No. J-13012/65/2008-IA.II (T) dated 17.02.2014.

Dear Sir,

Please find herewith enclosed the Half Yearly EC Compliance Status Report for the Period Oct, 2023 to 31.03.2024 for Darlipali Super Thermal Power Project (NTPC LTD) (2x800 MW) Dist-Sundargarh (Odisha).

The above is submitted for kind information Please.

Thanking You,

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2. The Member Secretary, State Pollution Control Board-Odisha

3. Parivesh Bhawan, A/118, Nilakanth Nagar, Unit-VIII, Bhubneshwar, RO, OSPCB, Rourkela. Odisha

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HALF YEARLY ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE REPORT (Oct,2023 to March,2024)

COMPLIANCE STATUS OF ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE CONDITIONS

Vide Letter No. J- 13012/65/2008-IA. II (T) Dated 17th February 2014

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A. Spe	cific Conditions:	
(i)	Vision document specifying prospective plan for the site shall be formulated and submitted to the Regional Office of the Ministry within six months.	NTPC vide its letter dated 19.02.2014 has submitted a Project Vision Document to the Regional Office of Ministry of Environment and Forest & Climate Change (MoEF&CC) at Bhubaneswar.
(ii)	Scheme for implementation for harnessing solar power within the premises of the plant particularly at available roof tops shall be formulated and status of implementation shall be submitted periodically to the Regional Office of the Ministry from time to time.	Roof top solar system is functioning in 11 building roofs out of 13 building roofs.
(iii)	Provision for installation of FGD shall be provided for future use.	Unit#2: FGD commission on 24.01.2024 Unit-1: FGD erection in progress (Target:30.09.2024)
(iv)	Coal transportation to plant site shall be undertaken by rail and no road transportation shall be permitted.	Maximum Coal is being transported through rail from Dulanga Coal mine (NTPC-MGR network). In addition to above, coal from NLC- Talabira, MCL-Kulda mines and Talaipali (NTPC mine) is being transported in small quantity.
(v)	Fly ash shall not be used for mine void filling or for agricultural purpose.	It is being complied.
(vi)	A detailed study on chemical composition particularly heavy metal and radio activity contents shall be carried out through a reputed institute and	A detailed study on chemical composition of coal used particularly heavy metal has been done by NIT Rourkela and report submitted to regional



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	report shall be submitted to Regional Office of the Ministry. Only after ascertaining its radioactive level shall fly ash be utilized for brick manufacturing or supplied to brick manufacturers.	office of OSPCB, Rourkela.
(vii)	The project proponent shall carry out a long-term R & D on Boiler efficiency vis-à-vis large variation on ash content of coal and submit its findings to the Ministry at a later stage.	Coal supply to Darlipali is from single source i.e. IB area. So there is no variation in ash content. After start of Coal Supply through Indian Railways from different source, variation in ash content shall be observed
(viii)	The two stacks of 275m height with flue gas velocity not less than 22 m/s shall be installed and provided with continuous online monitoring equipments for SO _X , NO _X , and PM _{2.5} & PM ₁₀ . Mercury emissions from stack may also be monitored on periodic basis.	A bi-flue stack of 275 meters has been installed. Also, the exit velocity of 22 m/sec is being maintained. Continuous online stack monitoring facility for measurement of particulate matter (PM), SO ₂ , NO _x & Mercury emissions from stack are being done.
(ix)	High Efficiency Electrostatic Precipitators (ESPs) shall be installed to ensure that particulate emission does not exceed 50 mg/Nm ³ .	Precipitators (ESPs) are designed with efficiency of 99.93
(x)	Adequate dust extraction system such as cyclones/ bag filters and water spray system in dusty areas such as in coal handling and ash handling points, transfer areas and other vulnerable dusty areas shall be provided.	Adequate no. of dry fog dust suppression and extraction system are being provided in coal handling area including coal stock yard area, ash handling points, transfer areas and other vulnerable dusty areas for control of fugitive dust emissions.
(xi)	Utilization of 100% Fly Ash generated shall be made from	In order to achieve 100% fly ash utilization, NTPC Darlipali has



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	4th year of operation. Status of implementation shall be reported to the Regional Office of the Ministry from time to time.	started issuing Fly Ash to, NHAI, PWD & filling of low lying area and stone quarries. Ash is also being transported to Dulanga mines for Fly ash-OB mix pilot project. Approx. 24.01 LMT fly ash has been utilized in FY-23-24. The same is expected to rise progressively in the forthcoming years.
(xii)	High concentration slurry disposal systems shall be adopted.	The project is designed to adopt High Concentration Slurry Disposal (HCSD) for disposal of fly ash. HCSD system for both Units are in operation.
(xiii)	Fly ash shall be collected in dry form and storage facility (silos) shall be provided. Unutilized fly ash shall be disposed off in the ash pond in the form of slurry form. Mercury and other heavy metals (As, Hg, Cr, Pb etc.) will be monitored in the bottom ash as also in the effluents emanating from the existing ash pond. No ash shall be disposed off in low lying area.	An ash management scheme is being implemented. Erection of 04 no. of DAES silos are under progress for storage and supply of fly ash through road and rails to the maximum extent. Unutilized fly ash of Unit-1 & 2 is presently being disposed off in the ash pond in the form of High Concentration slurry through HCSD lines.
(xiv)	Ash pond shall be lined with HDPE/LDPE lining or any other suitable impermeable media such that no leachate takes place at any point of time adequate safety measures shall also be implemented to protect the ash dyke from getting breached. Ash pond water shall be re-circulated and utilized.	_



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		taking into consideration of the seismic parameters.
(xv)	Sulphur and ash contents in the coal to be used in the project shall not exceed 0.5 % and 34 % respectively at any given time. In case of variation of coal quality at any point of time fresh reference shall be made to the Ministry for suitable amendments to environmental clearance condition wherever necessary.	The said stipulation is being complied.
(xvi)	Hydrogeology of the area shall be reviewed annually from an institute /organization of repute to assess impact of surface water and ground regime (especially around ash dyke). in case any deterioration is observed specific mitigation measures shall be undertaken and reports/ data of water quality monitored regularly and maintained shall be submitted to the Regional Office of the Ministry.	Hydrogeological study of the project area including ash dyke area has been conducted through National Institute of Hydrology (NIH), Roorkee. Annual review of Hydrology is under progress. Draft Report is ready final report is awaited. After completion of the study same shall be submitted to MOEF&CC
(xvii)		No ground water has been extracted and shall not be extracted for use in operation of the power plant even in lean season.
(xviii)	No water bodies (including natural drainage system) in the area shall be disturbed due to activities associated with the setting up/operation of the power plant.	No water body including natural drainage system of the area has been disturbed due to activities associated with the setting up of the power plant.
(xix)	Minimum required environmental flow suggested by the Competent Authority of the State Govt. shall be maintained in the Channel/	It is being maintained as per DOWR, Odisha.



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	Rivers (as applicable) even in lean season.	
(xx)	Land and water requirement shall be restricted as per latest CEA norms issued.	Land and water requirement has been restricted as per the CEA norms.
(xxi)	COC of 5.0 shall be adopted. Closed cycle cooling system with cooling towers shall be adopted.	COC of 5.0 has been adopted.
(xxii)	Regular monitoring of ground water level shall be carried out by establishing a network of existing wells and constructing new piezometers. Monitoring around the ash pond area shall be carried out particularly for	Adequate (18 nos) of piezometers, settlement marker has been installed for regular monitoring of ground water level in and around ash pond area as per stipulation.
	heavy metals (Hg, Cr, As, Pb) and records maintained and submitted to the Regional Office of this Ministry. The data so obtained should be compared with the baseline data so as to ensure that the ground water quality is not adversely affected due to the project.	Monitoring around the ash pond area is being carried out particularly for heavy metals (Hg, Cr, As, Pb) and records maintained and submitted to SPCB on monthly basis.
(xxiii)	Monitoring surface water quality in the area shall also be regularly conducted and records maintained. The monitored data shall be submitted to the Ministry regularly. Further, monitoring points shall be located between the plant and drainage in the direction of flow of ground water and records maintained. Monitoring for heavy metals in ground water shall be undertaken.	Monitoring of Surface water in the areas is being carried out regularly as per stipulations and reports is being submitted to State Pollution Control Board. Heavy metal monitoring in ground water are also undertaken and results is being submitted monthly.
(xxiv)	Waste water generated from the plant shall be treated before discharge to comply limits prescribed by the SPCB.	An effluent management scheme (Effluent Treatment Plant-ETP, Sewage Treatment Plant- STP and Coal Slurry Settling pit-CSSP) is functional and the



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		wastewater is being treated as per the prescribed statutory standards of OSPCB/CPCB. Darlipali STPP, Stage-I has been designed with Zero Liquid Discharge (ZLD) system. ZLD is under operation.
(xxv)	The project proponent shall undertake rain water harvesting measures and shall develop water storage for use in operation of the plant. Rain Water harvesting system shall be put in place which shall comprise of rain water collection from the built up and open area in the plant premises. Action plan for implementation shall be submitted to the Regional Office of the Ministry within six months.	Rainwater harvesting study has been conducted and final report has been submitted to CGWB. As per study report, Rain water harvesting structures are being constructed. Eleven water recharge pits constructed in township area.
(xxvi)	Additional soil for leveling of the proposed site shall be generated within the sites (to the extent possible) so that natural drainage system of the area is protected and improved.	All the soil & earth material is being utilized within the plant premises only.
(xxvii)	At-least three nearest village shall be adopted and basic amenities like development of roads, drinking water supply, primary health centre, primary school etc shall be developed in co-ordination with the district administration.	& Chuabahal) have been adopted. Works for these villages are being carried out as per the request of district administration / local MLA/MP,
		All infrastructure development works like development of Roads, drinking water supply, etc, as outlined in detail are being taken care as per the requirement and recommendation of district administration.



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(xxviii)	The project proponent shall also adequately contribute to the development of the neighboring villages. Special package with implementation schedule for providing potable drinking water supply in the nearby villages and schools shall be undertaken in a time bound manner.	district), Tileimal, Niktimal, Chichinda, Kechobahal,
(xxix)	CSR scheme shall be undertaken based on need based assessment in and	(i) Under ICD activities Rs.42.24 crores has been spent on various development
	around the villages within 5 km of the site and in constant consultation with the village	activities as per request from villagers. (ii) Under ICD Rs. 10.00 crore



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	Panchayat and the District Administration. As part of CSR employment of local youth after imparting relevant training as may be necessary shall be undertaken as committed.	collector Sundargarh for face lifting of District Head



works at an estimated cost of Rs.10.5 crores. Out of this work of RS.9.00 crores have been completed. Rest works are in progress. (viii) During 2020-21, 23 projects were identified with an estimate of Rs.1.80 Crore. Rs.0.90 Cr has been deposited for aforesaid projects. (ix) Some of the projects are completed. On receipt of UC Rs.38.50 Lakhs has been deposited against 1.80 Crore For technical skill development training to project affected youths, we have imparted skill development training to 112 persons at CIPET, Bhubaneswar. Stitching & Tailoring Training has been conducted in resettlement colony, Raidihi and Darlipali Villages. Around 127 village women were Completed the training. 45 Farmers were given training on Modern Farming. Two SHGs (27 members) were given training for Mushroom farming. NTPC, Darlipali has sponsored 15 PAP candidates for two year ITI courses at CIPET, Bhubaneswar with an estimated cost of 32.00 Lakhs. 2nd batch for 13 Candidates are sponsored for two year ITI courses (2021—23) at CIPET, Bhubaneswar with an estimated cost of Rs. 29.75 Lakhs and 3rd batch of 21 candidates (FY-22-23) have been sponsored with a total cost of Rs.58 Lakhs.



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		around 39 Projects with an est of Rs.2.39 Crore. In consultation with District administration, local MLA & MP villagers, Sarpanch, etc. to improve the living standard of people in the local area.
		BiG Ticket Activities 1. Medical College and Hospital at Sundargarh with an Budget of Rs. 417.77 Crore. Presently, the same is ready for Handing over to Govt. for running of Medical College & Hospital. 2. Rs.45.00 Crore has been deposited with Executive Engineer, PHD, Jharsuguda for the project work Supply of Drinking water to Brajrajnagar, Belpahar & Jharsuguda Municipality. 3. Construction of Polytechnic at Darlipali with an cost of 25.00 Crore. The same work started recently.
(xxx)	Rights of tribals and others, whose sustenance is dependent on the land (if any) falling in the project area, shall be identified and protected in accordance with existing laws.	Tribals residing in project area have been identified and are
(xxxi)	An amount of Rs 46.0 Crores shall be earmarked as one-time capital cost for CSR programme as committed by the project proponent. Subsequently a recurring expenditure of Rs 9.10 Crores per annum till the life of the plant shall be earmarked as recurring expenditure for CSR activities. Details of the activities to be	A requisite fund has been earmarked for implementing CSR-CD activities for the project and shall be utilized in accordance with the said stipulations. Rs. 46 Crore budget till COD Rs. 46 Crore budget till COD has been identified in the R&R Plan approved by



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	undertaken shall be submitted within six month along with road map for implementation.	RPDAC. • Stipulated expenditure of Rs. 9.10 CSR Per annum will be spent after COD as per this stipulation
		Till date developmental Infra/ Welfare projects of Rs. 47.67 crore has been identified. Against this Rs.40.81 crore funds have been deposited. Out of this, works worth 35.57 crore have been completed. Rest works are in progress.
(xxxii)	It shall be ensured that an inbuilt monitoring mechanism for the CSR schemes identified is in place and annual social audit shall be got done from the nearest government institute of repute in the region. The project proponent shall also submit the status of implementation of the scheme from time to time. The achievements should be put on company's website.	 Progress of development works is being monitored by RPDAC through SDPDS / JDPDS.
(xxxiii)	Green Belt consisting of 3 tiers of plantations of native species around plant not less than 100m width shall be raised (except in areas not feasible). The density of trees shall not less than 2500per ha with survival rate not less than 80%. Additional green belt of appropriate density and width not less than 50 m at-least, shall be developed between the ash pond and the village facing	 Around 390 acres of land has been envisaged for the green belt. Green Belt around the Main Plant area and Township area are being planted. Extensive Afforestation are being undertaken at all available spaces in and around project. Avenue Plantation along the Road has been done.



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	the ash pond.	For green belt development, plantation through Odisha State Forest Development Corporation (OFDC) has been done. In the financial Year 2021-22 proposal for plantation of 25000 trees have been completed by CGRVVNL and proposal for another 30000 trees through Miyawaki method has been awarded to CGVVN LTD. The work is in progress. Till date more than 193 acres out of 390 acres of green belt area has been developed.
(xxxiv)	An Environmental Cell shall be created preferably at the project site itself and shall be headed by an officer of appropriate superiority and qualification. It shall be ensured that the Head of the Cell shall directly report to the head of the organization.	An Environment Management Group (EMG) has been set up at Darlipali STPP. The EMG is responsible for implementing and monitoring the stipulations. EMG are having sufficient trained manpower and equipment for environmental monitoring and other environmental related activities to ensure compliance with statutory requirements. It interacts regularly with the State Pollution Control.
B. Gene	eral Conditions	
(i)	The treated effluents conforming to the prescribed standards only shall be recirculated and reused within the plant. Arrangements shall be made that effluents and storm water do not get mixed.	The project is having an integrated scheme for treatment, re-cycle and re use of effluents and shall operate on a near zero liquid discharge system. Provision is being kept to re-circulate cooling water and ash pond effluent. The cooling tower blow down is being used fully for ash handling, service water system, coal handling & fire fighting.
		The effluent treatment system comprising of neutralization pit



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		for DM plant regeneration waste, oil separator/skimmers for oily waste, coal slurry settling pond for coal handling plant effluents, lamella clarifier for service water effluents and cooling towers for hot water etc, have been provided. The effluents will be treated adequately and discharged through CMB. The treated effluent conforms to the stipulated regulatory standards. Effluent Treatment Plant (ETP), Coal Slurry settling pond (CSSP), construction is completed. ZLD system is under operation.
(ii)	A sewage treatment plant shall be provided (as applicable) and the treated sewage shall be used for raising green belt/plantation.	All domestic sewage emanating from township is being treated in Sewage Treatment Plant(STP). The treated sewage conforming to prescribed standards is being utilized for plantation & raising greenbelt.
(iii)	Adequate safety measures shall be provided in the plant area to check/minimize spontaneous fires in coal yard, especially during summer season. Copy of these measures with full details along with location plant layout shall be submitted to the Ministry as well as to the Regional Office of the Ministry.	Hydrant system for covering the entire power station including all the auxiliaries and buildings in the plant area are being implemented. The system has been completed with piping, hydrants, valves, instrumentation, hoses, nozzles, hose boxes/stations etc.
(iv)	Storage facilities for auxiliary liquid fuel such as LDO/HFO/LSHS shall be made in the plant area in consultation with department of Explosives, Nagpur; Sulphur content in the liquid fuel will not exceed 0.5%. Disaster Management Plan shall be prepared to meet any eventuality in case of an	Storage facilities for auxiliary liquid fuel LDO are designed conforming to the safety standards and where risk is minimal. A detailed Disaster Management Plan has been prepared by Disaster Management Institute, Bhopal. DMP has been displayed in Darlipali intranet. Mock drill is



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	accident taking place due to storage of oil.	being conducted every fortnightly by CISF (Fire Wing).
(v)	First Aid and sanitation arrangements shall be made for the drivers and other contract workers during construction phase.	 Adequate infrastructure facilities, such as sanitation, restroom, medical facilities,
(vi)	Noise levels emanating from	hospitals. Design specification for the
	turbines shall be limited to 85 dB (A) from source. For people working in the high noise area, requisite personal protective equipment like ear plugs/ear muffs etc. shall be provided. Workers engaged in noisy areas such as turbine area, air compressors etc shall be	equipments has been made to comply with the stipulation. Personal protective equipment has been arranged through contractors during construction phase. Periodic examination of workers is being done as stipulated. The workers of generator halls



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	periodically examined to maintain audiometric record and for treatment for any hearing loss including shifting to non noisy/less noisy areas.	and other high noise area are being provided with appropriate ear protection devices.
(vii)	Regular monitoring of ambient air ground level concentration of SO2, NOx, PM _{2.5} & PM ₁₀ and Hg shall be carried out in the impact zone and record maintained. If at any stage these levels are found to exceed the prescribed limits, necessary control measures shall be provided immediately. The location of the monitoring stations and frequency of monitoring shall be decided in consultation with SPCB. Periodic reports shall be submitted to the Regional office of this Ministry. The data shall also be put on the website of the company.	Regular monitoring of AAQ is being done of the plant. Six (6) no. of AAQMS equipment are functional at site. Presently environmental parameters are being transmitted to the OSPCB & CPCB on real time basis Additionally, strengthening of data transmission through leased line has been completed. The location of the monitoring stations and frequency of monitoring has been decided in consultation with SPCB.
(viii)	Provision shall be made for the housing of construction labor (as applicable) within the site with all necessary infrastructures and facilities such as fuel for cooking, mobile toilets, mobile STP, safe drinking water, medical health care, crèche etc. The housing may be in the form of temporary structure to be removed after the completion of the project.	contractor's scope. NTPC has constructed labour shed with required facilities within the site. The major agencies like L&T,TPL, SOMA etc. had been provided with adequate infrastructure facilities such as sanitation,
(ix)	The project proponent shall advertise in at least two local news papers widely circulated in the region around the project, one of which shall be in the vernacular language of the	The information of Environmental Clearance was published in Two news papers widely circulated in the region;



the project has been accorded environmental clearance and copies of clearance letter are available with the State Pollution Control Board/Committee and may seen at Website of the Ministry of Environment and Forests at http://envfor.nic.in. (x) A copy of the clearance letter shall be sent by the proponent to concerned Panchayat, Zila parishad/ Municipal Corporation, urban local body and the Local NGO, if any, from whom suggestions/representations, if any, received while processing the proposal. The clearance letter shall also be put on the website of the Company by the proponent. (xi) The proponent shall upload the status of compliance of the stipulated environmental clearance conditions, including results of monitored data on their website and shall update the same periodically. It shall simultaneously be sent to the Regional Office of MOEF, the respective Zonal Office of CPCB and the SPCB. The criteria pollutant levels namely; SPM, RSPM (PM2.5 & PM10), SO2, NOx (ambient levels as well as stack emissions) shall be displayed at a convenient location near the main gate of the company in	SI No	MOEF STIPULATION	STATUS AS ON 31.03.2024
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the public domain.	(xi)	The proponent shall upload the status of compliance of the stipulated environmental clearance conditions, including results of monitored data on their website and shall update the same periodically. It shall simultaneously be sent to the Regional Office of MOEF, the respective Zonal Office of CPCB and the SPCB. The criteria pollutant levels namely; SPM, RSPM (PM _{2.5} & PM ₁₀), SO ₂ , NO _x (ambient levels as well as stack emissions) shall be displayed at a convenient location near the	Compliance(HYC) status report of the stipulated environmental clearance conditions is regularly being submitted to the Regional Office (Eastern Zone) of MOEF&CC at Bhubaneswar and at the same time being uploaded on the NTPC website of the company as per the stipulation. The display of ambient air quality in terms of PM ₁₀ , PM _{2.5} , SO ₂ and NOx is being displayed in the Videowall at main gate of



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	each financial year ending 31st March in Form-V as is mandated to be submitted by the project proponent to the concerned State Pollution Control Board as prescribed under the Environment (protection) Rules, 1986, as amended subsequently, shall also be put on the website of the company along with the status of compliance of environmental clearance conditions and shall also be sent to the respective Regional Offices of the Ministry by email.	
(xiii)	The project proponent shall submit six monthly reports on the status of the implementations of the stipulated environmental safeguards to the Ministry of Environment and Forests, its Regional Office, Central Pollution Control Board and State Pollution Control Board. The project proponent shall upload the status of compliance of the environment of the environmental clearance conditions on their website and update the same periodically and simultaneously send the same by email to Regional office, Ministry of Environment and Forests.	Six monthly progress reports for the period Oct 2023 to March,2024 is being submitted herewith.
(xiv)	Regional office of the Environment & Forests will monitor the implementation of the stipulated conditions. A complete set of documents	l <u> </u>



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	Environment Management plan along with the additional information submitted from time to time shall be forwarded to the Regional Office for their use during monitoring. Project	Bhubaneswar.
	proponent will up-load the compliance status in their website and up-date the same from time to time at least sixmonthly basis. Criteria pollutants levels including NOx	Compliance status is being uploaded in company website on half-yearly basis.
	(from stack & ambient air) shall be displayed at the main gate of the power plant.	Pollutant levels are displayed in
(xv)	Separate funds shall be allocated for implementation of environmental protection measures along with item – wise break –up. These cost shall be included as part of the project cost. The funds earmarked for the environment protection measures shall not be diverted for other purpose and year-wise expenditure should be reported to the ministry.	measures have been included in the project cost. Financial provision stipulated towards
(xvi)	The project authorities shall inform the Regional Office as well as the Ministry regarding the date of financial closure and final approval of the project by the concerned authorities and the dates of start of land development work and commissioning of plant.	It is being complied.
(xvii)	Full cooperation shall be extended to the Scientists/officers from the Ministry / Regional Office of the Ministry/ CPCB /SPCB who would be monitoring the compliance of environmental	Full cooperation is being extended to the Scientists / officers from the Ministry / Regional Office of the Ministry at Bhubaneswar/ the CPCB / the SPCB during monitoring of the project.



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5.	status. The Ministry of Environment and Forests reserves the right to revoke the clearance if conditions stipulated are not implemented to the satisfaction of the Ministry. The Ministry may also impose additional environmental conditions of modify the existing ones, if necessary.	Noted.
6.	The environmental clearance accorded shall be valid for a period of 5 years to start operations by the power plant.	Noted.
7.	Concealing factual data or submission of false/fabricated data and failure to comply with any of the conditions mentioned above may result in withdrawal of this clearance and attract action under the provisions of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.	Noted.
8.	In case of any deviation or alteration in the project proposed including coal transportation system from those submitted to this Ministry for clearance, a fresh reference should be made to the Ministry to assess the adequacy of the condition(s) imposed and to add additional environmental protection measures required, if any.	Noted.
9.	The above stipulations would be enforced among others under the water (prevention and Control of pollution) Act, 1974, the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act,1981, the Environment (Protection)	Noted.



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	Act,1986 and rules there under, Hazardous Wastes (Management, Handling & Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2008 and its amendments, the public Liability Insurance Act, 1991 and its amendments.	
10.	Any appeal against this Environmental Clearance shall lie with the National Green Tribunal, if preferred, within 30 days as prescribed under Section 16 of the National Green Tribunal Act, 2010.	Noted.