Memo no.: 632-WPBA/Red(Prl)/Cont(58)/03/Part-V  Date: 12/09/2014

**DIRECTION**

To
M/s. Santaldih Thermal Power Station (STPS)
P.O.- Santaldih TP, PS Santalih,
Dist.- Purulia, Pin – 723 146

**Ref:** 1. Direction issued vide Memo No. 189/233/WPB/O&E/2013, dated 07.02.2014

Sirs,

Your industry was directed by the State Board vide Order No. 189/233/WPB/O&E/2013, dated 07.02.2014 to comply with the following conditions:

1. To take necessary corrective measures to avoid occurrence of such oil spill incidence in future.

2. To install additional oil catch pits at Power House of Unit Nos. #5 & #6 within a period of six months.

3. To install clariflocculator within a period of six months at individual power houses to minimize bottom ash slurry discharge through Guard pond and to recycle the water in ash slurry preparation.

4. To construct a new three stage Guard pond within six months.

5. Take necessary measures so that the oil contained in the idle transformers at decommissioned units shall be taken out and stored in environmentally safe manner to prevent oil spillage in future.

6. To take necessary measures so that the quality of oil contained in the idle transformers is checked prior to sale or disposal of it in order to ensure its characteristics (waste oil or used oil) as per the Hazardous Waste (Management, Handling & Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2008 and its amendments thereafter.

7. To always operate the air pollution control devices efficiently so as to comply with the particulate emission standard and take adequate measures to prevent spreading of ash in the surrounding locality.
It is observed from the report of inspection conducted by Board’s official on 24.07.2014 that your industry has not yet complied with the conditions mentioned in Sl. No. 2 to 5 of the Direction issued by the State Board dated 07.02.2014.

In view of the above, you are hereby informed that your appeal dated 26.04.2014 for waiving of Bank Guarantee of Rs. 5,00,000/- (Rupees Five Lakhs) imposed on your industry by the State Board vide Direction dated 07.02.2014 has not been considered by the competent authority of the Board.

You are therefore, directed to comply with all the conditions issued vide above Direction immediately and also submit the Bank Guarantee amount of Rs. 5,00,000/- (Rupees Five Lakhs) only, valid for twelve [12] months within fifteen [15] days from the date of issuance of this order in favour of the WEST BENGAL POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-
Chief Engineer (O&E Cell)