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Dated: 10th September, 2014

To

M/s NTPC Ltd., NTPC Bhawan, SCOPE Complex, 7, Industrial Area, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003.

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Sub: 2x500 MW (Stage-I) Mauda Thermal Power Project at District Nagpur, Maharashtra by M/s NTPC Ltd - reg. Extension of validity of EC.

Sir,

This has reference to your letter dated 11.06.2014 requesting the Ministry for extension of the validity of Environmental Clearance, which was accorded on 25.01.2008, based on the fact that against the 2x500 MW TPP, one unit was commissioned on 19.04.2012 and other on 29.03.2013. The matter has been examined in the Ministry. It is to clarify that the date for commissioning of both the Units has to be reckoned with the date on which the first Unit was commissioned which in this case was within the validity period of EC. Hence, there is no necessity for re-validation of EC.

This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

Scientist F

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The Member Secretary, Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, Kalpataru Point, 3<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Floors, Sion Matunga Scheme Road No. 6, Opp. cinc Planet, Sion Circle, Sion (E), Mumbai – 400 022 – for information.

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