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Dear Sir,

Re : Media Release regarding boiler light up of 2nd Unit of 600 MW(2X300 MW)power plant at Butibori Nagpur

This is to inform you that the boiler has been successfully lighted up at the 2nd Unit of the 600 MW (2X300 MW)capacity power plant at Butibori, Nagpur Dist of Maharashtra, which is being developed by the Company's Wholly Owned Subsidiary, Vidarbha Industries Power Limited.

A copy of the media release issued in this connection is attached, which you will find self explanatory.

We would request you to inform your members accordingly.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully
For **Reliance Power Limited**

Ramaswami Kalidas
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Encl.: As above

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MEDIA RELEASE

BOILER LIGHT UP ACHIEVED FOR SECOND UNIT OF 600 MW BUTIBORI THERMAL POWER PROJECT, MAHARASHTRA

FIRST 300 MW UNIT HAS ALREADY BEEN COMMISSIONED

ENTIRE 600 MW TO BE OPERATIONAL BY END OF 2012

AT ₹ 3600 CRORE BUTIBORI IS ONE OF THE LARGEST INVESTMENTS IN THE STATE OF MAHARASHTRA

AMONG THE MOST COMPACT THERMAL PLANTS IN THE COUNTRY

Mumbai, October 1st, 2012: Reliance Power has announced the Boiler light up for the second of two units of its 600 MW Butibori Thermal Power Project near Nagpur in Maharashtra. Power generated from the plant will help reduce demand supply gap in Maharashtra.

The Boiler light up for the second unit of the plant has been done in 22 months from start of boiler erection. With the commissioning of this unit by end of the year end, full capacity of 600 MW will be available from this plant.

The investment of over ₹ 3600 crore in the Butibori plant represents one of the biggest investments in Maharashtra. The plant is among the compact sized thermal plants in the country with its 600 MW capacity requiring no more than 275 acres of plant land.

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Mr.J.P.Chalsani, the Chief Executive Officer of Reliance Power said: "Reliance Power continues to create benchmarks and Butibori demonstrates our expertise and experience in building large-scale power projects. Also with the commencement of production from Sasan coal mines we are well on track to emerge as the largest integrated private sector power and resource company.

About Reliance Power:

Reliance Power Limited, a part of the Reliance Group, is India's leading private sector power generation company. The company has the largest portfolio of power projects in the private sector based on coal, gas, hydro and renewable energy, with an operating portfolio of 1,540 megawatts. The company also has the largest captive coal reserves in the private sector, estimated at two billion tonnes. Besides, the company is developing three coal mines in Indonesia and is also developing coal bed methane based generation capacity.

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