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Dear Sir,

The operations at our Durgapur Cement Units have been affected on account of severe 'Tornado' on 13th October, 2013, which damaged local High Tension line and pole structure. Damodar Valley Corporation along with the Company has initiated necessary action for restoration of power supply and it is expected that the supply will resume in 10-12 days time. The production of cement can be resumed only after the restoration of power supply.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully  
For **BIRLA CORPORATION LIMITED**

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**(GIRISH SHARMA)**  
Sr. Vice-President (Indirect Taxes)  
& Company Secretary

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