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Limited Review Report for the Quarter and Nine months ended

December 31, 2012

To
The Board of Directors,
The State Trading Corporation of India Ltd.
New Delhi.

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- 1. We have reviewed the accompanying statement of unaudited financial results of the State Trading Corporation of India Ltd. (the Company) for the quarter and nine months ended 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2012. This statement is the responsibility of the Company's Management and has been approved by the Board of Directors. Our responsibility is to issue a report on this financial statement based on our review.
- 2. We conducted our review in accordance with the Standard on Review Engagement (SRE) 2400, Engagements to Review financial Statements issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. This standard requires that we plan and perform the review to obtain moderate assurance as to whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. A review is limited primarily to inquiries of company personnel and analytical procedures applied to financial data and thus provide less assurance than an audit. We have not performed an audit and accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.
- 3. Attention is drawn to Note No. 3 of the accompanying statement of unaudited financial results regarding writing-off overdue import/export receivables of Rs. 96.15 Crore and withdrawal of Rs.95.96 Crore from Export/Import Contingency Reserve during the quarter ended 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2012 with an objective to set off such losses. Had such losses not been met from the Export/Import Contingency Reserve of the company there would have been loss of Rs 85.79 Crores (before tax) instead of Rs 10.17 Crore (before tax) profit for the nine months ended 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2012 and EPS would have been (-) Rs14.78 instead of Rs 1.21 for the nine months ended 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2012.
- 4. Based on our review conducted as above, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying statement of unaudited financial results prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards and other recognized accounting practices and policies has not disclosed the information required to be disclosed in terms of Clause 41 of the Listing Agreement including the manner in which it is to be disclosed, or that it contains any material misstatement.

Place: New Delhi Date: 11.02.2013 For Chandiok & Guliani Chartered Accountants & GUFR No. 001199N

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