**Police Order No. 24 of 2011**

**Sub:- Disaster Management Group.**

A Disaster Management group has been formed in the state. It consists of three platoons located at SAP 6th Bn., Barrackpore, SAP 7th Bn. Asansol and SAP 4th Bn., Kasba. They have been imparted training at NISA (Hyderabad) & NDRF Bn. of BSF (at Bhadu, North 24 Parganas).

It has been found necessary to designate a Nodal officer for this group. The Nodal officer shall be in charge of the training & development of the group. He shall also be in-charge of the procurement & maintenance of all equipment which shall be required for effective functioning of the group. Thus, DIG (AP) Barrackpore is designated as the Nodal officer. Commandants of SAP 4th 6th& 7th Bn. Will designate one Inspector to be attached with the platoon. This Inspector will be responsible for day to day training and fitness of the Disaster Management Group and shall remain in direct touch with the DIG (AP) Barrackpore brief him on regular basis regarding preparedness and fitness to meet with any

challenge/disaster. The platoon located at 4th Bn. Kasba will be utilized for the North Bengal zone. Similarly, platoon located at 7th Bn. Asansol will be utilised for Western Zone of West Bengal and platoon located at SAP 6th Bn., Barrackpore will be utilised for the South Bengal Zone. Assistant Commandant Shri. Pabitra Ghosh of SAP 1st Bn. who has been imparted the said training at NISA, Hyderabad will act as a Coordinating Officer and shall brief the DIG, AP Barrackpore regularly and also pass on the instructions to the DMG Group given by the superior authority. The DMG Group will move only as per direction of the DIG, AP Barrackpore except for regular training. Administrative and welfare controls will remain with the COs.

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**Director General & Inspector General of Police**

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