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Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub.: PRESS RELEASE TITLED: "Bangladesh PM, Sheikh Hasina, Lays Foundation Stone for 200 MLD Pagla STP"

Ref.: Regulation 30 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015

Please find enclosed the subject Press Release being issued by the Company today, in continuation to our earlier intimation dated March 17, 2023.

This is for your information and records.

Thanking You,

Yours faithfully,

For VA TECH WABAG LIMITED

Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Encl.: As above

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Press Release
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Bangladesh PM, Sheikh Hasina, Lays Foundation Stone for 200 MLD Pagla STP

A Landmark Project by WABAG to Ensure Sustainable Sanitation for the People of Dhaka

July 14, 2023: The Honourable Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina laid the foundation stone for the 200 MLD Pagla Energy Neutral Sewage Treatment Plant on July 13, 2023. The event took place at the Bangabandhu International Conference Center (BICC), Agargaon, Dhaka and was attended by distinguished guests including Mr Md. Tazul Islam, MP, Hon'ble Minister - Ministry of Local Govt., Rural Development and Co-operatives, Mr Muhammad Ibrahim, Secretary - Local Govt. Division, Mr Taqsem A Khan, Managing Director & CEO - Dhaka WASA, Mr Yao Wen, Ambassador - Embassy of China to Bangladesh, Mr Rajiv Mittal, Chairman & Managing Director - VA TECH WABAG LIMITED and other dignitaries from World Bank and Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank.

WABAG received the breakthrough Design, Build and Operate (DBO) order of worth ~ USD 100 Million from Dhaka Water Supply & Sewerage Authority (Dhaka WASA) during March 2023. The scope includes Design, Engineering, Supply, Construction, Installation and Commissioning of the 200 MLD STP followed by Operation & Maintenance (O&M) for a period of 60 months. The project is funded by Multi-Lateral Funding Agencies - World Bank and Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) under Dhaka Sanitation Improvement Project (DSIP).

This project is being designed on Activated Sludge Treatment Process where it would use Green Fuel (Biogas) generated during the wastewater treatment process producing Green Energy required for running the plant. This process also meets the best in class Environmental norms

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and the production of Renewable Energy contributes to the cause of combating global climate

change.

Addressing the gathering, the Prime Minister of Bangladesh emphasized that the development

of such Power-neutral Sewage Treatment Plants will position Bangladesh as a leader in South and

South East Asia, promoting sustainability and addressing global climate change.

Commenting on this occasion, Mr Rajiv Mittal, CMD – VA TECH WABAG LIMITED said, "Being a

water technology company it has been our endeavour to promote innovative and sustainable

technologies for water and wastewater management that ensures improved water and sanitation

for people across the globe and aligns to SDG 06 Goals of the UN. The Pagla STP reinforces our

commitment by playing a crucial role assuring efficient treatment and discharge of treated

wastewater and thus will improve water quality of the Buriganga-Dhaleswari system. Also,

powered with resource recovery model, the STP will produce renewable energy from the biogas

to run the plants leading to lower OPEX.

WABAG is a leading player in the rejuvenation of River Ganga under the Clean Ganga Mission in

India. We are glad to be part of this river rejuvenation at Bangladesh too. The project will have a

positive impact on the water quality of Dhaka's rivers. It will significantly reduce the volume of

untreated wastewater and fecal sludge discharged into the rivers, contributing to the larger effort

to improve sanitation services in the city."

Mr. Arvind Dullu, Regional Business Head – South Asia said, "We are proud to be associated with

Government of Banqladesh's vision to provide clean and safe sanitation services to the citizens of

Dhaka. We are thankful to our client Dhaka WASA for the confidence they have reposed in us for

building the sustainable wastewater infrastructure for Dhaka."

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About WABAG: WABAG is a global leader in the water industry backed by rich experience spanning over 99 years. Being a pure-play water technology multinational, WABAG offers a complete range of technologies and services for Total Water Solutions in both Municipal and Industrial sectors. With over 1,600 water professionals, spread over 25 countries in 4 continents, WABAG is touching millions of lives every day. WABAG has built over 1,400 municipal and industrial plants in various geographies across the globe over the last 3 decades, with customized solutions matching to its customers' needs. WABAG is a complete life-cycle partner for building water and wastewater infrastructure covering Design, Engineering, Supply, Construction, Installation, Start up and Long-term Operational Management across various business models. With passion for innovation, WABAG is continuing its Research and Development initiatives from 3 dedicated R&D centers located in Switzerland, Austria, and India, and possesses over 125 IP Rights. WABAG's vision is aligned to the UNSDGs and ESG with special focus on conservation, optimization, recycling and reuse of resources, directed at addressing water challenges across the world. WABAG is thus one of the world's leading partners for investments in a future that is worth living.

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