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Dear Sir/Madam,

**Sub: Newspaper advertisement for Transfer of Equity Shares of the Company to Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF) Authority**

Please find enclosed the copies of the newspaper advertisement published on 21<sup>st</sup> December, 2023 in Business Standard (all editions) in English and Loksatta (Aurangabad Edition) in Marathi in respect of captioned subject.

This is submitted for your information and records.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,  
For Greaves Cotton Limited

Atindra Basu  
Group General Counsel & Company Secretary

Encl.: As above

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**Greaves Cotton Limited**

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# Accenture bets big on GenAI

Firm signed \$450 million of new bookings in the space for the first quarter

SHIVANI SHINDE  
Mumbai, 20 December

Amid an uncertain economic growth and slow IT spends, IT services and consulting firm Accenture's first quarter numbers in FY24 showed a significant pick up in generative AI (GenAI) spends.

The company reported that it signed \$450 million of new bookings in GenAI for the first quarter. This is a surge from the \$300 million signed in the whole of FY23.

"We continue to lead our industry in Gen AI — the great accelerator of reinvention — with over \$450 million in new bookings. Demand for GenAI continued to accelerate in Q1. For many of our clients, 2023 was a year of GenAI experimentation. We are now focusing on helping our clients in 2024 realise value at scale," said Julie Sweets, chair and chief executive officer (CEO), Accenture, during an analyst call post the earnings.

Sweets also said that the company will be looking at acquisitions to bolster its AI portfolio.

"We will be doubling our deeply skilled data and AI practitioners from 40,000 to 80,000, with an additional 5,000 practitioners as of Q1," she said. "Clients want to get out of the proof of concept segment and look at scale. The year 2024 will see a

## GROWING ADOPTION



■ Accenture announced \$3 billion investment in data and AI over 3 years

■ Part of this will go in training and acquiring AI capabilities

■ TCS in Q2FY24 said it has over 250 opportunities in pipeline and trained 100,000 employees in GenAI

■ Infosys has trained 40,000 employees and plans to train the entire company on this tech

■ Wipro announced an investment of \$1 billion over 3 years

■ The firm launched Wipro ai360, an AI-first ecosystem; will train 250,000 employees on AI

shift for our clients from experimentation to scale," added Sweets.

The growth trajectory in Q1 for GenAI is of significance for top IT services players, who are eyeing this segment as the next growth area.

During the Q2FY23 results, TCS had said that it has 250 opportunities in the pipeline. The management had stated that most of these are at PoC stage. Similarly, Infosys had stated that its genAI offering through Topaz platform is doing well in terms of acceptance among clients.

Accenture, while maintaining its full

year growth guidance, said that technology spending is increasing. However, the speed of increase is not as fast as in the last few years.

For Q1 of FY24 (company follows a September-August calendar), Accenture reported revenue of \$16.2 billion, up 3 per cent year-on-year (Y-o-Y). On a sequential basis, it reported a revenue growth of 1.23 per cent. For Q4 of FY23, revenue stood at \$16 billion.

In the US, new bookings during the quarter were at \$18.4 billion, an increase of 14 per cent.

## ANDROID PHONES FACE 3 ATTACKS PER MONTH

ANDROID SMARTPHONES FACE THREE ATTACKS PER MONTH ON AN AVERAGE, out of which 39 per cent are malware attacks, according to a cyber threat report released by Data Security Council of India and Quick Heal on Wednesday.

The report also gave numbers on threat detections, with over 400 million attacks getting detected in 2023.

Cryptojacking emerged as a significant threat, and the automobile industry experienced the highest number of detections, followed by the government and education sector, according to the report.



### THE TRENDS

■ Surat (15%) and Bengaluru (14%) report the highest number of malware attack detections

■ The automobile industry experiences the highest number of detections, followed by

the government and education sector

■ 50% of detections are associated with removable media and network drives

■ 25% of attacks result from clicking on malicious links in emails and websites

### KEY FINDINGS

Total detections Over 400 mn

Rate of threat detection: Over 761 per minute

Cryptojacking (emerging as significant threat): over 5.28 million detections in a year

Android detections 39% malwares, 32% adwares, 29% potentially unwanted apps

### TOP 3 HOTSPOTS (State-wise)



Source: India Cyber Threat Report 2023 by Seqrite and DSCI

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**NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS**

For transfer of equity shares of the Company to the Demat Account of Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF) Authority

This Notice is hereby given to shareholders of the Company pursuant to the provisions of Section 124(6) of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act') read with the Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Rules, 2016 ('the Rules'), as amended from time to time.

The Act and the Rules, amongst other matters, contain provisions for transfer of unpaid or unclaimed dividends to IEPF and transfer of shares, in respect of which dividend remain unpaid or unclaimed for seven consecutive years or more, to the Demat Account of the IEPF Authority. However, where there is a specific order of Court or Tribunal or Statutory Authority restraining any transfer of such shares and payment of dividend or where such shares are pledged or hypothecated under the provisions of the Depositories Act, 1996, the Company will not transfer such shares to IEPF Demat Account.

The due date for claiming interim dividend for financial year 2016-17 is 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2024. The Company has sent individual communication to the concerned shareholders at their registered address who have not claimed their interim dividend amount for the financial year 2016-17 and all subsequent years and consequently whose shares are liable to be transferred to IEPF by doing appropriate corporate action. The said information is available at the website of the Company at <http://www.greavescotton.com/investors>.

The concerned shareholders are therefore, requested to claim the uncashed dividends due to you by sending following documents to the Company at investorservices@greavescotton.com or to the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agent (RTA) at einward.ris@kfintech.com preferably by Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> March 2024, by providing Investor Service Request Form ISR - 1, Form ISR - 2, Form No. SH 13 (Nomination Form) duly filled as per the instructions stated therein along with the supporting documents including original cancelled cheque stating the name of Account holder in case of physical securities. Copy of the Client Master List is to be submitted in case of securities in electronic form.

The Investor Request Forms are available at the website of the Company at <http://www.greavescotton.com/investors> and at the website of our RTA at <https://ris.kfintech.com/clientservices/ISC>

As per SEBI norms outstanding payments will be credited directly to the KYC account if the folio is KYC Compliant. Payment can be made to shareholders holding shares in physical form if the folio is KYC compliant.

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The concerned shareholder(s) are further informed that all future benefits arising on such shares would also be transferred to the IEPF Authority.

The Shareholder(s) may note that in the event of transfer of their unclaimed dividends and shares to the IEPF Demat Account (including all benefits accruing on such shares, if any), the concerned shareholder(s) are entitled to claim the same from the IEPF Authority by submitting an online application in the prescribed e-Form IEPF-5, after obtaining entitlement letter from the Company, which is available on the website of the IEPF at [www.iepf.gov.in](http://www.iepf.gov.in) and thereafter sending the physical copy of the same duly signed (as per the specimen signature recorded with the Company) to the Company along with the required documents enumerated in e-Form IEPF-5.

In case if you have any queries or need any assistance in this regard, please contact:

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For Greaves Cotton Limited  
Sd/-  
Atindra Basu  
Group General Counsel & Company Secretary

Place: Mumbai  
Date: 20 December, 2023

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