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Dabur India Ltd.

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## Sub: Submission of Information under Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015- Update on letter dated 18.10.2023

Dear Sir/Madam,

Pursuant to provisions of Regulation 30 read with sub-para 8 of Para B of Part A of Schedule III of SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations"), as amended, we hereby submit the update on letter dated 18.10.2023 regarding litigation(s) pending in the United States of America, against Namaste Laboratories LLC ("Namaste"), Dermoviva Skin Essentials Inc. ("Dermoviva") and Dabur International Ltd. ("Dabur"), all of which are subsidiaries of Dabur India Limited.

We wish to inform that Dabur and Dermoviva have been dismissed as defendants in federal cases, which were consolidated as a Multi-District Litigation, also referred to as MDL, before the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois, for lack of personal jurisdiction as neither Dabur nor Dermoviva manufactured, marketed, distributed or sold hair relaxer products in the US. Hence, now only Namaste remains as a defendant in these cases along with many other industry players such as L'Oreal, SoftSheen/Carson, Luster Products Inc, Avion Industries, Inc.; PDC Brands (Parfums de Coeur, Ltd), Revion etc.

We wish to clarify that this lawsuit does not concern any Dabur brand or product and that Dabur India Limited is not a party to these suits. We further inform that the sale of hair relaxer products by Namaste forms less than 1% of the total consolidated turnover of Dabur India Limited.

We would like to reiterate that Namaste is confident on the safety of its products and believes that these lawsuits have no legal merits hence denies any liability and has retained counsel to defend it in these lawsuits as these allegations are based on unsubstantiated and incomplete study published in the journal of the National Institute of Health, which study has already been held to be redundant by the Cosmetic, Toiletry & Perfumery Association in the European Union. That said, Namaste has product liability insurance cover in place for any potential damages / claims and defense cost.

This is for your kind information and records.

Thanking You, You<mark>rs faithfully,</mark> For **Dabur India Limited** 

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