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The Department of Corporate Services

BSE Limited

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Sub: Regulation 30(1) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

We wish to bring to your kind notice that the Hon'ble Supreme Court vide its Order dated 20th August, 2018, concerning other assessees, had given a ruling in favour of the Income Tax Department (Revenue Authorities) wherein it had held that 100% deduction under Section 80-IC of the Income Tax Act, 1961 cannot be claimed beyond 5 years, even if "substantial expansion" is undertaken after the initial period of 5 years. As a result of the above ruling, in relation to the substantial expansion undertaken at its Rudrapur Unit, the Company recognized a provision for income tax of Rs 2,107 lakhs and interest thereon amounting to Rs 1000 lakhs, in the Financial year ended 31st December, 2018, which were approved by the Board of Directors at its meeting held on 18th February, 2019.

The Supreme Court has by its Order dated 20th February, 2019, now recalled its earlier judgment dated 20th August, 2018, by passing a ruling in favour of the assessees. In light of the above ruling, the Company is examining the impact on the provisions made by the Company.

Kindly take the same on your records.

Yours faithfully,

For Huhtamaki PPL Ltd.,

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