

21st November, 2018

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Sub: Intimation of Closure Directions for the Company's Thane Plant from Maharashtra Pollution Control Board - Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

Dear Sir/Madam,

The Company has on Tuesday, 20th November, 2018, end of business hours, received Closure Directions from Maharashtra Pollution Control Board (MPCB) for its manufacturing activities, within 72 hours and take all precautionary measures for safe closure, in relation to its Thane Plant, under Section 33(A) of Water (Prevention & Control Pollution) Act, 1974, and under Section 31 of the Air (Prevention & Control Pollution) Act, 1981, Hazardous & Other Waste (Management & Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016, alleging violation of Maharashtra Plastic and Thermocol Products (Manufacture, Usage, Sale, Transport, Handling and Storage) Notification dated 23rd March, 2018 and Maharashtra Non-Biodegradable Garbage (Control) Act, 2006.

The Company has filed a Writ Petition in the Bombay High Court on 21st November 2018, challenging and setting aside the Closure Direction.

The details required under Regulation 30 of the Listing Regulations read with SEBI Circular No. CIR/CFD/4/2015 dated 9th September 2015 are given in the enclosed annexure.

Please take the above information and annexure to the letter pursuant to the requirements of Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements), Regulations, 2015 on your records.

Yours Sincerely,

For Huhtamaki PPL Ltd.,


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Company Secretary & Head - Legal



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Annexure

Date of receipt of Closure Directions and name of the Authority which issued the said Directions	Tuesday, 20 th November, 2018, (End of business hours) Maharashtra Pollution Control Board (MPCB) Regional Office, Thane, 5 th Floor, Office Complex Bldg. Near Mulund Check Naka, Wagle Estate, Thane - 400 604.
Financial Implication, if any due to Compensation Penalty etc.	MPCB has not levied any penalty, compensation on the Company in terms of their said letter. For the Financial Year ended 31 st December 2017, the amount & percentage of turnover contributed by Thane Plant to total turnover of the Company was Rs 22,231.55 Lacs, which amounts to 10.11% of its total turnover.
Steps taken to restore normalcy	The Company has filed a Writ Petition in the Bombay High Court on Wednesday, 21 st November, 2018 challenging and setting aside the Closure Direction. To ensure continuity of supplies to its customers, the Company shall divert the customers Orders to its other Plants, situated across India.

