

23rd June, 2020

The Manager,
Listing Department,
National Stock Exchange of India Ltd,
Exchange Plaza,
Plot No. – C – 1, G Block,
Bandra – Kurla Complex,
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Mumbai – 400051

The General Manager,
Department of Corporate Services,
BSE Ltd.,
1st Floor, New Trading Ring,
Rotunda Building,
P.J. Towers,
Dalal Street, Fort,
Mumbai – 400001

The Secretary,
The Calcutta Stock Exchange Ltd,
7, Lyons Range,
Kolkata – 700001

Dear Sir,

Sub:- Outcome of the Board Meeting held on 23rd June, 2020

Further to our letter dated 15th June, 2020, we write to inform you that pursuant to Regulations 30 and 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (referred to as the “SEBI Listing Regulations”), the Board of Directors of the Company, at its Meeting held today, i.e. 23rd June, 2020, has inter alia, considered and approved the following:-

1. Audited Financial Results (Standalone and Consolidated) of the Company, for the quarter and financial year ended 31st March, 2020;
2. An interim dividend @ 350%, i.e. Rs. 7/- per equity share of Rs. 2/- each, which was declared by the Board of Directors at its Meeting held on 13th February, 2020 shall be considered as the final dividend for the financial year ended 31st March, 2020.

A copy of the Audited Financial Results (Standalone and Consolidated) of the Company, for the quarter and financial year ended 31st March, 2020 along with the Statement of Assets and Liabilities, Auditors' Report and declaration on Audit Reports with unmodified opinion are enclosed herewith for your record.


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In accordance with the Circular SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD1/CIR/P/2020/79 dated 12th May, 2020, granting relaxation from the provisions of Regulation 47 of the SEBI Listing Regulations and considering the lock-down restrictions, the Company will not be publishing the Audited Financial Results for this quarter in the newspapers.

 The Meeting of the Board of the Directors of the Company commenced at 11:30 A.M. and concluded at 2.10 P.M.

You are requested to acknowledge the afore-mentioned information and oblige.

Yours faithfully,

For **PHILLIPS CARBON BLACK LIMITED**


K. Mukherjee

Company Secretary and Chief Legal Officer

Encl: As above

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Statement of Audited Standalone Financial Results for the quarter and year ended 31 March 2020

(₹ in Crores unless otherwise stated)

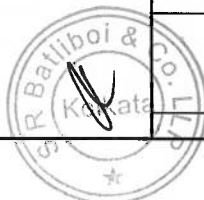
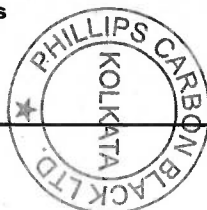
Particulars	Standalone				
	Quarter ended		31.03.2019	Year ended	
	31.03.2020	31.12.2019		31.03.2020	31.03.2019
	Audited (Refer Note 4)	Unaudited	Audited (Refer Note 4)	Audited	Audited
Revenue from Operations	700.38	768.65	920.99	3,243.54	3,528.56
Other Income	8.28	5.17	8.32	24.13	19.41
Total Income	708.66	773.82	929.31	3,267.67	3,547.97
Expenses					
Cost of materials consumed	467.89	499.46	625.57	2,185.72	2,351.96
Change in inventories of finished goods	(6.70)	17.66	(2.15)	3.81	(55.40)
Employee benefits expense	33.57	33.90	21.56	134.38	110.92
Finance costs	12.04	12.08	10.56	45.90	36.77
Foreign Exchange Fluctuation (Net)	(1.21)	(2.67)	0.95	(1.07)	(2.05)
Depreciation and amortisation expense	25.30	24.04	17.77	92.36	66.38
Other expenses	107.49	96.87	163.29	455.73	500.59
Total Expenses	638.38	681.34	837.55	2,916.83	3,009.17
Profit before Tax	70.28	92.48	91.76	350.84	538.80
Tax expense					
Current Tax	(5.74) **	21.34	18.60	57.32 **	150.87
Deferred Tax	3.86	1.52	(1.27)	10.03	(0.60)
Total tax expense	(1.88)	22.86	17.33	67.35	150.27
Profit after tax	72.16	69.62	74.43	283.49	388.53
Other Comprehensive Income (OCI)					
Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss					
(Net of tax) :					
Remeasurements of post employment defined benefit plans	(0.50)	(0.43)	0.26	(1.78)	(1.20)
Changes in fair value of equity instruments through OCI	(71.82)	(4.74)	16.54	(89.43)	(1.89)
Other Comprehensive Income (Net of tax)	(72.32)	(5.17)	16.80	(91.21)	(3.09)
Total Comprehensive Income	(0.16)	64.45	91.23	192.28	385.44
(Comprising Profit after tax and Other Comprehensive Income)					
Paid-up Equity Share Capital (Face value of ₹ 2/- each)	34.47	34.47	34.47	34.47	34.47
Other Equity				1,657.21	1,613.60
Earnings per equity share (EPS) (₹)					
(Nominal value per share ₹ 2/-)					
Basic & Diluted	4.19*	4.04*	4.32*	16.45	22.54
(* not annualised)					

** Includes utilisation of unrecognised credit of minimum alternative tax related to earlier years.

Notes to the Audited Standalone Financial Results

1. Segment Information

Particulars	Quarter ended			Year ended	
	31.03.2020	31.12.2019	31.03.2019	31.03.2020	31.03.2019
	Audited (Refer Note 4)	Unaudited	Audited (Refer Note 4)	Audited	Audited
1. Segment Revenue :					
(a) Carbon Black	680.10	748.91	900.57	3,157.06	3,431.11
(b) Power	36.43	35.49	39.21	151.78	162.99
Total	716.53	784.40	939.78	3,308.84	3,594.10
Less : Inter Segment Revenue	16.15	15.75	18.79	65.30	65.54
Net Sales / Income from Operations	700.38	768.65	920.99	3,243.54	3,528.56
2. Segment Profit Before Interest and Tax :					
(a) Carbon Black	103.06	117.10	151.14	467.82	619.03
(b) Power	23.33	22.47	25.60	99.05	108.91
Total	126.39	139.57	176.74	566.87	727.94
Less : (i) Finance cost	12.04	12.08	10.56	45.90	36.77
(ii) Other Un-allocable Expenditure net of Un-allocable Income	44.07	35.01	74.42	170.13	152.37
Total Profit Before Tax	70.28	92.48	91.76	350.84	538.80
Segment Assets					
Carbon Black	2,481.25	2,399.31	2,496.48	2,481.25	2,496.48
Power	320.83	317.12	331.32	320.83	331.32
Unallocated	490.10	787.88	546.83	490.10	546.83
Total	3,292.18	3,504.31	3,374.63	3,292.18	3,374.63
Segment Liabilities					
Carbon Black	500.15	611.62	599.02	500.15	599.02
Power	16.34	10.30	8.77	16.34	8.77
Unallocated	1,084.01	1,045.10	1,118.77	1,084.01	1,118.77
Total	1,600.50	1,667.02	1,726.56	1,600.50	1,726.56



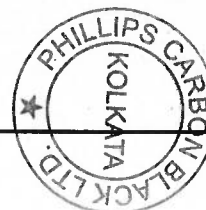
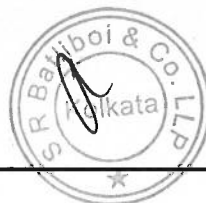
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2 Statement of Audited Standalone Assets and Liabilities as at 31 March, 2020

(₹ in Crores)

Particulars	Standalone	
	As at 31.03.2020	As at 31.03.2019
	(Audited)	(Audited)
ASSETS		
Non-current assets		
Property, Plant and Equipment	1,509.45	1,494.40
Capital work-in-progress	305.58	175.04
Investment Property	4.48	4.48
Intangible assets	1.01	1.43
Right of use assets	124.98	-
Financial Assets		
(i) Investments	176.73	278.68
(ii) Loans	20.33	19.35
(iii) Other Financial Assets	1.39	1.39
Non current tax assets (Net)	8.38	-
Other non-current assets	42.40	24.97
Total Non-current assets	2,194.73	1,999.74
Current assets		
Inventories	326.19	460.29
Financial Assets		
(i) Other Investments	-	105.11
(ii) Trade receivables	588.24	652.66
(iii) Cash and cash equivalents	107.97	73.94
(iv) Other bank balances	2.68	1.89
(v) Loans	0.63	1.79
(vi) Other Financial Assets	22.52	1.94
Other current assets	49.22	77.27
Total Current assets	1,097.45	1,374.89
TOTAL ASSETS	3,292.18	3,374.63
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		
EQUITY		
Equity Share Capital	34.47	34.47
Other Equity	1,657.21	1,613.60
TOTAL EQUITY	1,691.68	1,648.07
LIABILITIES		
Non-current liabilities		
Financial Liabilities		
(i) Borrowings	215.01	273.63
(ii) Other financial liabilities	104.31	-
Provisions	1.99	1.31
Deferred tax liabilities (Net)	254.87	256.72
Total Non-current liabilities	576.18	531.66
Current liabilities		
Financial Liabilities		
(i) Borrowings	329.67	452.02
(ii) Trade payables		
a) Total Outstanding Dues of Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises	12.65	3.59
b) Total Outstanding Dues of creditors other than Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises	405.88	504.38
(iii) Other financial liabilities	181.92	139.46
Provisions	83.91	83.21
Current Tax Liabilities (Net)	-	0.88
Other current liabilities	10.29	11.36
Total Current liabilities	1,024.32	1,194.90
TOTAL LIABILITIES	1,600.50	1,726.56
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	3,292.18	3,374.63

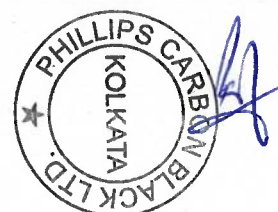


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3. Statement of Standalone Cash Flows for the year ended 31 March , 2020

(₹ in Crores unless otherwise stated)

Particulars	Year ended 31 March, 2020	Year ended 31 March, 2019
A. Cash Flow from Operating Activities		
Profit before Tax	350.84	538.80
<u>Adjustments to reconcile profit before tax to net cash flows:</u>		
Depreciation and amortisation expenses	92.36	66.38
Finance costs	45.90	36.77
Allowance for doubtful debts / expected credit losses - trade receivable	-	5.01
Allowance for doubtful debts / expected credit loss written back	(3.84)	-
Interest income from certain financial assets	-	(0.31)
Interest income from loan to subsidiary	(0.56)	(0.51)
Dividend income from equity instruments designated at FVOCI	(5.28)	(3.91)
Gain on sale of investments carried at FVTPL	(9.91)	(7.98)
Fair Value gains on investments at FVTPL	0.80	(3.55)
Liabilities no longer required written back	(5.09)	(2.71)
(Profit)/Loss on disposal/discard of property, plant and equipment and right of use assets	1.01	0.16
Provision for Inventory	0.90	-
Provisions for claims and litigations	7.78	20.25
Unrealised Foreign exchange differences (net)	3.60	(4.33)
	127.67	105.27
Operating profit before changes in operating assets and liabilities	478.51	644.07
Working capital adjustments		
(Increase)/Decrease in inventories	133.21	(150.39)
(Increase)/Decrease in financial and non-financial assets	88.51	(201.09)
Increase/(Decrease) in financial and non-financial liabilities	(101.64)	125.56
	120.08	(225.92)
Cash generated from operations	598.59	418.15
Income taxes paid (net of refunds)	(65.62)	(128.12)
NET CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	532.97	290.03
B. Cash Flow from Investing Activities		
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(230.71)	(232.74)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	0.02	1.21
Purchase of current investments	(3,307.01)	(2,577.00)
Proceeds from sale/redemption of current investments	3,374.28	2,524.91
Proceeds from redemption of preference shares	47.75	-
Interest received	-	1.15
Dividend received from equity instruments designated at FVOCI	5.28	3.91
NET CASH FLOWS USED IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES	(110.39)	(278.56)
C. Cash Flow from Financing Activities		
Proceeds from non-current borrowings	-	183.00
Repayment of non-current borrowings	(67.78)	(40.19)
Payment of lease Liability	(22.68)	-
Increase/(decrease) in cash credit facilities from banks	1.75	(171.65)
Proceeds from current borrowings	732.89	1,117.07
Repayment of current borrowings	(856.98)	(1,015.14)
Dividends paid (including Rs. 24.79 cr (previous year Rs. 16.64 cr) tax on dividend)	(144.64)	(96.73)
Finance cost paid	(31.11)	(46.74)
NET CASH FLOWS USED IN FINANCING ACTIVITIES	(388.55)	(70.38)
Net increase/(decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	34.03	(58.91)
Opening Cash and Cash Equivalents	73.94	132.85
Closing Cash and Cash Equivalents	107.97	73.94



Notes to the Audited Standalone Financial Results

- 4 The figures of the last quarter are the balancing figures between audited figures in respect of full financial year upto March 31, 2020/ March 31 2019 and the unaudited published year-to-date figures upto December 31, 2019 / December 31, 2018 being the date of the end of the third quarter of financial year respectively which were subject to limited review.
- 5 The above audited financial results of the Company for the year ended March 31, 2020 have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and thereafter approved by the Board of Directors at their respective meeting held on June 23, 2020.
- 6 The Company has applied Ind AS 116 - Leases (applicable from 01.04.2019), using the Modified Retrospective Approach. As a result, the Company has recognised Right of Use Asset amounting to Rs. 61.32 crores, and lease liability of Rs. 66.30 crores, with net impact of Rs. (3.24) crores (net of tax of Rs. 1.74 Cr) recognised in retained earnings as at 01.04.2019. The new leases entered into during the year have also been accounted for as per Ind AS 116. Consequently, expenses towards such leases is now recorded as depreciation on Right of Use Assets and finance cost on lease liability, instead of rent. Consequently, Profit before tax for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2020 is lower by Rs.1.88 crores and Rs.2.59 crores respectively.
- 7 In view of the lockdown across the country due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the manufacturing operations of the Company across all its locations had been suspended temporarily in compliance with the directives/orders issued by the relevant authorities. The Company has made detailed assessments of the recoverability and carrying values of its assets comprising property, plant and equipment, inventories, receivables and other current assets as at the balance sheet date and on the basis of evaluation, has concluded that no material adjustments are required in the standalone financial results. The Company is taking all the necessary steps and precautionary measures to ensure smooth functioning of its operations and to ensure the safety and well-being of all its employees. Given the criticalities associated with nature, condition and duration of COVID-19, the impact assessment on the Company's financial statements will be continuously made and provided for as required.
Subsequent to year end, Company's plants across all its locations have resumed operations as per government guidelines and directives prescribed.
- 8 An interim dividend of Rs. 145.43 Crores (Rs. 7/- per Equity Share) including tax on dividend was declared on 13 February 2020 and paid during the quarter ended 31 March 2020.
- 9 The figures for the corresponding previous periods have been regrouped/reclassified wherever necessary.

Kolkata
23 June 2020



**RP-Sanjiv Goenka
Group**
Growing Legacies

By Order of the Board

Kaushik Roy
Managing Director

DIN: 06513489



Independent Auditor's Report on the Quarterly and Year to Date Audited Standalone Financial Results of the Company Pursuant to the Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended

**To
The Board of Directors of
Phillips Carbon Black Limited**

Report on the audit of the Standalone Financial Results

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying statement of quarterly and year to date standalone financial results of Phillips Carbon Black Limited (the "Company") for the quarter ended March 31, 2020 and for the year ended March 31, 2020 ("Statement"), attached herewith, being submitted by the Company pursuant to the requirement of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended (the "Listing Regulations").

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the Statement:

- i. is presented in accordance with the requirements of the Listing Regulations in this regard; and
- ii. gives a true and fair view in conformity with the applicable accounting standards and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the net profit and other comprehensive income and other financial information of the Company for the quarter ended March 31, 2020 and for the year ended March 31, 2020.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing (SAs) specified under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013, as amended ("the Act"). Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the "Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Standalone Financial Results" section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements under the provisions of the Act and the Rules thereunder, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence obtained by us is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Emphasis of Matter

We draw attention to note no. 7 of the accompanying standalone financial results which states the impact of Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID 19) on the operations of the Company. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter



Management's Responsibilities for the Standalone Financial Results

The Statement has been prepared on the basis of the standalone annual financial statements. The Board of Directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation and presentation of the Statement that gives a true and fair view of the net profit and other comprehensive income of the Company and other financial information in accordance with the applicable accounting standards prescribed under Section 133 of the Act read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other accounting principles generally accepted in India and in compliance with Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations. This responsibility also includes maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding of the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls, that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the Statement that gives a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the Statement, the Board of Directors are responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Board of Directors either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

The Board of Directors are also responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Standalone Financial Results

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Statement as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the Statement.

As part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the Statement, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances. Under Section 143(3)(i) of the Act, we are also responsible for expressing our opinion on whether the company has adequate internal financial controls with reference to financial statements in place and the operating effectiveness of such controls.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the Board of Directors.



- Conclude on the appropriateness of the Board of Directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial results or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the Statement, including the disclosures, and whether the Statement represents the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

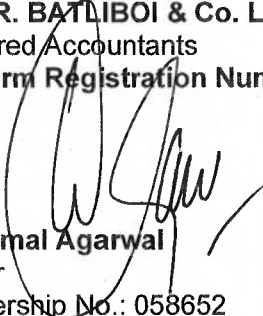
Other Matter

The Statement includes the results for the quarter ended March 31, 2020 being the balancing figure between the audited figures in respect of the full financial year ended March 31, 2020 and the published unaudited year-to-date figures up to the third quarter of the current financial year, which were subjected to a limited review by us, as required under the Listing Regulations.

For S.R. BATLIBOI & Co. LLP

Chartered Accountants

ICAI Firm Registration Number: 301003E/E300005


per Kamal Agarwal
Partner

Membership No.: 058652

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Place: Kolkata

Date: June 23, 2020



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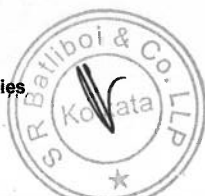
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Profit attributable to :					
Owners of the equity	72.76	70.06	70.70	286.55	383.69
Non-controlling interest	0.21	0.14	(0.92)	0.95	(1.03)
Other Comprehensive Income attributable to :					
Owners of the equity	(71.50)	(4.61)	15.90	(89.21)	(2.24)
Non-controlling interest	0.25	0.07	(0.06)	0.47	0.28
Total Comprehensive Income attributable to :					
Owners of the equity	1.26	65.45	86.60	197.34	381.45
Non-controlling interest	0.46	0.21	(0.98)	1.42	(0.75)
Paid-up Equity Share Capital (Face value of ₹ 2/- each)	34.47	34.47	34.47	34.47	34.47
Other Equity				1,664.65	1,615.42
Earnings per equity share (EPS) (₹) (Nominal value per share ₹ 2/-)					
Basic & Diluted	4.23*	4.07*	4.05*	16.68	22.20
(* not annualised)					

** Includes utilisation of unrecognised credit of minimum alternative tax related to earlier years.

Notes to the Audited Consolidated Financial Results

1. Segment Information

Particulars	Consolidated				
	Quarter ended			Year ended	
	31.03.2020	31.12.2019	31.03.2019	31.03.2020	31.03.2019
	Audited (Refer Note 4)	Unaudited	Unaudited (Refer Note 4)	Audited	Audited
1. Segment Revenue :					
(a) Carbon Black	680.10	748.91	900.57	3,157.06	3,431.11
(b) Power	36.43	35.49	39.21	151.78	162.99
Total	716.53	784.40	939.78	3,308.84	3,594.10
Less : Inter Segment Revenue	16.15	15.75	18.79	65.30	65.54
Net Sales / Income from Operations	700.38	768.65	920.99	3,243.54	3,528.56
2. Segment Profit Before Interest and Tax :					
(a) Carbon Black	103.06	117.10	151.14	467.82	619.03
(b) Power	23.33	22.47	25.60	99.05	108.91
Total	126.39	139.57	176.74	566.87	727.94
Less : (i) Finance cost	12.04	12.08	10.56	45.90	36.78
(ii) Other Un-allocable Expenditure net of Un-allocable Income	43.26	34.43	79.07	166.17	158.23
Total Profit Before Tax	71.09	93.06	87.11	354.80	532.93
Segment Assets					
Carbon Black	2,481.25	2,399.31	2,496.48	2,481.25	2,496.48
Power	320.83	317.12	331.32	320.83	331.32
Unallocated	505.09	800.46	559.31	505.09	559.31
	3,307.17	3,516.89	3,387.11	3,307.17	3,387.11
Segment Liabilities					
Carbon Black	500.15	639.15	599.02	500.15	599.02
Power	16.34	10.30	8.77	16.34	8.77
Unallocated	1,084.29	1,017.76	1,123.58	1,084.29	1,123.58
	1,600.78	1,667.21	1,731.37	1,600.78	1,731.37



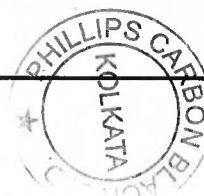
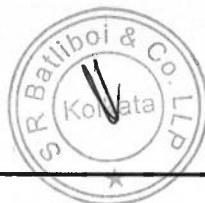
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2. Statement of Audited Consolidated Assets and Liabilities as at 31 March, 2020

(₹ in Crores)

Particulars	Consolidated	
	As at	As at
	31.03.2020 (Audited)	31.03.2019 (Audited)
ASSETS		
Non-current assets		
Property, Plant and Equipment	1,509.45	1,494.40
Capital work-in-progress	305.58	175.04
Investment Property	4.48	4.48
Intangible assets	1.01	1.43
Right of Use Assets	124.98	-
Financial Assets		
(i) Investments	155.08	257.03
(ii) Loans	14.13	13.72
(iii) Other Financial Assets	1.39	1.39
Non current tax assets (Net)	8.38	-
Other non-current assets	42.40	24.97
Total Non-current assets	2,166.88	1,972.46
Current assets		
Inventories	326.19	460.29
Financial Assets		
(i) Other Investments	-	105.11
(ii) Trade receivables	588.24	652.66
(iii) Cash and cash equivalents	149.42	113.57
(iv) Other bank balances	2.68	1.89
(v) Loans	0.63	1.79
(vi) Other Financial Assets	22.53	1.94
Current Tax Assets (Net)	-	-
Other current assets	50.60	77.40
Total Current assets	1,140.29	1,414.65
TOTAL ASSETS	3,307.17	3,387.11
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		
EQUITY		
Equity Share Capital	34.47	34.47
Other Equity	1,664.65	1,615.42
Non Controlling Interest	7.27	5.85
TOTAL EQUITY	1,706.39	1,655.74
LIABILITIES		
Non-current liabilities		
Financial Liabilities		
(i) Borrowings	215.01	273.63
(ii) Other financial liabilities	104.31	-
Provisions	1.99	1.31
Deferred tax liabilities (Net)	254.87	256.72
Total Non-current liabilities	576.18	531.66
Current liabilities		
Financial Liabilities		
(i) Borrowings	329.67	452.02
(ii) Trade payables		
a) Total Outstanding Dues of Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises	12.65	3.59
b) Total Outstanding Dues of creditors other than Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises	406.12	504.69
(iii) Other financial liabilities	181.92	139.46
Provisions	83.91	83.21
Current Tax Liabilities (Net)	0.04	5.38
Other current liabilities	10.29	11.36
Total Current liabilities	1,024.60	1,199.71
TOTAL LIABILITIES	1,600.78	1,731.37
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	3,307.17	3,387.11



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3. Statement of Consolidated Cash Flows for the year ended 31 March, 2020

(₹ in Crores unless otherwise stated)

Particulars	Year ended 31 March, 2020	Year ended 31 March, 2019
A. Cash Flow from Operating Activities		
Profit before Tax	354.80	532.93
<u>Adjustments to reconcile profit before tax to net cash flows:</u>		
Depreciation and amortisation expenses	92.36	66.38
Finance costs	45.90	36.78
Allowance for doubtful debts / expected credit losses - trade receivable	-	5.01
Allowance for doubtful debts / expected credit loss written back	(3.84)	-
Interest income from certain financial assets	(3.55)	(1.34)
Exchange differences on translation of foreign subsidiaries	2.47	1.13
Dividend income from equity instruments designated at FVOCI	(5.28)	(3.91)
Gain on sale of investments carried at FVTPL	(9.91)	(7.98)
Fair Value gains on investments at FVTPL	0.80	(3.55)
Liabilities no longer required written back	(6.99)	(2.71)
(Profit)/Loss on disposal/discard of property, plant and equipment and right of use assets	1.01	0.16
Provision for Inventory	0.90	-
Provisions for claims and litigations	7.78	20.25
Unrealised Foreign exchange differences (net)	3.60	(4.33)
	125.25	105.89
Operating profit before changes in operating assets and liabilities	480.05	638.82
Working capital adjustments		
(Increase)/Decrease in inventories	133.21	(150.39)
(Increase)/Decrease in financial and non-financial assets	178.48	(201.22)
Increase/(Decrease) in financial and non-financial liabilities	(194.12)	130.80
	117.57	(220.81)
Cash generated from operations	597.62	418.01
Income taxes paid (net of refunds)	(66.38)	(128.12)
NET CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	531.24	289.89
B. Cash Flow from Investing Activities		
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(230.71)	(232.74)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	0.02	1.21
Purchase of current investments	(3,307.01)	(2,577.00)
Proceeds from sale/redemption of current investments	3,374.28	2,524.91
Proceeds from redemption of preference shares	47.75	-
Interest received	3.55	2.19
Dividend received from equity instruments designated at FVOCI	5.28	3.91
NET CASH FLOWS USED IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES	(106.84)	(277.52)
C. Cash Flow from Financing Activities		
Proceeds from non-current borrowings	-	183.00
Repayment of non-current borrowings	(67.78)	(40.18)
Payment of lease Liability	(22.68)	-
Increase/(Decrease) in cash credit facilities from banks	1.75	(171.67)
Proceeds from current borrowings	732.89	1,117.07
Repayment of current borrowings	(856.98)	(1,015.14)
Dividends paid (including Rs. 24.79 cr (previous year Rs. 16.64 cr) tax on dividend)	(144.64)	(96.73)
Finance cost paid	(31.11)	(46.75)
NET CASH FLOWS USED IN FINANCING ACTIVITIES	(388.55)	(70.40)
Net increase/(decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	35.85	(58.03)
Opening Cash and Cash Equivalents	113.57	171.60
Closing Cash and Cash Equivalents	149.42	113.57



Notes to the Audited Consolidated Financial Results

- 4 The consolidated figures of the last quarter ended March 31, 2020 are the balancing figures between the audited figures in respect of full financial year upto March 31, 2020 and the unaudited published year-to-date figures upto December 31, 2019 being the date of the end of the third quarter of financial year which were subject to limited review.
The consolidated figures of the last quarter ended March 31, 2019 are the balancing figures between the audited figures in respect of full financial year upto March 31, 2019 and the unaudited year-to-date figures upto December 31, 2018, being the date of the end of the third quarter of the previous financial year, as compiled by the management in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in India which were not subjected to any limited review/audit.
- 5 The above audited financial results of the Group for the year ended March 31, 2020 have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and thereafter approved by the Board of Directors at their respective meeting held on June 23, 2020.
- 6 The Group has applied Ind AS 116 - Leases (applicable from 01.04.2019), using the Modified Retrospective Approach. As a result, the Group has recognised Right of Use Asset amounting to Rs. 61.32 crores, and lease liability of Rs. 66.30 crores, with net impact of Rs. (3.24) crores (net of tax of Rs. 1.74 Cr) recognised in retained earnings as at 01.04.2019. The new leases entered into during the year have also been accounted for as per Ind AS 116. Consequently, expenses towards such leases is now recorded as depreciation on Right of Use Assets and finance cost on lease liability, instead of rent. Consequently, Profit before tax for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2020 is lower by Rs. 1.88 crores and Rs. 2.59 crores respectively.
- 7 In view of the lockdown across the country due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the manufacturing operations of the Group across all its locations had been suspended temporarily in compliance with the directives/orders issued by the relevant authorities. The Group has made detailed assessments of the recoverability and carrying values of its assets comprising property, plant and equipment, inventories, receivables and other current assets as at the balance sheet date and on the basis of evaluation, has concluded that no material adjustments are required in the consolidated financial results. The Group is taking all the necessary steps and precautionary measures to ensure smooth functioning of its operations and to ensure the safety and well-being of all its employees. Given the criticalities associated with nature, condition and duration of COVID-19, the impact assessment on the Group's financial statements will be continuously made and provided for as required.
Subsequent to year end, Group's plants across all its locations have resumed operations as per government guidelines and directives prescribed.
- 8 An interim dividend of Rs. 145.43 Crores (Rs. 7/- per Equity Share) including tax on dividend was declared on 13 February 2020 and paid during the quarter ended 31 March 2020.
- 9 The figures for the corresponding previous periods have been regrouped/reclassified wherever necessary.

Kolkata
23 June 2020

 **RP - Sanjiv Goenka
Group**
Growing Legacies


Kaushik Roy
Managing Director
DIN: 06513489



Independent Auditor's Report on the Quarterly and Year to Date Consolidated Financial Results of the Company Pursuant to the Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended

**To
The Board of Directors of
Phillips Carbon Black Limited**

Report on the audit of the Consolidated Financial Results

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying statement of quarterly and year to date consolidated financial results of Phillips Carbon Black Limited ("Holding Company") and its subsidiaries (the Holding Company and its subsidiaries together referred to as "the Group") for the quarter ended March 31, 2020 and for the year ended March 31, 2020 ("Statement"), attached herewith, being submitted by the Holding Company pursuant to the requirement of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended ("Listing Regulations"). Attention is drawn to the fact that the consolidated figures for the corresponding quarter ended March 31, 2019, as reported in these consolidated financial results have been approved by the Holding Company's Board of Directors but have not been subjected to audit/review.

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us and based on the consideration of the reports of the other auditors on separate audited financial statements of the subsidiaries, the Statement:

- i. includes the results of the following entities
 - a) Phillips Carbon Black Cyprus Holdings Limited (PCBCHL) wholly owned subsidiary of the Holding Company.
 - b) Phillips Carbon Black Vietnam Joint Stock Company – Subsidiary of PCBCHL
- ii. are presented in accordance with the requirements of the Listing Regulations in this regard; and
- iii. gives a true and fair view in conformity with the applicable accounting standards, and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the consolidated net profit and other comprehensive income and other financial information of the Group for the quarter ended March 31, 2020 and for the year ended March 31, 2020.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing (SAs), as specified under Section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013, as amended ("the Act"). Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the "Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Results" section of our report. We are independent of the Group, in accordance with the 'Code of Ethics' issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements under the provisions of the Act and the Rules thereunder, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the Code of Ethics. We believe that



the audit evidence obtained by us and other auditors in terms of their reports referred to in "Other Matter" paragraph below, is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Emphasis of Matter

We draw attention to note 7 of the accompanying consolidated financial results which states the impact of Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID 19) on the operations of the Company. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

Management's Responsibilities for the Consolidated Financial Results

The Statement has been prepared on the basis of the consolidated annual financial statements. The Holding Company's Board of Directors are responsible for the preparation and presentation of the Statement that give a true and fair view of the net profit and other comprehensive income and other financial information of the Group in accordance with the applicable accounting standards prescribed under section 133 of the Act read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other accounting principles generally accepted in India and in compliance with Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations. The respective Board of Directors of the companies included in the Group are responsible for maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding of the assets of the Group and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls, that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the Statement that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, which have been used for the purpose of preparation of the Statement by the Directors of the Holding Company, as aforesaid.

In preparing the Statement, the respective Board of Directors of the companies included in the Group are responsible for assessing the ability of the Group to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the respective Board of Directors either intends to liquidate the Group or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

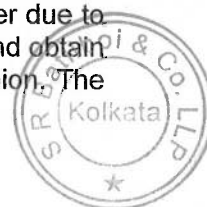
The respective Board of Directors of the companies included in the Group are also responsible for overseeing the financial reporting process of the Group.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Results

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Statement as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the Statement.

As part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the Statement, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The



risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.

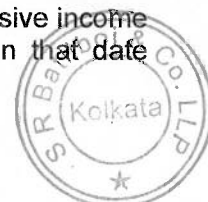
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances. Under Section 143(3)(i) of the Act, we are also responsible for expressing our opinion on whether the company has adequate internal financial controls with reference to financial statements in place and the operating effectiveness of such controls.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the Board of Directors.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the Board of Directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the ability of the Group to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the Statement or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the Statement, including the disclosures, and whether the Statement represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial results/financial information of the entities within the Group of which we are the independent auditors to express an opinion on the Statement. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the audit of the financial information of such entities included in the Statement of which we are the independent auditors. For the other entities included in the Statement, which have been audited by other auditors, such other auditors remain responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the audits carried out by them. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with those charged with governance of the Holding Company among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit. We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

We also performed procedures in accordance with the Circular No. CIR/CFD/CMD1/44/2019 dated March 29, 2019 issued by the Securities Exchange Board of India under Regulation 33 (8) of the Listing Regulations, to the extent applicable.

Other Matter

The accompanying Statement includes the audited financial results/statements and other financial information, in respect of 2 subsidiaries, whose financial results/financial statements include total assets of Rs. 71.96 crores as at March 31, 2020, total revenues of Rs. Nil and Rs Nil, total net profit after tax of Rs. 0.98 crores and Rs. 4.57 crores, total comprehensive income of Rs. 0.98 crores and Rs. 4.57 crores, for the quarter and the year ended on that date



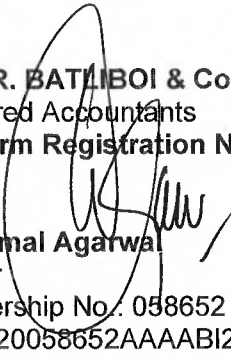
respectively, and net cash inflows of Rs. 1.81 crores for the year ended March 31, 2020, as considered in the Statement which have been audited by their respective independent auditors.

The independent auditor's report on the financial statements/financial results/financial information of these entities have been furnished to us by the Management and our opinion on the Statement in so far as it relates to the amounts and disclosures included in respect of these subsidiaries is based solely on the reports of such auditors and the procedures performed by us as stated in paragraph above.

Our opinion on the Statement is not modified in respect of the above matters with respect to our reliance on the work done and the reports of the other auditors.

The Statement includes the results for the quarter ended March 31, 2020 being the balancing figures between the audited figures in respect of the full financial year ended March 31, 2020 and the published unaudited year-to-date figures up to the end of the third quarter of the current financial year, which were subjected to a limited review by us, as required under the Listing Regulations.

For **S.R. BATLIBOI & Co. LLP**
Chartered Accountants
ICAI Firm Registration Number: 301003E/E300005


per **Kamal Agarwal**
Partner
Membership No. 058652
UDIN: 20058652AAAABI2802

Place: Kolkata

Date: June 23, 2020



23rd June, 2020

The Manager,
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The Secretary,
The Calcutta Stock Exchange Ltd,
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Dear Sir,

Sub:- Declaration pursuant to Regulation 33(3)(d) of the SEBI Listing Regulations

Pursuant to the provisions of Regulation 33(3)(d) of the SEBI Listing Regulations vide SEBI Circular No. CIR/CFD/CMD/56/2016 dated 27th May, 2016, we hereby declare that the Statutory Auditors of the Company, M/S. S R Batliboi and Co. LLP, Chartered Accountants (Registration No.: 301003E/E300005) have issued the Audit Reports with unmodified opinion for the Audited Financial Results of the Company (Standalone and Consolidated) for the financial year ended 31st March, 2020.

You are requested to acknowledge the afore-mentioned information and oblige.

Yours faithfully,

For **PHILLIPS CARBON BLACK LIMITED**



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