

### Westlife Foodworld's Integrated Annual Report ranks among Top 100 reports worldwide



**Mumbai – February 25, 2025:** Westlife Foodworld – the owner and operator of McDonald's in West and South India – has achieved significant recognition at the 2023/24 LACP (League of American Communications Professionals) Vision Awards. The company has been conferred with three prestigious accolades for its Integrated Annual Report for FY2023-24.

Westlife Foodworld's Integrated Annual Report for the past fiscal year ranked **52<sup>nd</sup> globally among the Top 100 Reports Worldwide**. Additionally, the report received the **Platinum Award for Industry Excellence**, reaffirming the company's leadership within its sector. Further adding to these achievements, Westlife Foodworld was also presented with the **Technical Achievement Award** for its overall excellence in the art and methodology of integrated reporting.

**Akshay Jatia, President & Executive Director, Westlife Foodworld**, said, "These global honours at the LACP Vision Awards reaffirm our dedication to setting new benchmarks in corporate reporting. At Westlife Foodworld, we believe in open and transparent communication with all our stakeholders. This recognition reflects our vision to be a modern, relevant, and progressive food-tech company delivering long-term value for our customers, people, communities, and shareholders."

The LACP Vision Awards evaluate the world's best corporate reports, recognizing excellence across storytelling, design, and innovation. With entries from organizations globally across diverse industries, the awards celebrate the most impactful and effective corporate reports.

These awards underscores Westlife Foodworld Limited's position as an industry leader, committed to continuously enhancing its storytelling, design, and reporting standards to deliver world-class communication to all its stakeholders.

Access Westlife Foodworld's Integrated Annual Report [here].



#### About Westlife:

Westlife Foodworld Limited (BSE: 505533) (WFL), formerly known as Westlife Development Ltd (WDL), focuses on setting up and operating Quick Service Restaurants (QSR) in India through its subsidiary Hardcastle Restaurants Pvt. Ltd. (HRPL). The Company operates a chain of McDonald's restaurants in West and South India having a master franchisee relationship with McDonald's Corporation USA, through the latter's subsidiary.

#### About Hardcastle Restaurants Pvt. Ltd.:

HRPL is a McDonald's franchisee with rights to own and operate McDonald's restaurants in India's West and South markets. HRPL has been a franchisee in the region since its inception in 1996. HRPL serves over 200 million customers, annually, at its 421 (as of December 31, 2024) McDonald's restaurants across 67 cities in the states of Telangana, Gujarat, Karnataka, Maharashtra, Tamil Nadu, Kerala, Chhattisgarh, Andhra Pradesh, Goa along with parts of Madhya Pradesh and Union Territory of Puducherry and provides direct employment to over 10,000 employees. McDonald's operates through various formats and brand extensions including standalone restaurants, drive- thrus, McCafe, 24x7, McDelivery, McBreakfast and dessert kiosks. The menu features Burgers, Wraps, Hot and Cold Beverages besides a wide range of desserts. Majority of the McDonald's restaurants feature an inhouse McCafé. The pillars of the McDonald's system – Quality, Service, Cleanliness and Value – are evident at each of the restaurants that HRPL operates.

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