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 The Listing Department, The National Stock Exchange of India Ltd, Exchange Plaza, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400051 NSE Symbol: GPIL The Corporate Relation Department, The BSE Limited, Mumbai, 1st Floor, Rotunda Building, Dalal Street, Mumbai – 400 001 BSE Security Code: 532734

Sub: Press Release on the Un-Audited Standalone & Consolidated Financial Results for the Quarter and nine months ended on 31st December 2019.

We are enclosing herewith a Press Release on the Un-Audited Standalone & Consolidated Financial Results for the Quarter and nine months ended on 31st, December 2019.

Kindly disseminate the information on the official website of the exchange for the information of all members of the Exchange and Investors.

Thanking you, Yours faithfully, For **GODAWARI POWER AND ISPAT LIMITED**

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Godawari Power & Ispat Ltd Q3FY20 Results Significant De-Leveraging despite a Challenging Commodity Price Environment

GPIL announced its Q3FY20 earnings on 11th Feb 2019. Summary of results are as under:

Q3 Highlights

- Strategic
 - Operations fully integrated on account of captive Iron Ore mines, resulting in incrementally higher EBITDA
 - Environmental clearance received for rolling mill and Iron Ore Beneficiation plant; proportion of value-added product to increase going forward
 - Strong Free Cash Flow generation, despite a challenging commodity price environment
 - Repaid INR 1,636 Mn of long-term debt in 9M FY20 against the full year scheduled repayment of INR 1,032 Mn

Operational

- o Captive Iron Ore: 16% higher at 449,554 MT
- o Pellet: 24% higher at 770,525 MT
- Sponge Iron: 10% higher at 124,572 MT

Financial

- Despite higher operational efficiencies, profitability impacted due to lower realisations
- o Interest cost reduced by 17% YoY to INR 516 Mn.
- Repaid INR 1,636 Mn of long-term debt in 9M FY20 against the full year scheduled repayment of INR 1,032 Mn.

Mr BL Agarwal, Chairman, Godawari Power and Ispat, Commented:

"We are witnessing a significant shift in the domestic Iron Industry and GPIL is strategically positioned in this current scenario. Our high quality, low cost Captive Iron Ore mines provides us with a unique edge, resulting in a significantly higher profitability. We are committed to strengthening our balance sheet through de-leveraging and I am happy to report that we met our full year repayments obligations in H1 itself and in the current period have further paid INR 60 crores towards debt reduction. Consequently, our Net Debt/EBITDA has reduced to 1.1x; from 3x in FY17"

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About Godawari Power and ISPAT:

A fully backward integrated steel company with strong presence across the steel value Chain, – from operating captive Iron Ore Mines to manufacturing & selling value-added steel products.

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