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January 10, 2020

National Stock Exchange of India Limited

Exchange Plaza, Plot no. C/1, G Block, Bandra - Kurla Complex Bandra (E) Mumbai - 400 051

Tel.: 2659 8235/36 8458 NSE Symbol: YESBANK

Dear Sirs; Madam

**BSE** Limited

Corporate Relations Department P.J. Towers, Dalal Street Mumbai – 400 001 Tel.: 2272 8013/15/58/8307

BSE Scrip Code: 532648

Sub.: Regulation 30 of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 - Resignation of Director

YES Bank Limited (the "Bank") would like to intimate that it has received the resignation of Mr. Uttam Prakash Agarwal, an Independent Director and Chairman of the Audit Committee of the Board of the Bank.

In his resignation letter (as enclosed), Mr. Agarwal has made certain observations on the Bank's governance and the same shall be duly examined by the Board.

In this regard, the Bank would like to further intimate that the Bank was reviewing the 'fit and proper' status of Mr. Agarwal as directed by the Reserve Bank of India. In this respect, the Bank had obtained legal opinions from eminent jurists. These opinions were to be considered by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee of the Board ("NRC")/ the Board of the Bank in their meetings scheduled for today, i.e., January 10, 2020. However, prior to the commencement of the proceedings of these meetings, the Bank received the resignation of Mr. Agarwal.

The NRC and the Board have taken on record Mr. Agarwal's resignation.

The same is being hosted on the Bank's website <u>www.yesbank.in</u> in terms of Regulation 30 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For YES BANK LIMITED

Shivanand R Shettigar Group Company Secretary

Encl.: as above

From: Uttam Agarwal

Sent: Friday, January 10, 2020 6:34:27 AM (UTC+05:30) Chennai, Kolkata, Mumbai, New Delhi

To: Brahm Dutt

Cc: Shivanand Shettigar (CS); TS Vijayan

Subject: EXTERNAL: Resignation from Independent Directorship and various other committees of Yes Bank Ltd.

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Dear Sir,

I hereby tender my resignation from the office of the Independent Director of Yes Bank Ltd. as also Chairman of Audit Committee and Member of all other Committees of the Board with immediate effect.

## Reason for my resignation:

There are serious concerns as regards deteriorating standards of the corporate governance, failure of compliance, management practices and the manner in which the state of affairs of the Company are being conducted by Mr. Ravneet Gill- MD/ CEO, Dr. Rajiv Ubeoi- Senior Group President Governance & Controls, Mr. Sanjay Nambiar- Legal Head and Board of Directors. I have raised my concerns on these very critical matters from time to time in the overall interest of Yes Bank Ltd., and millions of its small and large depositors, investors, shareholders and all other stakeholders. I have left no stone unturned to discharge my duties and thus wrote a letter detailing all these matters in the attached letter dated 9th January, 2020 (which is submitted to all the regulatory authorities).

Irrespective of my resignation, I hope, our Bank gets stabilised and protects the interests of all shareholders and stakeholders, under your able leadership.

Kindly Accept and oblige.

Thanking you,
Yours faithfully,
CA Uttam Prakash Agarwal
Former Independent Director & Chairman of the Audit Committee of Yes Bank Ltd.

Enclosure: Letter dated 9th January and 10th January, regarding my concerns on critical matters in the Bank and the Dissent note as sent today via email regarding decisions taken on Capital Raising Issues for holding an EOGM.

CC: Mr. Shivanand Shetty, Company Secretary, Yes Bank Ltd.- for all the compliance procedures under the Companies Act, 2013, and Copy to me.