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Date: 18th July, 2024

To, BSE Limited ("BSE"), Corporate Relationship Department, 2nd Floor, New Trading Ring, P.J. Towers, Dalal Street, Mumbai – 400 001.

Scrip Code: 544144 ISIN: INE772T01024 To, **National Stock Exchange of India Limited ("NSE")**, "Exchange Plaza", Plot No. C-1, Block G, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (East), Mumbai – 400 051.

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Dear Sir/Madam,

<u>Subject: Intimation under Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.</u>

In accordance with the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements), Regulations, 2015 and Code of Practices and Procedures for Fair Disclosure of Unpublished Price Sensitive Information in terms of Regulation 8 of the SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015, the company has provided a business update for the quarter ended June 30, 2024.

Business Update: Key Highlights

- Q1FY25: (YoY)
 - Total Revenue from operations grew by 7% on YoY basis.
 - Luxury car segment and CV segment grew ~15% on YoY basis while PV segment grew by ~5% on YoY basis. Rest of the segment (2W, others) saw a sharp decline of ~40%.
 - The total no. of vehicles sold de-grew by 2% on YoY basis whereas service volume was flattish on YoY basis.
- Recent Awards and Accolades:
 - Kuttukaran Group wins the FADA Dealership Excellence Award 2024 in the Big Dealer category.



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'Popular Auto Dealers Pvt. Ltd.', company's wholly owned subsidiary has received 2 topmost Platinum Band Achievements Awards for its Thiruvananthapuram and Kottayam Branches, from Maruti Suzuki India Limited (MSIL) for FY24 in MSIL Parts Distributor Meet and 2 Performance awards at All-India level namely Highest Retailer Growth under Average Monthly Net Retails >200 Lakhs category and Highest Retail Growth under Average Monthly Net Retails <= 400 Lakhs category.

• Commentary on business performance:

- Generally, Q1 is slow for us in terms of business amongst all the quarters in a financial year. Q1 of this financial year saw a greater dip in sales volume compared to the same period last year due to central elections and climatic situations like heatwaves & floods.
- A slowdown in sales volume resulted in an increase in inventory levels which impacted on our working capital requirements. This is a short-term phenomenon, and we expect inventory levels to be normalized as festive seasons kick in from Q2 onwards.
- We expect interest cost savings from Q2 on the back of debt reduction

Note: The Quarterly Business Update is on a Consolidated basis. The Financial results of Q1FY25 is subject to review by Auditors.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For Popular Vehicles and Services Limited

Varun T.V. Company Secretary & Compliance Officer Membership No: A22044 Place: Kochi



