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The Manager,
 Listing Department,
 The National Stock Exchange of India Ltd,
 Exchange Plaza, C-1, Block G,
 Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E),
 MUMBAI-400 051

Disclosures under Regulation 29(2) of SEBI (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011

Name of the Target Company (TC)	Birla Ericsson Optical Limited		
Name(s) of the acquirer and Persons Acting in Concert (PAC) with the acquirer	See ANNEXURE I		
Whether the acquirer belongs to Promoter/Promoter group	Yes		
Name(s) of the Stock Exchange(s) where the shares of TC are Listed	Bombay Stock Exchange and National Stock Exchange		
Details of the acquisition / disposal as follows	Number	% w.r.t. total share/voting capital wherever applicable(*)	% w.r.t. total diluted share/voting capital of the TC (**)
Before the acquisition under consideration, holding of: a) Shares carrying voting rights b) Shares in the nature of encumbrance (pledge/ lien/ non-disposal undertaking/ others) c) Voting rights (VR) otherwise than by shares d) Warrants/ convertible securities/	1,16,55,743	38.85	

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any other instrument that entitles the acquirer to receive shares carrying voting rights in the TC (specify holding in each category) e) Total (a+b+c+d)	1,16,55,743	38.85	
Details of acquisition / sale a) shares carrying voting rights acquired/ sold b) VRs acquired/ sold otherwise than by shares c) Warrants/convertible securities/ any other instrument that entitles the acquirer to receive shares carrying voting rights in the TC (specify holding in each category) acquired/sold d) Shares encumbered/ invoked/ released by the acquirer f) Total (a+b+c+d)	82,50,000 82,50,000	27.50 27.50	
After the acquisition/sale, holding of: a) Shares carrying voting rights b) Shares encumbered with the acquirer c) VRs otherwise than by shares d) Warrants/ convertible securities/ any other instrument that entitles the acquirer to receive shares carrying voting rights in the TC (specify holding in each category) after acquisition e) Total (a+b+c+d)	1,99,05,743	66.35	
Mode of acquisition / sale (e.gs open market / off-market/ public issue/rights issue/ preferential allotment / inter-se transfer etc.	Off-market		
Date of acquisition / sale of shares/ VR or date of receipt of intimation of allotment of shares, whichever is applicable	15 July, 2016		



Equity share capital / total voting capital of the TC before the said acquisition / sale	Rs. 30,00,00,000
Equity share capital / total voting capital of the TC after the said acquisition / sale	Rs. 30,00,00,000
Total diluted share/voting capital of the TC after the said acquisition	Not Applicable

(*) Total share capital/ voting capital to be taken as per the latest filing done by the company to the Stock Exchange under Clause 35 of the listing Agreement.

(**) Diluted share/ voting capital means the total number of shares in the TC assuming full conversion of the outstanding convertible securities / warrants into equity shares of the TC.

Signature of the seller / Authorised Signatory

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully

for **ERICSSON NETWORK TECHNOLOGIES AB** (formerly **ERICSSON CABLES AB**)


Mikael Granlund, CEO

Signed on this 15 July, 2016





ANNEXURE I
NAMES OF THE ACQUIRER

S.No.	Name
1.	R V Raveendran/Mahendra Kumar Sharma/ Amal Chandra Chakraborti (Representatives of the Estate of deceased Priyamvada Devi Birla in the capacity of Administrators)
2.	Hindustan Medical Institution
3.	The Punjab Produce And Trading Company Private Limited
4.	Vindhya Telelinks Limited
5.	Birla Corporation Limited