

The Indian Hume Pipe Co. Ltd.

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- BSE Ltd.
 Corporate Relationship Department, 1st Floor, New Trading Ring, Rotunda Building, P. J. Towers, Dalal Street, Fort, Mumbai - 400 001
- National Stock Exchange of India Ltd. Exchange Plaza, 5th floor, Plot No. C/1, G Block, Bandra-Kurla Complex, Bandra (East), Mumbai - 400 051

Dear Sirs,

Re.: Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

In respect of certain 'Works Contracts' executed in earlier years in the State of Rajasthan, the Company had paid sales tax using Exemption Fee (Composition) Scheme under Rajasthan Sales Tax Law on such 'Works Contracts' based on certain rules notified under the Sales Tax Act then prevailing. The Sales Tax Department had since challenged the Company's position and claimed that such 'Works Contracts' be treated as a divisible contracts and be subjected to tax component-wise and had accordingly raised a demand, which was challenged by the Company. The Company had also filed a Special Leave Petition with the Hon'ble Supreme Court, against the common final judgment Order dated February 13, 2015 passed by the Hon'ble High Court of Rajasthan. Subsequently, the Hon'ble Supreme Court rejected the appeal filed by the Company by Order dated August 28, 2017. The Company based on legal advice has filed an application seeking recall of the said Order. Pending outcome of the Re-call application, on a prudent basis, the Company has made a provision of Rs.3033 Lakhs against sales tax demand (including interest thereon of Rs.2132 Lakhs) under the item 2(j) in the quarterly financial results of the quarter ended 30th June, 2017 filed with Exchanges on 12th September, 2017.

We will keep the Exchange informed about further material developments in this regard from time to time.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully, For The Indian Hume Pipe Company Limited,

∠ S. M. Mandke Company Secretary