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THE NEW INDIA ASSURANCE COMPANY LTD.

पंजीकृत एवं प्रधान कार्यालय: न्यु इन्डिया एश्योरन्स बिल्डिगं, 87, महात्मा गांधी मार्ग, फोर्ट, मुंबई - 400 001. **Regd. & Head Office**: New India Assurance Bldg., 87, M.G. Road, Fort, Mumbai - 400 001. **CIN No LJ99999MH1919GOI000526**

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January 25, 2018

To,

The Manager Listing Department BSE Limited Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Tower Dalal Street Mumbai 400 001 The Manager Listing Department The National Stock Exchange of India Ltd. Exchange Plaza, 5th floor, Plot C/1, G Block, Bandra-Kurla Complex Mumbai 400 051

Scrip Code: (BSE - 540769/NSE - NIACL)

Re: A.M. Best Affirms A- (Excellent) Rating of New India Assurance Company Limited

A.M. Best has affirmed the Financial Strength Rating of A- (Excellent) and the Long-Term Issuer Credit Rating of "a-" of The New India Assurance Company Limited.

The ratings reflect the Company's balance sheet strength, which A.M. Best categorizes as very strong, as well as its adequate operating performance, favorable business profile and appropriate enterprise risk management.

A.M. Best further stated that the Company's capital and surplus is by far the largest among all non-life insurers in India, standing at INR 359 billion (USD 5.5 billion) as of March 31, 2017. The favorable business profile reflects the company's solid market position. The Company is the largest non-life insurer in India, with a clear lead in almost every line of business. In addition, the company's business is diversified by geography and line of business, both within India and overseas.

You are requested to kindly take the same on records.

Yours sincerely,

For The New India Assurance Company Limited

Jayashree Nair

Company Secretary & Chief Compliance Officer