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FHL/SEC/2018-19

**The National Stock Exchange of India Ltd.
Corporate Communications Department
“Exchange Plaza”, 5th Floor, Bandra-Kurla
Complex, Bandra (East), Mumbai – 400051
Scrip Symbol: FORTIS**

**BSE Limited
Corporate Services Department
Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers
Dalal Street, Mumbai – 400 001
Scrip Code:532843**

Sub: Update

Dear Sir(s),

This is in continuation of our letter ref. no. FHL/SEC/2018-19 dated December 15, 2018. Kindly find attached herewith announcement made by IHH Healthcare Berhad dated December 17, 2018 on Malaysian Stock Exchange (i.e. Bursa Malaysia) with respect to the Hon’ble Supreme Court order dated December 14, 2018 and, *inter alia*, the implications thereof on the open offer.

We will keep the stock exchanges updated / informed regarding material development in this matter. This is for your information and records please.

We assure you of our full cooperation at all times.

Thanking you,

Yours Faithfully

For **Fortis Healthcare Limited**

**Sumit Goel
Company Secretary & Compliance Officer (Interim)
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IHH Healthcare Berhad

Company No. 901914-V
(Incorporated in Malaysia)

IHH HEALTHCARE BERHAD (“IHH” OR THE “COMPANY”)

- (I) SUBSCRIPTION OF 235,294,117 NEW EQUITY SHARES OF FACE VALUE OF INDIAN RUPEE (“INR”) 10 EACH (“FORTIS SHARES”) IN FORTIS HEALTHCARE LIMITED (“FORTIS”) THROUGH PREFERENTIAL ALLOTMENT BY FORTIS TO AN INDIRECT WHOLLY-OWNED SUBSIDIARY OF IHH, NORTHERN TK VENTURE PTE LTD (“NTK” OR THE “ACQUIRER”) (“SUBSCRIPTION”);**
- (II) MANDATORY OPEN OFFER FOR ACQUISITION OF UP TO 197,025,660 FORTIS SHARES REPRESENTING ADDITIONAL 26% OF THE EXPANDED VOTING SHARE CAPITAL (AS DEFINED HEREIN) OF FORTIS BY THE ACQUIRER (“FORTIS OPEN OFFER”); AND**
- (III) MANDATORY OPEN OFFER FOR ACQUISITION OF UP TO 4,894,308 FULLY PAID UP EQUITY SHARES OF FACE VALUE OF INR 10 EACH (“MALAR SHARES”), REPRESENTING 26% OF THE FULLY DILUTED VOTING EQUITY SHARE CAPITAL OF FORTIS MALAR HOSPITALS LIMITED (“MALAR”) BY THE ACQUIRER (“MALAR OPEN OFFER”).**

We refer to our earlier announcements dated 13 July 2018, 15 August 2018 and 13 November 2018 (“**Said Announcements**”) in relation to the Proposals. Unless otherwise expressed or defined herein, all capitalised terms used in this announcement shall have the same meanings as ascribed to them in the Said Announcements (or any of them).

We further refer to the news article titled “Acquisition of Fortis on hold – India’s top court halts IHH’s purchase of private hospital operation” appearing in The Star BizWeek section on 15 December 2018.

The Board of Directors of IHH wishes to inform that the Honourable Supreme Court of India had on 14 December 2018 passed an order (“**Order**”) directing “status quo with regard to sale of the controlling stake in Fortis Healthcare to Malaysian IHH Healthcare Berhad be maintained”. In light of the Order, NTK and the PACs will not be able to proceed with the Fortis Open Offer for the time being until further order(s)/ clarification(s)/ direction(s) are issued by the Supreme Court of India and/or the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI).

The Board also wishes to clarify that IHH, PPL and NTK were not a party to the proceedings before the Supreme Court of India, and that the Order does not impact the Subscription which was completed on 13 November 2018 in accordance with applicable law, resulting in IHH through NTK, owning 31.1% of the Expanded Voting Share Capital of Fortis. IHH, PPL and NTK are in the process of evaluating the Order and seeking appropriate legal advice on this matter and will subsequently decide on the future course of action.

IHH will make appropriate announcement(s) to Bursa Securities in a timely manner in accordance with the Main Market Listing Requirements of Bursa Securities should there be any further material development on this matter.