

## **Press Release Archives**

**May 05, 2005**

### **Press reports regarding M/s. Monnet Ispat Ltd.**

The press had reports on May 04, 2005 that Monnet Ispat Limited is planning to invest Rs 1400 crore for setting up sponge iron units in Orissa & Jharkhand.

The Exchange, in order to verify the accuracy or otherwise of the information reported in the press and to inform the market place so that the interest of the investors is safeguarded, had written to the officials of the company.

Monnet Ispat Limited has vide its letter inter-alia stated, "We have not stated about any expansion of Rs. 1400 crores coming up in the state of Orissa and Jharkhand as reported in the press. The expansion of this magnitude of Rs. 1400 crore has not even been discussed by the Board of Directors of the Company. The information published in respect to expansion at Jharkhand and Orissa is not correct. However the expansion at Rajgarh (Chattisgarh) for Rs 630 crores is a fact and has been already announced in the past to the Exchange".

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### **Press reports regarding M/s. Century Textiles & Industries Ltd.**

The press had reports that Century Textiles & Industries Limited might come into the Aditya Birla group fold, as Kumarmangalam Birla plans to buy out the Birla family stake in Pilani Investments, which holds 37% stake in the company.

The Exchange, in order to verify the accuracy or otherwise of the information reported in the press and to inform the market place so that the interest of the investors is safeguarded, had written to the officials of the company.

Century Textiles & Industries Ltd has vide its letter inter-alia stated, "We have to state that the company is not aware of any such information as reported by the press".

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### **Press reports regarding M/s. Gillette India Ltd. & Procter & Gamble Hygiene and Health Care Ltd.**

The press had reports that Gillette India Limited and Procter & Gamble Hygiene and Health Care Limited might soon see an operational restructuring as the US-based parents have set their integration plan rolling.

The Exchange, in order to verify the accuracy or otherwise of the information reported in the press and to inform the market place so that the interest of the investors is safeguarded, had written to the officials of the companies.

Gillette India Limited has vide its letter inter-alia stated, "The transaction pursuant to the global announcement about merger of The Gillette Company with Procter & Gamble (P&G) is relatively at an early stage and the impact, if any, of the same on Gillette India Limited will be known in due course. The proposed global merger remains subject to various government approvals as well as the approvals of the shareholders of both the Companies in USA. We expect that the transaction will close in the fall of 2005 in the USA but until the transaction actually does close, Gillette and P & G are separate Companies and will continue to operate such. In view of the above it is currently premature to comment on the specific impact on Gillette India. We would like to assure you that we will keep the Exchange informed of any material events and developments as and when they

happen".

Reply is awaited from Procter & Gamble Hygiene and Health Care Limited.

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### **Corporates with highest number of complaints pending**

Given below are names of corporates with highest number of complaints pending against them for more than 2 months as on April 30, 2005.

Sr. No	Name of Corporate	Number of complaints pending
1.	Vatsa Corporations Ltd.	79
2.	Soundcraft Industries Ltd.	28
3.	Oil & Natural Gas Corpn Ltd.	11
3.	PTC India Ltd.	8
5.	Pal Peugeot Ltd.	8
6.	Enkay Texofood Industries Ltd.	6
7.	Tata Consultancy Services Limited	6
8.	GAIL (India) Limited	5
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### **The Exchange has successfully completed its 1305th Normal Settlement**

The Exchange has successfully completed its 1305th Normal Settlement (Rolling T+2 following SEBI directive) since inception i.e., Settlement Number N – 2005083 on May 05, 2005. The settlement statistics are as follows:

Particulars	Values
	N – 2005083
Total traded quantity (lakhs)	1857.34
Total traded value (Rs. In Crores)	3217.80
Total value of the settlement (Securities) (Rs. In Crores)	764.91
Total value of the settlement (Funds) (Rs. In Crores)	247.34
Shortages for the settlement	0.29%

% of Delivery ( No. of shares deliverable / No. of shares traded )	25.07%
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Retail Debt Market has completed its 579th settlement, details of which are as follows:

Settlement No.	Traded Value	Settlement Value	
		Securities	Funds
D-2005083	NIL	NIL	NIL

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