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Press Release no.1
NSE completes its 1621st Normal Settlement

The Exchange has successfully completed its 1621st Normal Settlements (Rolling T+2 following SEBI directive) since inception i.e., Settlement Number N – 2006146 on August 7, 2006. The settlement statistics are as follows:

| Particulars | Values |
|--|--------------------|
| | N – 2006146 |
| Total traded quantity (lakhs) | 2718.83 |
| Total traded value (Rs. In Crores) | 6340.46 |
| Total value of the settlement (Securities) (Rs. In Crores) | 1672.53 |
| Total value of the settlement (Funds) (Rs. In Crores) | 618.39 |
| Shortages for the settlement | 0.21% |
| % of Delivery (No. of shares deliverable / No. of shares traded) | 25.64% |

Retail Debt Market has completed its 895th settlement details of which are as follows:

| Settlement No. | Traded Value | Settlement Value | |
|----------------|--------------|------------------|-------|
| | | Securities | Funds |
| D- 2006146 | NIL | NIL | NIL |

Press Release no.2
News about Morepen Laboratories Limited

The media had reports on August 04, 2006 that Sabre Capital, Spinnaker Capital and Deutsche Bank will together acquire about 40% stake in Morepen Laboratories Ltd.

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

Morepen Laboratories Ltd has vide its letter inter-alia stated, "We wish to inform you that the Company's CDR proposal has already been approved, the due disclosure of which has been made. We are at an advanced stage of negotiations with a group of investors and further details can be furnished only when the matter is finalized."