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**August 11, 2000****Press reports regarding ABB Alstom Power India Ltd**

The press today had reports that Alstom Ltd, the domestic outfit of France's \$ 20-billion Alstom, is considering a merger with ABB Alstom Power India Ltd.

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.

ABB Alstom Power India Ltd. has vide their letter dated Aug 11, 2000 stated " We would like to state that this information was not issued by the Company Management and there is no authenticity to the facts contained therein. Therefore, this news item should be treated as a rumour."