



Press Release Archives January 12, 2004

Press reports regarding M/s. Mahindra & Mahindra Ltd.

The press had reports that Mahindra & Mahindra Limited is exploring the possibility of foraying into the motorcycles market.

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.

Mahindra & Mahindra Limited has vide its letter inter-alia stated, "In this regard we wish to inform you that the Company examines/pursues various opportunities in different areas, from time to time on a continuing basis and it is not practicable to comment upon every opportunity at every stage and relevant information will be provided to the Stock Exchange as and when necessary."

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Press reports regarding M/s. Hindustan Construction Co. Ltd.

The press had reports that Hindustan Construction Co. Limited has bagged Rs. 843-crore order for lifting water from Godavari river.

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.

Reply is awaited from Hindustan Construction Co. Limited.

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Press reports regarding M/s. IFCI Ltd.

The press had reports that IFCI Limited may merge with Punjab National Bank.

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.

Reply is awaited from IFCI Limited.

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Press reports regarding M/s. Mangalam Cement Ltd.

The press had reports that Cemex have re-opened talks to acquire 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.

Reply is awaited from Mangalam Cement Limited.

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Press reports regarding M/s. Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd.

The press had reports that Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Limited has decided to offer its 32 'marginal' fields to private operator. Further, the company is planning to foray into Srilanka with Ceylon Petroleum as a local partner.

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.

Reply is awaited from Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Limited.

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Press reports regarding M/s. Punjab National Bank

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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.

Reply is awaited from Punjab National Bank.

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The Exchange has successfully completed its 974th Normal Settlement

The Exchange has successfully completed its 974th Normal Settlement (Rolling T+2 following SEBI directive) since inception i.e., Settlement Number N - 2004006 on January 12, 2004. The settlement statistics are as follows:

Particulars	Values
	N - 2004006
Total traded quantity (lakhs)	3832.85
Total traded value (Rs. In Crores)	6288.09
Total value of the settlement (Securities) (Rs. In Crores)	1631.79
Total value of the settlement (Funds) (Rs. In Crores)	575.87
Shortages for the settlement	0.73%
% of Delivery (No. of shares delivered / No. of shares traded)	28.42%

Retail Debt Market has completed its 248th settlement, details of which are as follows:

Settlement No.	Traded Value	Settlement Value	
		Securities	Funds
2004006	NIL	NIL	NIL