



# Press Release Archives February 14, 2002

# **Press reports regarding Centurion Bank**

The press had reports that HSBC and ABN Amro seem to have entered the race for picking up a stake in Centurion 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 Centurion Bank Limited

Centurion Bank has vide their letter dated February 13, 2002 stated "We are thus unable to comment on the speculation about HSBC and ABN Amro since our Bank has not concluded any discussions with any strategic investor. We stand committed to make an appropriate announcement / disclosure to the Stock exchanges in the event of any decision being taken by the Bank in this connection."

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### Press reports regarding Nicholas Piramal Limited

The press had reports that Nicholas Piramal India Limited is forging strategic tie-ups with leading foreign biotech companies and that the company had already tied up with Gilead Sciences and Ajmen, both US based companies and Chiesi of Italy.

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 Nicholas Piramal Limited

Reply is awaited from Nicholas Piramal Limited.

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# Press reports regarding Marico Industries Limited

The press had reports that there are talks of a buyback offer from Marico Industries Limited.

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 Marico Industries Limited

Reply is awaited from Marico Industries Limited.

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# The Exchange has successfully completed its 496th Normal Settlement

The Exchange has successfully completed its 496th Normal Settlement (Rolling T+5 following SEBI directive) since inception i.e., Settlement Number N – 2002028 on February 14, 2002. The settlement statistics are as follows:

Particulars	Values
	N-2002028

Total traded quantity (lakhs)	1808.90
Total traded value (Rs. In Crores)	3666.82
Total value of the settlement (Securities) (Rs. In Crores)	533.20
Total value of the settlement (Funds) (Rs. In Crores)	204.14
Shortages for the settlement	0.49%
% of Delivery ( No. of shares delivered / No. of shares traded )	21.35%

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