

Press Release Archives**February 16, 2004****Companies under 'Permitted to Trade' category shall be withdrawn from trading**

Trading in the securities of the following companies under 'Permitted to Trade' category shall be withdrawn with effect from March 15, 2004

Sr.No.	Name of the Company
1	Balaji Distilleries Ltd.
2	PSI Data Systems Ltd.
3	Priyadarshini Cement Ltd.

The Exchange shall consider listing the above companies as and when these Companies fulfill the eligibility criteria for listing on the Exchange.

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

The press had reports that Mahindra group is planning to foray into aerospace and two-wheeler designing through Mahindra Engineering Services.

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 Motors Ltd.

The press had reports on February 13, 2004 that Hindustan Motors Limited is in talks with five foreign companies to lease out spare capacity at its Chennai plant.

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.

Hindustan Motors Limited has vide its letter inter-alia stated, "It is true that Chennai Car Plant of the Company has some spare capacity of car manufacturing and is looking out for suitable arrangement to utilize its spare capacity. Accordingly, the Company, in course of normal business exploration, has been in discussions with some car manufacturers who have also visited the said plant more by way of casual visits rather than as a part of any serious negotiation. The Company is also evaluating the options of launching other models of cars from Mitsubishi stable in next

fiscal."

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The Exchange has successfully completed its 997th Normal Settlement

The Exchange has successfully completed its 997th Normal Settlement (Rolling T+2 following SEBI directive) since inception i.e., Settlement Number N - 2004029 on February 16, 2004. The settlement statistics are as follows:

Particulars	Values
	N - 2004029
Total traded quantity (lakhs)	2563.09
Total traded value (Rs. In Crores)	5993.92
Total value of the settlement (Securities) (Rs. In Crores)	1231.86
Total value of the settlement (Funds) (Rs. In Crores)	405.65
Shortages for the settlement	0.28%
% of Delivery (No. of shares delivered / No. of shares traded)	21.94%

Retail Debt Market has completed its 271st settlement, details of which are as follows :

Settlement No.	Traded Value	Settlement Value	
		Securities	Funds
2004029	Nil	Nil	Nil

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