



Press Release Archives October 17, 2000

Press reports regarding Great Eastern Shipping Co. Ltd.

The press today had reports regarding Great Eastern Shipping Company's plan to buy-back its shares.

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.

Great Eastern Shipping Company have vide their letter dated October 17, 2000 stated, "We write to inform you that as and when the company proposes to take any such proposal to the Board for its consideration it will give appropriate notice to the Stock Exchange in accordance with the requirement of the Listing Agreement. Presently no such notice has been given".

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Press reports regarding Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited

The press yesterday had reports that Oman Oil is likely to opt for equity in the Bina refinery of Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited over Essar Oil 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 the company.

Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited have vide their letter dated October 17, 2000 stated, "In view of the time delay of around four years in receipt of environmental clearance for the Crude Import Facilities for the Bina Refinery Project, from the Government of Gujarat, the Oman Oil Company Limited is currently carrying out due diligence of the Bina Refinery Project and we have yet to receive their final communication".

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Bonds issued by ICICI Limited

The following bonds of ICICI Limited issued through prospectus dated July 10, 2000, will be made available for trading on the Capital Market Segment of the National Stock Exchange in the physical and depository segments w.e.f. October 18, 2000, as given below:

- 1. ICICI Limited Tax Saving Bond Option I
- 2. ICICI Limited Tax Saving Bond Option II
- 3. ICICI Limited Tax Saving Bond Option III
- 4. ICICI Limited Regular Income Bond Option I
- 5. ICICI Limited Regular Income Bond Option II
- 6. ICICI Limited Regular Income Bond Option III
- 7. ICICI Limited Money Multiplier Bond

The following securities will be made available for trading on the Capital Market Segment of the National Stock Exchange in the depository segment w.e.f. October 18, 2000, as given below:

- 1. ADF Foods Limited ISIN Code INE982B01019
- 2. Southern Herbals Limited ISIN Code INE001C01016