

Press Release Archives

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Press reports regarding M/s. Alfa Laval India Ltd.

The press had reports on December 18, 2003 that Alfa Laval India Limited is said to have bagged a contract to set up plants for the South African Breweries. The contract could be worth Rs.40 crore.

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.

Alfa Laval India Limited has vide its letter inter-alia stated, "We inform you that the news item is not authentic as the Company has not received order as mentioned therein."

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Press reports regarding M/s. Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd.

The press had reports on December 18, 2003 that Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited has bagged five major contracts worth over Rs 2,700 crore from National Thermal Power Corporation (NTPC).

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 Heavy Electricals Limited has vide its letter inter-alia stated, "We would like to inform you as under :- Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (BHEL) has secured five major contracts cumulatively worth over Rs 2,700 Crore from India's largest Power Utility - NTPC, for setting up three power projects with a combined power generating capacity of 1710 MW."

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Press reports regarding M/s. Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd.

The press had reports that there is a talk of merger of Kochi Refinery with 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.

Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited has vide its letter inter-alia stated, "We would like to clarify that there is no such proposal before the Board of BPCL in the matter as of date."

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Press reports regarding M/s. Kochi Refineries Ltd.

The press had reports that there is a talk of merger of the company with Bharat Petroleum Corporation 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.

Kochi Refineries Limited has vide its letter inter-alia stated, "Informal discussions were being held between the officials of KRL and BPCL in March 2002 and there was no concrete proposal before Board of BPCL in the matter as on that date. There is no further development in the matter, and KRL is not aware of any talks as stated in the news item. We would inform the stock exchange in advance if any such proposal is placed before the KRL Board in future."

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Press reports regarding M/s. KDL Biotech Ltd.

The press had reports on December 18, 2003 that the UK- based Synpac Pharmaceuticals is expected to invest \$1m in KDL Biotech 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.

KDL Biotech Limited has vide its letter inter-alia stated, "We would like to clarify that no fresh investment is envisaged by Synpac Pharmaceuticals Limited, UK or any other Koos group company in the Company. However, the Company owes approximately US\$ 941770 to Synpac Pharmaceuticals Limited, UK towards supply of raw materials. The Company has initiated discussions with Synpac Pharmaceuticals Limited, UK requesting it to convert this amount into equity share capital of the Company subject to compliance with applicable law and obtaining requisite regulatory approvals. These discussions are at a very preliminary request stage. Neither any decision has been taken nor has any agreement been reached in this regard. The Company will keep the Exchange fully informed of any development towards the same in accordance with listing guidelines and applicable SEBI regulations. No proposal or plans are envisaged by Synpac Pharmaceuticals Limited, UK to become majority shareholder in the Company, to the best of information and knowledge of the Company."

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The Exchange has successfully completed its 959th Normal Settlement

The Exchange has successfully completed its 959th Normal Settlement (Rolling T+2 following SEBI directive) since inception i.e., Settlement Number N – 2003243 on December 19, 2003. The settlement statistics are as follows:

Particulars	Values
	N - 2003243
Total traded quantity (lakhs)	2775.97
Total traded value (Rs. In Crores)	4754.25
Total value of the settlement (Securities) (Rs. In Crores)	1099.44
Total value of the settlement (Funds) (Rs. In Crores)	437.99
Shortages for the settlement	0.52%
% of Delivery (No. of shares delivered / No. of shares traded)	28.26%

Retail Debt Market has completed its 233rd settlement, details of which are as follows :

Settlement No.	Traded Value	Settlement Value	
		Securities	Funds
2003243	NIL	NIL	NIL

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