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Sub: Clarification on the News Item

Ref. Clarification on a news item appearing in the Economics Times captioned "Bharti Airtel may Sell 25% in Africa Unit to raise Up to dollar 1.5 bn".

Dear Sir / Madam,

This is in reference to news item appearing in the Economics Times captioned "Bharti Airtel may Sell 25% in Africa Unit to raise Up to dollar 1.5 bn" dt May 04, 2018. It is hereby submitted that the Company on February 14, 2018 had submitted an intimation wherein it was duly informed that Board of Directors of Bharti Airtel International (Netherlands) BV at its meeting held on February 12, 2018 had authorized its management to initiate non-binding exploratory discussions with various banks / intermediaries to evaluate the possibility / feasibility of listing of its shares on an internationally recognized stock exchange.

Kindly note that above discussions are at an exploratory / preliminary stage and at this juncture, there is no certainty of any final decision or outcome.

The Company will make necessary disclosures at an appropriate time. The Company further confirms that it has not released any specific information pertaining to the news report.

Please take the above information on record.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For Bharti Airtel Limited

BHARTI AIRTEL LIMITED NEW DELHI

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