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Ref: Bharti Airtel Limited (532454 / BHARTIARTL)
Sub: Media statement

Dear Sir / Madam,

We are enclosing herewith a media statement dt. November 03, 2016 being issued by Bharti Airtel International (Netherlands) BV, a wholly owned subsidiary of Bharti Airtel Limited.

We request you to take the same on record.

Thanking You,

Sincerely Yours,

For Bharti Airtel Limited

Rajendra Chopra
Sr. Vice President & Company Secretary

Media statement from Bharti Airtel International (Netherlands) BV

Bharti Airtel International (Netherlands) BV ("Airtel"), and Zain Telecom ("Zain"), have reached an agreement, pursuant to which Zain is to pay to Airtel approx. USD 129 million for the settlement of all of Airtel's claims on account of the Nigeria Litigation, certain tax matters and associated legal costs.

Under the terms of the 2010 Share Sale/Purchase Agreement, Zain had provided Airtel certain indemnities covering the Nigeria Litigation and for certain tax claims.

A separate settlement has been reached between Airtel and Econet Wireless Limited ("Econet") settling all claims, disputes whatsoever, between the two including in Nigeria and Netherlands.

With these settlements, Airtel has closed several ongoing major litigations in Nigeria, UK and Netherlands.