Hindusthan National Glass and Industries celebrates 60 glorious years

- *Start-up of the world's largest container glass furnace with a capacity of 650 TPD (tonnes per day)*
- *Unveiling of the 60th year's logo*

Nashik, June 27, 2012: Hindusthan National Glass & Industries Ltd. (HNGIL), the flagship Company of HNG Group celebrates 60 glorious years of service to glass packaging industry and announced commencement of world's largest container glass furnace at Nashik, Maharashtra. Present to grace the occasion were - Mr C.K.Somany - Chairman HNGIL; Mr. Mukul Somany - Managing Director & Vice Chairman HNGIL; Mr Sanjay Somany - Managing Director & Vice chairman HNGIL along with Mr.Pratip Choudhury - Chairman of State Bank of India.

The company's new facility houses one of the world's largest container glass furnaces with a capacity of 650 TPD. A total of six production lines have been installed with a state-of-the-art technology to produce glass in world's largest end fired container furnace. Some of the most reputed suppliers of machinery and technology for the glass industry like HORN Glass, SORG GmbH, Zippe, Emhart, Mysac, Sipac and many others have been selected for supply of equipment and technology for this furnace. The new furnace is equipped to manufacture products of international standards thus setting a benchmark for global container glass manufacturers.

Speaking on the occasion, Mr C.K.Somany, Chairman, Hindusthan National Glass and Industries Ltd said, "I am very happy to come up with our new state-of-the-art facility to serve our customers more effectively and efficiently."

Mr.Mukul Somany, Vice Chairman and Managing Director, Hindusthan National Glass and Industries Ltd. said, "We are delighted to celebrate our success with you. Our zeal for the container glass industry is visible with the implementation of latest technological innovations in our production process at regular intervals. We are here to set the benchmark for the industry by supplying products of international standards."

Mr Sanjay Somany, Vice Chairman and Managing Director, Hindusthan National Glass and Industries Ltd , added, "The Company has increased assets under management substantially in the past two years, and we have rapidly scaled our productions within a short span of time."

About HNGIL:

HNGIL is the largest container glass manufacturer in India with gross annual turnover of more than Rs. 2,000 crores (FY-11-12). HNGIL was founded by Mr. C.K. Somany - a visionary entrepreneur, in 1946 with the inauguration of India's first fully automated glass container manufacturing plant at Rishra, near Kolkata. Headquartered in Kolkata, today HNGIL's manufacturing facilities are located at Rishra, Bahadurgarh, Rishikesh, Puducherry, Nashik and Neemrana and a global presence in Gardelegen in Germany. The Company has been successfully exporting its products to over 29 countries across the globe. The Company's seventh Greenfield project equipped with world's largest batch house is coming up in Naidupeta in Andhra Pradesh shortly.

For more information on the Company, please log on to http://www.hngil.com/

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