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Sub: Press Release titled “Himadri’s CMD & CEO Anurag Choudhary Honoured as BT India’s Best CEO 2026 in Chemicals Category”

Dear Sir/Madam,

We are pleased to announce that Mr. Anurag Choudhary, Chairman Cum Managing Director and CEO of Himadri Speciality Chemical Ltd (“Himadri”/ “Company”) has been honoured as **Business Today India’s Best CEO Awards 2026 (Chemicals Category)**.

The recognition, presented as part of the **BT MindRush 2026**, celebrates India’s top corporate leaders who are building globally competitive enterprises and driving economic growth in a rapidly evolving global environment.

This recognition reinforces Himadri’s position as a forward-looking organisation, driven by strong leadership and a clear strategic roadmap for sustained growth.

We are enclosing herewith for your information a copy of Press Release titled “**Himadri’s CMD & CEO Anurag Choudhary Honoured as BT India’s Best CEO 2026 in Chemicals Category**”

The above information will also be available on the website of the Company at www.himadri.com

This is for your information and records.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,
For Himadri Speciality Chemical Ltd

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Company Secretary & Compliance Officer
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PRESS RELEASE

Himadri's CMD & CEO Anurag Choudhary Honoured as BT India's Best CEO 2026 in Chemicals Category



Kolkata | April 2, 2026: Himadri Speciality Chemical Ltd (HSCL), a global leader in speciality chemicals and advanced materials, would like to announce that our Chairman, Managing Director and CEO, Anurag Choudhary, has been honoured as **Business Today India's Best CEO Awards 2026 (Chemicals)**.

The recognition, presented as part of the **BT MindRush 2026**, celebrates India's top corporate leaders who are building globally competitive enterprises and driving economic growth in a rapidly evolving global environment.

Our CMD, Mr. Choudhary has been recognised in the **Chemicals category** for his role in steering Himadri's transformation into a diversified speciality chemicals and advanced materials company, with a strong focus on innovation, value-added product segments, and global expansion. Under his leadership, the Company has strengthened its presence across speciality carbon black, advanced materials, and emerging segments such as battery materials, while maintaining a sharp focus on operational excellence, sustainability, and long-term value creation.

In addition, Mr. Choudhary also participated in a leadership panel discussion at the event titled **Leading Through Disruption**, where leading CEOs shared insights on strategy, risk, and navigating business transformation in a rapidly changing environment.



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About: Himadri Speciality Chemical Ltd

Himadri Speciality Chemical Ltd is a global speciality chemical conglomerate with a strong focus on research and development (R&D), innovation and sustainability.

As a pioneer in the production of lithium-ion battery materials in India, it continuously develops and innovates raw materials of the lithium-ion battery value chain. Its diverse product portfolio includes speciality carbon black, coal tar pitch, refined naphthalene, advanced materials, SNF, speciality oils, clean power, etc., catering to various industries such as lithium-ion batteries, paints, plastics, tires, technical rubber goods, aluminium, graphite electrodes, agrochemicals, defence and construction chemicals. Himadri operates in both domestic and international markets, exporting to 56 countries across the globe.

With a strong commitment to corporate governance, safety and sustainability, it has 8 zero-liquid discharge manufacturing facilities and utilises in-house clean power for 100% of its electrical energy needs. Himadri is a people-first organisation that is making a positive impact on the industry, both in India and globally, through its focus on innovation fuelled by extensive R&D, new business opportunities, and sustainability.
