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**Sub: Press Release titled “Himadri Speciality Chemical Ltd Commences Commercial Operations of 70,000 MTPA Speciality Carbon Black Line at Mahistikry; Site Becomes World’s Largest Single-Location Speciality Carbon Black Facility”**

Dear Sir/ Madam,

Pursuant to Regulation 30 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (“Listing Regulations”), we are pleased to inform you that Himadri Speciality Chemical Ltd (“Himadri”/ “Company”) has commenced Commercial Operations of 70,000 MTPA Speciality Carbon Black Line at the Company’s manufacturing facility situated at Mahistikry, Hooghly, West Bengal.

We are enclosing herewith for your information a copy of Press Release titled “Himadri Speciality Chemical Ltd Commences Commercial Operations of 70,000 MTPA Speciality Carbon Black Line at Mahistikry; Site Becomes World’s Largest Single-Location Speciality Carbon Black Facility.”

The above information will also be available on the website of the Company at [www.himadri.com](http://www.himadri.com)

You are requested to take same on record.

Thanking You,

Yours faithfully,  
For Himadri Speciality Chemical Ltd

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## Press Release

### **Himadri Speciality Chemical Ltd Commences Commercial Operations of 70,000 MTPA Speciality Carbon Black Line at Mahistikry; Site Becomes World's Largest Single-Location Speciality Carbon Black Facility**

**Kolkata, India | February 24, 2026:** Himadri Speciality Chemical Ltd (HSCL), a global leader in speciality chemicals and advanced carbon materials, today announced the commencement of commercial operations of its newly commissioned 70,000 MTPA Speciality Carbon Black line at its manufacturing facility in Mahistikry, Hooghly, West Bengal.

With the successful commissioning of this brownfield expansion, Himadri's total Carbon Black manufacturing capacity now stands enhanced to 2,50,000 MTPA, including a Speciality Carbon Black capacity of 1,30,000 MTPA at the Mahistikry site. With this scale, the Mahistikry facility becomes the world's largest single-location Speciality Carbon Black manufacturing site.

This milestone marks a significant step in Himadri's strategic growth journey and reinforces its leadership position in the global speciality carbon black market.



The expansion substantially strengthens the Company's speciality portfolio and enhances its ability to serve high-value, performance-driven applications across plastics, inks, paints, coatings, and other niche segments. The project incorporates advanced process technologies, state-of-the-art quality control systems, energy efficient operations, and scalable infrastructure, ensuring consistent production of premium grades for global customers.

**Commenting on the development, Mr. Anurag Choudhary, CMD & CEO, Himadri Speciality Chemical Ltd said:**

*"The commencement of commercial operations of our 70,000 MTPA Speciality Carbon Black line at Mahistikry marks the beginning of the next phase of growth in our advanced carbon materials journey. With this expansion, Mahistikry becomes the world's largest single-location Speciality Carbon Black facility, with a capacity of 1,30,000 MTPA. This milestone significantly enhances our production capabilities and positions us strongly to capture rising global demand in premium, application-specific segments such as plastics, inks, paints, coatings, and other specialized industries. We remain committed to disciplined expansion, operational excellence, sustainability, and delivering high-performance solutions that create long-term value for all stakeholders."*

The newly commissioned capacity is expected to contribute meaningfully to revenue growth and strengthen the Company's margin profile over the medium term. As global demand continues to shift toward high-performance, customized carbon solutions, Himadri's enhanced scale provides competitive advantages through operational efficiencies, supply reliability, faster market responsiveness, and improved product innovation capabilities.

## **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 pioneer in the production of lithium-ion battery materials in India, it continuously develops and innovates raw materials of lithium-ion battery value chain. It's diverse product portfolio includes speciality carbon black, coal tar pitch, refined naphthalene, advance materials, SNF, speciality oils, clean power, etc. catering to various industries such as lithium-ion batteries, paints, plastics, tyres, 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 utilizes in-house clean power for 100% of its electrical energy needs. Himadri is a people first organization and is making a positive impact on the industry, both in India and globally through its focus on innovation fueled by extensive R&D, new business opportunities and sustainability.

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