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Dear Sir/ Madam,

Ref: Submission of information pursuant to Regulation 30(4) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

Sub: Press Release

We are enclosing herewith the Press Release dated May 16, 2018 titled: 'Thomas Cook India targets high growth Maharashtra market - Opens Foreign Exchange outlet at Hinjewadi, Pune'

This is for your information and records.

Thank you,
Yours faithfully,
For **Thomas Cook (India) Limited**

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News Release

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Thomas Cook India targets high growth Maharashtra market
~Opens Foreign Exchange outlet at Hinjewadi, Pune~

Mumbai/Pune, May 16, 2018: Thomas Cook (India) Ltd., India's leading integrated travel and travel related financial services company, has identified the state of Maharashtra as a significant growth market for its Foreign Exchange business and to leverage this opportunity, has opened a branch at Hinjewadi, Pune - inaugurated by Mr. Mahesh Iyer, Chief Executive Officer & Mr. Deepesh Varma, Head of Sales and Relationship Management-Foreign Exchange, Thomas Cook India.

Hinjewadi, as one of the India's largest Special Economic Zones (SEZ), is home to India's corporate houses and MNCs, including top IT majors and hence offers significant opportunity for Thomas Cook's Foreign Exchange business. This is reiterated via Thomas Cook India's internal research that reveals the strong and growing potential of Hinjewadi-Pune, being the gateway/hub for business travellers- young professionals, corporates and SMEs. Via its new outlet, the Company aims at harnessing this significant yet underleveraged opportunity for its Foreign Exchange business.

The new branch at Hinjewadi augments Thomas Cook India's Foreign Exchange network in Pune to **6;** and **30** for the state of Maharashtra.

The consumer empowering Foreign Exchange Product-Service portfolio available at the branch:
Prepaid Travel Cards

- Multi-currency Borderless Prepaid Card in partnership with MasterCard- with 9 global currencies
- Thomas Cook One Currency Card– India's first prepaid card with Zero cross-currency conversion fees

Easy ways to Book for Pune's rapidly evolving on-the-move consumer

- Forex App; Online Forex; Forex on Mobile.

Education Forex for Pune's overseas student segment with discounted air fares, excess baggage, insurance and foreign exchange products
Remittances (both Inward and Outward); its "Send Money Abroad" covering over 120 countries

Mr. Mahesh Iyer, Chief Executive Officer, Thomas Cook (India) Ltd. said, ***"****Maharashtra has been identified as a key source market and Pune is a strong growth driver that continues to deliver over 30% YoY for our Foreign Exchange business. We have hence selected the prime location of Hinjewadi for our new outlet in Pune- its viable catchment of consumers across families, young professionals and business travellers offers us significant opportunity."*

Mr. Deepesh Varma, Head of Sales & Relationship Management- Foreign Exchange, Thomas Cook (India) Ltd., *said, "Our new outlet at Hinjewadi gives our consumers convenient access to a range of foreign exchange products and services. Innovative products like our Borderless Prepaid card, the One Currency Card & our Forex mobile app are of great value to Maharashtra's tech savvy travellers and we are confident of seeing strong uptake."*

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About Thomas Cook (India) Limited: Thomas Cook (India) Ltd. (TCIL) is the leading integrated travel and travel related financial services company in the country offering a broad spectrum of services that include Foreign Exchange, Corporate Travel, MICE, Leisure Travel, Insurance, Visa & Passport services and E-Business. The company set up its first office in India in 1881.

The Thomas Cook India Group spanning 21 countries across 4 continents, a team of over 198,500 and a combined revenue in excess of Rs. 8700 crore (over $ 1.34 billion), operates leading B2C and B2B brands including, Thomas Cook, SOTC, TCI, Sita, Asian Trails, Allied T Pro, Australian Tours Management, Desert Adventures, Travel Circle International Limited, Private Safaris East & South Africa. The Group is today one of the largest travel service provider networks headquartered in the Asia-Pacific region.

ICRA has placed the long-term rating of 'ICRA AA' assigned to the non-convertible debenture programme of TCIL on 'rating watch with developing implications'. CRISIL has placed its rating of 'CRISIL AA–' on the long-term bank facilities of TCIL on 'rating watch with developing implications', while reaffirming its 'CRISIL A1+' rating on the short-term bank facilities and short-term debt of the Company.

Thomas Cook (India) Ltd has been felicitated with the **Best Outbound Tour Operator** and **Leading Company with Cutting Edge Travel Innovation** at the **Times Travel Awards 2018, Excellence in Domestic Tour Operations** at the **Satte Awards 2018, Best Travel Entrepreneur of The Year** at **TTG Travel Awards 2017, French Ambassador's Diamond Award** for **Exemplary Acheivements in Visa Insurance – 2015, 2016 &2017** and **Condé Nast Traveller – Readers' Trave; Awards 2011-2016.** For more information, please visit www.thomascook.in

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The company, through Thomas Cook (India) Ltd., owns 49.02% of Quess Corp Limited, a provider of integrated business services, and 100% of Sterling Holiday Resorts Limited, a company engaged in time share and resort business.

About Quess Corp Limited: Quess Corp Limited (BSE: 539978, NSE: QUESS), established in 2007, is India's leading integrated business services provider. Based out of Bengaluru, Quess today has a Pan-India presence with 65 offices across 34 cities along with overseas footprint in North America, the Middle East and South East Asia. It serves over 1700+ customers across 4 segments namely, Global Technology Solutions, People & Services, Integrated Facility Management and Industrials. Quess has over 212,500 employees (including Manipal Integrated Services and Terrier Security Services) and market cap of over INR 11,551 Crores as on September 30, 2017. For further details on Quess Corp Ltd. please visit: www.quesscorp.com

About Sterling Holiday Resorts Limited: Sterling Holiday Resorts Limited, a leading holiday lifestyle company in India, was incorporated in 1986 with the vision of delivering great holiday experiences to Indian families. To achieve this vision, the company pioneered Vacation Ownership in India and set about building a network of leisure resorts at some of the best holiday destinations in India. Currently, Sterling Holidays has an inventory of 2124 rooms across 32 resorts.

In March 2016, Sterling Holidays acquired 'Nature Trails Resorts Private Limited' - an adventure holiday company that operates resorts at four unique destinations in Maharashtra. For more information, please visit www.sterlingholidays.com

About SOTC Travel Limited: SOTC Travel Limited (formerly known as SOTC Travel Private Limited) is a step-down subsidiary of Fairfax Financial Holdings Group; held through its Indian listed subsidiary, Thomas Cook (India) Limited (TCIL). SOTC is a leading travel and tourism company active across various travel segments including Leisure Travel, Incentive Travel and Business Travel.

TCIL through its Subsidiary holds100% stake in Travel Circle International Limited, which has an attractive business in the travel sector backed by a trusted brand name, and a stable and motivated professional management team. The company is a premium outbound travel operator in Hong Kong. For more information please visit www.sotc.in

About the recent acquisitions: TCIL recently completed the acquisition of TC Forex Services Limited (Formerly known as Tata Capital Forex Limited) (TC Forex) and TC Travel and Services Limited (TC Travel). TC Forex offers travel related foreign exchange products including Currency notes, Travel Cards and Traveller's cheques and TC Travel offers a wide range of services including Airline ticketing, Booking Hotel accommodation, Visa and Passport facilitation, Travel insurance etc.

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