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**National Stock Exchange of India Limited**
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Dear Sir,

**Sub: Confirmation / Information on published news.**
**Ref: your letter no. NSE/CM/Surveillance/R-120 dated 15.10.2015.**

This is in response to the clarification sought with reference to recent news item which appeared in the www.business-standard.com dated 15-Oct-2015, captioned "Australian govt clears Adani's Carmichael mine".

In early August this year, the approval granted by the Minister for the Environment in mid-July 2014 was partially set aside, following consent orders of the Federal Court to address a legal technicality in the approval process arising from a technical error on the part of the Environment Department. Subsequent to this, the Minister looked at other information provided by a number of environmental groups. The approval of today has come out after the consideration of information provided to the Minister.

Please find below the media release issued by Adani Mining Pty Ltd on the matter:

*Adani Australia welcomes today's announcement from the Minister for the Environment, The Hon. Greg Hunt MP, on the approval of the Carmichael Mine and North Galilee Basin Rail (NGBR) under the EPBC Act.*

*The Carmichael Mine and NGBR lie at the heart of Adani's plans to build a long term future with Queensland.*

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*In early August this year, the approval granted by the Minister in mid July 2014 was partially set aside, following consent orders of the Federal Court to address a legal technicality in the approval process arising from a technical error on the part of the Environment Department.*

*Adani noted at the time that the company was confident in the soundness of the broader approvals, that the species involved had been protected by conditions and that the technical error would be promptly rectified.*

*Today's announcement of the final federal approval for the Carmichael Mine and North Galilee Basin Rail by Minister Hunt makes clear that these concerns have been addressed, reflected in rigorous and painstaking conditions.*

*Adani has said for some time now that what is required for companies planning major job creating and infrastructure generating projects in Australia is certainty on approvals. It is certainty over the remaining approvals that is now key to the company progressing its plan to deliver mine, rail and port projects in Queensland that will deliver 10,000 direct and indirect jobs, and $22 billion in taxes and royalties to be reinvested back into community services.*

*Consistent with our public statements over the past several months, we look forward to the remaining government approvals and decision processes being dealt with promptly to ensure these job creating projects get back on track, so the much needed economic benefits of this project can commence and we can continue with our aspiration to build a long term future with Queensland.*

Thanking you,
Yours faithfully,

Yours faithfully,
For **Adani Enterprises Ltd**

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