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Sub.: Scrip Code: CLNINDIA Media Release

Dear Sir,

We are attaching herewith Media Release titled "Clariant records sales of Rs. 1014 crore for year ended March 2018".

Kindly take the above document on record.

Thanking you,
For Clariant Chemicals (India) Limited

Amee Joshi
Company Secretary

Encl.: As above

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Media Release

Clariant Chemicals (India) Ltd

Clariant records Sales of Rs. 1014 crore for year ended March 2018

- **Net Sales for the 12 months ended March 2018 grew by 3.4%**
- **Board recommends a Final Dividend of Rs. 5/- per share (50%)**

Mumbai, May 15, 2018 – Clariant Chemicals (India) Limited, India's leader in specialty chemicals, today announced its financial results for the year ended March 31, 2018.

The Net Sales for the 12 months ended March 31, 2018, stood at Rs. 1014 crore as against the reported sales of Rs. 981 crore for the period ended March 31, 2017. The Company registered a growth of 3.4% for the 12 months, as against the same period last year.

The Company's Profit before tax stood at Rs. 33.4 crore for the 12 months ended March 31, 2018 as compared to Rs. 36.3 crore for the period ended March 31, 2017.

The Board has recommended a Final Dividend of Rs. 5/- per share (50%).

For the quarter ended March 31, 2018, the Net Sales was at Rs. 244 crore as against Rs. 254 crore. The Profit from operations stood at Rs. 1.9 crore for the quarter ended March 31, 2018 as against Rs. 10.2 crore in the same period last year.

The Company continues its focus on raw material and cost management, site optimization, targeting new markets and introducing innovative products in its drive for sustainable growth.

The reported extract of the financial result is as follows:

Particulars *(Rupees in Crores)*	**3 months ended Mar 31 2018**	**3 months ended Mar 31, 2017**	**Year ended Mar 31, 2018**	**Year ended Mar 31, 2017**
Revenue from operations	244	254*	1014**	981***
Profit from operations	3.6	11.8	13.3****	36.3

** reported sales Rs. 273 crores including excise duty of Rs.19 crores*

*** reported sales Rs. 1029 crores including excise duty of Rs.15 crores*

**** reported sales Rs. 1060 crores including excise duty of Rs.79 crores*

***** excludes profit of Rs. 20.12 crores on sale of residential and commerical properties*

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Clariant is a globally leading specialty chemical company, based in Muttenz near Basel/Switzerland. On December 31, 2017 the company employed a total workforce of 18,135. In the financial year 2017, Clariant recorded sales of approximately CHF 6377 Million. The company reports in four business areas: Care Chemicals, Catalysis, Natural Resources, and Plastics & Coatings. Clariant's corporate strategy is based on five pillars: focus on innovation through R&D, add value with sustainability, reposition portfolio, intensify growth, and increase profitability.

Clariant's listed entity in India - **Clariant Chemicals (India) Ltd**, headquartered in Mumbai includes the businesses Pigments, Masterbatches and Additives, which deliver solutions for the emerging industry sectors in India. The 800-plus employee strength generated sales of INR 10.19 billion (in 15 months ended March 31, 2017). Clariant has also invested in a state-of-the-art Regional Innovation Center in Mumbai, with an aim to co-create tailor-made solutions with customers for the industry.

Clariant is committed to Responsible Care ® and several external sustainability initiatives such as the Global Product Strategy and the United Nations Global Compact. Clariant is one of the top European chemical companies being part of Dow Jones Sustainability Indices.

Press release and photography can be downloaded from www.clariant.com or www.PressReleaseFinder.com.