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Dear Sir,

Ref : **Reliance Infra's First Cement Unit at Butibori, Maharashtra Commences Production**

We forward herewith a copy of the media release being issued by the Company in the above matter.

Kindly bring the above to the notice of members.

Yours faithfully
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Media Release

Reliance Infra's First Cement Unit at Butibori, Maharashtra Commences Production

- ***RInfra's first cement unit is fully automated with State-of-the-art laboratory and quality assurance system***
- ***RInfra's 10 million tonnes cement projects are under execution at Maharashtra and Madhya Pradesh - Investment of over Rs. 6,000 crore***

Mumbai, September 3, 2012: Reliance Cement Company Private Limited (RCC), a subsidiary of Reliance Infrastructure Limited, has commenced production from its first manufacturing unit at Butibori, Nagpur (Maharashtra). This unit will mainly service the Vidarbha market in Maharashtra.

The company is currently executing its two projects with a total capacity of 10 million tonnes in Madhya Pradesh and Maharashtra with connected satellite grinding plants. Pegged at 5 million tonnes each, these two projects will set the foundation for the upcoming projects thereon. All the manufacturing facilities of the company will be state-of-the-art in terms of technology and scale, and will also leverage best practices in logistics, distribution and last mile selling.

The company will have its clinker producing plants close to the main raw material - limestone and then have satellite grinding units closer to the target markets. The cement production relies heavily on energy resources like coal and power along with raw materials mainly limestone and fly-ash, the synergy of these factors combined with execution capabilities of Reliance Group drives its cement business to become a potential leader in the domain and become an integral part of the Indian infrastructure development story.

Commenting on this development, Mr. Sumit Banerjee, Vice Chairman of Reliance Cement, said, *"Commissioning of Butibori unit is a landmark event in the cement industry, marking the entry of one of the largest business groups of India into the sector. Reliance's foray in cement industry is a natural extension of its interests in power and infrastructure businesses. Reliance Cement aspires to be a NextGen Cement Company, and be counted amongst the top five cement companies in India in the next 5 years. All the business processes of the company, for manufacturing, sales & distribution, customer service and administration are being designed to be fully automated and compatible to the expectations of the NextGen consumers of India. While two projects of 5 MTPA each in Madhya Pradesh and Maharashtra are currently under execution, several others are under various stages of development."*

Reliance Infrastructure Limited

Reliance Infrastructure Ltd (RInfra) is the largest infrastructure company developing projects, through various Special Purpose Vehicles, in several high growth areas in Infrastructure sector i.e. Roads, Metro rail, Airports, etc. The Company is also leading utility company having presence across the value chain of power, businesses i.e. Generation, Transmission, Distribution, EPC and Trading.

The Company is developing two metro rail projects in Mumbai and operating Airport Metro Express in Delhi; awarded eleven road projects with total length of 1,000 kms; operate and maintain five airports in Maharashtra and developing 2 cement plants of 5 Mn tons each in Maharashtra and Madhya Pradesh.

RInfra generates 940 MW of power through its five power stations; distributes power to 57 lakhs consumers in Mumbai and Delhi; developing five transmission projects including first Independent Private Transmission project in India.

RInfra also provides Engineering, Procurement and Construction (EPC) for developing power & road projects and currently have an orderbook of Rs.15,560 crore.