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The General Manager Corporate Relation Department BSE Ltd. 1st Floor, New Trading Ring Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers Dalal Street MUMBAI : 400 001 Ref. : Company Code No. : 530001	The General Manager Listing Department National Stock Exchange of India Ltd. "Exchange Plaza", C-1, Block 'G' Bandra-Kurla Complex Bandra (East) MUMBAI : 400 051 Ref. : Company Code No. : GUJALKALI
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Dear Sir,

Sub. : Disclosure of information under Regulation 30(4) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

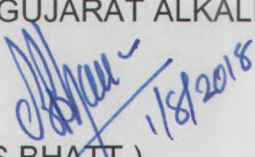
The Company had, vide its letter dated 27.01.2017, informed the exchanges about the decision of the Board of Directors of the Company at its 360th meeting held on 27th January, 2017 with respect to the establishment of 32,000 TPA Poly Aluminium Chloride Plant (18% PAC) at Coelho Complex, Vadodara.

In this regard, we would like to inform that the commercial production at the said PAC Plant has started successfully on 31st July, 2018. As informed earlier in our letter dated 27.01.2017, the estimated increase in top-line of the Company by this production from this new plant is about Rs.33 Crores.

We enclose herewith Press Note to be published in newspapers.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,
For GUJARAT ALKALIES AND CHEMICALS LIMITED


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COMPANY SECRETARY &
GENERAL MANAGER (LEGAL & CC)



First dispatch of Poly Aluminium Chloride from

GACL's Coelho Complex, Vadodara

In presence of GACL TEAM, Mr. P K Gera, IAS, Managing Director of GACL flagged off the first dispatch from the new Poly Aluminium Chloride Plant having capacity of 32000 TPA, from its Coelho Complex, Vadodara. The Company has taken up various projects for expanding its current product lines through debottlenecking, and putting up additional capacities through new plants and this new facility is one more step towards it.

Gujarat Alkalies and Chemicals Limited (GACL) was established in the year 1973 with an aim to manufacture caustic soda and allied products. Today spread over 2 strategic locations at Vadodara and Dahej, by harnessing cutting edge technology, groundbreaking research and development, GACL has emerged as one of the largest merchant manufacturers of chloro-alkali products including Caustic Soda in India. It is offering more than 33 products. The Organization follows stringent quality protocols set in accordance with global quality norms and manufactures purity-rich chemicals that play a vital role in industrial development. The Company's products are used in industries like Paper & Pulp, Soaps & Detergent, Textile, Paint, Pharmaceuticals, Fertilizers, Pesticides, Metal, Rubber, PVC, Water Treatment, Food Processing, Activation of Petroleum Wells, Rocket Propellant and many such fields.

Mr. Gera talked about the Company's expansion plan to reach Rs.5000 CR turnover by 2022. He said as a part of vision plan, the Company was increasing its current production capacity as well as adding new products in the current product basket and reaching out to new avenues all around the world to make its mark in the global market. Such projects include increasing Hydrogen Peroxide capacity by putting another new 14000 TPA plant, new 105,000 TPA Chloromethanes Plant, 33,870 TPA Phosphoric Acid plant, 39600 TPA Chlorotoluenes Plant, 15000 TPA Stable Bleaching Powder (SBP) Plant, 16500 TPA Anhydrous Aluminium Chloride (AAC) plant and 10000 TPA Hydrazine Hydrate plant at Dahej Complex. The Company has also formed a Joint Venture with M/s. NALCO for putting up a new 800 TPD Caustic Soda Plant integrated with a 130 MW Coal based power plant at Dahej. All the above projects are under implementation stage and are expected to be completed in phased manner by Financial Year 2020-21.

Place : Vadodara

Date : 01.08.2018



