



July 28, 2012

To,

**BSE Limited**  
Listing Department  
Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers,  
Dalal Street,  
Mumbai – 400 001

**National Stock Exchange of India Limited**  
Listing Department  
Exchange Plaza,  
Bandra Kurla Complex,  
Mumbai – 400 051

Dear Sirs,

**Subject: Media reports dated July 26 and 27, 2012 - Clarification**

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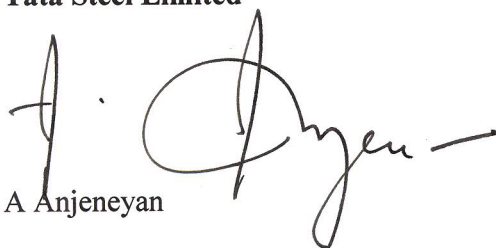
This is with reference to various media reports dated July 26 and 27, 2012 regarding Tata Steel Limited's plans to merge Tata Sponge Iron Limited and The Tinplate Company of India Limited with itself.

In this regard, we hereby clarify that, as of the date of this letter, there are no current and active plans to merge Tata Sponge Iron Limited and The Tinplate Company of India Limited with Tata Steel Limited.

The above is for your information and record.

Yours sincerely,

**Tata Steel Limited**

  
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