The Indian Hume Pipe Co. Ltd.

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12th September, 2017

1. BSE Ltd.
Corporate Relationship Department,
1st Floor, New Trading Ring,
Rotunda Building, P. J. Towers,
Dalal Street, Fort,
Mumbai - 400 001

2. National Stock Exchange of India Ltd.
Exchange Plaza, 5th floor,
Plot No. C/1, G Block,
Bandra-Kurla Complex,
Bandra (East),
Mumbai - 400 051

Dear Sirs,

Re. : Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

The Company has National Rifle Division a small business at Vatva, Ahmedabad, Gujarat since 1970, which manufactures Air Rifles and Air Pistols of 0.177" (4.5mm) and 0.22" (5.5mm) calibers for sports and target shooting competitions. The new Arms Rules, 2016 has stringent provisions for the manufacturers and dealers which entails high compliance and regulatory costs on the Company compared to the size of this business. The new rules also require the manufacturers of Air Rifles and Air Pistols irrespective of muzzle energy to obtain manufacturing license. Therefore this small business has become uneconomical. In view of the above the Company has stopped manufacturing of said Air Rifles and Air Pistols with effect from 14-07-2017.

The Board of Directors of the Company at their meeting held on 12-09-2017 has decided to close the Company's National Rifle Division at Vatva, Ahmedabad, Gujarat including closure of Vatva factory and surrendering of all licenses, permissions and sanctions.

The operation of this business is negligible compared to the overall turnover of the Company.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,
For The Indian Hume Pipe Company Limited,

S. M. Mandke
Company Secretary

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