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9th August, 2018

The Secretary,
BSE Ltd.,
Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers,
Dalal Street,
Mumbai 400 001
BSE Scrip Code: 500547

The Secretary,
National Stock Exchange of India Ltd.,
Exchange Plaza, Plot No C/1,
G Block, Bandra-Kurla Complex,
Mumbai 400051
NSE Symbol : BPCL

Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub: **Preliminary Information regarding Fire in Hydrocracker Unit of BPCL's Mumbai Refinery**

Pursuant to Clause 30 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015, this is to inform you that at about 1445 hrs. on 8th August, 2018, a leak was observed in the reactor effluent air fin cooler section of Hydrocracker unit of Mumbai Refinery, Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited. Immediately depressurization was started. At about 1450 hrs. fire broke out in that area. By 1530 hrs., the fire was brought under control. There are no fatalities.

The fire was put off at around 0110 hrs on 09.08.2018.

As per our preliminary assessment, the fire incident would not have any material bearing on the overall operations/ performance of the Company.

Thanking You,

Yours faithfully,
For Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited

(R. Sundaravadhanan)
Dy Company Secretary

Encl.: A/a.