



March 22, 2016

To,
BSE Limited
Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers,
Dalal Street, Fort,
Mumbai – 400 00.

Dear Sir

Sub: Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations 2011

This is to inform you that ICICI Prudential Mutual Fund (the Fund) under its various schemes and Eastspring Investments (Singapore) Limited, Eastspring Securities Investment Trust Co. Ltd., Eastspring Investments Berhad, Jackson National Asset Management LLC under their managed funds (Eastspring) hold equity shares of Cipla Limited (the Company) (whose shares are listed on your Stock Exchange).

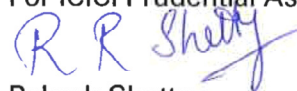
India Equity Portfolio - Fund 225, Eastspring Investments Unit Trusts - Dragon Peacock Fund, Eastspring Investments - Dragon Peacock Fund, Eastspring Inv India SEC IT and ICICI Prudential Value Fund - Series 3 had purchased 740,638, 209,676, 35,887, 53,891 and 65,772 equity shares of the Company respectively on March 18, 2016. As a result of the said purchase, the combined shareholding of the aforementioned entities has exceeded 5% of the paid-up capital of the Company. Details of shareholding as on March 18, 2016 is enclosed herewith.

The objective of the purchase is from an investment perspective and not with the objective of seeking any controlling interest. However, the disclosures in this regard as required under Regulation 29(1) of the SEBI (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011 is enclosed herewith.

Please let us know if any disclosure is required under SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015. If you require any further information, please feel free to contact us.

Thanking you

Sincerely
For ICICI Prudential Asset Management Company Limited


Rakesh Shetty
Company Secretary



Encl: as above

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Name of the shareholder	Total share holdings as on March 18, 2016	% of shares/voting rights to total paid up capital of your Company as on March 18, 2016
ICICI Prudential Focused Bluechip Equity Fund	5,445,903	0.68
ICICI Prudential Balanced Advantage Fund	4,548,664	0.57
ICICI Prudential Dynamic Plan	4,457,706	0.55
ICICI Prudential Long Term Equity Fund (Tax Savings)	3,777,698	0.47
Eastspring Investments India Equity Open Limited	2,849,703	0.35
ICICI Prudential Value Discovery Fund	2,802,165	0.35
ICICI Prudential Balanced Fund	2,233,879	0.28
India Equity Portfolio - Fund 225	1,655,415	0.21
Eastspring Investments Unit Trusts - Dragon Peacock Fund	1,399,464	0.17
ICICI Prudential Multicap Fund	1,322,726	0.16
Eastspring Investments India Fund	1,149,599	0.14
ICICI Prudential Exports And Other Services Fund	849,505	0.11
ICICI Prudential Top 100 Fund	700,000	0.09
Eastspring Investments - India Equity Fund	593,653	0.07
ICICI Prudential Equity - Arbitrage Fund	575,200	0.07
JNL/PAM China India Fund	573,449	0.07
ICICI Prudential Select Large Cap Fund	568,143	0.07
ICICI Prudential Value Fund - Series 1	430,582	0.05
ICICI Prudential Value Fund - Series 2	370,000	0.05
ICICI Prudential Growth Fund - Series 1	363,004	0.05
ICICI Prudential Equity Income Fund	280,236	0.03
ICICI Prudential Value Fund - Series 5	268,142	0.03
ICICI Prudential Child Care Plan (Gift Plan)	233,528	0.03
Eastspring Investments - Dragon Peacock Fund	231,174	0.03
ICICI Prudential Midcap Fund	227,561	0.03
ICICI Prudential Growth Fund - Series 2	204,966	0.03
Eastspring Inv India SEC IT	172,902	0.02
ICICI Prudential Indo Asia Equity Fund	154,700	0.02
ICICI Prudential Value Fund - Series 3	150,000	0.02
ICICI PRUDENTIAL MIP 25	136,900	0.02
ICICI Prudential Value Fund - Series 6	98,000	0.01
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series VIII - 1115 Days Plan F	83,346	0.01
EPF BOARD - Prudential AI-Wara Asset Management Berhad	80,000	0.01
ICICI Prudential Nifty ETF	77,684	0.01
JNL/Mellon Capital Emerging Markets Index Fund	70,148	0.01
ICICI Prudential Growth Fund - Series 7	68,500	0.01
ICICI Prudential Growth Fund - Series 5	66,542	0.01

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ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund III Plan E	66,123	0.01
ICICI Prudential Growth Fund - Series 8	65,189	0.01
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund IV Plan D	58,892	0.01
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Plan - Series 5 -1100 Day A	58,814	0.01
ICICI Prudential Equity Savings Fund - Series 1	58,500	0.01
ICICI Prudential Value Fund - Series 4	56,600	0.01
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series IX - 1101 Days Plan A	54,790	0.01
Capital Protection Oriented Fund III Plan B - 60 Months Plan	54,650	0.01
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund - Series 10 - 1775 Days Plan A	52,108	0.01
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund Series V -1100 Plan B	49,057	0.01
ICICI Prudential R.I.G.H.T (Rewards of investing & generation of healthy tax savings) Fund	44,879	0.01
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series IX - 1195 Days Plan C	42,000	0.01
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund - Series 4 -1825 Days P	41,967	0.01
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund IV Plan E 36 Month	41,886	0.01
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund V Plan C -1825 Days	37,920	0.00
ICICI Prudential Nifty Index Fund	36,058	0.00
ICICI Prudential Monthly Income Plan	33,874	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - SR V 60M	33,871	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund - Series 3 Plan B	33,070	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund Seri V-1100 Days Plan D	32,406	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund - Series 10 - 1825 Days Plan B	31,891	0.00
Capital Protection Oriented Fund V Plan A - 5 year plan	31,063	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund Series VI - 1100 DAYS Plan E	30,692	0.00
ICICI Prudential Regular Income Fund	30,000	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund IV Plan G -60 Months	29,456	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund IV Plan F 60 Mth plan	28,690	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund Series VI - 1825 C	28,290	0.00
ICICI Prudential India Recovery Fund - Series 4	27,873	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund-Series 4-1825 Day PLAN B	27,026	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund-Series 4-1100 Day Plan C	26,063	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund - Series 5 - 1100 Days Plan B	25,954	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Fund Series VI -1100 Days Plan E	25,483	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund Series 6 - 1125 Days Plan B	24,652	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series IX - 1103 Days Plan B	24,304	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund III Plan H	23,524	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Fund Series VI -1100 Days Plan G	23,157	0.00

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ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund - Series 3 Plan D	22,959	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund Series VI -1100 Days Plan D	22,641	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund IV Plan A	21,592	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series IX - 1378 Days Plan D	21,243	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund Series VI - 1825 Days D	19,716	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund IV Plan C	19,285	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund Series 5 - 1825 Days Plan C	19,024	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series VII - 1285 Days Plan G	18,695	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund Series VI -1825 C	17,835	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund III Plan G	17,824	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund-Series 4-1825 Days -D	17,760	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund - Series 3 Plan C	16,505	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund - Series 4 - PLAN E	16,495	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund - Series 7 - 1825 Days Plan C	16,292	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series VIII - 1107 Days Plan E	15,316	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund Series VII - 1338 Days - Plan D	15,300	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund Series 8 - 1103 Days Plan F	14,240	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protect Fund Series VI -1825 Days Plan A	13,875	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series VII - 1284 Days Plan H	13,850	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series VIII - 1105 days Plan H	13,447	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund Series VII -1825 Days Plan B	12,815	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series VII - 1284 Days Plan C	12,234	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund Series VI - 1100 B	12,081	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series VII - 1288 Days Plan F	11,773	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Fund Series V -1100 Day F	11,698	0.00
ICICI Prudential Child Care Plan (Study Plan)	11,100	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series VII - 1285 Days Plan A	10,899	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series VI - 1100 Days Plan F	10,522	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series IX - 1325 Days Plan E	10,416	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series VI - 1100 Days Plan H	10,015	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series VII - 1284 Days Plan E	10,005	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund Series 8 - 1824 Days - Plan A	9,426	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series VIII - 1284 Days Plan J	9,382	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund Series VII - 1825 Days - Plan E	8,662	0.00
ICICI Prudential Value Fund - Series 7	8,350	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series VIII - 1101 Days Plan D	8,305	0.00

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ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series VII - 1822 Days Plan D	8,021	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series VIII - 1101 Days Plan G	7,227	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund Series 8 - 1822 Days Plan D	6,721	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series VIII - 1290 Days Plan I	6,656	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series VIII - 1300 Days Plan A	6,392	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund Series 7 - PLAN A	6,350	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund - Series VIII - 1103 Days Plan C	4,839	0.00
ICICI Prudential Capital Protection Oriented Fund Series 8 - 1103 Days Plan B	4,412	0.00
ICICI Prudential Nifty 100 ETF	3,778	0.00
ICICI Prudential Multiple Yield Fund Series 8 - 1101 Days Plan E	2,803	0.00
ICICI Prudential Sensex ETF	963	0.00
Total	41241298	5.13



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PART – A – Details of the Acquisition

Name of the Target Company (TC)	CIPLA LIMITED		
Name(s) of the acquirer and Person Acting in Concert (PAC) with the acquirer	ICICI Prudential Mutual Fund alongwith Eastspring Investments (Singapore) Limited, Eastspring Securities Investment Trust Co. Ltd., Eastspring Investments Berhad, Jackson National Asset Management LLC		
Whether the acquirer belongs to Promoter/Promoter group	No		
Name(s) of the Stock Exchange(s) where the shares of TC are Listed	Bombay Stock Exchange, National Stock Exchange		
Details of the acquisition as follows	Number	% w.r.t. total shares / voting capital wherever applicable(*)	% w.r.t. total diluted share / voting capital of the TC (**)
Before the acquisition under consideration, holding of acquirer along with PACs of:			
a) Shares carrying voting rights	40,135,484	4.99	
b) Shares in the nature of encumbrance (pledge/lien/non-disposal undertaking/others)	--	--	
c) Voting rights (VR) otherwise than by equity shares	--	--	
d) Warrants/convertible securities/any other instrument that entitles the acquirer to receive shares carrying voting rights in the TC (specify holding in each category)	--	--	
e) Total (a+b+c+d)	40,135,484	4.99	
Details of acquisition			
a) Shares carrying voting rights acquired	1,105,814	0.14	
b) VRs acquired otherwise than by equity shares	--	--	
c) Warrants/convertible securities/ any other instrument that entitles the acquirer to receive shares carrying voting rights in the TC (specify holding in each category) acquired	--	--	
d) Shares in the nature of	--	--	

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encumbrance (pledge/lien/non-disposal undertaking/others)			
e) Total (a+b+c+/-d)	1,105,814	0.14	
After the acquisition, holding of acquirer along with PACs of:			
a) Shares in the nature of encumbrance (pledge/lien/non-disposal undertaking/others) Shares pledged with the acquirer	--	--	
b) VRs otherwise than by equity shares	--	--	
c) Warrants/convertible securities/any other instrument that entitles the acquirer to receive shares carrying voting rights in the TC (specify holding in each category) after acquisition	41,241,298	5.13	
d) Total (a+b+c)	41,241,298	5.13	
Mode of acquisition (e.g. open market/public issue/rights issue/preferential allotment/interse transfer/encumbrance, etc.)	Secondary Market		
Salient features of the securities acquired including time till redemption, ratio at which it can be converted into equity shares, etc.	N.A.		
Date of acquisition of/date of receipt of intimation of allotment of shares/VR/warrants/convertible securities/any other instrument that entitles the acquirer to receive shares in the TC.	March 18,2016		
Equity share capital/total voting capital of the TC before the said acquisition	803,384,282		
Equity share capital/total voting capital of the TC after the said acquisition	803,384,282		
Total diluted share/voting capital of the TC after the said acquisition	803,384,282		





R R Shetty

Signature of the acquirer / Authorised Signatory

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Place: Mumbai

Date: March 22, 2016

Note:

(*) Total share capital/ voting capital to be taken as per the latest filing done by the company to the Stock Exchange under Clause 35 of the listing Agreement.

(**) Diluted share/voting capital means the total number of shares in the TC assuming full conversion of the outstanding convertible securities/warrants into equity shares of the TC.

(***) Part-B shall be disclosed to the Stock Exchanges but shall not be disseminated.

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