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## HINDUSTAN PETROLEUM CORPORATION LIMITED

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Sub.:

News items appearing in Economic

Times dated July 20, 2017

Cabinet Clears Plan to pipe away

HPCL stake to ONGC.

Dear Sir,

We write with reference to intimation on the website of the Exchange seeking clarification/confirmation on the subject news item.

In this regard, we wish to state that Hon'ble Minister of Petroleum & Natural Gas has made a statement in Loksabha on 24.07.2017. From the same, we understand that CCEA in its meeting held on 19<sup>th</sup> July 2017 has given 'in principle' approval to consider strategic sale of Government of India's existing 51.11% of total paid up equity shareholding in Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited (HPCL) to Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited (ONGC). However, we are yet to receive a formal communication from Government of India on the same.

Trust the above meets with your requirement.

Thanking you,

Very truly yours,

Shrikant M. Bhosekar Company Secretary

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