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Dear Sirs,

**Subject: Media Release**

Enclosed please find herewith, a copy of the "Media Release- CSR Initiatives".

Kindly take the above on your records.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For **Himachal Futuristic Communications Limited**

**(Manoj Baid)**

Associate Vice President (Corporate) &  
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## HFCL and HelpAge India flag off a Specialized Mobile Medicare Unit (SMMU)

- *First of its kind Mobile Medicare facility in Solan, Himachal Pradesh*
- *Medicare Unit to provide free consultation, diagnostics and medicines to poor and needy*

**Solan: 7<sup>th</sup> June, 2016:** Himachal Futuristic Communications Ltd. (HFCL), in association with HelpAge India, as a part of its CSR initiative today flagged off a Specialized Mobile Medicare Unit (SMMU) from its manufacturing facility in Solan, Himachal Pradesh. The SMMU was flagged off by **Mr. M P Shukla, Chairman, HFCL** and **Ms. Madhu Madan - Country Head Resource Mobilization, HelpAge India**. The Mobile Medicare Unit will have a professional team consisting of one medical consultant, a pharmacist, a social worker, a lab technician, a physiotherapist and a driver. The team will provide free medical consultancy and diagnostics to the underprivileged segment of the society. Medicines for common ailments such as hypertension, diabetes, arthritis, etc. will be issued to the patients free of cost. Additionally, the team will also train caretakers on hygiene, sleep disorders, nutrition, etc. The Mobile Medicare bus comes equipped with ENT & Eye diagnostic Set, ECG Machine, Minor Surgical & Dressing Set including physiotherapy equipment to help the team to provide best medical help possible. The customized Tata LP 1512 Bus is fully sponsored by HFCL and is managed by HelpAge India. This Medicare unit will address the problems of inaccessibility, inability to afford and non-availability of basic healthcare to the underprivileged segments of society.

**Mr. Ashwani Gupta, Executive Director, HFCL**, said "HFCL is committed to doing its part to make our society a better place. This joint initiative in association with HelpAge India is aimed at reaching out to the poor and needy who have limited or no access to basic healthcare facilities. The mobile medicare unit will be stationed at different vicinities around Solan District as per a pre-charted weekly schedule to assist maximum number of patients."

**Ms Madhu Madan-Country Head Resource Mobilization, HelpAge India, said**

"We are extremely grateful for the support HFCL has extended by supporting HelpAge India. There is a huge void in the health care facilities available to the people and by partnering with us in this project, HelpAge India and HFCL will together strive to provide good primary health care to the elders and communities they live in and around Solan. We further look forward to strengthening our ties with HFCL in Goa and other areas to serve the disadvantaged and needy elders of India."

**About Himachal Futuristic Communications Ltd ([www.hfcl.com](http://www.hfcl.com)):**

Himachal Futuristic Communications Limited (HFCL), (BSE Scrip Code: 500183; NSE Symbol: HFCL) is a leading telecom infrastructure developer, system integrator and manufacturer of high-end





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telecom equipment and optical fibre cables (OFC). The Company provides single window solution for telecom and OFC projects; offering design, equipment supply, installation, system integration, operation and maintenance services. Over past three decades, HFCL has designed & implemented several complex telecom networks, implemented countrywide OFC networks, provided mobile cell site infrastructure and manufactured wide range of telecom products and Optical Fibre cables.

HFCL is one of the largest manufacturer and supplier of Telecom equipment and Optical Fibre Cables in India, having equipment manufacturing facilities at Solan in Himachal Pradesh, and Optical Fibre Cables manufacturing in Goa. Also, HTL Ltd, a subsidiary of the Company, manufactures Optical Fibre Cables at Chennai.

Over the last 3 decades, HFCL has pioneered advanced technology telecommunication products and solutions, consistently delivering significant cost and operational efficiencies to customers ranging from prestigious government institutions to leading telecommunication operators. The Company is witnessing a steady demand for its high quality OFC in the export markets spanning more than 25 countries such as United Kingdom, Poland, Malaysia, Thailand, France, Spain, Brazil etc.

As a solutions expert in the telecommunication and related infrastructure domain, the Company is now leveraging its inherent strengths in addressing complex needs of emerging sectors, such as Defence, Homeland Security, Railway Communication & Signalling and also Smart City Projects.

### About HelpAge India

HelpAge India is a leading charitable organization working with and for older people in India for the past 37 years. It runs age care programmes throughout the country & advocates strongly for the cause of the elderly and fights for their rights. It also advises & facilitates the Government in formation of policy related to the elderly.

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