

### Media Release

### Independent Media Trust completes acquisition of control of Network18

**Mumbai**, **July 7**, **2014**: Reliance Industries Limited ("RIL") today announced that Independent Media Trust ("IMT") of which RIL is the sole beneficiary, has completed the acquisition of control of Network 18 Media and Investments Limited ("NW18") including its subsidiary TV18 Broadcast Limited ("TV18").

Apart from nominees of IMT, Shri Deepak S Parekh and Shri Adil Zainulbhai have been inducted, as Independent Directors on the board of NW18. Mr. Raghav Bahl will continue to be on the Board of NW18 as a Non-executive Director.

With the completion of this transaction, IMT and RIL have become promoters of NW18 and TV18. The open offers to the public shareholders for acquisition of equity shares of NW18, TV18 and Infomedia Press Ltd. as announced on May 29, 2014 by IMT are in process and the Draft letter of offer has been filed with SEBI for its comments.

#### About RIL

Reliance Industries Limited (RIL) is India's largest private sector company on all major financial parameters with a turnover of INR 401,302 crore (US\$ 67.0 billion), cash profit of INR 30,795 crore (US\$ 5.1 billion) and net profit of INR 21,984 crore (US\$ 3.7 billion) as of March 31, 2014.

RIL is the first private sector company from India to feature in Fortune's Global 500 list of 'World's Largest Corporations' and currently ranks 107th in terms of revenues and 128th in terms of profits in 2013. RIL ranks 68th in the Financial Times' FT Global 500 list of the world's largest companies. RIL is ranked amongst the '50 Most Innovative Companies - 2010' in the World in a survey conducted by the US financial publication - Business Week in collaboration with the Boston Consulting Group (BCG). In 2010, BCG also ranked RIL as the second highest 'Sustainable Value Creators' for creating the most shareholder-value over the decade in the world.

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