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NORBEN TEA & EXPORTS LTD
CIN : L01132WB1990PLC[illegible]

4th December, 2017

The Secretary
BSE Limited
Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers
25th Floor, Dalal Street,
MUMBAI – 400 001.

Sub : Outcome of Board Meeting

Dear Sir,

Pursuant to Regulation 30 read with Schedule III and Regulation 33(3)(d) of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, we are submitting the followings :

1. Statement of Standalone Unaudited Financial Results for the quarter and six months ended 30th September, 2017.

2. Statement of Standalone Unaudited Financial Results for the quarter and six months ended 30th September, 2017 alongwith the Auditor's "Limited Review Report".

The Meeting of the Board of Directors held today commenced at 2.00 p.m. and concluded at 4.00 p.m., respectively.

Kindly take the same on your record.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For NORBEN TEA & EXPORTS LTD

Mira Halder

Company Secretary

MIRA HALDER
Membership No.A45343

Encl.: As above.

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STATEMENT OF STANDALONE UNAUDITED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER AND SIX MONTHS ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 2017

PART I — Rupees in Lakhs

	PARTICULARS	Quarter Ended			Six Months Ended	
		30-09-2017	30-06-2017	30-09-2016	30-09-2017	30-09-2016
		(Unaudited)			Unaudited	
						(Refer Note 4)
1	Revenue from Operations	142.91	100.64	119.04	243.55	203.25
2	Other Income	16.47	2.28	17.26	18.75	34.51
3	**Total Income (1+2)**	**159.38**	**102.92**	**136.30**	**262.30**	**237.76**
4	**Expenses**					
	(a) Cost of materials consumed (Note 7)					-
	(b) Changes in inventories of finished goods, Stock-in-trade and Work-in-progress	(17.36)	(35.16)	(39.10)	(52.52)	(113.23)
	(c) Employee Benefits Expense	115.58	70.10	104.87	185.68	164.93
	(d) Finance Costs	14.29	6.74	12.90	21.03	19.94
	(e) Depreciation and Amortisation expenses	9.00	8.50	9.00	17.50	18.00
	(f) Other Expenses	45.99	40.00	55.54	85.99	82.57
	Total Expenses	**167.50**	**90.18**	**143.21**	**257.68**	**172.21**
5	**Profit/(Loss) before Exceptional Items and tax (3-4)**	**(8.12)**	**12.74**	**(6.91)**	**4.62**	**65.55**
6	Exceptional items	-	-	-	-	-
7	**Profit/(Loss) before tax (5-6)**	**(8.12)**	**12.74**	**(6.91)**	**4.62**	**65.55**
8	**Tax Expenses**					
	- Current Tax	-	-	-	-	-
	- Deferred Tax Charge/(Credit)	-	-	-	-	-
	Total Tax Expense	-	-	-	-	-
9	**Net Profit/(Loss) after tax (7-8)**	**(8.12)**	**12.74**	**(6.91)**	**4.62**	**65.55**
10	**Other Comprehensive Income/(Loss) (net of tax)**					
	(a) Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	-	-	-	-	-
	- Income Tax relating to the item that will not be reclassified to profit or loss					
	(b) Items that will be reclassified to profit or loss	-	-	-	-	-
	- Income Tax relating to the item that will be reclassified to profit or loss					
	Total Other Comprehensive Income/(Loss)	-	-	-	-	-
11	**Total Comprehensive Income/(Loss) for the period (comprising Profit / (Loss) and other comprehensive income for the preiod) (9+10)**	**(8.12)**	**12.74**	**(6.91)**	**4.62**	**65.55**
12	Paid up Equity Share Capital (Face Value of the Share Rs.10/- each)	1175.00	1175.00	1175.00	1175.00	1175.00
13	**Earnings Per Share** (of Rs.10/- each) (not annualised) :					
	(a) Basic	(0.07)	0.11	(0.06)	0.04	0.56
	(b) Diluted	(0.07)	0.11	(0.06)	0.04	0.56

Standalone Statement of Assets and Liabilities (Rupees in lakhs)

Particulars	As at half year ended 30/09/2017
	Unaudited
ASSETS	
Non-Current Assets	
Property, Plant and Equipment	1796.60
Capital Work-in-Progress	0.00
Goodwill	0.00
Other Intangible Assets	0.00
Financial Assets	0.00
Investments	0.24
Loans	0.00
Other Financial Assets	0.00
Deferred Tax Assets (Net)	90.65
Other Non-Current Assets	1.24
Sub Total - Non-Current Assets	1888.73
Current Assets	
Inventories	131.20
Biological Assets	0.00
Financial Assets	0.00
Investments	
Trade Receivables	48.05
Cash and Cash Equivalents	4.53
Bank Balances other than above	15.17
Loans	70.00
Other Financial Assets	16.73
Current Tax Assets (Net)	36.80
Other Current Assets	18.71
Sub Total - Current Assets	341.19
TOTAL - ASSETS	**2229.92**
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	
Equity	
Equity Share Capital	1175.00
Other Equity	
Reserves and Surplus	361.84
Other Reserves	45.03
Sub Total - Equity	1581.87
Liabilities	
Non-Current Liabilities	
Financial Liabilities	0.00
Borrowings	179.99
Employee Benefit Obligations	0.00
Other Non-Current Liabilities	0.00
Sub Total - Non-Current Liabilities	179.99
Current Liabilities	
Financial Liabilities	
Borrowings	226.57
Trade Payables	60.82
Other Financial Liabilities	130.13
Other Current Liabilities	17.34
Employee Benefit Obligations	31.50
Current Tax Liabilities (GST Liability)	1.70
Provisions (Net)	0.00
Sub Total - Current Liabilities	468.06
TOTAL - LIABILITIES	648.05
TOTAL - EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	**2229.92**

Note : 1 The statement has been reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors at its meeting held on 4th December, 2017 and these have been subjected to Limited Review by the Statutory Auditors of the Company.

2 The statement has been prepared in accordance with the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015 (Ind AS) prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 and other recognised accounting practices and policies to the extent applicable. Beginning 1st April, 2017, the Company has for the first time adopted Ind AS with a transition date of 1st April, 2016.

3 As the Company is engaged in business of cultivation, manufacture and sale of tea which is seasonal in character, figures for the quarter ended 30th September, 2017 should not be construed as representative of likely result for the year ending 31st March, 2018.

4 The Ind AS compliant financial results, pertaining to period ended September 30, 2016 have not been subject to limited review or audit. However, the management has exercised necessary due diligence to ensure that such financial results provide a true and fair view of its affairs.

5 The statement does not include Ind AS complaint financial results and Balance Sheet for the previous year ended March 31, 2017 as the same is not mandatory as per SEBI circular CIR/CFD/FAC/62/2016 dated 5th July, 2016.

6 As the ultimate income tax liability will depend on results for the year ending 31st March, 2018 in view of the seasonal nature of tea business, the provision for tax (current and deferred) will be made at the time of year end audit.

7 Value of consumption of raw materials,if any,represents only Green Leaf purchased from third parties.

8 Figures for the three months and six months ended 30th September, 2016 have been reclassified, wherever necessary to make them Ind AS compliant and comparable with the figure for the current period.

9 The Reconciliation of net profit or loss reported in accordance with Previous Indian GAAP to total comprehensive income in accordance with Ind AS w.e.f.01.04.2017 is given below :

Rupees in lakhs

Description	Corresponding 3 months ended in the previous year September, 2016
Net Profit/(Loss) as per Previous Indian GAAP	(6.91)
Ind AS adjustments:Add/(less)	
Acturial (gain)/Loss on employee defined benefit funds recognised in other Comprehensive Income	-
Tax impact on Ind AS adjustments	-
Others - Tax Provision previously unrecognized	-
Net profit/(loss) as per Ind AS	(6.91)
Total comprehensive income for the period	-

This reconciliation statement has been provided in accordance with the format for un-audited quarterly financial results as prescribed in SEBI's Circular CIR/CFD/CMD/15/2015 dated 30th November, 2015 as modified to comply with requirements of SEBI's Circular CIR/CFD/FAC/62/2016 dated 5th July, 2016, Ind AS and Schedule III (Division II) to the Companies Act, 2013 which are applicable to Company.

FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

(MANOJ KUMAR DAGA)
CHAIRMAN
DIN : 00123386

Date : 4th December, 2017
Place : Kolkata.

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REVIEW REPORT

Limited Review Report on Unaudited Financial Results for the Second Quarter Ended 30th September, 2017 (From 01/07/2017 to 30/09/2017) and First Half – year ended 30th September, 2017 (From 01/04/2017 to 30/09/2017) in compliance with Indian Accounting Standard (Ind AS), Pursuant to the Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

To
The Board of Directors,
NORBEN TEA & EXPORTS LIMITED,

We have reviewed the accompanying Standalone Statement of Unaudited Financial Results of **NORBEN TEA & EXPORTS LIMITED** ("the company') for the **Second Quarter** ended 30th September, 2017 (From 01/07/2017 to 30/09/2017) and **First Half-Year** ended 30th September, 2017 (From 01/04/2017 to 30/09/2017) (**"the Statements'**), being submitted by the Company in compliance with Indian Accounting Standards **("Ind AS")** pursuant to the requirement of Regulation 33 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulation, 2015 read with **Circular No.CIR/CFD/CMD/15/2015 dated November, 30, 2015** and **Circular No.CIR/CFD/FAC/62/2016 dated 5th July, 2016**.

This Statement which is the responsibility of the Company's Management and approved by the Board of Directors, have been prepared in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the Indian Accounting Standard 34 **(Ind AS 34), "Interim Financial Reporting"** as prescribed under section 133, of the Companies Act, 2013 **("the Act")** read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other accounting principles generally accepted in India. Our responsibility is to issue a report on the Statement based on our review.

We conducted our review in accordance with the Standard on Review Engagement **(SRE) 2410,** *"Review of Interim financial information performed by the independent auditor of the entity"*, issued by Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. This standard requires that we plan and perform the review to obtain moderate assurance as to whether the financial statement is free of material misstatement. A review is limited primarily to inquiries of company personnel and analytical procedures applied to financial data and thus provide less assurance than an audit. We have not performed an audit and accordingly, we do not express as audit opinion.

Based on our review conducted as stated above, nothing has come to our attention, that causes us to believe that the accompanying statement, prepared in accordance with aforesaid accounting standards and other recognized accounting practices and policies have not disclosed the information required to be disclosed in terms of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 read with **Circular No.CIR/CFD/CMD/15/2015 dated November, 30, 2015** and **Circular No.CIR/CFD/FAC/62/2016 dated 5th July, 2016**, including the manner in which it is to be disclosed, or that it contains any material misstatement.

For L.K. BOHANIA & CO.
Chartered Accountants
Firm Regn. No.- 317136E

L.K. BOHANIA & CO. KOLKATA Chartered Accountants

(VIKASH MOHATA)
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