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# INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REVIEW REPORT TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF TV18 BROADCAST LIMITED

- 1. We have reviewed the accompanying Statement of Standalone Unaudited Financial Results of **TV18 Broadcast Limited** ("the Company") for the Quarter and Nine Months ended 31 December, 2014 ("the Statement"), being submitted by the Company pursuant to the requirement of Clause 41 of the Listing Agreements with the Stock Exchanges, except for the disclosures referred to in paragraph 4 below. This Statement is the responsibility of the Company's Management and has been approved by the Board of Directors. Our responsibility is to issue a report on the Statement based on our review.
- We conducted our review of the Statement in accordance with the Standard on Review Engagements (SRE) 2410 'Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity', issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. This Standard requires that we plan and perform the review to obtain moderate assurance as to whether the 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 provides less assurance than an audit. We have not performed an audit and, accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.
- 3. 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 the Accounting Standards specified under the Companies Act, 1956 (which are deemed to be applicable as per Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013, read with Rule 7 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014) and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, has not disclosed the information required to be disclosed in terms of Clause 41 of the Listing Agreements with the Stock Exchanges, including the manner in which it is to be disclosed, or that it contains any material misstatement.
- 4. Further, we also report that we have traced the number of shares as well as the percentage of shareholding in respect of the aggregate amount of public shareholding and the number of shares as well as the percentage of shares pledged/encumbered and non-encumbered in respect of the aggregate amount of promoters and promoter group shareholding in terms of Clause 35 of the Listing Agreements with the Stock Exchanges and the particulars relating to investor complaints for the Quarter and Nine Months ended 31 December, 2014 of the Statement, from the details furnished by the Registrars.

For Deloitte Haskins & Sells LLP

Chartered Accountants

(Firm's Registration No. 117366W/W-100018)

Alka Chadha Partner

(Membership No. 93474)

Noida, 14 January, 2015

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REVIEW REPORT TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF TV18 BROADCAST LIMITED

- 1. We have reviewed the accompanying Statement of Consolidated Unaudited Financial Results of **TV18 Broadcast Limited** ("the Company"), its subsidiaries and jointly controlled entities (the Company, its subsidiaries and jointly controlled entities constitute "the Group") and its share of the profit of its associate for the Quarter and Nine Months ended 31 December, 2014 (herein referred to as "the Statement"), being submitted by the Company pursuant to Clause 41 of the Listing Agreements with the Stock Exchanges, except for the disclosures referred to in paragraph 6 below. This Statement is the responsibility of the Company's Management and has been approved by the Board of Directors. Our responsibility is to issue a report on the Statement based on our review.
- We conducted our review of the Statement in accordance with the Standard on Review Engagements (SRE) 2410 'Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity', issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. This Standard requires that we plan and perform the review to obtain moderate assurance as to whether the 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 provides less assurance than an audit. We have not performed an audit and, accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.
- 3. The Statement includes the results of the following entities:
  - i. TV18 Broadcast Limited ('TV18') (Holding Company)
  - Equator Trading Enterprises Private Limited ('Equator') (wholly owned subsidiary of TV18) and the results of its following subsidiaries and associate:
    - Panorama Television Private Limited (wholly owned subsidiary of Equator)
    - Prism TV Private Limited (subsidiary of Equator)
    - Eenadu Television Private Limited (associate of Equator)
  - iii. ibn18 (Mauritius) Limited (wholly owned subsidiary of TV18)
  - iv. RVT Media Private Limited ('RVT') (wholly owned subsidiary of TV18) and the results of its subsidiary AETN18 Media Private Limited.
  - v. Viacom18 Media Private Limited ('Viacom18') (50% joint venture of TV18) and the results of its following subsidiaries and joint venture:
    - Viacom18 US Inc. (wholly owned subsidiary of Viacom18)
    - Viacom18 Media (UK) Ltd (wholly owned subsidiary of Viacom18)
    - Roptonal Limited (wholly owned subsidiary of Viacom18)
    - The Indian Film Company Limited (wholly owned subsidiary of Viacom18)



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- IndiaCast Media Distribution Private Limited (50:50 joint venture of Viacom18 and TV18)
- vi. IBN Lokmat News Private Limited (50% joint venture of TV18)
- vii. IndiaCast Media Distribution Private Limited ('IndiaCast') (50% joint venture of TV18) and the results of its following subsidiaries:
  - INDIACAST US LTD. (wholly owned subsidiary of IndiaCast)
  - INDIACAST UK LTD. (wholly owned subsidiary of IndiaCast)
  - IndiaCast UTV Media Distribution Private Limited (wholly owned subsidiary of IndiaCast)
- 4. We did not review the interim financial results / consolidated financial results of five subsidiaries, six subsidiaries of two jointly controlled entities and one jointly controlled entity included in the consolidated financial results, whose interim financial results / consolidated financial results reflect total revenues of Rs. 17,970.89 lakhs and Rs. 44,076.81 lakhs for the Quarter and Nine Months ended 31 December, 2014, respectively and total net loss after tax of Rs. 402.58 lakhs and Rs. 7,307.90 lakhs for the Quarter and Nine Months ended 31 December, 2014, respectively, as considered in the consolidated financial results. The consolidated financial results also include the Group's share of profit after tax of Rs. 331.90 lakhs and Rs. 1,145.75 lakhs for the Quarter and Nine Months ended 31 December, 2014, respectively, as considered in the consolidated financial results, in respect of one associate, whose interim financial results have not been reviewed by us. These interim financial results / consolidated financial results have been reviewed by other auditors whose reports have been furnished to us by the Management and our report on the Statement, in so far as it relates to the amounts and disclosures included in respect of these subsidiaries, jointly controlled entities and associate, is based solely on the reports of the other auditors.
- 5. Based on our review conducted as stated above and based on the consideration of the reports of the other auditors referred to in paragraph 4 above, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying Statement, prepared in accordance with the Accounting Standards specified under the Companies Act, 1956 (which are deemed to be applicable as per Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013, read with Rule 7 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014) and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, has not disclosed the information required to be disclosed in terms of Clause 41 of the Listing Agreements with the Stock Exchanges, including the manner in which it is to be disclosed, or that it contains any material misstatement.
- 6. Further, we also report that we have traced the number of shares as well as the percentage of shareholding in respect of the aggregate amount of public shareholding and the number of shares as well as the percentage of shares pledged/encumbered and non-encumbered in respect of the aggregate amount of promoters and promoter group shareholding in terms of Clause 35 of the Listing Agreements with the Stock Exchanges and the particulars relating to investor complaints for the Quarter and Nine Months ended 31 December, 2014 of the Statement, from the details furnished by the Registrars.

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Noida, 14 January, 2015

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Unaudited Standalone Financial Results for the Quarter and Nine Months ended 31.12.2014

Rs in Lakh, except per share data

Г				Stand	alone		
	Particulars		Quarter ended		Nine mon	ths ended	Year ended (Audited)
		31 Dec ' 14	30 Sep ' 14	31 Dec ' 13	31 Dec ' 14	31 Dec ' 13	31 Mar ' 14
1.	Income from operations						
	(a) Income from operations	14,952.44	14,037.04	14,461.85	42,913.62	36,279.85	51,035.17
	(b) Other operating income		-			225.00	570.00
	Total income from operations (net)	14,952.44	14,037.04	14,461.85	42,913.62	36,504.85	51,605.17
2.	Expenses						
	(a) Employee benefits expense	3,707.36	3,515.00	3,177.83	11,496.79	- 10,835.26	14,129.99
	(b) Marketing, distribution and promotional expense	2,576.88	2,314.06	1,044.64	6,453.16	3,190.34	4,804.13
	(c) Depreciation and amortisation expense	247.20	269.92	527.85	1,748.09	1,596.79	2,091.32
	(d) Other expenses	5,415.39	4,951.39	5,380.19	14,920.97	15,049.76	21,177.01
	Total expenses	11,946.83	11,050.37	10,130.51	34,619.01	30,672.15	42,202.45
3.	Profit from operations before other income, finance costs and exceptional items	3,005.61	2,986.67	4,331.34	8,294.61	5,832.70	9,402.72
4.	Other income	136.08	412.95	246.45	779.89	1,025.88	1,540.09
5.	Profit from ordinary activities before finance costs and exceptional items	3,141.69	3,399.62	4,577.79	9,074.50	6,858.58	10,942.81
6.	Finance costs	315.82	472.06	528.39	1,478.83	1,631.44	2,247.07
7.	Profit from ordinary activities before exceptional items and tax	2,825.87	2,927.56	4,049.40	7,595.67	5,227.14	8,695.74
8.	Exceptional items- Income /(Expense)	525.89		-	(12,222.75)	(1,027.78)	(2,741.02)
9.	Profit / (loss) from ordinary activities before tax	3,351.76	2,927.56	4,049.40	(4,627.08)	4,199.36	5,954.72
10.	Tax expense (including related to prior year)	-	-	-	-	33.67	33.67
11.	Net profit / (loss) after tax	3,351.76	2,927.56	4,049.40	(4,627.08)	4,165.69	5,921.05
12.	Paid-up equity share capital, Equity Shares of Rs. 2 each	34,282.97	34,282.92	34,233.20	34,282.97	34,233.20	34,233.20
13.	Reserves excluding revaluation reserves	-		-			313,122.10
14.	Earnings per share (Face value of Rs. 2)						
	Basic and Diluted (Rs.) (not annualised)	0.20	0.17	0.24	(0.27)	0.24	0.35
A.	PARTICULARS OF SHAREHOLDING						
1.	Public shareholding						
	-Number of Shares	6,786.29	6,840.40	7,352.99	6,786.29	7,352.99	7,352.99
	-Percentage of Shareholding	39.59	39.91	42.96	39.59	42.96	42.96
2.	Promoters and promoter group Shareholding						
	a) Pledged/Encumbered						
	- Number of shares			. *	-		
	Percentage of shares (as a % of the total shareholding of promoter and promoter group)     Percentage of shares (as a % of the total shareholding of						
	the total share capital of the Company) b) Non-encumbered						
	Number of shares	10.355.20	10 201 07	0.743.44	10.255.20		
		10,355.20	10,301.05	9,763.61	10,355.20	9,763.61	9,763.61
	Percentage of shares (as a % of the total shareholding of promoter and promoter group)	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
	- Percentage of shares (as a % of the total shareholding of the total share capital of the Company)	60.41	60.09	57.04	60.41	57.04	57.04



## Unaudited Consolidated Financial Results for the Quarter and Nine Months ended 31.12.2014

Rs in Lakh, except per share data

	Particulars		Quarter ended	104000000000	lidated Nine mon	ths ended	Year ended (Audited)
		31 Dec ' 14	30 Sep 1 14	31 Dec ' 13	31 Dec ' 14	31 Dec ' 13	31 Mar 14
	neome from operations	60,723.02	55,367.77	52,547.07	168,864.51	140,257.99	196,587.5
100	) Income from operations  ) Other operating income	00,723.02	33,307.77	32,347.02	100,004.21	225.00	225.0
	otal income from operations (net)	60,723.02	55,367.77	52,547.07	168,864.51	140,482.99	196,812.5
Sec. 10	xpenses	00,723.02	33,307.77	32,347.01	100,004.51	140,402.77	170,012.3
100	) Programming cost	20,378.36	17,089.10	14,258.45	54,038.06	35,336.88	50,864.7
(b	) Employee benefits expense	9,951.18	9,374.20	6,753.35	29,719.44	20,569.31	28,470.5
130	) Marketing, distribution and promotional spense	11,674.44	11,732.38	14,078.27	33,624.29	44,696.03	59,743.7
(d	Depreciation and amortisation expense	1,444.16	1,102.96	1,208.17	5,497.98	3,515.88	5,579.0
(e)	) Other expenses	10,780.75	11,500.85	9,714.20	33,101.69	25,824.43	36,660.5
T	otal expenses	54,228.89	50,799.49	46,012.44	155,981.46	129,942.53	181,318.6
	rofit from operations before other income, nance costs and exceptional items	6,494.13	4,568.28	6,534.63	12,883.05	10,540.46	15,493.90
4. 0	ther income	400.37	1,277.55	605.73	2,260.48	2,345.43	_3,241.67
	rofit from ordinary activities before finance osts and exceptional items	6,894.50	5,845.83	7,140.36	15,143.53	12,885.89	18,735.57
6. Fi	nance costs	1,013.70	1,189.19	1,710.53	3,694.98	4,737.39	6,052.89
	rofit from ordinary activities before eceptional items and tax	5,880.80	4,656.64	5,429.83	11,448.55	8,148.50	12,682.68
8. Es	sceptional items- Income /(Expense)	525.89			(21,802.16)	(1,027.78)	(2,741.03
9. Pr	rofit / (loss) from ordinary activities before	6,406.69	4,656.64	5,429.83	(10,353.61)	7,120.72	9,941.66
10. Ta	ax expense (including related to prior year)	1,055.79	1,124.35	308.40	2,170.05	850.73	1,382.49
II. N	et profit / (loss) after tax	5,350.90	3,532.29	5,121.43	(12,523.66)	6,269.99	8,559.17
12. Sh	are in profit of associate	331.90	360.01		1,145.75	-	375.39
13. Mi	monty interest	(355.19)	(430.23)	(46.15)	(6,284.21)	(502.41)	(1,428.63
	et profit / (loss) after tax, share in profit of sociate and minority interest	6,037.99	4,322.53	5,167.58	(5,093.70)	6,772.40	10,363.19
5. Pa	id-up equity share capital, Equity Shares of Rs. 2	34,282.97	34,282.92	34,233.20	34,282.97	34,233.20	34,233.20
	serves excluding revaluation reserves irrings per share (Face value of Rs. 2)						306,753.09
	ARTICULARS OF SHAREHOLDING	0.35	0.25	0.30	(0.30)	0.40	0.61
	blic shareholding						
	Number of Shares	6,786.29	6,840.40	7,352.99	6,786.29	7,352.99	7,352.99
	Percentage of Shareholding omoters and promoter group Shareholding	39.59	39.91	42.96	39.59	42.96	42.96
a) 1	Pledged/Encumbered						
- N	lumber of shares	-					
sha	recentage of shares (as a % of the total archolding of promoter and promoter group)						
sha Co	ercentage of shares (as a % of the total treholding of the total share capital of the impany)  Non-encumbered						
- N	lumber of shares	10,355.20	10,301.05	9,763.61	10,355.20	9,763.61	9,763.61
77 0 57 75	ercentage of shares (as a % of the total treholding of promoter and promoter group)	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
sha	ercentage of shares (as a % of the total treholding of the total share capital of the impany)	60.41	60.09	57.04	60.41	57.04	57.04

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Consolidated Segment Wise Revenue, Results and Capital Employed for the Quarter and Nine Months ended 31.12.2014

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350,072.58	339,712.68	340,229.14	339,712.68	333,299.68	340,229.14	- our capani zauproyeu
(28,835.58)	(22,149.56)	8,459.93	(22,149.56)	14,316.77	0,437.73	Total Capital Employed
3/8,908.16	301,002.24	- Contract		1,11,1	8 150 02	(c) Unallocable Assets less Liabilities
278 000 16	361 862 24	331.769.21	361,862.24	318,982.91	331,769.21	Capital Employed
2.225.40	2,199.80	(2,425.94)	2,199.80	(2,164.68)	(2,425.94)	Less: Inter Segment climination
381,133.56	364,062.04	329,343.27	364,062.04	316,818.23	329,343.27	LOTAL
31,937.02	30,335.78	28,555.96	30,335.78	28,500.36	28,555.96	(b) 1 min 1 foduction and Distribution
349,196.54	333,726.26	300,787.31	333,726.26	288,317.87	300,787.31	A) Ele Dedecisions
						Segment Assets – Segment Liabilities
7,71.00	and the same of the					Capital Employed
9 941 66	7.120.72	(10,353.61)	5,429.83	4,656.64	6,406.69	I otal Profit/(Loss) Before Tax
(2 741 02)	(1.027.78)	(21,802.16)			525.89	(iii) Exceptional items- Income/ (Expense)
3,241.67	2,345.43	2,260.48	605.73	1,277.55	400.37	(net of unallocable income)
(6,052.89)	(4,737.39)	(3,694.98)	(1,710.53)	(1,189.19)	(1,013.70)	(i) Finance cost
15,493.90	10,540.46	12,883.05	6,534.63	4,568.28	6,494.13	Less:
591.09	570.32	(200.53)	160.73	40.20	(261.26)	Profit before 1 f
16,084.99	11,110.78	12,682.52	6,695.36	4,608.48	6,232.87	Total
(2,420.46)	(1,961.50)	(400.05)	(1,428.22)	(437.84)	133.23	(b) Fun Froduction and Distribution
18,505.45	13,072.28	13,082.57	8,123.58	5,046.32	6,099.64	(a) Media operations
-00,000 0.100						Segment Results
200.054 18	142,828.42	171,124.99	53,152.80	56,645.32	61,123.39	Total Revenue
3.241.67	2,345,43	2,260.48	605.73	1,277.55	400.37	(c) Other unallocable revenue
196.812.51	140,482.99	168,864.51	52,547.07	55,367.77	60,723.02	Net Income from operations
2,910,00	2,760,00	991.71	1,365.00		991.71	Less: Inter Segment Revenue
199,722.51	143,242.99	169,856.22	53,912.07	55,367.77	61,714.73	10(2)
10,176.61	11,637.62	4,616.06	3,553.08	1,985.12	1,199.42	(c) Family Froduction and Distribution
189,545.90	. 131,605.37	165,240.16	50,358.99	53,382.65	60,515.31	(a) Media operations
51 Mar ' 14	31 Dec. 13	27 7200 14	0.000 10			Segment Revenue
7	21 D- 142	31 Dec 114	31 Dec ' 13	30 Sep ' 14	31 Dec ' 14	
Year ended (Audited)	ths ended	Nine Months ended		Quarter ended		
Rs in Lakh						Particular



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#### Notes to the Unaudited Financial Results (Standalone):

- The figures for the corresponding previous periods have been restated/regrouped wherever necessary, to make them comparable.
- 2. The Audit Committee has reviewed the above results and the Board of Directors have approved the above results at their respective meetings held on 14<sup>th</sup>January, 2015. The Statutory Auditors of the Company have carried out a Limited Review of the unaudited standalone financial results of the Company for the quarter and nine months ended 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2014.
- 3. Pursuant to the enactment of the Companies Act, 2013 (the Act), the Company has, effective from 1st April, 2014, reassessed the useful life of its fixed assets and has computed depreciation as provided in Schedule II to the Act. Consequently depreciation for quarter and nine months ended 31st December, 2014 is lower by Rs. 27.79 lakhs and is higher by Rs. 699.29 lakhs respectively and net profit is higher by Rs. 27.79 lakhs and lower by Rs. 699.29 lakhs respectively. Further, based on the transitional provision provided in Schedule II, an amount of Rs. 282.71 lakhs has been adjusted with the opening reserves during the nine months ended 31st December, 2014.
- 4. Independent Media Trust (IMT), of which Reliance Industries Limited is the sole beneficiary, has acquired a controlling stake of the promoter group entities namely RB Mediasoft Private Limited, RRB Mediasoft Private Limited, Adventure Marketing Private Limited, Watermark Infratech Private Limited, Colorful Media Private Limited, RB Media Holdings Private Limited and RB Holdings Private Limited (collectively referred to as 'Holding Companies') from Raghav Bahl and Ritu Kapur on 7th July, 2014. Pursuant to such acquisition, Raghav Bahl, Ritu Kapur and other existing promoters / promoter group of the Company (other than the 'Holding Companies' and Network18 Media & Investments Limited) have ceased to be promoters / promoter group of the Company from 7th July, 2014. Independent Media Trust, Reliance Industries Limited, the Holding Companies and Network18 Media & Investments Limited are the promoters of the Company w.e.f. 7th July, 2014.
- 5. During the quarter ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2014, based on a review of the current and non-current assets, the Company has accounted for (a) obsolescence/impairment in the value of certain tangible and intangible assets to the extent of Rs. 5,200.19 lakhs and (b) write-off and provisions of non-recoverable and doubtful loans/advances/receivables to the extent of Rs. 6,216.88 lakhs and the same has been disclosed as Exceptional Items. Further, Exceptional Items also includes Rs. 1,331.57 lakhs towards severance pay and consultancy charges. However, these adjustments have no impact on the future operating profit and cash flows of the business of the Company. During the quarter ended 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2014, provision for doubtful advances to the extent of Rs 525.89 lakhs has been written back.
- The Company operates only in one segment, namely media operations and there are no reportable segments.
- On 11<sup>th</sup> October, 2014 the Company issued 2,890 equity shares of Rs. 2/- each to employees on the exercise of stock options under GBN Employees Stock Options Plan 2007.

There was no investor complaint pending as on 1<sup>st</sup> October, 2014. During the quarter no complaint
was received. No complaint was pending as on 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2014.

Place: Noida

Date: 14th January, 2015

For and on behalf of Board of Directors TV18 Broadcast Limited



Chairman

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### Notes to Unaudited Financial Results (Consolidated):

- The figures for the corresponding previous periods have been restated/regrouped wherever necessary, to make them comparable.
- 2. The Audit Committee has reviewed the above results and the Board of Directors have approved the above results at their respective meetings held on 14<sup>th</sup> January, 2015. The Statutory Auditors of the Company have carried out a Limited Review of the unaudited consolidated financial results of the Company for the quarter and nine months ended 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2014.
- 3. Pursuant to the enactment of the Companies Act, 2013 (the Act), the Group has, effective from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2014, reassessed the useful life of its fixed assets and has computed depreciation as provided in Schedule II to the Act. Consequently depreciation for the quarter and nine months ended 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2104 is lower by Rs. 181.95 lakhs and higher by Rs. 528.52 lakhs respectively and the net profit is higher by Rs 181.95 lakhs and lower by Rs. 528.52 lakhs respectively. Further, based on the transitional provision provided in Schedule II, an amount of Rs. 744.15 lakhs has been adjusted with the opening reserves during the nine months ended 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2014.
- 4. Independent Media Trust (IMT), of which Reliance Industries Limited is the sole beneficiary, has acquired a controlling stake of the promoter group entities namely RB Mediasoft Private Limited, RRB Mediasoft Private Limited, Adventure Marketing Private Limited, Watermark Infratech Private Limited, Colorful Media Private Limited, RB Media Holdings Private Limited and RB Holdings Private Limited (collectively referred to as 'Holding Companies') from Raghav Bahl and Ritu Kapur on 7th July, 2014. Pursuant to such acquisition, Raghav Bahl, Ritu Kapur and other existing promoters / promoter group of the Group (other than the 'Holding Companies' and Network18 Media & Investments Limited) have ceased to be promoters / promoter group of the Group from 7th July, 2014. Independent Media Trust, Reliance Industries Limited, the Holding Companies and Network18 Media & Investments Limited are the promoters of the Company w.e.f. 7th July, 2014.
- 5. During the quarter ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2014, based on a review of the current and non-current assets, the Group has accounted for (a) obsolescence/impairment in the value of certain tangible and intangible assets to the extent of Rs. 12,226.68 lakhs and (b) write-off and provisions of non-recoverable and doubtful loans/advances/receivables to the extent of Rs. 8,769.80 lakhs and the same has been disclosed as Exceptional Items in the consolidated results. Further, Exceptional Items also includes an amount of Rs. 1,331.57 lakhs towards severance pay and consultancy charges. However, these adjustments have no impact on the future profitability and cash flows of the operating businesses of the Group. During the quarter ended 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2014, provision for doubtful advances to the extent of Rs 525.89 lakhs has been written back.
- On 11<sup>th</sup> October, 2014 the Company issued 2,890 equity shares of Rs. 2/- each to employees on the exercise of stock options under GBN Employees Stock Options Plan 2007.
- There was no investor complaint pending as on 1<sup>st</sup> October, 2014. During the quarter no complaint
  was received. No complaint was pending as on 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2014.
- The consolidated results of the Company and its subsidiaries and joint ventures (the "Group") have been prepared as per Accounting Standard (AS) 21 on Consolidated Financial Statements, AS 23 on

Accounting for Investments in Associates in Consolidated Financial Statements and AS 27 on Financial Reporting of Interests in Joint Ventures.

- The Group reports media operations and film production and distribution as two business segments in its Consolidated Segment Information.
- 10. Equator Trading Enterprises Private Limited ("Equator") (including its subsidiaries Panorama Television Private Limited and Prism TV Private Limited) had become wholly owned subsidiary of the Company with effect from 22<sup>nd</sup> January, 2014. Hence, the consolidated results of the current period include the results of these subsidiary companies. Eenadu Television Private Limited had also become an associate with effect from 22<sup>nd</sup> January, 2014 and its results have been accounted as "Associate" under Accounting Standard 23 on Accounting for Investments in Associates in Consolidated Financial Statements. To this extent, the results of this period are not comparable with the corresponding previous period.

Place: Noida

Date: 14th January, 2015

For and on behalf of Board of Directors TV18 Broadcast Limited

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