

THE INDIA CEMENTS LIMITED

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Dear Sirs,

Sub.: Unaudited Financial Results for the quarter and nine months ended 31st December 2023 - Outcome of Board Meeting

We refer to our letter dated 22.01.2024 on the captioned subject.

The unaudited standalone and consolidated financial results, subjected to a 'Limited Audit review' by our Company's auditors for the quarter and nine months ended 31.12.2023 were reviewed by the Audit Committee of our Board and approved by our Board of Directors at their meetings held on 31.01.2024 and 01.02.2024 respectively.

We are electronically filing a certified copy of the aforesaid unaudited financial results along with Limited Review Reports with the Stock Exchange in terms of Regulation 33 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. The Financial results will be published in the English and Tamil dailies on 02.02.2024.

The Meeting commenced at 10:30 A.M. and concluded at 12.05 P.M.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

for THE INDIA CEMENTS LIMITED

COMPANY SECRETARY

Encl.: As above



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STATEMENT OF STANDALONE UNAUDITED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER AND NINE MONTHS ENDED 31/12/2023

(Rs.in Crore)

SII	No. Particulars	31/12/2023	Quarter Ende 30/09/2023 Unaudited	31/12/2022	31/12/2023		Year Ended 31/03/2023 Audited
1.	Revenue from Operations	1081.88	1222.13	1219.46	3697.05	3920.34	5380.8
2.	Other Income	16.85	5.93	3.94	29.65	15.85	34.27
3.	Total Income (1 + 2)	1098.73	1228.06	1223,40	3726.70	3936.19	5415.0
4.	Expenses						
	a. Cost of Materials Consumed	181.34	218.01	250.33	656.13	688.95	947.93
	b. Purchase of Stock-in-trade	0.35	0.09	11.21	0.79	37.04	38.83
	c. Changes in inventories of finished goods, stock-in-trade and work-in-progress	14.64	-0.62	-55.25	41.66	-79.50	-49.9
	d. Employee benefits expense	86.20	98.55	96.60	276.76	276.44	358.3
	e. Finance Cost (Net of Interest Recoveries)	59.54	59.34	60.71	176.71	185.13	234.1
	f. Depreciation and Amortisation Expense	56.59	53.49	53.82	163.05	159.64	
	g. Power and Fuel	369.78	460.28	567.77	1375.47	1811.69	
	h. Transportation & Handling	215.41	249.81	252.67	759.68		
	i. Other Expenses	165.12	187.91	165.68	524,42	484.61	678.4
	Total Expenses (4)	1148,97	1326.86	1403.54		See Allerton	6002.4
5.	Profit/(Loss) before exceptional Items and Tax (3-4)	-50.24		-180.14			-587.30
ŝ.	Exceptional Items (Net)	26.21		294,28			180.45
	Profit/(Loss) before Tax (5-6)	-24.03			100000000000000000000000000000000000000		-406.91
1.	Tax Expenses					101.00	100.0
	(1) Current Tax						
	(2) Deferred Tax	-7.52	-17.41	23.41	-48.57	-193.90	-218.36
3.	Profit/(Loss) for the Period from Continuing Operations (7-8)	-16.51	-81.39	90.73		0.000	-188.55
10.	Profit/(Loss) from discontinued Operations	10.01	-01.00	30.73	-173.19	25.24	-100.50
1.	Tax Expense of Discontinued Operations						
2.	Profit/(Loss) from Discontinued Operations (after Tax) (10-11)						
3.	Profit/(Loss) for the period (9+12)	-16,51	-81.39	90.73	-173.19	29,24	100 55
14.	Other Comprehensive Income	-10.51	-01.00	90.73	-173.19	29,24	-188,55
1.0	A. (i) Items that will not be re-classifed to Profit / (Loss)	-0.96	1.27	-3.60	0.84	2.70	0.44
	(ii). Income tax relating to the Items that will not be re-classifed to Profit / (Loss)		-0.32	0.91	-0.21	2.70	0.44
	B (i). Items that will be re-classifed to Profit / (Loss)	0.00	0.00			-0.68	-0.11
	(ii). Income tax relating to Items that will be re-classifed to Profit / (Loss)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Total Other Comprehensive Income	-0.72		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5.	Total Comprehensive Income for the Period (13+14)	-17.23	0.95	-2.69	0.63	2.02	0.33
6.	Paid-up Equity Share Captial (Face Value Rs.10/- each)	309.90	-80.44	88.04	-172.56	31.26	-188.22
7.	Other Equities (Reserves)	309.90	309.90	309.90	309.90	309.90	309.90
8.	Earnings Per Equity Share (For Continuing Operations)						5288.97
0.	a. Basic	0.50	0.00	0.04			
	b. Diluted	-0.56	-2.60	2.84	-5.57	1.01	-6.07
9.		-0.56	-2.60	2.84	-5.57	1.01	-6.07
J.	Earnings Per Equity Share (For Discontinued Operations) a, Basic	0.00					
		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
0	b. Diluted	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
20.	Earnings Per Equity Share (For Discontinued and Continuing Operations)			25,000			
	a. Basic	-0.56	-2.60	2.84	-5.57	1.01	-6.07
	b. Diluted	-0.56	-2.60	2.84	-5.57	1.01	-6.07

NOTES:

- 1 The above Financial Results have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors at the meetings held on 31st January 2024 and 1st February 2024 respectively.
- 2 The Company is primarily engaged in manufacture and marketing of cement and cement related products. Subsidiaries and Associate companies are mainly engaged in the business of Sugar, Power, Financial Services, Trading, Mining and Transportation. The reportable segment is only cement.
- 3 Certain assets of the Company having an aggregate carrying value of Rs.120.34 Crores were attached by a statutory authority during 2015. The Company has already appealed against the Order of the said attachment and the matter is presently Sub judice. The Auditors have continued to draw an emphasis on this matter in their Report.
- 4 The Competition Commission of India (CCI) vide its Order dated 31st August, 2016 imposed a penalty of Rs.187.48 Crores on the Company. The Company filed an appeal before COMPAT (Presently NCLAT). The COMPAT in its interim order directed the Company to pay 10% of the penalty amount (Rs 18.75 Crores) before granting stay which was deposited by the Company, NCLAT vide its order dated 25th July, 2018 dismissed the appeal filed by the Company, Against this the Company has filed an appeal in the Supreme Court challenging the NCLAT order and the Supreme Court vide its Order dated 5th October, 2018 admitted the Company候s appeal and directed that the interim order passed by the Tribunal in the matter, will continue. The Auditors have continued to draw an emphasis on this matter in their Report.
- 5. The Company has, based on the suggestions from experts, identified some initiatives to improve the operating efficiencies in its plants. The suggestions involve use of alternate materials as well as some additions / improvements in the existing machinery. The company has taken necessary steps for raising the funds for meeting the capital expenditure as mentioned above and also for augmenting the working capital.
- 6. The company during the quarter capitalised Cement Mill at Sankamagar.
- 7. The company, during the quarter ended 30th September 2023, entered into agreements for sale of its Land admeasuring 73.75 Acres with certain agreed conditions precedent including aggregation of third-party lands to be made into a larger parcel of land and conversion of these lands into industrial lands from its current classification. Pending completion of the conditions the company has not recognized the profit on sale of the said lands including fee for conversion into industrial lands aggregating to Rs. 42.81 Crores in the results.
- 8 (i) The company during the quarter sold the ship, m.v. Chennai Selvam, for a profit of Rs.26.21 crores and the same is disclosed as Exceptional item. (ii) On 8th January 2024, the company acquired a Panamax ship, m.v. Chennai Valarchi.
- 9 (i) The Statutory Auditors have carried out a limited review of the financial results for the quarter / nine months ended 31st December 2023. (ii) The previous periods figures have been regrouped to confirm to current periods required classification.

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Independent Auditor's Review Report on Unaudited Quarterly and Year to Date Standalone Financial Results of The India Cements Limited Pursuant to the Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (as amended)

To

Board of Directors of The India Cements Ltd

- 1. We have reviewed the accompanying statement of unaudited standalone financial results of The India Cements Ltd ('the Company') for the quarter ended 31st December 2023, and year to date results for the period from 1st April 2023 to 31st December 2023, ('the Statement').
- 2. The Statement, which is the responsibility of the Company's Management and approved by the Company's Board of Directors, has been prepared in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in Indian Accounting Standard 34, Interim Financial Reporting ('Ind AS 34'), prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act'), and other accounting principles generally accepted in India and in compliance with regulation 33 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('Listing Regulations'). Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the Statement based on our review.
- 3. 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 financial results are 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 an audit opinion.
- 4. Based on our review conducted as above, and having regard to the matters mentioned and assertions including steps intended for mobilizing additional resources to fund the initiatives discussed therein by the management in Note No.5 to the standalone financial results, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying Statement prepared in accordance with the applicable accounting standards and other recognized accounting practices and policies has not disclosed the information required to be disclosed in terms of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 including the manner in which it is to be disclosed, or that it contains any material misstatement.





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- 5. Without qualifying our review conclusion, we draw attention to
 - a. Note no. 3 to the Financial Results, regarding the order of attachment issued by the authorities through which certain assets of the company amounting to Rs.120.34 Crores have been attached vide provisional attachment Order dated 25th February 2015 which the company is disputing before legal forums. The company has been legally advised that it has strong grounds to defend its position and pending the outcome of the proceedings the impact if any is not ascertainable at this stage.
 - b. Note no. 4 of the financial results, relating to the order of the Competition Commission of India (CCI), concerning alleged contravention of the provisions of Competition Act, 2002 and imposing a penalty of Rs.187.48 Crores on the Company. On Company's appeal, National Company Law Appellate Tribunal (NCLAT), in its Order passed on 25th July, 2018, has reportedly upheld the CCI's Order. The company appealed against the order before Supreme Court and the Supreme Court vide its Order dated 05th October, 2018 admitted the Company's appeal and directed that the interim order passed by the Tribunal in the matter, will continue. Pending the outcome, no provision is made in the financial results.

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N. Sri Krishna

Partner

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Date: 1st February 2024

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STATEMENT OF CONSOLIDATED UNAUDITED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER AND NINE MONTHS ENDED 31/12/2023

(Rs.in Crore)

SI.No	Particulars	31/12/2023 : Unaudited !		31/12/2022	31/12/2023		31/03/2023
	evenue from Operations	1144,46	1264.39	1281.00	3845.59	4122.41	5608.1
	ther Income	29.38	8.02	11.26	44.53	32.18	40.1
	otal Income (1 + 2)	1173.84	1272.41	1292.26	3890.12	4154.59	5648.2
	xpenses						
	Cost of Materials Consumed	206.60	243.04	279.14	723.05	768.07	1054.7
b.	Purchase of Stock-in-trade	31.90	16.53	29.30	71.63	103.62	105.4
C.	Changes in inventories of finished goods, stock-in-trade and work-in-progress	14.68	-0.59	-55.26	41.65	-79.47	-49.8
d.	Employee benefits expense	87.89	100.13	98.35	281.80	282.07	365.4
e.	Finance Cost (Net of Interest Recoveries)	60.39	60.39	61.63	178.96	191.75	241.6
f.	Depreciation and Amortisation Expense	58.07	54.99	55.38	167.51	164.36	219.2
g.	Power and Fuel	362.77	453.78	567.61	1359.67	1807.29	2422.2
h.	Transportation & Handling	215.05	249.25	252.09	758.17	829.33	1152.0
i.	Other Expenses	176.80	197.84	169.39	548.16	507.52	701.20
To	otal Expenses (4)	1214.15	1375.36	1457.63	4130.60	4574.54	6212.1
5. Pi	rofit/(Loss) before exceptional Items and Tax (3-4)	-40.31	-102.95	-165.37	-240.48	-419.95	-563.9
6. E:	cceptional Items (Net)	26.21	0.00	300.00	26.21	300.00	186.17
7. Pi	rofit/(Loss) before Tax (5-6)	-14.10	-102.95	134.63	-214.27	-119.95	-377.7
3. Ta	x Expenses						5, 100
() Current Tax	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	11.48
(2	Deferred Tax	-7.52	-17.41	23.41	-48.57	-193.90	-219.43
- 2	ofit/(Loss) for the period from Continuing Operations (7-8)	-6.58	-85.54	111.22	-165.70	73.95	-169.8
	rofit/(Loss) from discontinued Operations	0.00	00.01		100.70	10.00	100.02
	ax Expense of Discontinued Operations						
	rofit/(Loss) from Discontinued Operations (after Tax) (10-11)						
	rofit/(Loss) for the period (9+12)	-6.58	-85.54	111.22	-165,70	73.95	-169.82
	hare of Profit/(Loss) of associates	7.57	5.75	21.58	-0.27	30.19	44.8
202	linority Interest	-0.32	-0.28	0.49	-0.27	-4.13	-1.88
	et Profit/(Loss) after tax, minority interest and share of Profit/(Loss) of associates (13+14+15)		-80.07	133.29	-166.79	100.01	-126.89
	ther Comprehensive Income	0.67	-00.07	133.29	-100.79	100.01	-120.03
	.(i)Items that will not be reclassifed to Profit / (Loss)	-0.96	4.00	4.07	0.47	4.45	0.00
	(ii)Income tax relating to the Items that will not be reclassifed to Profit / (Loss)		1.28	-4.37	-0.17	-1.15	-3.62
	A STATE OF THE PROPERTY OF THE	0.24	-0.32	0.91	-0.21	-0.68	-0.11
	8.(i)Items that will be re-classifed to Profit/(Loss)	-0.12	-0.09	1.44	-0.74	5.82	5.3
	(ii)Income tax relating to Items that will be re-classifed to Profit/(Loss)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	otal Other Comprehensive Income	-0.84	0.87	-2.02	-1.12	3.99	1.58
	otal Comprehensive Income for the Period (16+17)	-0.17	-79.20	131.27	-167.91	104.00	-125.31
	Paid-up Equity Share Captial (Face Value Rs.10/each)	309.90	309.90	309.90	309.90	309.90	309.90
	Other Equities (Reserves)						5466.40
	earnings Per Equity Share (For Continuing Operations)				- 10		
	. Basic	0.00	-2.56	4.24	-5.42	3.36	-4.04
	. Diluted	0.00	-2.56	4.24	-5.42	3.36	-4.04
	earnings Per Equity Share (For Discontinued Operations)						
	Basic	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	. Diluted	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
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b	. Diluted	0.00	-2.56	4.24	-5.42	3.36	-4.04

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To

Board of Directors of The India Cements Ltd

- 1. We have reviewed the accompanying statement of unaudited consolidated financial results of The India Cements Ltd ('the Holding Company') and its subsidiaries (the Holding Company and its subsidiaries together referred to as 'the Group') and its share of net profit/(loss) after tax and total comprehensive income/loss of associates for the quarter ended 31st December 2023 and year to date results for the period from 1st April 2023 to 31st December 2023 ('the Statement'), being submitted by the Holding Company pursuant to the requirements of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended ('Listing Regulations').
- 2. This Statement, which is the responsibility of the Holding Company's management and approved by the Holding Company's Board of Directors, has been prepared in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in Indian Accounting Standard 34, Interim Financial Reporting ('Ind AS 34'), prescribed under section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act'), and other accounting principles generally accepted in India and in compliance with Regulation 33 of Listing Regulations. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the Statement based on our review.
- 3. 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. A review of interim financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with Standards on Auditing and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

We also performed procedures in accordance with the Circular issued by the SEBI under Regulation 33 (8) of the Listing Regulations, to the extent applicable.





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4. The statement includes results of the following entities:

Subsidiaries:

- 1. Coromandel Electric Company Limited
- 2. Coromandel Travels Limited
- 3. ICL Financial Services Limited
- 4. India Cements Infrastructures Limited
- 5. Industrial Chemicals and Monomers Limited
- 6. ICL International Limited
- 7. ICL Securities Limited
- 8. NKJA Mining Private Limited (Till 10-10-2022)
- 9. Springway Mining Private Limited (Till 10-10-2022)
- 10. Coromandel Minerals Pte. Ltd, Singapore
- 11. PT Coromandel Minerals Resources, Indonesia
- 12. PT Adcoal Energindo, Indonesia
- 13. Raasi Minerals Pte. Ltd, Singapore
- 14. Trinetra Cement Limited (Transferor company under the scheme u/s 234, existing as per order of Hon'ble Hig of Madras/NCLT)

Associates:

- 1. Coromandel Sugars Limited
- 2. India Cements Capital Limited
- 3. Raasi Cement Limited
- 4. Unique Receivable Management Pvt. Limited
- 5. PT Mitra Setia Tanah Bumbu, Indonesia
- 5. Based on our review conducted as above, and having regard to the matters mentioned and assertions including steps intended for mobilizing additional resources to fund the initiatives discussed therein by the management in Note No.5 to the consolidated financial results, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying Statement, prepared in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the aforesaid Indian Accounting Standard and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, has not disclosed the information required to be disclosed in terms of Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations, including the manner in which it is to be disclosed, or that it contains any material misstatement.
- 6. Without qualifying our review conclusion, we draw attention to
- a. Note no. 3 to the Financial Results, regarding the order of attachment issued by the authorities through which certain assets of the company amounting to Rs.120.34 Crores have been attached vide provisional attachment Order dated 25th February 2015 which the company is disputing before legal forums. The company has been legally advised that it has strong grounds to defend



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its position, pending the outcome of the proceedings the impact if any is not ascertainable at this stage.

- b. Note no. 4 of the financial results, relating to the order of the Competition Commission of India (CCI), concerning alleged contravention of the provisions of Competition Act, 2002 and imposing a penalty of Rs.187.48 Crores on the Company. On Company's appeal, National Company Law Appellate Tribunal (NCLAT), in its Order passed on 25th July, 2018, has reportedly upheld the CCI's Order. The company appealed against the order before Supreme Court and the Supreme Court vide its Order dated 05th October, 2018 admitted the Company's appeal and directed that the interim order passed by the Tribunal in the matter, will continue. Pending the outcome, no provision is made in the financial results.
- 7. The Statement includes the interim financial statements/ financial information/ financial results of fourteen subsidiaries, which have not been reviewed/audited, whose interim financial statements/ financial information/ financial results reflect total revenues of Rs. 94.21 Crores and Rs. 201.75 Crores, net profit of Rs. 36.18 Crores and Rs. 27.04 Crores and total comprehensive income of Rs. 36.17 Crores and Rs. 27.16 Crores for the quarter ended on 31st December 2023 respectively, as considered in the Unaudited Consolidated Financial result. The Statement also includes the Group's share of net loss of Rs. 0.27 Crores and net profit of Rs. 7.57 Crores and total comprehensive loss of Rs. 2.02 Crores and total comprehensive income of Rs. 7.33 Crores for the quarter ended 31st December 2023, as considered in the unaudited consolidated financial result, in respect of five associates, based on their interim financial statements/ financial information/ financial results, which have not been reviewed/audited. According to the information and explanations given to us by the management, these financial statements/ financial information/ financial results of aforesaid subsidiaries and associates are not material to the Group. Our conclusion on the statement is not modified in respect of the above matter.

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