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ಪ್ರಧಾನ ಕಛೇರಿ हिन्दुस्तान एरोनाटिक्स लिमिटेड मुख्यालय HINDUSTAN AERONAUTICS LIMITED CORPORATE OFFICE

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Dear Sir/ Madam,

## Sub: Clarification on Media Report

## Ref: BSE Scrip Code: 541154, NSE Symbol: HAL

This is with reference to email dated 15<sup>th</sup> April, 2024 received from NSE and BSE for verification of media report "Hindustan Aeronautics bags order for 97 Tejas Fighter Jets from Defence Ministry".

2. In this connection, we would like to clarify that, only Request for Proposal (RFP) has been issued to HAL in April 2024 and the contract is yet to be signed.

3. Further, we would like to inform that, Acceptance of Necessity (AON) was accorded by Defence Acquisition Council (DAC) in November 2023 for procurement of LCA Tejas MK1A aircraft from HAL, which was informed to the Stock Exchanges on 30<sup>th</sup> November, 2023. Subsequently, HAL received Request for Proposal (RFP) for 97 LCA Tejas MK1A aircraft in April 2024. On submission of price bid by HAL, contract negotiations would be held with the customer and subsequently the contract with IAF will get concluded.

4. Since, only RFP has been received by the Company, and the process as explained above needs to be followed before conclusion of the Contract, the subject news article does not fall under the purview of Regulation 30 of the SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015. Hence, on award of the contract, the subject disclosure will be made by the Company.

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5. It may kindly be noted that the heading of the subject news article is not representative of the facts of the subject matter. But, as brought out above, the Company has only received an RFP against which, response is yet to be submitted. Hence, the final price of the contract and its impact would be known only after conclusion of the contract.

6. This is for information and record, please.

Thanking you,

Yours Faithfully For Hindustan Aeronautics Ltd

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