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Ref.: Indus Towers Limited (534816 / INDUSTOWER)

Sub.: Press Release w.r.t. audited financial results for the fourth quarter (Q4) and Financial Year ended March 31, 2024

Dear Sir/ Madam,

Pursuant to Regulation 30 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, please find enclosed press release being issued by the Company with regard to the audited financial results of the Company for the fourth quarter (Q4) and Financial Year ended March 31, 2024.

Kindly take the same on record.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For Indus Towers Limited

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Encl.: As above



## **Indus Towers Limited**

Indus Towers announces Consolidated results for the Fourth Quarter and full year ended March 31, 2024

Consolidated Revenues for the year at Rs. 28,601 Crores, up 0.8% Y-o-Y

Consolidated EBITDA for the year at Rs. 14,694 Crores, up 50.4% Y-o-Y

Consolidated Profit after Tax for the year at Rs. 6,036 Crores, up 195.9% Y-o-Y

Record tower additions help surpass milestone of 200,000 towers

## Highlights for the fourth quarter ended March 31, 2024

- Total Tower base of 219,736 with closing sharing factor of 1.68
- Consolidated Revenues at Rs. 7,193 Crores, up 6.5% Y-o-Y
- Consolidated EBITDA at Rs. 4,103 Crores, up 19.0% Y-o-Y
- Consolidated Profit after Tax at Rs. 1,853 Crores, up 32.4% Y-o-Y

# Highlights for the full year ended March 31, 2024

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**Gurugram, Haryana, India, April 30, 2024:** Indus Towers Limited ("Indus Towers" or "the Company") today announced its *audited Consolidated* results for the fourth quarter and full year ended March 31, 2024. The Consolidated revenue for the quarter was Rs. 7,193 Crores, up 6.5% Y-o-Y. Consolidated EBITDA was at Rs. 4,103 Crores, up 19.0% Y-o-Y and representing an operating margin of 57.0%. The net profit for the quarter was Rs. 1,853 Crores, up 32.4% Y-o-Y. The Return on Equity (Pre-Tax) improved to 33.7% as against 12.8% on Y-o-Y basis [Return on Equity (Post Tax) improved to 25.1% as against 9.4% Y-o-Y basis]. The Return on Capital Employed improved to 19.4% as against 11.0% on Y-o-Y basis.

### Prachur Sah, Managing Director and CEO, Indus Towers Limited, said:

"We had a remarkable year, evidenced by our strong operational and financial performance. The network expansion by a major customer and increase in our market share helped us deliver record tower additions, surpassing the milestone of 200,000 towers. On the financial front, we were pleased to see steady collections and part clearance of the over dues.

We expect the ongoing network expansion and 5G rollouts, supplemented by the encouraging developments around a major customer's fund raise to provide a fillip to our growth. While we continue with our growth journey, we remain steadfast in our commitment to sustainability."



# <u>Summary of the Consolidated Statement of Income – Represents Consolidated Statement of Income as per IND AS.</u>

(Amount in Rs. Crores, except ratios)

	Quarter Ended				
Particulars	Mar-24	Mar-23	Y-on-Y Growth		
Revenue <sup>1</sup>	7,193	6,753	6.5%		
EBITDA <sup>1</sup>	4,103	3,447	19.0%		
EBIT <sup>1</sup>	2,507	2,113	18.7%		
Profit/(Loss) before Tax	2,489	1,893	31.5%		
Profit/(Loss) after Tax	1,853	1,399	32.4%		
Operating Free Cash Flow <sup>1&amp;2</sup>	727	1,155	-37.0%		
Adjusted Fund From Operations(AFFO) <sup>1&amp;3</sup>	2,930	2,464	18.9%		

<sup>1.</sup> Revenue, EBITDA, EBIT, Operating free cash flow and Adjusted Fund from Operations (AFFO) are excluding other income.

#### **Tower & Co-Location Base**

Parameters	Unit	Mar 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023	Q-on-Q Growth	Mar 31, 2023	Y-on-Y Growth
Macro						
Towers	Nos	219,736	211,775	7,961	192,874	26,862
Co-locations	Nos	368,588	360,679	7,909	342,831	25,757
Key Indicators						
Average Sharing Factor	Times	1.69	1.72		1.78	
Closing Sharing Factor	Times	1.68	1.70		1.78	
Sharing Revenue per Tower p.m. <sup>1</sup>	Rs	70,027	71,166	-1.6%	73,615	-4.9%
Sharing Revenue per Sharing Operator p.m. <sup>1</sup>	Rs	41,435	41,454	0.0%	41,246	0.5%

Parameters	Unit	Mar 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023	Q-on-Q Growth	Mar 31, 2023	Y-on-Y Growth
<u>Lean</u>						
Co-locations	Nos	10,686	9,994	692	6,918	3,768
Sharing Revenue per Sharing Operator p.m <sup>1</sup>	Rs	14,799	13,914	6.4%	12,770	15.9%

<sup>1</sup> A revenue item has been reclassified for both macro and lean towers, and the corresponding changes have been made in the sharing revenue metrics. Previous period figures have been restated to conform to current quarter classification.

### **About Indus Towers Limited**

Indus Towers Limited is India's leading provider of passive telecom infrastructure and it deploys, owns and manages telecom towers and communication structures, for various mobile operators. The Company's portfolio of about 220,000 telecom towers, makes it one of the largest tower infrastructure providers in the country with presence in all 22 telecom circles. Indus Towers caters to all wireless telecommunication service providers in India. The Company has been the industry pioneer in adopting green energy initiatives for its operations. For further details visit <a href="https://www.industowers.com">www.industowers.com</a>

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<sup>2.</sup> Operating Free Cash Flow is a non IND AS measure and is defined as EBITDA adjusted for capex and repayment of lease liabilities.

<sup>3.</sup> Adjusted Fund From Operations is a non IND AS measure and is defined as EBITDA adjusted for Maintenance and General Corporate capex and repayment of lease liabilities.