

### **UNITED BREWERIES LIMITED**

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Rs. in Lakhs

	Statement of unaudited standalone financial results for the quarter and year to date period ended December 31, 2020						
Par	ticulars	Quarter ended Year to date ended		ate ended	Year ended		
		December 31, 2020	September 30, 2020	December 31, 2019	December 31, 2020	December 31, 2019	March 31, 2020
<u></u>		Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Audited
1	INCOME						
}	(a) Revenue from operations (gross of excise duty) (refer Note 7)	306,453	223,969	325,252	656,647	1,154,749	1,464,646
l	(b) Other income	462	3,260	345	3,863	850	911
}	Total income from operations	306,915	227,229	325,597	660,510	1,155,599	1,465,557
2	<u>EXPENSES</u>						
l	(a) Cost of materials consumed	60,297	41,399	63,382	123,034	232,101	297,486
l	(b) Purchase of stock-in-trade	1,728	2,759	5,264	5,204	13,905	19,497
	(c) Changes in inventories of finished goods, work-in-progress and stock-in-trade	(2,532)	(1,163)	126	1,289	86	(955)
l	(d) Excise duty on sale of goods	177,479	133,906	179,924	386,922	646,711	814,191
l	(e) Employee benefits expense	12,413	10,985	12,542	34,908	37,190	49,977
l	(f) Finance costs	534	596	989	1,845	2,636	3,112
l	(g) Depreciation and amortisation expense	5,784	6,122	7,353	16,958	21,160	28,497
l	(h) Other expenses (refer Note 7)	39,723	32,040	41,939	93,468	150,541	197,010
l	Total expenses	295,426	226,644	311,519	663,628	1,104,330	1,408,815
3	Profit/(loss) before exceptional item and tax	11,489	585	14,078	(3,118)	51,269	56,742
4	Exceptional item (refer Note 8)	5,500	-	-	5,500	-	-
5	Profit before tax	16,989	585	14,078	2,382	51,269	56,742
6	Tax expense						
l	(a) Current tax	1,693	-	3,819	1,693	14,987	17,550
l	(b) Deferred tax charge/(credit)	2,659	184	(378)	(920)	(2,322)	(3,531)
l	Total tax expense	4,352	184	3,441	773	12,665	14,019
7	Profit for the period/year	12,637	401	10,637	1,609	38,604	42,723
8	Other comprehensive income/(loss) (OCI)						
l	Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods						
l	Re-measurement gains/(losses) on defined benefit plans	15	1,030	(42)	1,064	(110)	(1,538)
l	Income tax effect on above	(4)	(259)	11	(268)	28	387
l	Total other comprehensive income/(loss), net of taxes	11	771	(31)	796	(82)	(1,151)
9	Total comprehensive income for the period/year	12,648	1,172	10,606	2,405	38,522	41,572
10	Paid up equity share capital (Face value of Re. 1 each)	2,644	2,644	2,644	2,644	2,644	2,644
11	Other equity						349,153
12	Earnings per equity share in Rs. (nominal value per share Re. 1)*						
		4.78	0.15	4.02	0.61	14.60	16.16
ł	(a) Basic	4.76	0.13	4.02	0.61	14.60	10.10

<sup>\*</sup>Not annualised for interim periods

## Segment information (also refer Note 4)

Rs. in Lakhs

Particulars		Quarter ended			Year to date ended		Year ended
		December 31,	September 30,	December 31,	December 31,	December 31,	March 31,
		2020	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020
		Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Audited
1	Segment revenue						
	Beer	305,858	223,313	324,774	654,681	1,153,182	1,462,613
	Non-alcoholic beverages	595	656	478	1,966	1,567	2,033
	Total revenue	306,453	223,969	325,252	656,647	1,154,749	1,464,646
2	Segment results						
	Beer	21,004	5,466	23,519	19,167	80,631	94,841
	Non-alcoholic beverages	(1,326)	(866)	(849)	(2,693)	(3,946)	(4,838)
	Total segment results	19,678	4,600	22,670	16,474	76,685	90,003
	Other income	462	3,260	345	3,863	850	911
	Finance costs	(534)	(596)	(989)	(1,845)	(2,636)	(3,112)
	Other unallocable expenses	(8,117)	(6,679)	(7,948)	(21,610)	(23,630)	(31,060)
	Profit/(loss) before exceptional item and tax	11,489	585	14,078	(3,118)	51,269	56,742
	Exceptional item (refer Note 8)	5,500	-	-	5,500	-	-
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See accompanying notes to the standalone financial results

#### **NOTES**

1. In March 2020, the World Health Organisation declared Coronavirus (COVID-19) to be a pandemic and consequently on March 24, 2020, the Government of India ordered a nationwide lockdown, which got extended in phases. The outbreak of COVID-19 pandemic in India has caused significant disturbance and slowdown of economic activities. The business operations of United Breweries Limited ("the Company") have been significantly impacted by way of interruption of production, supply chain, etc.

The Company has taken various precautionary measures to protect its employees from COVID-19. The Company has assessed the impact of this pandemic on its business operations and has considered all relevant internal and external information available upto the date of approval of these standalone financial results in determining the recoverability and carrying values of property, plant and equipment, intangible assets, investments, trade and other receivables, inventories and other financial statement captions. The impact of COVID-19 pandemic on the overall economic environment being uncertain, may affect the underlying assumptions and estimates used in preparation of these standalone financial results, whereby actual outcome may differ from those assumptions and estimates considered at the date of approval of these standalone financial results. The Company will continue to closely monitor the situation and any material changes to future economic conditions. From May 2020, the Company has resumed its business activities in a phased manner in line with directives issued by the central and state governments.

- 2. The standalone financial results for the quarter ended December 31, 2020 and year to date period from April 1, 2020 to December 31, 2020 of the Company have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors at their meetings held on January 27, 2021 and January 28, 2021, respectively, and have been subjected to limited review by the statutory auditors of the Company.
- 3. The standalone financial results have been prepared in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the applicable accounting standards prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013, read with the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015, as amended, and in terms of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended.
- 4. As per Ind AS 108, operating segment is a component of the Company that engages in business activities, whose operating results are regularly reviewed by the Company's Chief Operating Decision Maker ('CODM') to make decisions about resources to be allocated to the segment and assess its performance; and for which discrete financial information is available. Accordingly, the Company has identified its operating segments, as below:
  - (a) Beer This segment includes manufacture, purchase and sale of beer including licensing of brands
  - (b) Non-alcoholic beverages This segment includes manufacture, purchase and sale of non-alcoholic beverages

Considering the seasonality of the business, the revenue and profits do not accrue evenly over the year in respect of aforesaid operating segments. The Company's CODM does not review assets and liabilities for each operating segment separately, hence segment disclosures relating to total assets and liabilities have not been furnished.

5. On October 10, 2018, certain officials from the Competition Commission of India ("CCI") had visited the Company for their investigation in relation to allegations of price-fixation and performed search of the premises and conducted inquiries with certain officials of the Company at its registered office. Pursuant to this, the Company made requisite filings and also certain officials of the Company appeared before the aforesaid authorities. The Director General, CCI had submitted its updated investigation report to the CCI for consideration which was also communicated to the Company on March 19, 2020. On August 28, 2020, the Company had filed its comments / objections to the aforesaid investigation report. The CCI has scheduled a hearing on February 11, 2021 for this matter.

Management, along-with its legal advisors, believe that there are mitigating factors to counter presumptions made against the Company by the CCI under the Competition Act, 2002, which have also been highlighted in the comments / objections to the investigation report filed by the Company. Pending conclusion of this matter by the CCI, the management is of view that it is not practicable to state an estimate of its financial effect, if any.

6. The Bihar State Government ("the Government") vide its notification dated April 5, 2016 had imposed ban on trade and consumption of foreign liquor in the State of Bihar. The Company had filed a writ petition with the High Court at Patna, requesting remedies and compensation for losses incurred on account of such abrupt notification, against which the Government preferred a special leave petition before the Supreme Court of India. Further, the Government did not renew brewery licenses for the financial year 2017-18 onwards and consequently the Company discontinued production of beer at Bihar and all its inventories lying with Bihar State Beverages Corporation Limited (BSBCL) were drained / destroyed. The matter is currently pending before the Supreme Court for final conclusion.

The financial impact on current assets arising from aforesaid matter was fully provided for. Also, during the financial year 2018-19, in order to maintain the assets in running condition, the Company commenced manufacture of non-alcoholic beverages at its existing manufacturing facility at Bihar using its existing property, plant and equipment at Bihar which has carrying value of Rs. 16,307 Lakhs as at December 31, 2020. Management believes that the carrying amount of these property, plant and equipment do not exceed their recoverable amount and accordingly no provision has been considered necessary by the management in this regard.

7. Revenue from operations for the quarters ended December 31, 2020, September 30, 2020 and December 31, 2019 is adjusted for reversals in variable considerations of Rs. 499 Lakhs, Rs. 444 Lakhs and Rs. 1,068 Lakhs, respectively, and that for the year to date period ended December 31, 2020, the year to date period ended December 31, 2019 and the year ended March 31, 2020 is adjusted for such reversals of Rs. 1,343 Lakhs, Rs. 1,551 Lakhs and Rs. 1,702 Lakhs, respectively (excluding the amounts accrued and reversed within the said period/year).

Sales promotion expense and selling and distribution expense (included under other expenses) for the quarter ended December 31, 2019 is net of reversal of Rs. 1,244 Lakhs and that for the year ended March 31, 2020 is net of such reversal of Rs. 489 Lakhs (excluding the amounts accrued and reversed within the said year).

- 8. During the quarter ended December 31, 2020, the Company executed a deed for assignment cum transfer of its rights and interest in a leasehold land property. Accordingly, a profit of Rs. 5,500 Lakhs realised on such transfer is presented as an exceptional item in the standalone financial results.
- 9. The Code on Social Security, 2020 (the "Code") relating to employee benefits during employment and post-employment benefits, received Presidential assent in September 2020. The Code has been published in the Gazette of India. However, the date on which the Code will come into effect is yet to be notified and the final rules/interpretation are yet to be issued. The Company will assess the impact of the Code when it comes into effect and will record any related impact accordingly.

10. The Company had received an order dated September 30, 2015 from the Debt Recovery Tribunal, Karnataka, Bangalore (DRT), whereby the Company has been directed not to pay/release amounts that may be payable with respect to shares in the Company held by an erstwhile director (including his joint holdings) and United Breweries (Holdings) Limited, without its prior permission. Accordingly, the Company has withheld payment of Rs. 2,016 Lakhs (net of payment of Rs. 784 Lakhs to the official liquidator of United Breweries (Holdings) Limited) relating to dividend on aforesaid shares.

Further, the Company had received various orders from tax and provident fund authorities prohibiting the Company from making any payment to an erstwhile director. The Company has accordingly withheld payment of Rs. 45 Lakhs (net of TDS), relating to director commission and sitting fees payable to the aforesaid erstwhile director.

11. The standalone financial results and notes are also available on the websites of the Stock Exchanges viz. www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com and also on the website of the Company viz. www.unitedbreweries.com.

By the authority of the Board

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Place : Bengaluru Date : January 28, 2021

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

Review Report to The Board of Directors United Breweries Limited

- 1. We have reviewed the accompanying statement of unaudited standalone financial results of United Breweries Limited (the "Company") for the quarter ended December 31, 2020 and year to date from April 1, 2020 to December 31, 2020 (the "Statement") attached herewith, being submitted by the Company pursuant to the requirements of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended (the "Listing Regulations").
- 2. This 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, (Ind AS 34) "Interim Financial Reporting" prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 as amended, read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other accounting principles generally accepted in India. 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 Statement is free of material misstatement. 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.
- 4. Based on our review conducted as above, 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 Standards ('Ind AS') specified under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013, as amended, read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, has not disclosed the information required to be disclosed in terms of the Listing Regulations, including the manner in which it is to be disclosed, or that it contains any material misstatement.

## 5. Emphasis of Matter

We draw attention to below mentioned notes to the accompanying standalone financial results:

- (a) Note 1 which describes management's assessment of the impact of COVID-19 pandemic on the Company's operations and carrying value of assets as at December 31, 2020;
- (b) Note 5 which more fully describes the uncertainty relating to the future outcome of the investigation by the Competition Commission of India ("CCI"); and

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(c) Note 6 which more fully describes the uncertainty relating to the outcome of special leave petition filed by the Bihar State Government before the Honourable Supreme Court of India and the consequential impact thereof.

Our conclusion is not modified in respect of aforesaid matters.

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		Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited	Audited
1	INCOME						
	(a) Revenue from operations (gross of excise duty) (refer Note 7)	306,589	223,896	325,407	656,767	1,155,124	1,465,115
	(b) Other income	467	3,244	354	3,859	854	930
	Total income from operations	307,056	227,140	325,761	660,626	1,155,978	1,466,045
2	EXPENSES						
	(a) Cost of materials consumed	60,094	41,191	63,196	122,575	231,460	296,605
	(b) Purchase of stock-in-trade	1,728	2,759	5,264	5,204	13,905	19,497
l	(c) Changes in inventories of finished goods,	(2,540)	(1,152)	101	1,329	63	(989)
	work-in-progress and stock-in-trade	(2)3 13)	(1,101)	202	2,023		(555)
İ	(d) Excise duty on sale of goods	177,479	133,906	179,924	386,922	646,711	814,191
ĺ	(e) Employee benefits expense	12,518	11,045	12,671	35,118	37,547	50,412
	(f) Finance costs	534	596	989	1,845	2,636	3,112
	(g) Depreciation and amortisation expense	5,789	6,125	7,356	16,970	21,167	28,510
	(h) Other expenses (refer Note 7)	39,866	32,125	42,098	93,743	151,156	197,815
	Total expenses	295,468	226,595	311,599	663,706	1,104,645	1,409,153
3	Profit/(loss) before exceptional item and tax	11,588	545	14,162	(3,080)	51,333	56,892
4	Exceptional item (refer Note 8)	5,500	-	-	5,500	-	-
5	Profit before tax	17,088	545	14,162	2,420	51,333	56,892
6	Tax expense						
ľ	(a) Current tax	1,707	_	3,840	1,707	15,008	17,597
	(b) Deferred tax charge/(credit)	2,662	184	(378)	(917)	(2,322)	(3,534)
	Total tax expense	4,369	184	3,462	790	12,686	14,063
,	Profit for the period/year	12,719	361	10,700	1,630	38,647	42,829
<u>'</u>		12,713	301	10,700	1,030	38,047	42,023
8	Other comprehensive income/(loss) (OCI)						
İ	Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods			,		()	
	Re-measurement gains/(losses) on defined benefit plans	15	1,030	(42)	1,064	(110)	(1,538)
	Income tax effect on above	(4)	(259)	11	(268)	28	387
_	Total other comprehensive income/(loss), net of taxes	11 720	771	(31)	796	(82)	(1,151)
9	Total comprehensive income for the period/year	12,730	1,132	10,669	2,426	38,565	41,678
10	Profit/(loss) for the period/year attributable to:						
	Equity shareholders of the Holding Company	12,678	370	10,668	1,608	38,615	42,773
	Non-controlling interest	41	(9)	32	22	32	56
		12,719	361	10,700	1,630	38,647	42,829
11	Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period/year attributable to:						
	Equity shareholders of the Holding Company	12,689	1,141	10,637	2,404	38,533	41,622
	Non-controlling interest	41	(9)	32	22	32	56
		12,730	1,132	10,669	2,426	38,565	41,678
	Paid up equity share capital (Face value of Re. 1 each)	2,644	2,644	2,644	2,644	2,644	2,644
	Other equity						349,382
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	(a) Basic	4.80	0.14	4.05	0.61	14.62	16.18
	(b) Diluted	4.80	0.14	4.05	0.61	14.62	16.18

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	Beer	305,994	223,240	324,929	654,801	1,153,557	1,463,082
	Non-alcoholic beverages	595	656	478	1,966	1,567	2,033
	Total revenue	306,589	223,896	325,407	656,767	1,155,124	1,465,115
2	Segment results						
	Beer	21,098	5,442	23,594	19,209	80,691	94,972
	Non-alcoholic beverages	(1,326)	(866)	(849)	(2,693)	(3,946)	(4,838)
	Total segment results	19,772	4,576	22,745	16,516	76,745	90,134
	Other income	467	3,244	354	3,859	854	930
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7. Revenue from operations for the quarters ended December 31, 2020, September 30, 2020 and December 31, 2019 is adjusted for reversals in variable considerations of Rs. 499 Lakhs, Rs. 444 Lakhs and Rs. 1,068 Lakhs, respectively, and that for the year to date period ended December 31, 2020, the year to date period ended December 31, 2019 and the year ended March 31, 2020 is adjusted for such reversals of Rs. 1,343 Lakhs, Rs. 1,551 Lakhs and Rs. 1,702 Lakhs, respectively (excluding the amounts accrued and reversed within the said period/year).

Sales promotion expense and selling and distribution expense (included under other expenses) for the quarter ended Decemebr 31, 2019 is net of reversal of Rs. 1,244 Lakhs and that for the year ended March 31, 2020 is net of such reversal of Rs. 489 Lakhs (excluding the amounts accrued and reversed within the said year).

- 8. During the quarter ended December 31, 2020, the Holding Company executed a deed for assignment cum transfer of its rights and interest in a leasehold land property. Accordingly, a profit of Rs. 5,500 Lakhs realised on such transfer is presented as an exceptional item in the consolidated financial results.
- 9. The Code on Social Security, 2020 (the "Code") relating to employee benefits during employment and post-employment benefits, received Presidential assent in September 2020. The Code has been published in the Gazette of India. However, the date on which the Code will come into effect is yet to be notified and the final rules/interpretation are yet to be issued. The Group will assess the impact of the Code when it comes into effect and will record any related impact accordingly.

10. The Holding Company had received an order dated September 30, 2015 from the Debt Recovery Tribunal, Karnataka, Bangalore (DRT), whereby the Holding Company has been directed not to pay/release amounts that may be payable with respect to shares in the Holding Company held by an erstwhile director (including his joint holdings) and United Breweries (Holdings) Limited, without its prior permission. Accordingly, the Holding Company has withheld payment of Rs. 2,016 Lakhs (net of payment of Rs. 784 Lakhs to the official liquidator of United Breweries (Holdings) Limited) relating to dividend on aforesaid shares.

Further, the Holding Company had received various orders from tax and provident fund authorities prohibiting the Holding Company from making any payment to an erstwhile director. The Holding Company has accordingly withheld payment of Rs. 45 Lakhs (net of TDS), relating to director commission and sitting fees payable to the aforesaid erstwhile director.

11. The consolidated financial results and notes are also available on the websites of the Stock Exchanges viz. <a href="https://www.bseindia.com">www.bseindia.com</a> and <a href="https://www.nseindia.com">www.nseindia.com</a> and also on the website of the Holding Company viz. <a href="https://www.unitedbreweries.com">www.unitedbreweries.com</a>.

By the authority of the Board

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Rishi Pardal Managing Director

Place: Bengaluru
Date: January 28, 2021

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

Review Report to
The Board of Directors
United Breweries Limited

- 1. We have reviewed the accompanying Statement of Unaudited Consolidated Financial Results of United Breweries Limited (the "Holding Company") and its subsidiary (the Holding Company and its subsidiary together referred to as "the Group") and its associate for the quarter ended December 31, 2020 and year to date from April 1, 2020 to December 31, 2020 (the "Statement") attached herewith, 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 (the "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, (Ind AS 34) "Interim Financial Reporting" prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 as amended, read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other accounting principles generally accepted in India. 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 Statement is free of material misstatement. 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 No. CIR/CFD/CMD1/44/2019 dated March 29, 2019 issued by the Securities and Exchange Board of India under Regulation 33(8) of the Listing Regulations, to the extent applicable.

- 4. The Statement includes the results of the Holding Company and its subsidiary i.e. Maltex Malsters Limited.
- 5. Based on our review conducted and procedures performed as stated in paragraph 3 above and based on the consideration of the review report of other auditors referred to in paragraph 7 below, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying Statement, prepared in accordance with recognition and measurement principles laid down in the aforesaid Indian Accounting Standards ('Ind AS') specified under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013, as amended, read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, has not disclosed the information required to be disclosed in terms of the Listing Regulations, including the manner in which it is to be disclosed, or that it contains any material misstatement.

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### 6. Emphasis of Matter

We draw attention to below mentioned notes to the accompanying consolidated financial results:

- (a) Note 1 which describes management's assessment of the impact of COVID-19 pandemic on the Group's operations and carrying value of assets as at December 31, 2020;
- (b) Note 5 which more fully describes the uncertainty relating to the future outcome of the investigation by the Competition Commission of India ("CCI"); and
- (c) Note 6 which more fully describes the uncertainty relating to the outcome of special leave petition filed by the Bihar State Government before the Honourable Supreme Court of India and the consequential impact thereof.

Our conclusion is not modified in respect of aforesaid matters.

7. The accompanying Statement includes the unaudited interim financial results and other financial information, in respect of a subsidiary whose unaudited interim financial results include total revenues of Rs. 339 Lakhs and Rs. 693 Lakhs, total net profit after tax of Rs. 83 Lakhs and Rs. 44 Lakhs, total comprehensive income of Rs. 83 Lakhs and Rs. 44 Lakhs, for the quarter ended December 31, 2020 and for the period from April 1, 2020 to December 31, 2020, respectively, as considered in the Statement, which have been reviewed by the independent auditors of the subsidiary.

The independent auditor's report on interim financial results of this subsidiary have been furnished to us by the Management and our conclusion on the Statement, in so far as it relates to the amounts and disclosures in respect of this subsidiary is based solely on the report of such auditors and procedures performed by us as stated in paragraph 3 above.

Our conclusion on the Statement in respect of matter stated above is not modified with respect to our reliance on the work done and the report of the other auditors.

8. The accompanying unaudited consolidated financial results does not include the Holding Company's share of net profit/loss for the quarter ended December 31, 2020 and year to date from April 1, 2020 to December 31, 2020 in respect of Kingfisher East Bengal Football Team Private Limited, an associate, which is considered as not material to the Group.

For S.R. Batliboi & Associates LLP

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