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BSE Limited Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers Dalal Street, Fort Mumbai – 400 001 National Stock Exchange of India Limited Exchange Plaza, 5th Floor, Plot No. C/l, G Block Bandra-Kurla Complex, Bandra (East), Mumbai – 400 051

Scrip Code: 500295 Scrip Code: VEDL

Sub: <u>Declaration of Preferred Bidder of Janthakal Iron Ore Mine under the E-Auction for the block</u> conducted by the Department of Mines & Geology, Government of Karnataka

Dear Sir/Ma'am,

Pursuant to Regulation 30 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended from time to time, we wish to inform you that the Department of Mines & Geology, Government of Karnataka vide its 'Notice Inviting Tender' dated October 03, 2024, had invited tenders to participate in the auction process for grant of Mining License in respect of Janthakal Iron Ore Mine in the State of Karnataka and. Post qualifying at the initial bid stage, The Company had participated in the live E-auction for grant of the stated Mining License.

Via 'Declaration of Preferred Bidder' notification dated July 22, 2025 (received by the Company on July 22, 2025 at 03:17 pm IST), the Company has been declared as 'Preferred Bidder' for the Janthakal Iron Ore Mine.

As per the tender document, the Janthakal Iron Ore Mine is at G3 level of exploration with total area of 71.16 hectares for the block.

The grant of Mining License by the Government of Karnataka in respect of aforesaid mine shall be subject to making of necessary payment of Performance Bank Guarantee, completion of other terms and conditions of the Tender Document, obtaining of necessary approvals/permissions/clearances from various Government Departments/Agencies and execution of necessary agreements/deeds in the matter.

We request you to kindly take the above information on record.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully, For Vedanta Limited

Prerna Halwasiya
Company Secretary and Compliance Officer

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