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Corporate Relationship Department BSE Limited Dalal Street, Fort Mumbai - 400 001 National Stock Exchange of India Limited "Exchange Plaza" Bandra-Kurla Complex, Bandra (East), Mumbai – 400 051

Scrip Code: 500295 Scrip Code: VEDL

Dear Sir(s),

Sub: Clarification on Rumour Verification "Vedanta used Cairn loan to repay intercompany loan"

This is in reference to your email dated September 15, 2015 regarding media report titled "Vedanta used Cairn loan to repay inter-company loan."

In this regard we draw your kind attention to our Press Release dated July 29, 2014 stating: "During the quarter, Cairn India Limited entered into an intercompany facility to lend upto US\$1.25 billion to a wholly owned overseas subsidiary of Sesa Sterlite Limited for two years at arm's length terms and conditions. It carries an annual interest rate of LIBOR + 300 bps. Of this, US\$800 million has been disbursed as of 30 June 2014. The wholly owned overseas subsidiary has repaid all of the accrued interest, and a part of principal of the intercompany debt extended from Vedanta Resources Plc to Sesa Sterlite".

We further clarify that the current media reports including the one referred to in your email of September 15, 2015 relates to a transaction that was concluded as per the aforesaid press release and that no further or other transaction has since been undertaken.

We trust this clarifies.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

For Vedanta Limited

Rajiv Choubey

Company Secretary & VP-Legal