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11 February 2022

To, The Manager [NSE NEAPS] Listing Department National Stock Exchange of India Ltd., Exchange Plaza, 5 th Floor, Plot No. C/1, G-Block, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400051	To, The General Manager [BSE Listing Centre] Department of Corporate Services BSE Limited New Trading Ring, Rotunda Building, 1 st Floor, P.J. Towers, Dalal Street, Fort, Mumbai - 400 001
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Dear Sir/Madam,

Announcement under Regulation 30 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 – Approval for setting-up of 900 tpd Onsite Air Separation Unit at ESL Steel Ltd., Bokaro

We wish to inform you that the Company has on 10 February 2022 signed a 15-year long-term agreement structured on Lease and O&M basis with ESL Steel Ltd. (ESL), a Vedanta Group Company for supply of 800 tonnes per day of Oxygen and 900 tonnes per day of Nitrogen to them at their steelworks at Bokaro. For this purpose, Linde India will be setting up an onsite Air Separation Unit (ASU) at ESL's Bokaro steelworks, which will serve ESL's demand for gases for its brownfield expansion and will also cater to Linde India's requirement of gases for merchant markets. The capital expenditure for setting up of this ASU will be financed by the Company's own sources/internal accruals.

This may please be treated as compliance under Regulation 30 read with Schedule III of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. You are requested to please take the above on record and disseminate the same on your website for information of the Members and Investors of the Company.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Pawan Marda', is written over a horizontal blue line.

Pawan Marda
Director – Corporate Affairs and Company Secretary