



25th May, 2016

The Market Operations Department	The Manager
BSE Limited	Listing Department
Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers	National Stock Exchange of India Ltd.
Dalal Street	Exchange Plaza, C-1, Block G,
MUMBAI- 400 001	Bandra - Kurla Complex,
	Bandra (East), Mumbai – 400 051

Dear Sir,

In continuation to our letter dated 4th April, 2016 for sale of entire equity stake of 98.08% in Sabah Forest Industries Sdn. Bhd., Malaysia (SFI) by Ballarpur Paper Holdings B.V. (BPH), a step down subsidiary of the Company and holding Company of SFI to M/s Pandawa Sakti (Sabah) Sdn. Bhd., Malaysia (Buyer) pursuant to the Share Sale Agreement, we wish to update on the transaction as under:

- 1. The Buyer will pay BPH USD 50.0 Million as an advance by 3rd June,2016 and pay the balance equity consideration to acquire 50% equity of SFI by 30th June,2016.
- 2. The Buyer is in the process of furnishing us a Guarantee for USD 17.5 Million as an additional security by 31st May,2016, in addition to existing Guarantees for USD 32.5 Million (in favour of BPH continue to be valid) making the total Guarantees amount to USD 50.0 Million.
- 3. Based on the above and other formalities to be completed by the Buyer for acquisition of 50% equity of SFI, he has requested for an extension of the Long Stop Date (LSD) upto 30th June, 2016.

In view of the aforesaid progress, the LSD for sale of SFI equity stake has been extended upto 30th June, 2016.

You are requested to take the information on record.

Thanking you, Yours faithfully,

For BALLARPUR INDUSTRIES LIMITED

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