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The Secretary, Stock Exchanges, BSE/NSE/OTCQX

Sub: Compliance of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015: Submission of Un-audited Reviewed Financial Results along with Limited Review Report for the Quarter ended 30th June, 2021.

Dear Sir,

Further to our letter of even no.dtd. July 26, 2021, we are forwarding herewith the Unaudited Reviewed Financial Results prepared as per Ind AS along with the Limited Review Report submitted by the Statutory Auditors of the Company for the Quarter ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 duly approved by the Board of Directors in its Meeting held in New Delhi today i.e. 13<sup>th</sup> August, 2021.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of the same and take the same on record.

The results are also being published in newspapers as per the requirement of Regulation 47 of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015.

Thanking you, Yours faithfully.

(S.R. SAYAL)

**COMPANY SECRETARY** 

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#### STATEMENT OF STANDALONE UNAUDITED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER ENDED ON 30/06/2021

(Rs. in Crore)

|         |   |                             | Year Ended   |   |                                   |
|---------|---|-----------------------------|--------------|---|-----------------------------------|
| -       |   | Three Month Ended           |              |   |                                   |
| 61. No. | Particulars   | 3 months endo<br>30/06/2021 | months ended | Corresponding 3<br>months ended<br>30/06/2020 in the<br>previous year | Previous year ended<br>31/03/2021 |
|         |   | UNAUDITED                   | AUDITED *    | UNAUDITED   | AUDITED                           |
|         | Revenue from operations   | 283.                        | 81 296.19    | 352.07  | 1,303.64                          |
| ii I    | Other Income  | 114.                        |              |   | 484.77                            |
| iii     | Total Income (++II)   | 398.                        |              |   | 1,788.41                          |
| IV      | Expenses  |                             |              |   |                                   |
|         | Changes in Inventories  | 0.0                         | 0.00         |   | 0.21                              |
|         | License Fees & Spectrum Charges   | 31                          |              |   | 118.32                            |
|         | Employees' Remuneration and benefits  | 151.                        |              |   | 413.03                            |
|         | Finance cost  | 516.                        |              |   | 2,107.07                          |
|         | Revenue Sharing   | 31.<br>198.                 |              |   | 92.67<br>879.65                   |
|         | Depreciation and amortization expense Administrative Expenses   | 157.                        |              |   | 639.26                            |
|         | Total Expenses (IV)   | 1.086.                      |              |   | 4,250.19                          |
| v       | Profits/(Loss) before exceptional items and tax(III-IV)   | (688.                       |              |   |                                   |
| VI      | Exceptional items   | 1                           |              |   |                                   |
| VII     | Profit/ (Loss) before tax (V- VI)   | (688.                       | 13) (600.82  | (636.41)  | (2,461.79)                        |
| VIII    | Tax expense   |                             |              |   |                                   |
|         | (1) Current tax   |                             |              |   | = #                               |
|         | (2) Deferred tax  |                             | 1.00         | .=  | 13.461.70                         |
| IX      | Profit/ (Loss) for the period from continuing operations (VII - VIII)                                 | (688.                       |              |   | (2,461.79)                        |
| Х       | Profit/ (Loss) from discontinued operations   |                             |              | = 2   |                                   |
| XI      | Tax expense of discontinued operations  |                             |              |   |                                   |
| XII     | Profit/ (Loss) from Discontinued Operations (after tax) (X-XI)  |                             |              |   |                                   |
| XIII    | Profit/ (Loss) for the period (IX + XII)  | (688.                       | .13) (600.82 | (636.41)  | (2,461.79)                        |
| XIV     | Other Comprehensive Income  |                             |              |   |                                   |
| А       | i) Items that will not be reclassified to profit and loss   |                             | 7.55         |   | 7.55                              |
|         | III   Income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss                    |                             | - 58         |   |                                   |
| В       | i) Items that will be reclassified to profit or loss  |                             | (2)          |   |                                   |
|         | ii) Income tax relating to items that will be reclassified to profit or loss                          |                             | . 16         |   |                                   |
|         | Other Comprehensive Income for the year   | - 3                         | 7.55         | - 14  | 7.55                              |
| XV      | Total Comprehensive Income for the period (XIII+XIV)  | (688.                       | .13) (593.27 | (636.41   |                                   |
| XVI     | Paid up Equity Share Capital  |                             |              |   | 630.00                            |
| XVII    | Other Equity excluding revaluation reserves   |                             |              |   | (16,669.88                        |
| XVIII   | Earnings per equity Share (of Rs. 10 each) for continuing operations:(not annualised)                 |                             |              |   |                                   |
|         | (1) Basic   | (10                         | 92) (9.5     | (10.10  |                                   |
|         | (2) Diluted   | (10                         | .92) (9.5    | 4) (10.10   | (39.08                            |
| XIX     | Earnings per equity Share of Rs.10 each(for discontinued operations):(not annualised) (1) Basic       |                             |              | 92  | E                                 |
|         | (2) Diluted   | 1 2                         | 2            | F3  | 8                                 |
| XX      | Earnings per equity Share of Rs.10 each (for discontinued & continuing operations): (not lannualised) |                             |              |   |                                   |
|         | (1) Basic   | (10                         | (9.5         | 4) (10.10   |                                   |
|         | (2) Diluted   | (10                         | (9.5         | 4) (10.10   | (39.08                            |

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## Notes:

- 1 The financial results have been prepared in accordance with the Indian Accounting Standards (Ind- AS) as prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act 2013 read with Rule 3 of the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015 and relevant amendment rules thereafter.
- 2 The above results have been reviewed and adopted by the Board of Directors of the Company in their meeting held on 13.08.2021
- \* The figures of last quarter are the balancing figures between audited figures in respect of the full financial year and the published year to date figures upto the third quarter of the respective financial year.
- 4 The figures for the previous periods have been regrouped wherever necessary to conform to the current period presentation.

For and on behalf of the Board

(P.K.Purwar)

Chairman & Managing Director DIN: 06619060

Place : New Delhi Date : 13.08.2021







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STANDALONE UNAUDITED SEGMENT WISE REVENUE, RESULTS AND ASSETS & LIABILITIES FOR THE QUARTER ENDED ON 30/06/2021

(Rs. in Crore)

|         |   |                            | STANDALONE                          |  |   |                                      |  |
|---------|---|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|---|--------------------------------------|--|
|         |   |                            | Year Ended                          |  |   |                                      |  |
| SI. No. | Particulars   |                            | 3 months ended<br>30/06/2021        | Preceeding 3<br>months ended<br>31/03/2021 | Corresponding 3<br>months ended<br>30/06/2020 in the<br>previous year | Previous year<br>ended<br>31/03/2021 |  |
|         |   |                            | UNAUDITED                           | AUDITED *                                  | UNAUDITED   | AUDITED                              |  |
| 1.      | Revenue from Operations Basic & other Services Cellular Unallocable   |                            | 251.26<br>32.90                     | 262.68<br>33.93                            | 321.40<br>31.11   | 1,180.79<br>124.51<br>-              |  |
|         |   | Total                      | 284.16                              | 296.61                                     | 352.51  | 1,305.30                             |  |
|         | Less: Inter Segment Revenue   |                            | 0.35                                | 0.43                                       | 0.44  | 1.66                                 |  |
|         | Ne  | et Revenue from Operations | 283.81                              | 296.19                                     | 352.07  | 1,303.64                             |  |
| 2.      | Segment Result before interest income, excost and tax   | ceptional items, finance   |                                     |  |   |                                      |  |
|         | Basic & other Services<br>Cellular<br>Unallocable   | T-1-1                      | (64.32)<br>(97.16)<br>(12.86)       | 5.70<br>(122.26)<br>20.04                  | 16.04<br>(119.54)<br>(11.45)  | 98.80<br>(483.93)<br>(20.41)         |  |
|         |   | Total                      | (174.35)                            | (96.52)                                    | (114.95)  | (405.54)                             |  |
|         | Add: Exceptional items<br>Add: Interest Income<br>Less: Finance cost  |                            | 2.28<br>516.06                      | 26.77<br>531.07                            | 4.31<br>525.77  | 50.82<br>2,107.07                    |  |
|         |   | Profit/ (Loss) before tax  | (688.13)                            | (600.82)                                   | (636.41)  | (2461.79)                            |  |
|         | Less: Provision for Current Tax & Deferred  | tax                        |                                     | 8  |   | 545                                  |  |
|         |   | Profit/ (Loss) after tax   | (688.13)                            | (600.82)                                   | (636.41)  | (2,461.79)                           |  |
| 3.      | Capital Employed (Segment Asset - Segment Liabilities) Segment Asset Basic & other Services Cellular Unallocable/Eliminations |                            | 7,122.14<br>4,275.11<br>1,476.11    | 7,124.08<br>4,365.73<br>1,860.91           | 7,496.33<br>4,694.96<br>3,020.55                                      | 7,124.08<br>4,365.73<br>1,860.91     |  |
|         |   | Total Segment Assets       | 12,873.37                           | 13,350.73                                  | 15,211.84   | 13,350.73                            |  |
|         | Segment Liabilities Basic & other Services Cellular Unallocable/Eliminations  |                            | 2,695.61<br>24,567.06<br>2,338.72   | 2,585.83<br>24,081.77<br>2,723.02          | 4,717.80<br>22,993.91<br>1,723.83                                     | 2,585.83<br>24,081.77<br>2,723.02    |  |
|         |   | Total Segment Liabilities  | 29,601.39                           | 29,390.61                                  | 29,435.53   | 29,390.61                            |  |
|         | Segment Capital Employed Basic & other Services Cellular Unallocable/Eliminations   |                            | 4,426.54<br>(20,291.95)<br>(862.61) | 4,538.26<br>(19,716.04)<br>(862.10)        | 2,778.54<br>(18,298.95)<br>1,296.72                                   | 4,538.26<br>(19,716.04)<br>(862.10)  |  |
| -       | Onanocable/ Elliminations   | Capital Employed           | (16,728.02)                         | (16,039.88)                                | (14,223.69)   | (16,039.88)                          |  |

<sup>\*</sup> The figures of last quarter are the balancing figures between audited figures in respect of the full financial year and the published year to date figures upto the third quarter of the respective financial year.

For and on behalf of the Board

Chairman & Managing Director DIN: 06619060

Place : New Delhi Date: 13.08.2021







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## STATEMENT OF UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER ENDED ON 30/06/2021

|         |   | Т                         | hree Month Ended                           | i   | Year Ended                           |  |
|---------|---|---------------------------|--|---|--------------------------------------|--|
| SI. No. | Particulars   | 3 months ended 30/06/2021 | Preceeding 3<br>months ended<br>31/03/2021 | Corresponding 3<br>months ended<br>30/06/2020 in the<br>previous year | Previous Year<br>ended<br>31/03/2021 |  |
|         |   | UNAUDITED                 | AUDITED *                                  | UNAUDITED   | AUDITED                              |  |
|         | Revenue from operations   | 301.15                    | 316.23                                     | 368.80  | 1,387.71                             |  |
| ii l    | Other Income  | 115.52                    | 154.56                                     | 103.59  | 485.17                               |  |
| III     | Total Income (I +II)  | 416.67                    | 470.79                                     | 472.39  | 1,872.87                             |  |
| ١٧      | Expenses  |                           |  |   |                                      |  |
|         | Changes in Inventories  | 1.10                      | 1.05                                       | 0.41  | 5.21                                 |  |
|         | License Fees & Spectrum Charges   | 34.04                     | 22.76                                      | 35.24   | 127.94                               |  |
|         | Employees' Remuneration and benefits  | 151.77                    | 35.04                                      | 156.97  | 416.55                               |  |
|         | Finance cost Revenue Sharing  | 516.08<br>35.49           | 531.15<br>33.05                            | 525.77<br>27.23   | 2,107.24<br>109.28                   |  |
|         | Depreciation and amortization expense   | 201.95                    | 211.69                                     | 236.21  | 893.30                               |  |
|         | Administrative Expenses   | 165.24                    | 236.09                                     | 130.01  | 673.34                               |  |
|         | Total Expenses (IV)   | 1,105.67                  | 1,070.83                                   | 1,111.84  | 4,332.87                             |  |
| v       | Profits/(Loss) before exceptional items and tax(III-IV)   | (689.00)                  | (600.04)                                   |   | (2,460.00                            |  |
| VI      | Share of Profit/(loss) in investments accounted for using equity  | 0.31                      | 0.04                                       | 0.30  | 0.81                                 |  |
|         | method  | 0.31                      | 0.04                                       | 0.50  | 0.61                                 |  |
| VII     | Exceptional items   | 1                         |  | 3   | 12.550.10                            |  |
| VIII    | Profit/ (Loss) before tax (V- VI-VII)   | (688.69)                  | (600.00)                                   | (639.15)  | (2,459.19                            |  |
| łX      | Tax expense:  |                           | 1.50                                       |   | 1.50                                 |  |
|         | (1) Current tax   | 3 -                       | 0.57                                       |   | 0.57                                 |  |
| х       | (2) Deferred tax Profit/ (Loss) for the period from continuing operations (VIII - IX)   | (688.69)                  | (602.07)                                   | (639.15)  | (2,461.26                            |  |
| XI      |   | (000.03)                  | (002.07)                                   | (033.13)  | (2,401.20                            |  |
|         | Profit/ (Loss) from discontinued operations   |                           | 3  |   |                                      |  |
| XII     | Tax expense of discontinued operations  |                           |  |   |                                      |  |
| XIII    | Profit/ (Loss) from Discontinued Operations (after tax) (XI-XII)  |                           |  | (520.45)  | (2.454.2)                            |  |
| XIV     | Profit/ (Loss) for the period (X + XIII)  | (688.69)                  | (602.07)                                   | (639.15)  | (2,461.26                            |  |
| XV      | Other Comprehensive Income  |                           |  |   | 2.51                                 |  |
| А       | i) Items that will not be reclassified to profit and loss ii) Income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified to profit or |                           | 7.55                                       |   | 7.55                                 |  |
|         | loss  |                           |  | × .   |                                      |  |
| В       | i) Items that will be reclassified to profit or loss  | (3.93)                    | (5.23)                                     | (1.75)  | (8.7)                                |  |
|         | ii) Income tax relating to items that will be reclassified to profit or loss  | 141                       | 9  |   |                                      |  |
|         | Other Comprehensive Income for the year   | (3.93)                    | 2.32                                       | (1.75)  | (1.1                                 |  |
| XVI     | Total Comprehensive Income for the period (XIV+XV)  | (692.63)                  | (599.75                                    |   | (2,462.4                             |  |
| XVII    | Paid up Equity Share Capital  | (052.03)                  | (5555                                      | ,   | 630.0                                |  |
| XVIII   | Other Equity excluding revaluation reserves   |                           |  |   | (16,674.5                            |  |
| XIX     | Earnings per equity Share (of Rs.10 each) for continuing operations:(not annualised)  |                           |  |   |                                      |  |
|         | (1) Basic   | (10.93)                   | (9.56                                      | (10.15)   | (39.0                                |  |
|         | (2) Diluted   | (10.93)                   | (9.56                                      | (10.15)   | (39.0                                |  |
| XX      | Earnings per equity Share of Rs.10 each(for discontinued operations):(not annualised)   |                           |  |   |                                      |  |
|         | (1) Basic   | -                         | 36   | 2   | 190                                  |  |
|         | (2) Diluted   | -                         | 194  |   |                                      |  |
| XXI     | Earnings per equity Share of Rs.10 each (for discontinued &   |                           |  |   |                                      |  |
|         | continuing operations): (not annualised)  |                           |  |   |                                      |  |
|         | (1) Basic   | (10.93)                   | (9.56                                      |   | (39.0                                |  |
|         | (2) Diluted   | (10.93)                   | (9.56                                      | (10.15)   | (39.0                                |  |

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## Notes:

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- 2 The above results have been reviewed and adopted by the Board of Directors of the Company in their meeting held on 13.08.2021
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For and on behalf of the Board

(P K Purwar)
Chairman & Managing Director

DIN: 06619060

Place : New Delhi Date : 13.08.2021







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CONSOLIDATED UNAUDITED SEGMENT WISE REVENUE, RESULTS AND ASSETS & LIABILITIES FOR THE QUARTER ENDED ON 30/06/2021

(Rs. in Crore)

|         |   | CONSOLIDATED  |   |   |   |  |
|---------|---|---|---|---|---|--|
|         |   |   | Three Month Ended                                     |   |   |  |
| Sl. No. | Particulars   | 3 months ended 30/06/2021                             | Preceeding 3<br>months ended<br>31/03/2021            | Corresponding 3<br>months ended<br>30/06/2020 in the<br>previous year | Previous year<br>ended 31/03/2021                     |  |
|         |   | UNAUDITED   | AUDITED *   | UNAUDITED   | AUDITED   |  |
| 1.      | Revenue from Operations Basic & other Services Cellular Unallocable   | 251.26<br>50.24                                       | 262.68<br>53.96<br>0.02                               | 321.40<br>47.83<br>0.02   | 1,180.79<br>208.52<br>0.06                            |  |
|         | Total   | 301.50  | 316.65  | 369.24  | 1,389.37  |  |
|         | Less: Inter Segment Revenue   | 0.35  | 0.43  | 0.44  | 1.66  |  |
|         | Net Revenue from Operations   | 301.15  | 316.23  | 368.80  | 1,387.71  |  |
| 2.      | Segment Result before interest income, exceptional items, finance cost and tax  |   |   |   |   |  |
|         | Basic & other Services Cellular Unallocable Total   | (64.32)<br>(98.09)<br>(12.86)<br>(175.28)             | 5.70<br>(120.13)<br>18.67<br><b>(95.76)</b>           | 16.04<br>(122.80)<br>(11.43)<br>(118.19)                              |   |  |
|         | Add: Exceptional items Add: Interest Income Less: Finance cost Add:Share of profit or loss from Associates/ JV  Profit/ (Loss) before tax | 2.35<br>516.08<br>0.31<br>(688.69)                    | 26.88<br>531.15<br>0.04<br>(600.00)                   | 4.52<br>525.77<br>0.30<br>(639.15)                                    | 51.51<br>2,107.24<br>0.81<br>(2,459.19                |  |
|         | Less: Provision for Current Tax & Deferred tax  Profit/ (Loss) after tax  | 1000 001  | 2.07<br>( <b>602.07</b> )                             | (620.15)  | 2.07  |  |
|         | Fronty (LOSS) after tax   | (688.69)  | (002.07)  | (639.15)  | (2,461.26   |  |
| 3.      | Capital Employed (Segment Assets - Segment Liabilities) Segment Asset Basic & other Services Cellular Unallocable/Eliminations            | 7,122.14<br>4,424.92<br>1,345.10                      | 7,124.08<br>4,521.73<br>1,729.55                      | 7,496.33<br>4,856.82<br>2,890.17                                      | 7,124.08<br>4,521.73<br>1,729.55                      |  |
|         | Total Segment Assets  | 12,892.16   | 13,375.37   | 15,243.32   | 13,375.37   |  |
|         | Segment Liabilities Basic & other Services Cellular Unallocable/Eliminations Total Segment Liabilities                                    | 2,695.61<br>24,593.04<br>2,340.66<br><b>29.629.30</b> | 2,585.83<br>24,109.09<br>2,724.95<br><b>29,419.87</b> | 4,717.80<br>23,023.20<br>1,726.12<br><b>29.467.12</b>                 | 2,585.83<br>24,109.09<br>2,724.95<br><b>29,419.87</b> |  |
|         | Segment Capital Employed  | 25,029.30   | 25,419.87   | 25,407.12   | 25,419.87   |  |
|         | Basic & other Services Cellular Unallocable/Eliminations  | 4,426.54<br>(20,168.11)<br>(995.56)                   | 4,538.26<br>(19,587.35)<br>(995.41)                   |   | (19,587.35)   |  |
|         | Capital Employed  |   |   |   |   |  |

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For and on behalf of the Board

Chairman & Managing Director DIN: 06619060

Place : New Delhi Date : 13.08.2021





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Independent Auditor's Review Report on Standalone Unaudited Financial Results for Quarter ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021 of Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Limited Pursuant to the Regulation 33 and 52 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 as amended

To
The Board of Directors
Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Limited
Mahanagar Doorsanchar Sadan,
5th Floor, 9, CGO Complex,
Lodhi Road, New Delhi - 110 003

 We have reviewed the accompanying statement of unaudited standalone financial results ("The Statement") of MAHANAGAR TELEPHONE NIGAM LIMITED ("The Company") for the Quarter ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021, attached herewith, being submitted by the Company pursuant to the requirements of Regulation 33 and 52 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended.

This statement is the responsibility of the Company's Management, has been prepared in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the Indian Accounting Standard-34 "Interim Financial Reporting" ("Ind-AS 34"), specified under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other accounting principles generally accepted in India and has been approved by the Board of Directors. Our responsibility is to issue a report on these financial results based on our review.

2. 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 financial results are free of material misstatement. A review is limited primarily to inquiries of company personnel and analytical procedures applied to financial data and thus provide less assurance than an audit. We have not performed an audit and accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

## 3. Basis for Qualified Conclusion

Based on the information provided to us by the Management of Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Limited, we have given in the Annexure – I to this report the basis for qualified conclusions.

## 4. Qualified Conclusion

Based on our review conducted as stated above, except for the observations / matters mentioned in the preceding paragraph, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying statement of unaudited standalone financial results read with notes thereon, prepared in accordance with the applicable Indian Accounting Standards (Ind-AS) and other recognized accounting practices and policies generally accepted in India, has not disclosed the information required to be disclosed in terms of Regulation 33 and 52 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended, including the manner in which it is to be disclosed, or that it contains any material misstatement.

## 5. Emphasis of Matter

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- iv. Up to financial year 2011-12 License Fee payable to the DOT on IUC charges to BSNL was worked out on accrual basis as against the terms of License agreements requiring deduction for expenditure from the gross revenue to be allowed on actual payment basis. Nor financial year 2012-13, the license fee payable to the DOT has been worked out DELHI strictly in terms of the license agreements. The Company continues to reflect the difference in license fee arising from working out the same on accrual basis as aforesaid

for the period up to financial year 2011-12 by way of contingent liability of Rs. 140.36 Crores instead of actual liability resulting in understatement of current liabilities and understatement of loss to that extent.

- v. The Company had allocated the overheads towards capital works in a manner which is not in line with the accepted accounting practices and Indian Accounting Standard 16 "Property. Plant and Equipment" prescribed under Section 133 of the Act, the same results into overstatement of capital work in progress/ property, plant and equipment and understatement of loss. The actual impact of the same on the standalone financial results for quarter is not ascertained and quantified.
- vi. Except for the impairment loss of assets of CDMA units provided in earlier years, no adjustment has been considered on account of impairment loss, if any, during the quarter, with reference to Indian Accounting Standard 36 "Impairment of Assets" prescribed under Section 133 of the Act. In view of uncertainty in achievement of future projections made by the Company, we are unable to ascertain and comment on the provision required in respect of impairment in carrying value of cash generating units and its consequent impact on the loss for the quarter ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021, accumulated balance of other equity and also the carrying value of the cash generating units.
- vii. The Company does not follow a system of obtaining confirmations and performing reconciliation of balances in respect of amount receivables from trade receivables, deposits with Government Departments and others, claim recoverable from operators and others parties and amount payables to trade payables, claim payable to operators, and amount payable to other parties. Accordingly, amount receivables from and payables to the various parties are subject to confirmation and reconciliation. Pending such confirmation and reconciliations, the impact thereof on the standalone financial results are not ascertainable and quantifiable.
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As explained the demand for spectrum usage for CDMA for Rs 107.44 Crores has been withdrawn by DOT on account of rectification of actual usage.

Also as explained, pending finality of the issue by the Company regarding surrender of a part of the spectrum, crystallization of issue by the DOT in view of the claim being contested by private operators and because of the matter being sub-judice in the Apex Court on account of dispute by other private operators on the similar demands, the amount payable, if any, is indeterminate. Accordingly, no liability has been created for the demand made by DOT on this account and Rs. 3205. 71 Crores has been disclosed as contingent liability till FY 2018-19 although no further demand is there from DOT till date. However as explained further, the TDSAT while setting aside the levy of OTSC on spectrum alloted beyond 6.2 Mhz, directed Govt. to review the demand for spectrum alloted after 1-7-2008 and that too wef 1-1-2013 in case the spectrum beyond 6.2 Mhz was allotted before 1-1-2013. As explained, as per the TDSAT orders also no further demand is raised till now and as per management based on TDSAT direction the demand, if any, cannot be more than Rs 455.15 crores the same is considered as contingent liability. In view of the above we are not in a position to comment on the correctness of the stand taken by the Company and the ultimate implications of the same on the standalone financial results of the Company.

- xii. The Company has deducted/collected Liquidated Damages and withheld Charges from vendors on account of non-fulfilment of contracted conditions, on which liability for Goods and Services Tax (GST) has not been considered. The actual impact of the same on the standalone financial results for quarter is not ascertained and quantified.
- The company has recovered Electricity Charges from the tenants, on which liability for Goods and Services Tax (GST) has not been considered, as the expenses recovered without installing sub meter. The actual impact of the same on the standalone financial results for the quarter has not been ascertained and quantified
- xiv. The company has not reversed the provision for expense (Accrued Liability) on regular intervals, thereby the provision for expenses account has been accumulated significantly. Accordingly, the provision for expenses remain unadjusted. Further TDS on provision for Expenses has not been deducted under chapter XVII- B of Income Tax Act, 1961. The actual impact of the same on the standalone financial results for thequarter has not been ascertained and quantified
- xv. The Company is making the provision for interest for late/non-payment to MSME vendors which is subject to deduction of tax under section 194A of Income Tax Act, 1961. The actual impact of the same on the standalone financial results for quarter is not ascertained and quantified.
- The income arising on account of rental in respect of property occupied by the BSNL amounting to Rs. 7.35 Crores accrued during the current quarter has not been recognised in the Standalone financial results. Accordingly, the Goods and Services Tax (GST) has also not been considered. The accumulated impact on the standalone financial results of such income for the current quarter and preceding years is not ascertained and quantified.



xvii. Certain bank accounts are held in the name of the company which have not been accounted for in books of accounts as identified during the course of audit resulting into serious lapses of internal financial controls. The detailed reconciliation and reasons for not booking transactions of these bank accounts have not been provided to us. The actual impact of the same on the Standalone financial results for the quarter is not ascertained and could not be quantified. However, on the basis of our audit findings done till date, we give hereunder the closing balance of these bank accounts as under:

| S. No. | Bank Name  | Branch Address         | Account No.     | Outstanding    |  |  |
|--------|------------|------------------------|-----------------|----------------|--|--|
|        |            |                        |                 | Balance as on  |  |  |
|        |            |                        |                 | 30/06/2021     |  |  |
| 1      | Union Bank | GF9 Mahanagar Door     | 344901010070518 | 2,85,16,364.66 |  |  |
|        | of India   | Sanchar Sadan, Lodhi   |                 |                |  |  |
|        |            | Road, Delhi            |                 |                |  |  |
| 2      | Union Bank | 263 Madhu Hans Dr A B  | 344901010070517 | 3,46,134.40    |  |  |
|        | of India   | Road Prabhadevi Mumbai |                 |                |  |  |
| 3      | Indusind   | Prabha Devi, Mumbai    | 201002142754    | 59,53,007.86   |  |  |
|        | Bank       |                        |                 |                |  |  |
|        |            | Total                  |                 | 3,48,15,506.92 |  |  |

As communicated to us, the Company has commenced a comprehensive exercise to rectify the position.

The above basis for qualified conclusion referred to in Para no. (i) to (xvi) were subject matter of qualification in the Auditor's Report for the year ended on March 3lst , 2021.

In the absence of information, the effect of which can't be quantified, we are unable to comment on the possible impact of the items stated in the point nos. (i), (ii)(a), (ii)(b), (iii), (v), (vi), (vii), (viii), (ix), (x), (xi), (xii), (xiii), (xiv), (xv), (xvi) and (xvii) on the standalone financial result of the Company for the quarter ended on 30<sup>th</sup> June 2021.

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<u>Independent Auditor's Review Report on Unaudited Consolidated Financial Results for the Quarter Ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021 of Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Limited Pursuant to the Regulation 33 and 52 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 as amended</u>

To
The Board of Directors
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1. We have reviewed the accompanying Statement of Consolidated Unaudited Financial Results of Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Limited ("The Holding") and its subsidiaries (the Holding and its subsidiaries together referred to as "The Group"), and its share of the net profit after tax and total comprehensive income of its a joint venture and associate for the quarter ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021 ("The Statement") attached herewith, being submitted by the holding pursuant to the requirement of Regulation 33 and 52 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended.

This Statement, which is the responsibility of the Holdings's Management and approved by the Holding's Board of Directors, has been prepared in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in Indian Accounting Standard 34 "Interim Financial Reporting" ("Ind AS 34"), prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013, and other accounting principles generally accepted in India. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the Statement based on our review.

2. 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. 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 issued by the SEBI under Regulation 33 (8) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended, to the extent applicable.

Statement includes the results of the following entities:

List of Subsidiaries:

Mahanagar Telephone (Mauritius) Limited ('MTML')

Millenium Telecom Limited



## (b) List of step down subsidiaries

- MTML Data Limited
- MTML International Limited

## (c) List of Joint Venture:

MTNL STPI IT Services Limited ('MSISL')

## (d) List of Associate:

United Telecommunications Limited ('UTL')

## 4. Basis for Qualified Conclusion

Based on the information provided to us by the Management of Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Limited, we have given in the Annexure – I to this report the basis for qualified conclusions.

#### 5. Qualified Conclusion

Based on our review conducted and procedures performed as stated in paragraph 2 above and based on the interim financial results and other financial information certified by the management of holding company referred to in paragraph 7 below, except for the observations / matters mentioned in the preceding paragraph, 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 Standard and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, has not disclosed the information required to be disclosed in terms of Regulation 33 and 52 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended, including the manner in which it is to be disclosed, or that it contains any material misstatement.

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xi. Department of Telecommunication (DOT) had raised a demand of Rs. 3313.15 Crores in 2012-13 on account of one time charges for 2G spectrum held by the Company for GSM and CDMA for the period of license already elapsed and also for the remaining valid period of license including spectrum given on trial basis.

As explained the demand for spectrum usage for CDMA for Rs 107.44 Crores has been withdrawn by DOT on account of rectification of actual usage.

Also as explained, pending finality of the issue by the Company regarding surrender of a part of the spectrum, crystallization of issue by the DOT in view of the claim being contested by private operators and because of the matter being sub-judice in the Apex Court on account of dispute by other private operators on the similar demands, the amount payable, if any, is indeterminate. Accordingly, no liability has been created for the demand made by DOT on this account and Rs. 3205.71 Crores has been disclosed as contingent liability till FY 2018-19 although no further demand is there from DOT till date. However as explained further, the TDSAT while setting aside the levy of OTSC on spectrum allotted beyond 6.2 Mhz, directed Govt. to review the demand for spectrum allotted after 1-7-2008 and that too w.e.f 1-1-2013 in case the spectrum beyond 6.2 Mhz was allotted before 1-1-2013. As explained, as per the TDSAT orders also no further demand is raised till now and as per management based on TDSAT direction the demand, if any, cannot be more than Rs 455.15 crores the same is considered as contingent liability.

In view of the above we are not in a position to comment on the correctness of the stand taken by the Holding Company and the ultimate implications of the same on the consolidated financial results of the Holding Company.

- xii. The Holding Company has deducted/collected Liquidated Damages and withheld Charges from vendors on account of non-fulfilment of contracted conditions, on which liability for Goods and Services Tax (GST) has not been considered. The actual impact of the same on the consolidated financial results for quarter is not ascertained and quantified.
- xiii. The Holding Company has recovered Electricity Charges from the tenants, on which liability for Goods and Services Tax (GST) has not been considered, as the expenses recovered without installing sub meter. The actual impact of the same on the consolidated financial result for quarter is not ascertained and quantified.
- xiv. The Holding has not reversed the provision for expense (Accrued Liability) on regular intervals, thereby the provision for expenses account has been accumulated significantly. Accordingly, the provision for expenses remain unadjusted. Further TDS on provision for Expenses has not been deducted under chapter XVII- B of Income Tax Act, 1961. The actual impact of the same on the consolidated financial result for quarter is not ascertained and quantified.
- The Holding Company is making the provision for interest for late/non-payment to MSME vendors which is subject to deduction of tax under section 194A of Income Tax Act, 1961. The actual impact of the same on the consolidated financial results for quarter is not ascertained and quantified.

The income arising on account of rental in respect of property occupied by the BSNL amounting to Rs. 7.35 Crores accrued during the current quarter has not been recognised in the Standalone financial results. Accordingly, the Goods and Services Tax (GST) has also not been considered. The accumulated impact on the consolidated financial results of such income for the current quarter and preceding years is not ascertained and quantified.

xvii. Certain bank accounts are held in the name of the company which have not been accounted for in books of accounts as identified during the course of audit resulting into serious lapses of internal financial controls. The detailed reconciliation and reasons for not booking transactions of these bank accounts have not been provided to us. The actual impact of the same on the consolidated financial results for the quarter is not ascertained and could not be quantified. However, on the basis of our audit findings done till date, we give hereunder the closing balance of these bank accounts as under:

| S. No. | Bank Name     | Branch Address         | Account No.     | Outstanding    |  |
|--------|---------------|------------------------|-----------------|----------------|--|
|        |               |                        |                 | Balance as on  |  |
|        |               |                        |                 | 30/06/2021     |  |
| 1      | Union Bank of | GF9 Mahanagar Door     | 344901010070518 | 2,85,16,364.66 |  |
|        | India         | Sanchar Sadan, Lodhi   |                 |                |  |
|        |               | Road, Delhi            |                 |                |  |
| 2      | Union Bank of | 263 Madhu Hans Dr A B  | 344901010070517 | 3,46,134.40    |  |
|        | India         | Road Prabhadevi Mumbai |                 |                |  |
| 3      | Indusind Bank | Prabha Devi, Mumbai    | 201002142754    | 59,53,007.86   |  |
|        |               | Total                  |                 | 3,48,15,506.92 |  |

As communicated to us, the holding company has commenced a comprehensive exercise to rectify the position.

The above basis for qualified conclusion referred to in Para no. (i) to (xvi) were subject matter of qualification in the Auditor's Report for the year ended March 31st, 2021.

In the absence of information, the effect of which can't be quantified, we are unable to comment on the possible impact of the items stated in the point nos. (i), (ii)(a), (ii)(b), (iii), (v), (vi), (vii), (vii), (ix), (x), (xi), (xii), (xiii), (xiv), (xv) (xvi) and (xvii) on the consolidated financial result of the Holding Company for the quarter ended on 30<sup>th</sup> June 2021.

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#### EXTRACT OF STANDALONE & CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER ENDED ON 30/06/2021

(Rs. in Crore)

|   |   | STANDALONE                   |   |                                   | CONSOLIDATED                 |   |                                   |
|---|---|------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|
|   |   | Three Month Ended            |   | Year Ended                        | Three Month Ended            |   | Year Ended                        |
|   | Particulars   | 3 months ended<br>30/06/2021 | Corresponding 3<br>months ended<br>30/06/2020 in the<br>previous year | Previous year<br>ended 31/03/2021 | 3 months ended<br>30/06/2021 | Corresponding 3<br>months ended<br>30/06/2020 in the<br>previous year | Previous year<br>ended 31/03/2021 |
|   |   | UNAUDITED                    | UNAUDITED   | AUDITED                           | UNAUDITED                    | UNAUDITED   | AUDITED                           |
| 1 | Total Income from Operations  | 283.81                       | 352.07  | 1,303.64                          | 301.15                       | 368.80  | 1,387.71                          |
| 2 | Net Profit/ (Loss) for the period before exceptional items & tax  | (688.13)                     | (636.41)  | (2,461.79)                        | (688.69)                     | (639.15)  | (2,459.19)                        |
| 3 | Net Profit/ (Loss) for the period before Tax(after Exceptional items)   | (688.13)                     | (636.41)  | (2,461.79)                        | (688.69)                     | (639.15)  | (2,459.19)                        |
| 4 | Net Profit/ (Loss) for the period after Tax   | (688.13)                     | (636.41)  | (2,461.79)                        | (688.69)                     | (639.15)  | (2,461.26)                        |
| 5 | Total Comprehensive Income for the period (Comprising net profit/(loss) after tax and other comprehensive income after tax) | (688.13)                     | (636.41)  | (2,454.24)                        | (692.63)                     | (640.90)  | (2,462.41)                        |
| 6 | Paid up Equity Share Capital  |                              |   | 630.00                            |                              |   | 630.00                            |
| 7 | Other Equity excluding revaluation reserves   |                              |   | (16,669.88)                       |                              |   | (16,674.50)                       |
| 8 | Earnings Per Share (of Rs.10 each) for continuing and discontinued operations- (not annualised)                             |                              |   |                                   |                              |   |                                   |
|   | 1. Basic :  | (10.92)                      | (10.10)   | (39.08)                           | (10.93)                      | (10.15)   | (39.07)                           |
|   | 2. Diluted :  | (10.92)                      | (10.10)   | (39.08)                           | (10.93)                      | (10.15)   | (39.07)                           |

#### Note:

- 1. The above is an extract of the detailed format of Annual Audited Financial Results filed with the Stock Exchanges under Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing and Other Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. The full format of the Audited Financial Results are available on the website of the company at www.mtnl.net.in and on the Stock Exchange websites at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com.
- 2. The above results have been reviewed and recommended for adoption by the Audit Committee in their meeting held on 13.08.2021 and approved by the Board of Directors of the Company at their meeting held on the same date.
- 3. The company has prepared these financial results in accordance with the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules 2015 prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013

Place: New Delhi Date: 13.08.2021 DELHI

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For and on behalf of the Board

(P'K Purwart)

Chairman & Managing Director DIN: 06619060