

June 24, 2020

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NSE Symbol: SANDESH (EQ.)

Dear Sir / Madam,

Sub: Outcome of the Board Meeting held on June 24, 2020

This is to inform you that the Board of Directors of the Company at its meeting held today, i.e. June 24, 2020, inter alia, has approved the following:

I. Audited Financial Results

Pursuant to Regulation 30 and Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended ("Listing Regulations"), we hereby inform and submit that:

 The Board of Directors of the Company, has considered, approved and taken on record the Standalone and Consolidated Audited Financial Results of the Company for the Quarter and Year ended on March 31, 2020.

 The Statutory Auditors of our Company M/s. S G D G Associates & LLP (Firm Registration no –W100188 LLPIN: AAI-3248), Chartered Accountants), have issued the Audit Reports with unmodified opinion on the Standalone and Consolidated Audited Financial Results for the Quarter and Year ended on March 31, 2020.

The copy of the aforesaid Audited Standalone and Consolidated Financial Results for the Quarter and Year ended March 31, 2020, along with the Audit Reports of the Statutory Auditors, which were duly reviewed and recommended by the Audit Committee and thereby approved by the Board of Directors, are enclosed herewith along with the declaration pursuant to Regulation 33(3)(d) of the Listing Regulations. [Annexure 1 (Audited Standalone and Consolidated Financial Results and Audit Reports) & Annexure 2 (Declaration)].

The Copy of the aforesaid financial results along with the Audit Reports and the declaration will also be made available on the website
of the Company www.sandesh.com.

II. Interim Dividend considered as Final Dividend

The Board has not recommended any final dividend for F.Y. 2019-20. The Board has considered the interim dividend [of Rs. 5/- per equity share (@ 50%) declared at the Board Meeting held on February 14, 2020 during the financial year 2019-20], as the final dividend for the FY 2019-20 and the same to be confirmed at the ensuing 77th Annual General Meeting of the Company.

Thus, the total dividend for the financial year 2019-20 remains Rs. 5/- per equity share of the Company.

III. Re-appointment of Mr. Yogesh Jani (DIN: 06495782) liable to retire by Rotation

Pursuant to section 152 of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules made thereunder and pursuant to provisions of Regulation 30 of the Listing Regulations, Mr. Yogesh Jani, who retires by rotation and being eligible offers himself for re-appointment in the ensuing Annual General Meeting of the Company, be re-appointed as Director of the Company subject to approval of members at the ensuing Annual General Meeting, whose period of office shall be liable to determination by retirement of directors by rotation. The details of the aforesaid Director in pursuance to Regulation 30 of Listing Regulations are enclosed herewith (Annexure 3).

Further, pursuant to BSE Circular (LIST/COMP/14/2018-19) and NSE Circular (NSE/CML/2018/24) both dated June 20, 2018, we hereby affirm that Mr. Yogesh Jani, Whole Time Director of the Company is not debarred from accessing the capital markets and/or restrained from holding the office of the Director by virtue of any order of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) or any other such authority.

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We shall inform you in due course the date on which the Company will hold Annual General Meeting for the financial year ended March 31, 2020.

The Board Meeting commenced at 05:30 p.m. and concluded at 6.35 p.m.

Kindly take the same on your records.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

FOR, THE SANDESH LIMITED

DHAVAL PANDYA COMPANY SECRETARY

Encl.: As Above



S G D G & ASSOCIATES LLP

Chartered Accountants

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON THE AUDIT OF STANDALONE FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER AND YEAR ENDED ON MARCH 31, 2020

To, The Board of Directors of The Sandesh Limited

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying Standalone Financial Results of The Sandesh Limited (the "Company"), for quarter and year ended March 31, 2020 ("the Statement"), attached herewith, being submitted by the Company pursuant to the requirement of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended (the "Listing Regulations").

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, these standalone financial results:

- a. is presented in accordance with the requirements of Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations in this regard; and
- b. give a true and fair view in conformity with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the applicable accounting standards and other accounting principles generally accepted in India of the standalone net profit, other comprehensive income and other financial information of the Company for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2020.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing (SAs) specified under Section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013 (the Act). Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of* the Standalone Financial Results section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ("ICAI") together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the Standalone Financial Results under the provisions of the Act and the Rules thereunder, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the ICAI's Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion on the standalone financial statements.

Management's Responsibilities for the Standalone Financial Results

These Standalone financial results have been prepared on the basis of the standalone annual financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2020. The Company's Board of Directors are responsible for the preparation and presentation of the Standalone Financial Results that give a true and fair view of the net profit and other comprehensive income and other financial information in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in Ind AS 34, "Interim Financial Reporting" prescribed under Section 133 of the Act, read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other accounting principles generally accepted in India and in compliance with Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations. This responsibility also includes maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding of the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant 36 the

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5-6, Shivalik Plaza, Opp. A.M.A., ATIRA, Polytechnic, Ambawadi, Ahmedabad (\$80) Contact No. : +91-9974940700, 9820851518 • Email : info@sgdg.co.in preparation and presentation of the Standalone Financial Results that give a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the Standalone Financial Results, the Board of Directors are responsible for assessing the Company's ability, to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Board of Directors either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

The Board of Directors are also responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Standalone Financial Results

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Standalone Financial Results as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this Standalone Financial Results.

As part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances. Under section 143(3)(i) of the Companies Act, 2013, we are also responsible for expressing our opinion on whether the company has adequate internal financial controls system in place and the operating effectiveness of such controls.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the standalone financial results including the disclosures, and whether the financial results represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

Independent Auditor's report on standalone financial results for the quarter and year ended on March 31, 2020 of The Sandesh Limited

For S G D G & Associates LLP **Chartered Accountants**

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

Place: Ahmedabad Date: June 24, 2020

For S G D G & Associates LLP **Chartered Accountants**

Firm Registration No.: W100188

(Devansh Gandhi)

Partner

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AUDITED STANDALONE FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER AND YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2020

	(Rs. in lacs, except per share dat						
		For the Quarter ended			For the year ended		
	Particulars	March 31, 2020	December 31, 2019	March 31, 2019	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019	
	the state of the s	Audited	Unaudited	Audited	Audited	Audited	
1	Revenue From Operations	8 242.31	8 480.86	10 873.32	34 107.21	41 697.4	
11	Other Income	36.76	538.07	692.59	1 151.09	1 975.3	
in	Total Revenue (I + II)	8 279.07	9 018.93	11 565.91	35 258.30	43 672.8	
IV	Expenses ::						
8	Cost of material consumed	2 620.21	3 148.21	3 902.92	12 912.74	15 618.6	
b	Changes in inventories / Cost of goods sold	5.29	7.14	10.63	28.48	2 935.5	
C	Employee Benefits Expense	851.66	784.53	941.69	3 263.64	3 323.9	
d	Finance Cost	8.18	14.01	9.08	41.70	41.3	
e	Depreciation and Amortisation Expenses	185.90	191.04	228.73	785.92	885.5	
f	Other expenses	2 967.04	2 983.79	3 066.08	10 932.01	11 114.5	
	Total expenses (IV)	6 638.28	7 128.72	8 159.13	27 964.49	33 919.47	
v	Profit before exceptional items and tax (III - IV)	1 640.79	1 890.21	3 406.78	7 293.81	9 753.36	
VI	Exceptional Items	15.23	76.67	(18.64)	94.23	(18.86	
VII	Profit Before Tax (V +VI)	1 656.02	1 966.88	3 388.14	7 388.04	9 734.50	
VIII	Tax Expenses ::						
а	Current Tax	924.40	398.61	1 030.00	2 263.01	2 914.5	
b	Deferred Tax	(541.97)	68.98	228.22	(711.28)	508.64	
	Total Tax Expense	382.43	467.59	1 258.22	1 551.73	3 423.1	
IX	Profit for the period (VII - VIII)	1 273.59	1 499.29	2 129.92	5 836.31	6 311.35	
X	Other Comprehensive Income						
	Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	5.09		19.03	5.09	19.03	
XI	Total Comprehensive Income (IX + X) (Comprising Profit and	1 278.68	1 499.29	2 148.95	5 841.40	6 330.38	
	Other Comprehensive Income for the Period)			2210.00			
XII	Paid up Equity Share Capital (Face value of Rs. 10/- each)	756.94	756.94	756.94	756.94	756.94	
XIII	Reserves excluding Revaluation reserves Earnings per Equity Share:				76 972.66	71 587.52	
AIV	Basic- Rs. Per Share	16.83	19.81	28.14	77.10	83.38	
	Diluted - Rs. Per Share	16.83	19.81	28.14	77.10	83.38	

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The Sandesh Limited CIN-L22121GJ1943PLC000183 AUDITED BALANCE SHEET AS AT MARCH 31, 2020

(Rs. in lacs)

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Particulars	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019
A ASSETS		
(1) Non-current Assets		
(a) Property, Plant and Equipment	7 100.61	7 685.46
(b) Capital work-in-progress	32.66	25.22
(c) Investment Property	5 495.66	5 276.20
(d) Intangible assets	203.71	259.9
(e) Financial Assets		
(i) Investments	23 263.97	23 263.96
(ii) Others	1 826.86	1 468.56
	37 923.47	37 979.31
(2) Current Assets		
(a) Inventories	2 328.72	2 465.29
(b) Financial Assets		
(i) Investments	18 599.61	26 468.12
(ii) Trade receivables	6 765.12	7 351.11
(iii) Cash and cash equivalents	1 445.39	2 409.69
(iv) Bank balances other than (iii) above	19.92	20.92
(v) Loans	14 555.40	78.58
(c) Current tax asset (net)	459.19	249.28
(d) Other current Assets	1 102.31	2 305.24
	45 275.66	41 348.23
Total	83 199.13	79 327.54
B EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		
EQUITY		
(a) Equity Share Capital	756.94	756.94
(b) Other Equity	76 972.66	71 587.52
(b) Other Equity	77 729.60	72 344.46
LIABILITIES		
(1) Non-current Liabilities		
(a) Financial Liabilities		
(ii) Trade payables	.00	12.79
(b) Provisions	315.58	271.64
(c) Deferred tax liabilities (net)	213.82	925.07
(c) belefied tax habilities (vice)	529.40	1 209.50
(2) Current Liabilities	525.110	2 20010
(a) Financial Liabilities		
(i) Borrowings	10.00	37.09
(ii) Trade payables	624.14	1 212.61
(iii) Other financial liabilities	2 759.67	2 946.00
(b) Other current liabilities	1 510.87	1 545.58
(c) Provisions	35.45	32.30
(C) I TOTISIONS	4 940.13	5 773.58
Total	83 199.13	79 327.54

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AUDITED CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2020

(Rs. in lacs)

	Particulars	For the year ended		
	Particulars	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019	
A.	CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
	NET PROFIT BEFORE TAX	7 388.04	9 734.50	
	Adjustments for			
	Depreciation and amortisation	785.92	885.5	
	(Profit) / Loss on sale of property plant and equipments	(94.23)	18.8	
	Changes in fair value of financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	(979.22)	(1 210.22	
	Finance Cost	2.97	2.9	
	Dividend income	(0.20)	(0.19	
	OPERATING PROFIT BEFORE WORKING CAPITAL CHANGES	7 103.28	9 431.4	
	Adjustments for			
	Trade and other receivables	586.98	(285.97	
	Inventories	136.57	1 942.8	
	Loan, Other financial assets and other current assets	(13 632.19)	(2 210.23	
	Payables, provisions, other financial liabilities and other current liabilities	(770.11)	(949.82	
	CASH GENERATED FROM OPERATIONS	(6 575.47)	7 928.2	
	Direct Taxes Paid	(2 472.91)	(3 153.49	
	NET CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	(9 048.38)	4 774.75	
В.	CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
	Purchase of property, plant and equipments	(186.68)	(373.96	
	Sale of property, plant and equipment	128.62	1.4	
	Sale of Investment (net)	8 847.73	(9 783.65	
	Purchase of Investment property	(219.46)		
	Dividend Income	0.20	0.19	
	NET CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	8 570.41	(10 155.94	
c.	CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
	Finance Cost	(2.97)	(2.97	
	Repayment of borrowing	(27.09)	(0.23	
	Dividend paid (including Dividend Distribution Tax)	(456.27)	(456.27	
	NET CASH FLOW IN FINANCING ACTIVITIES	(486.33)	(459.47	
	NET (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(964.30)	(5 840.66	
	OPENING CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	2 409.69	8 250.3	
	CLOSING CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	1 445.39	2 409.6	

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NOTES:

- The aforesaid financial results were subject to the statutory audit by the statutory auditors of the company and reviewed and i) recommended by the Audit Committee and thereafter approved by the Board of the Directors at their meeting held on June 24, 2020.
- The Figure for the quarter ended March 31, 2020 are balancing figures between the audited figures for the full financial year and ii) unaudited figures for the nine months ended December 31, 2019.
- In view of the COVID-19, the Company has assessed the recoverability of assets such as investments, loans, intangible assets, trade receivables, inventories, etc. upto the date of approval of financial results and expects to recover the carrying amount of iii) these assets.
- In accordance with Ind AS 108, Operating Segments, the company has disclosed the segment information in the consolidated iv) financial statements.
- The Board has not recommended any final dividend for F.Y. 2019-20. The Board has considered the interim dividend [of Rs. 5/-V) per equity share (@ 50%) declared at the Board Meeting held on February 14, 2020 during the financial year 2019-20], as the final dividend for the FY 2019-20 and the same to be confirmed at the ensuing 77th Annual General Meeting of the Company.
- Figures for the previous periods have been regrouped / re- arranged, wherever considered necessary. vi)
- We declare that audit report of company is with unmodified opinion. vii)

For and on behalf of the Board

Place: Ahmedabad Date: June 24, 2020

(DIN: 00050211)

The Sandesh Limited

Managing Director

S G D G & ASSOCIATES LLP

*Chartered Accountants

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON THE AUDIT OF CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER AND YEAR ENDED ON MARCH 31, 2020

To The Board of Directors of The Sandesh Limited

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying Statement of Consolidated Financial Results of The Sandesh Limited (the "Holding Company") and its subsidiary (the Holding Company and its subsidiary together referred to as "the Group"), its associate for the quarter and year ended on March 31, 2020 ("the statement"), being submitted by Holding Company pursuant to the requirements of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended ("Listing Regulations").

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, and based on the consideration of the report of the other auditor on separate financial statements of subsidiary and associate, the Statement

- (i) includes the results of the following entities
 - Sandesh Digital Private Limited (subsidiary company) on standalone basis
 - Applewoods Estate Private Limited (associate company) on consolidated basis
- (ii) is presented in accordance with the requirements of Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations in this regard; and
- (iii) gives a true and fair view in conformity with the applicable Indian Accounting Standards and other accounting principles generally accepted in India of the consolidated total comprehensive income (comprising of net profit and other comprehensive income) and other financial information of the group for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2020.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing (SAs) specified under Section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013 (the Act). Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Results section of our report. We are independent of the group and its associate company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ("ICAI") together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements under the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") and the Rules thereunder, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the ICAI's Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence obtained by us and other auditor in terms of their report referred to in "Other Matter" paragraph below, is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

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Management's Responsibilities for the Consolidated Financial Results

The statement has been prepared on the basis of the consolidated annual financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2020.

The Holding Company's Board of Directors are responsible for the preparation and presentation of these consolidated annual financial results that give a true and fair view of the consolidated net profit and other comprehensive income and other financial information of the Group including its associate in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in Indian Accounting Standards prescribed under Section 133 of the Act read with relevant Rules issued thereunder and other accounting principles generally accepted in India and in compliance with Regulation 33 of the Listing Regulations. The respective Board of Directors of the entities included in the Group and of its associate are responsible for maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding of the assets of the Group and its associate and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls, that were operating effectively for ensuring accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the consolidated financial results that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, which have been used for the purpose of preparation of the consolidated annual financial results by the Management and the Directors of the Holding Company, as aforesaid.

In preparing the consolidated financial results, the respective Board of Directors of the entities included in the Group and of its associate are responsible for assessing the ability of Group and of its associate to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the respective Board of Directors either intends to liquidate the entity or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

The respective Board of Directors of the entities included in the Group and of its associate are also responsible for overseeing the financial reporting process of the Group and of its associate.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Results

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Consolidated Financial Results as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this Consolidated Financial Results.

As part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial results, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.

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- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances. Under section 143(3)(i) of the Act, we are also responsible for expressing our opinion on whether the company has adequate internal financial controls system in place with reference to financial statements and the operating effectiveness of such controls.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the Board of Directors.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the Board of Directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the ability of the Group and its associate to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group and its associate to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial results, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial results represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial results / financial information of the entities within the Group and its associate to express an opinion on the consolidated Financial Results. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the audit of financial information of such entities included in the consolidated financial results of which we are the independent auditors. For the other entities included in the consolidated Financial Results, which have been audited by other auditors, such other auditors remain responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the audits carried out by them. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with those charged with governance of the Holding Company regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

We also performed procedures in accordance with the Circular issued by the Securities Exchange Board of India under Regulations 33(8) of the Listing Regulations, to the extent applicable.



Other Matters

The consolidated Financial Results include the audited Financial Results and other information in respect of

- a subsidiary, whose Financial Result reflect Group's share of total assets of Rs. 375.09 lakhs as at March 31, 2020, Group's share of total revenue of Rs. 61.32 lakhs and Rs. 255.17 lakhs and total net profit after tax of Rs. 18.64 lakhs and Rs. 76.66 lakhs for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2020 respectively and net cash flows of Rs. 11.23 Lakhs for the year ended on March 31, 2020, as considered in the Consolidated Financial Results have been audited by its independent auditor
- an associates, whose Financial Results reflect Group's share of total net profit of Rs. 60.53 lakhs and Rs. 196.66 lakhs for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2020 respectively as considered in the Consolidated Financial Results have been audited by its independent auditor

The independent auditor's report on Financial Results of these entities have been furnished to us and our opinion on the Consolidated Financial Results, in so far as it relates to the amounts and disclosures included in respect of these entities, is based solely on the report of such auditor and the procedures performed by us are as stated in paragraph above.

Our opinion on the Consolidated Financial Results is not modified in respect of the above matters with respect to our reliance on the work done and the reports of the other auditor.

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Place: Ahmedabad

Date: June 24, 2020

For S G D G & Associates LLP Chartered Accountants Firm Registration No.: W100188

(Devansh Gandhi)

Partner

Membership No.: 129255 UDIN: 20129255AAAACU3994

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AUDITED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER AND YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2020

(Rs. in lacs, except per share data) For the Quarter ended For the year ended Particulars March 31, 2020 March 31, 2020 December 31, 2019 March 31, 2019 March 31, 2019 Audited Unaudited Audited Audited Audited Revenue From Operations 34 321.30 41 905.40 8 292.84 8 540.18 10 920.70 111 Total Revenue (I + II) 8 330.16 9 082.70 11 619.88 35 489.69 43 896.34 Cost of material consumed 15 618.63 2 620.21 3 148.21 3 902.92 12 912.74 Changes in inventories / Cost of goods sold 5.29 7.14 10.63 28.48 2 935.53 Employee Benefits Expense 867.14 800.16 957.08 3 325.50 3 378.06 Finance Cost 8.18 14.01 41.70 41.37 d 9.08 Depreciation and Amortisation Expenses 185.90 191.04 228.73 785.92 885.50 Other expenses 977.84 0 994.10 6 664.56 **Total Expenses** 7 160.22 8 191.14 28 088.44 34 031.88 Profit before Share of Profit of Associate, exceptional item and tax (III - IV) 1 665.60 1 922.48 3 428.74 7 401.25 9 864.46 V VI Share of Profit / (loss) of Associate 60.77 85.86 (4.29) 196.90 84.02 Profit before exceptional item and tax (V+ VI) 1 726.37 2 008.34 3 424.45 7 598.15 9 948.48 Exceptional Items 15.23 76.67 (18.64) 94.23 (18.86) VIII Profit Before Tax 2 085.01 7 692.38 9 929.62 1 741.60 3 405.81 IX X Tax Expenses :: Current Tax 929.64 405.70 1 034.97 2 286 57 2 940.16 225.13 1 260.10 Deferred Tax 541.14 74.15 704.17 508.58 479.85 1 582.40 3 448.74 Total Tax Expense 2 145.71 6 109.98 6 480.88 Profit for the Year (IX - X) 1 353.10 1 605.16 XI XII Other Comprehensive Income Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss 5.00 19.29 5.00 19.29 Share in Other Comprehensive Income of Associate (0.24) (0.47 (0.24) (0.47) 18.82 18.82 XIV Total Other Comprehensive Income 4.76 Total Comprehensive Income (XI + XIV) (Comprising Profit and Other Comprehensive XV 1 357.86 1 605.16 2 164.53 6 114.74 6 499.70 Income for the Period) Net Profit attributable to XVI 6 109.98 Owners of the company 1 353.10 1 605.16 2 145.71 6 480.88 b) Non Controlling Interest Comprehensive Income attributable to XVII 18.82 4.76 18.82 4.76 Owners of the company Non Controlling Interest XVIII Total Comprehensive Income attributable to 1 605.16 2 164.53 6 114.74 6 499.70 Owners of the company 1 357.86 Non Controlling Interest Paid up Equity Share Capital (Face value of Rs. 10/- each) 756.94 756.94 756.94 756 94 756.94 72 283.03 77 941.50 Reserves excluding Revaluation reserves Earnings per Equity Share: XX XXI 80.72 85.62 Basic- Rs. Per Share 17.88 21.21 28.35

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THE SANDESH LIMITED CIN-L22121GJ1943PLC000183

AUDITED CONSOLIDATED SEGMENT INFORMATION FOR THE QUARTER / YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2020

Sr.No.			Quarter Ended on			(Rs. in lacs) Year Ended		
		PARTICULARS	March 31, 2020	December 31, 2019	March 31, 2019	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019	
1	Segme	ent Revenue						
	a)	Media	7 926.42	8 576.15	10 949.51	34 063.52	38 779.79	
	b)	Finance	400.44	-	6.51	400.44	75.61	
	c)	Other		- 1	-	-	3 245.89	
	d)	Unallocated	3.30	506.55	663.86	1 025.73	1 795.05	
		Total	8 330.16	9 082.70	11 619.88	35 489.69	43 896.34	
2	Segme	ent Results (Profit before Interest & Tax)						
	a)	Media	1 616.72	1 506.76	2 861.70	6 128.10	7 755.38	
	b)	Finance	397.37	-	3.61	397.37	64.18	
	c)	Other	(.02)	(.14)	.01	(.28)	384.34	
		Total	2 014.07	1 506.62	2 865.32	6 525.19	8 203.90	
	Less:	Interest Expense	8.19	14.01	9.08	41.70	41.37	
		Other un-allocable (expenses) net off income / Other un- allocable income net off un-allocable expenditure	(264.28)	592.40	549.57	1 208.89	1 767.09	
		Total Profit before Tax	1 741.60	2 085.01	3 405.81	7 692.38	9 929.62	
3	Segme	ent Assets						
-		Media	20 772.67	23 041.20	23 947.80	20 772.67	23 947.80	
		Finance	14 500.00			14 500.00		
	c)	Other	127.08	153.30	147.81	127.08	147.81	
	d)	Un-allocated	48 788.95	60 424.32	55 940.21	48 788.95	55 940.21	
		TOTAL	84 188.70	83 618.82	80 035.82	84 188.70	80 035.82	
4	Segme	ent Liabilities						
	a)	Media	5 249.98	5 222.66	6 050.39	5 249.98	6 050.39	
	b)	Finance		-				
	c)	Other					-	
	d)	Un-allocated	240.28	775.40	945.46	240.28	945.46	
		TOTAL	5 490.26	5 998.06	6 995.85	5 490.26	6 995.85	
5	Capita	Il Expenditure	47.96	2.52	133.27	165.21	347.52	
6	Depre	ciation and Amortisation	185.90	191.04	228.73	785.92	885.50	
7	Non C	ash Expenses Other than Depreciation and Amortisation	50.86	27.68	53.74	143.76	160.80	

Note: -

There are no inter - segment transferred.

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The Sandesh Limited CIN-L22121GJ1943PLC000183 AUDITED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET AS AT MARCH 31, 2020

(Rs. in lacs)

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Particulars	As at	As at
	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019
A ASSETS		
(1) Non-current Assets		
(a) Property, Plant and Equipment	7 100.61	7 685.46
(b) Capital work-in-progress	32.66	25.2
(c) Investment Property	5 495.66	5 276.20
(d) Intangible assets	203.71	259.9
(e) Financial Assets	203.71	233.3.
(i) Investments	23 880.62	23 683.98
(ii) Others	1 826.95	1 468.66
(II) Others	38 540.21	38 399.43
(2) Summer Assets	38 340.21	30 399.43
(2) Current Assets	2 220 72	2 465.29
(a) Inventories	2 328.73	2 405.25
(b) Financial Assets	10 022 71	26 700 00
(i) Investments	18 933.71	26 708.90
(ii) Trade receivables	6 790.45	7 395.08
(iii) Cash and cash equivalents	1 458.94	2 412.01
(iv) Bank balances other than (iii) above	19.94	20.92
(v) Loans	14 555.40	78.73
(c) Current tax asset (net)	459.01	250.22
(d) Other current Assets	1 102.31	2 305.24
	45 648.49	41 636.39
Total	84 188.70	80 035.82
B EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		
EQUITY		
(a) Equity Share Capital	756.94	756.94
(b) Other Equity	77 941.50	72 283.03
(b) Other Equity	78 698.44	73 039.97
LIABILITIES	78 038.44	75 055.57
(1) Non-current Liabilities		
(a) Financial Liabilities		12.70
(ii) Trade payables	217.22	12.79
(b) Provisions	317.22	272.47
(c) Deferred tax liabilities (net)	220.67	924.84
	537.89	1 210.10
(2) Current Liabilities		
(a) Financial Liabilities	40.00	27.00
(i) Borrowings	10.00	37.09
(ii) Trade payables	634.97	1 222.54
iii) Other financial liabilities	2 760.06	2 946.48
(b) Other current liabilities	1 511.89	1 547.34
(c) Provisions	35.45	32.30
	4 952.37	5 785.75
Total	84 188.70	80 035.82

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AUDITED CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2020

(Rs. in lacs)

Particulars		For the year ended		
	Particulars	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019	
A.	CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
	NET PROFIT BEFORE TAX	7 692.38	9 929.62	
	Adjustments for			
	Depreciation and amortisation	785.92	885.50	
	Share of (Profit) from associates	(196.90)	(84.02	
	(Profit) / Loss on sale of property plant and equipments	(94.23)	18.8	
	Changes in fair value of financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	(995.96)	(1 225.76	
	Finance Cost	2.97	2.9	
	Dividend income	(0.20)	(0.19	
	OPERATING PROFIT BEFORE WORKING CAPITAL CHANGES	7 193.98	9 526.98	
	Adjustments for			
	Trade and other receivables	605.60	(300.03	
	Inventories	136.56	1 942.84	
	Loan, Other financial assets and other current assets	(13 632.03)	(2 207.36	
	Payables, provisions, other financial liabilities and other current liabilities	(769.27)	(946.91	
	CASH GENERATED FROM OPERATIONS	(6 465.16)	8 015.5	
	Direct Taxes Paid	(2 495.36)	(3 180.63	
	NET CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	(8 960.52)	4 834.89	
3.	CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
	Purchase of property, plant and equipments	(186.75)	(373.96	
	Sale of property, plant and equipment	128.63	1.48	
	Sale of Investment (net)	8 771.14	(9 844.28	
	Purchase of Investment property	(219.46)	-	
	Dividend Income	0.20	0.19	
	NET CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	8 493.76	(10 216.57	
C.	CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
	Finance Cost	(2.97)	(0.23	
	Repayment of borrowing	(27.09)	(2.97	
	Dividend paid (including Dividend Distribution Tax)	(456.27)	(456.27	
	NET CASH FLOW IN FINANCING ACTIVITIES	(486.33)	(459.47	
	NET (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(953.07)	(5 841.16	
	OPENING CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	2 412.01	8 253.17	
	CLOSING CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	1 458.94	2 412.01	

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NOTES:

- i) The aforesaid financial results were subject to the statutory audit by the statutory auditors of the company and reviewed and recommended by the Audit Committee and thereafter approved by the Board of the Directors at their meeting held on June 24, 2020.
- The Figure for the quarter ended March 31, 2020 are balancing figures between the audited figures for the full financial year and unaudited figures for the nine months ended December 31, 2019.
- iii) In view of the COVID-19, the Company has assessed the recoverability of assets such as investments, loans, intangible assets, trade receivables, inventories, etc. upto the date of approval of financial results and expects to recover the carrying amount of these assets.
- iv) The Board has not recommended any final dividend for F.Y. 2019-20. The Board has considered the interim dividend [of Rs. 5/- per equity share (@ 50%) declared at the Board Meeting held on February 14, 2020 during the financial year 2019-20], as the final dividend for the FY 2019-20 and the same to be confirmed at the ensuing 77th Annual General Meeting of the Company.
- v) Figures for the previous periods have been regrouped / re- arranged, wherever considered necessary.
- vi) We declare that audit report of company is with unmodified opinion.

Place: Ahmedabad Date: June 24, 2020

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For and on behalf of the Board
The Sandesh Limited

(DIN: 00050211) Managing Director



Annexure - 2

June 24, 2020

To

 The Manager, Corporate Relationship Dept., BSE LIMITED, Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street, MUMBAI – 400 001

Script Code: 526725

 The Manager, Listing Department, NATIONAL STOCK EXCHANGE OF INDIA LTD., "Exchange Plaza", C-1, Block-"G", Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), MUMBAI – 400 051

NSE Symbol: SANDESH (EQ.)

Dear Sir / Madam,

Sub.: Declaration under Regulation 33(3)(d) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended ("Listing Regulations" for short)

In compliance with the provisions of Regulation 33(3) (d) of Listing Regulations, we hereby declare that M/s. S G D G Associates & LLP (Firm Registration no –W100188 LLPIN: AAI-3248), Chartered Accountants, Statutory Auditors of the Company have issued the Audit Reports with the unmodified opinion on the Standalone and Consolidated Audited Financial Results of the Company for the Quarter and Financial Year ended on March 31, 2020.

This is for your information and record.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

FOR, THE SANDESH LIMITED

Sanjay Kumar Tandon
CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

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Annexure - 3

Details of Re-appointment of Mr. Yogesh Jani (DIN 06495782) retiring by rotation and being eligible offers himself for re-appointment:

Sr. No.	<u>Particulars</u>	<u>Information</u>
1	Reason for change viz., appointment	Pursuant to provisions of Section 152(6) of the Companies Act, 2013, Mr Yogesh Jani, the Whole Time Director of the Company, liable to retirement by rotation and being eligible offers himself for re-appointment.
2	Date of appointment & term of appointment	Mr. Yogesh Jani (DIN: DIN 06495782) was appointed by the Board of Directors as an Additional Director of the Company w.e.f. August 11, 2015 and was appointed as Whole Time Director of the Company, liable to retire by rotation in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, read with Schedule V of the Act, in the AGM held on September 30, 2015, for a for a period of five (5) years with effect from August 11, 2015.
		Mr. Yogesh Jani will also attain the age of 70 years as on September 18, 2020. Accordingly, in the AGM of the Company dated September 30, 2019, Mr Yogesh Jani was re-appointed as a Whole Time Director of the Company for a period of five (5) years with effect from August 11, 2020, on account of expir of his term on August 10, 2020 and attainment of 70 years of age of September 18, 2020, liable to retire by rotation.
3	Brief Profile	Mr. Yogesh Jani, has a vast experience of over 40 years in the fields of the news paper industry which includes rich experience in the matters of excise administration, human resource, land acquisition, production, machiner erection, establishment of printing press facilities and its upgradation purchase, stores, circulation, Government liasoning, etc. He also takes keep interest in social activities.
4	Disclosure of Relationships between Directors	Mr. Yogesh Jani is not related to any of the Director of the Company

