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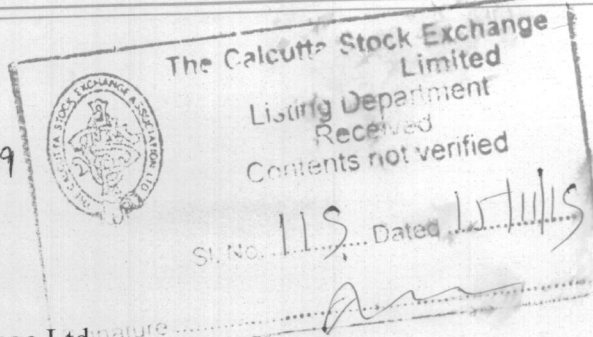
THE METHONI TEA COMPANY LIMITED

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To
The Calcutta Stock Exchange Ltd.
7, Lyons Range,
Kolkata - 700 001

Dear Sirs,

SCRIP CODE 10023015

Sub: Unaudited Standalone Financial Results and Limited Review
Report for the Quarter ending 30th September, 2019

We enclose herewith the Unaudited Standalone Financial Results of the Company for the quarter ended 30th September, 2019 which was taken on record by the Board at their meeting held on 14th November, 2019

The Limited Review Report carried out by the Auditors' of the Company for the said quarter which was also adopted by the Board at the said Board Meeting is also enclosed herewith for your record.

Please note that we are arranging to have the Unaudited Standalone Financial Results of the Company for the quarter ended 30th September, 2019 published in the newspapers.

Yours faithfully,
For THE METHONI TEA CO. LTD.

Anindita Bhowmik

MANAGING DIRECTOR

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT

TO
THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF
THE METHONI TEA CO LIMITED

We have reviewed the accompanying Statement of Standalone Unaudited Financial Results ('the Statement') of **THE METHONI TEA CO. LTD.** ('the Company'), for the Quarter and Six month ended 30th September, 2019. The Statement has been prepared by the Company pursuant to Regulation 33 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (the "Listing Regulations, 2015").

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

We conducted our review 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 statements are free from 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.

Regarding Provision for Deferred Tax, Provision for Income Tax as per IND AS 12 on "Accounting for Taxes on Income" & Actuarial Gain/(Loss) in terms of Post-Employment Benefits (IND AS-19) for which the management opined that these cannot be ascertained at this stage and will be accounted for at the end of the year.

Based on our review conducted as above, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying Statement of Unaudited Financial Results prepared in accordance with applicable Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, has not disclosed the information required to be disclosed in terms of Regulation 33 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (the "Listing Regulations, 2015"), as amended, including the manner in which it is to be disclosed, or that it contains material misstatement.


For and on behalf of

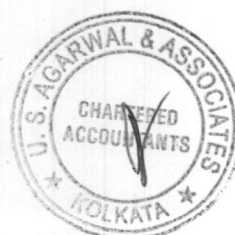
U.S. Agarwal & Associates
Chartered Accountants

(Firm Registration No. 314213E)

Bipin Kumar Agarwala, FCA, Partner

(Membership No: 051635)

UDIN: **19051635AAAAHX3019**



Place: Kolkata

Date: 14th Day of November, 2019

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UNAUDITED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER/HALF YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,2019

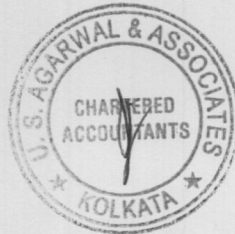
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(ii. In lakhs)

Particulars	Quarter Ended On			Six Months Ended On		Year Ended
	30.09.2019	30.06.2019	30.09.2018	30.09.2019	30.09.2018	31.03.2019
	Reviewed	Reviewed	Reviewed	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
I Revenue from Operations	667.13	305.52	477.55	972.65	652.44	1,563.33
II Other Income	4.34	4.89	22.69	9.23	25.49	17.77
III Total Income (I+II)	671.48	310.41	500.24	981.89	677.93	1,581.10
IV Expenses						
(a) Cost of Materials Consumed (Note 2)	8.32	48.10	-	56.42	2.44	11.13
(b) Changes in inventories of finished goods, Stock-in-Trade and work -in progress	(113.35)	(188.96)	(148.17)	(302.31)	(297.53)	(15.71)
(c) Employee benefit expenses	336.78	304.59	313.58	641.37	616.91	1,134.26
(d) Finance Cost	5.62	5.05	0.43	10.67	0.80	3.99
(e) Depreciation and Amortization expenses	12.00	12.00	10.00	24.00	20.00	53.49
(f) Other expenditure	185.36	169.65	170.73	355.01	309.86	522.67
Total Expenses	434.73	350.43	346.57	785.16	652.48	1,709.83
V Profit/(Loss) before exceptional items and tax (III-IV)	236.75	(40.02)	153.67	196.73	25.45	(128.73)
VI Exceptional Items	-	-	-	-	-	-
VII Profit/(Loss) before tax (V-VI)	236.75	(40.02)	153.67	196.73	25.45	(128.73)
VIII Tax Expenses	-	-	-	-	-	14.84
IX Profit/(Loss) for the period from continuing operations (VII-VIII)	236.75	(40.02)	153.67	196.73	25.45	(143.57)
X Profit/(Loss) from discontinued operations	-	-	-	-	-	-
XI Tax Expense of discontinued operations	-	-	-	-	-	-
XII Profit/(Loss) from discontinued operations(after tax) (X-XI)	-	-	-	-	-	-
XIII Profit/(Loss) for the period (IX+XII)	236.75	(40.02)	153.67	196.73	25.45	(143.57)
XIV Other Comprehensive Income						
A) Items that will not be reclassified to Profit or Loss	-	-	-	-	-	4.63
B) Items that be reclassified to Profit or Loss	-	-	-	-	-	-
XV Total Comprehensive Income for the period (XIII+ XIV)(Comprising Profit(Loss) and Other Comprehensive Income for the period)	236.75	(40.02)	153.67	196.73	25.45	(138.95)
Earnings Per Shares (EPS) of Rs. 10/- each						
(a) Basic EPS (Rs. /Share)	58.03	(9.81)	37.66	48.22	6.24	(35.19)
(b) Diluted EPS (Rs./Share)	58.03	(9.81)	37.66	48.22	6.24	(35.19)



THE METHONI TEA COMPANY LIMITED
UNAUDITED STANDALONE STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AS AT 30.09.2019

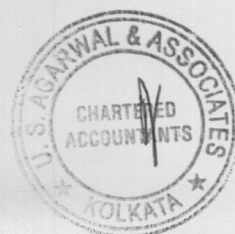
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SL. No.	PARTICULARS	As at 30.09.2019 (Reviewed)	As at 31.03.2019 (Audited)
A	ASSETS		
1	Non Current Assets		
	(a) Property Plant and Equipments & WIP	247.24	254.05
	(b) Capital Work in Progress	81.34	65.36
	(c) Financial Assets Investments	148.86	262.83
	(d) Deferred Tax Assets (net)	41.17	41.17
	(e) Other non-current assets	140.37	143.89
2	Current Assets		
	(a) Inventories	411.53	148.83
	(b) Biological Assets other than Bearer plants	9.98	3.51
	(c) Financial Assets Trade receivables	98.89	-
	Cash and cash equivalents	14.42	9.79
	(d) Other current assets	47.21	49.23
	TOTAL ASSETS	1,241.00	978.64
B	EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		
1	EQUITY		
	(a) Equity Share Capital	40.80	40.80
	(b) Other Equity	577.20	367.65
	Total Equity	618.00	408.45
2	Non-current liabilities		
	(a) Financial Liabilities Borrowings	2.12	4.71
	(b) Provisions	6.87	6.87
	(c) Other Liabilities	18.02	13.01
3	Current liabilities		
	(a) Financial Liabilities i) Borrowings	267.02	82.642
	ii) Trade Payables	46.53	153.54
	(b) Other current liabilities	76.20	87.17
	(c) Provisions	206.24	222.26
	TOTAL - EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	1,241.00	978.64

Notes :

- The Financial results have been prepared in accordance with recognition and measurement principles laid down in IND AS 34 - Interim reporting prescribed under section 133 of Companies Act, 2013 read with relevant rules thereunder and other accounting principle generally accepted in India.
- In regards to Tea Business, the value of consumption of raw materials represents only green leaf purchased from other growers. As the production of Green Leaf (Raw materials consumed by the company for manufacturing of tea) from the company's own estate involves integrated process having various stages as nursery, cultivation etc., their values at the intermediate stage could not be ascertained.
- The Company is engaged in the business of manufacture and sale of tea which is seasonal in nature and as such the above results for three months are not indicative of the results for the full year.
- As the ultimate income tax liability will depend on results for the year ending 31st March, 2020 and in view of the seasonal nature of tea business, the position with regards to provision for Current tax and also deferred Tax will be determined at end of the year. The Company follows this consistently for arriving at half-yearly results
- The Company is engaged only in the business of integrated activities of manufacture and sale of tea predominantly in the domestic market. Hence, there is no reportable segment as per Ind AS-108 on "Segment Reporting" prescribed under Section 133 of Companies Act, 2013.
- The above results for the half year ended 30th September, 2019 have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors of the Company at their meeting held on 14th November, 2019 and these have been subjected to a limited review by the Statutory Auditors of the Company.
- Depreciation is estimated based on calculation of previous year ended 31st March, 2019.
- Figures for the previous period have been regrouped/rearranged, wherever necessary.

Place : Kolkata
 Date : 14th November, 2019
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By Order of the Board
 For The Methoni Tea Company Ltd

Anirudha Bubna
 Anirudha Bubna
 Managing Director
 DIN No : '06842250

THE METHONI TEA COMPANY LIMITED

CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE PERIOD ENDED AS ON 30TH SEPTEMBER '2019

(₹. In lakhs)

Particulars	Half Year Ended	Year Ended
	30th September 2019	31st March, 2019
	₹	₹
A. Cash flow from operating activities		
Net Profit / (Loss) before extraordinary items and tax	196.73	(128.73)
<i>Adjustments for:</i>		
Depreciation and amortisation	24.00	53.49
Finance costs	10.67	3.99
Interest income	-	(2.50)
Biological Assets other than Bearer Plants	(6.47)	0.04
Dividend income	(0.22)	(1.25)
Profit from Foreign Exchange difference	0.06	
(Profit)/ loss on sale of investments	11.29	(1.56)
Operating profit / (loss) before working capital changes	236	(76.53)
<i>Adjustments for (increase) / decrease in Assets:</i>		
Inventories	(262.70)	(55.09)
Trade receivables	(98.89)	3.94
Other current assets	2.01	(13.11)
Other non-current assets	-	62.03
<i>Adjustments for increase / (decrease) in Liabilities:</i>		
Trade payables	(107.01)	92.33
Other current liabilities	(10.96)	56.47
Other Liabilities	5.01	
Short-term provisions	(16.02)	21.71
Short term Borrowing	184.36	
Long-Term Provisions	-	(61.09)
Cash flow from extraordinary items	-	-
Cash generated from operations	(68.13)	30.64
Net income tax (paid) / refunds	-	(6.48)
Net cash flow from / (used in) operating activities (A)	(68.13)	24.16
B. Cash flow from investing activities		
Capital expenditure on fixed Assets	(33.18)	(112.17)
Purchase of Non-Current Investments	(69.94)	(290.04)
Proceeds from sale of Non-Current Investments	183.90	245.01
Interest income	-	2.50
Dividend Income	0.22	1.25
Net cash flow from / (used in) investing activities (B)	81.01	(153.45)
C. Cash flow from financing activities		
Long Term Borrowings	(2.59)	66.23
Other Liabilities	5.01	13.01
Finance Cost	(10.67)	(3.99)
Dividends Paid	-	(0.66)
Net cash flow from / (used in) financing activities (C)	(8.25)	74.59
Net increase / (decrease) in Cash and cash equivalents (A+B+C)	4.63	(54.70)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	9.79	64.49
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	14.42	9.79
Reconciliation of Cash and Cash Equivalents with the Balance Sheet:		
Cash and cash equivalents at the year end	14.42	9.79
Cash and cash equivalents at the year end comprises of :		
(a) Cash in hand	3.19	0.16
(b) Balances with banks:		
(i) In current accounts	9.87	8.26
(ii) In Deposit accounts	-	0.01
(iii) In Earmarked accounts	1.36	1.36
	14.42	9.79

