



**Date: 13<sup>th</sup> August 2018**

To,  
The Corporate Relationship Department  
**BSE Limited**  
P. J. Towers, Dalal Street,  
Mumbai - 400 001

Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub. : **Scrip: 526169**

**Advertisement-Completion of Dispatch of Notice of 27<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of the Company (alongwith Annual report 2017-18)**

Please find enclosed the copy of newspaper clippings of the advertisement published in the following newspapers w.r.t to the dispatch of the notice of 27<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting (alongwith Annual Report) of the Company to be held on Thursday, September 6, 2018 at Hotel Reevanta, Tin Batti, Devka Road, Nani Daman, Daman-396210 at 11.00 A.M.

1. Financial Express
2. Gujarat Chitra

This is for your information and records.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,  
For **Multibase India Limited**

  
**Sunaina Goraksh**  
**Company Secretary**  
Encl: As above



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US jury orders Monsanto to pay \$290 m to cancer patient over weed killer

PRESS TRUST OF INDIA San Francisco, August 11



Plaintiff Dewayne Johnson reacts after hearing the verdict in his case against Monsanto at the Superior Court of California in San Francisco

A CALIFORNIA JURY ordered chemical giant Monsanto to pay nearly \$290 million for failing to warn a dying groundskeeper that its weed killer Roundup might cause cancer. Jurors unanimously found that Monsanto—which vowed to appeal—acted with “malice” and that its weed killers Roundup and the professional-grade version RangerPro contributed “substantially” to Dewayne Johnson’s terminal illness.

jury from the bottom of my heart,” Johnson, 46, said during a press conference after the verdict.

“I am glad to be here; the cause is way bigger than me. Hopefully this thing will get the attention it needs,” Johnson, who appeared to be fighting back sobs while the verdict was read, wept openly, as did some jurors, when he met with the panel afterward.

The lawsuit built on 2015 findings by the International Agency for Research on Cancer, part of the UN World Health Organization, which classified Roundup’s main ingredient glyphosate as a probable carcinogen, causing the state of California to follow suit. “We are sympathetic to Mr Johnson and his family,” Monsanto said in a statement promising to appeal the ruling and “continue to vigorously defend this product, which has a 40-year history of safe use and continues to be a vital, effective and safe tool for farmers and others.”

Johnson, a California groundskeeper diagnosed in 2014 with non-Hodgkin’s lymphoma—a cancer that affects white blood cells—says he repeatedly used a professional form of Roundup while working at a school in Benicia, California. “I want to thank everybody on the

Lawsuits accuse Tesla’s Musk of fraud over tweets

REUTERS August 11

TESLA AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE Elon Musk were sued twice on Friday by investors who said they fraudulently engineered a scheme to squeeze short-sellers, including through Musk’s proposal to take the electric car company private.

The lawsuits were filed three days after Musk stunned investors by announcing on Twitter that he might take Tesla private in a record \$72 billion transaction that valued the company at \$420 per share, and that “funding” had been “secured.”

In one of the lawsuits, the plaintiff Kalman Isaacs said Musk’s tweets were false and misleading, and together with Tesla’s failure to correct them amounted to a “nuclear attack” designed to “completely decimate” short-sellers.

The lawsuits filed by Isaacs and William Chamberlain said Musk’s and Tesla’s conduct artificially inflated Tesla’s

stock price and violated federal securities laws. Tesla did not respond to a request for comment on the proposed class-action complaints filed in the federal court in San Francisco. The company is based in nearby Palo Alto, California.

Short-sellers borrow shares they believe are overpriced, sell them, and then repurchase shares later at what they hope will be a lower price to make a profit.

Such investors have long been an irritant for Musk, who has sometimes used Twitter to criticise them.

Musk’s August 7 tweets helped push Tesla’s stock price more than 13% above the prior day’s close. The stock has since given back more than two-thirds of that gain, in part following reports that the US Securities and Exchange Commission had begun inquiring about Musk’s activity.

Musk has not offered evidence that he has lined up the necessary funding to take Tesla private, and the complaints did not offer proof to the contrary.

Microsoft boss Nadella rakes in \$35 million in share sale

PRESS TRUST OF INDIA Washington, August 11

MICROSOFT’S INDIAN-ORIGIN CEO Satya Nadella has netted over \$35 million after selling almost one-third of his common shares in the software giant. Nadella sold 328,000 shares in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$109.08 to \$109.68 as the stock trades near a record price.

The stock sale, disclosed in a regulatory filing on Friday, netted Nadella more than \$35 million. Microsoft shares have

soared 53% in the past year, closing the week at \$109. The record closing price was \$110.83 on July 25.

Nadella, 50, still owns 778,596 shares of common stock. He is required to have 15 times his base salary in stock. His annual base salary in 2017 was \$1.45 million, and his total compensation exceeded \$20 million. “The stock divestitures made today were for personal financial planning and diversification reasons,” a Microsoft spokesperson told CNBC.

From the Front Page

DoT may be stricter than Srikrishna panel

On the time frame for NDCP, she said the department will follow it up immediately after it is cleared by the Cabinet. “We will be having committees, as we will have to consult the finance ministry,” Sundararajan added.

When asked about the talks on a unified levy in place of licence fee, spectrum usage charge and obligation to universal service contribution fund (USOF), Sundararajan said, “We have to look at it. We had one to two high-level discussions, but not at the operative level. But we will be discussing it.”

Now, warehouses part of eNAM

He added that a lot of background work needs to be completed before starting the pilot. Only those warehouses that are accredited with the Warehousing Development and Regulatory Authority (WDR) will be allowed to facilitate trading under eNAM. Currently, 686 warehouses are registered under WDR across the country. A state government has to make changes in the Agricultural Produce Market Committee (APMC) Act for this, for which the Centre last year had circulated a draft model law.

So far, Uttar Pradesh, Andhra Pradesh, Telangana, Maharashtra and Karnataka have amended their APMC Acts. Any accredited warehouses in these states can function as a mandi after taking permission. Farmers will get to utilise the existing cleaning and grading facilities at warehouses and avail better storing facilities than a mandi in case they could not sell their produce. “Warehouses will bring in more traders to participate in the eNAM platform, as this will also help them to get higher business in storage. A trader buying through eNAM from a warehouse can be assured of quality, storage and delivery since the warehouse itself can also take care of warehouse issues,” the official quoted earlier said. “We are still working out the details of the scheme,” he said, adding that WDR may also be roped in to play a major role in ensuring trading through eNAM.

The government hopes that volume of trade will further increase once warehouses supplement as mandis, as traders may prefer to buy from there instead of a mandi to save on arhtiya commission. The traded

volume of agricultural produce on eNAM nearly doubled to 10.9 million tonne in 2017-18 from 5.5 million tonne in 2016-17. The traded value has also gone up to ₹28,255 crore in 2016-17, according to official data.

The government has decided to integrate 415 mandis under the eNAM platform by 2019-20 after covering 585 mandis in less than two years of its launch, agriculture minister Radha Mohan Singh recently said in Parliament. This year, the government targets to add 200 mandis and next year the remaining 215 mandis will be linked with eNAM, officials said. The concept is new and to completely shift to the digital platform will take time. At least four-five years should be given to analyse the success of this scheme. It is not compulsory, farmers and traders have to be persuaded to use the platform. The benefits will be discovered especially when inter-mandi trading takes off on eNAM,” said Ashok Dalwai, chairman of the committee on doubling farmers’ income.

Water aerodromes get govt approval

“In the first phase, Chilika Lake in Odisha, Sardar Sarovar Dam and Sabarmati River Front in Gujarat have been identified for development of water aerodromes,” the official said. Earlier, civil aviation secretary RN Choubey said his ministry was also considering a proposal to look at seaplane operation under phase III of the regional connectivity scheme UDAN.

“Initially, a provisional licence shall be issued for a period of six months during which implementation of the water aerodrome operation is monitored... Regular licence shall be accorded after post implementation monitoring period and completion of corrective action,” the DGCA said. The formal application for setting up a water aerodrome has to be submitted at least 90 days before the date of intended operations. Under the aviation regulations, an aerodrome cannot be used for scheduled air transport services, among others, unless there is a licence. In October last year, SpiceJet had unveiled plans to buy over 100 amphibian planes, estimated to cost \$400 million. The airline had signed a memorandum of understanding with Japan’s Setouchi Holdings to explore whether the amphibian planes can

be used by the airline in a cost-effective manner. It has already approached the Odisha government evincing interest to operate amphibian planes from the Chilika Lake.

Sales: A season that never wanes

“But in the past couple of years, with online players getting aggressive, the scenario has changed, leaving retailers seeing no spurt in sales during EOSS,” he said.

But brands are not to blame. Competition forces them to offer aggressive discounting for most of the year, which is going to continue. “Companies are trying to mitigate the impact on margins by cost-cutting measures and driving volumes to partially offset it,” said Pinaki Ranjan Mishra, partner, Ernst & Young.

Marks & Spencers, Pantaloon, Louis Philippe, Aldo, Vero Moda, Hennes & Mauritz (H&M), Ony, Globus, Benetton, Lifestyle and Shoppers Stop, along with online fashion portals like Myntra, Jabong Amazon Fashion, are currently offering discounts ranging between 40% and 60% on their merchandise.

Kavindra Mishra, chief executive officer and managing director, Pepe Jeans, agreed that customer fatigue has kicked in due to year-long sales. “We have also witnessed flat sales season this year. However, our new merchandise is selling well,” Mishra said.

It all started with retailers trying to attract customers to showcase their fresh stock while getting rid of old stock by offering mid-season sales. Shashwat Goenka, sector head, Spencer’s Retail, added, “It works well for both retailers and customers, as retailers are able to liquidate stocks faster and get customers to walk into the store, resulting in sale of fresh merchandise as well. It’s a win-win for both brands and customers.” This worked initially, but now customer fatigue has settled in.

Online retailers are in the same boat. As per a Jefferies report, online retailers got aggressive in July this year compared to June, running sales apart from end-of-season ones, like Prime Day by Amazon. Both Amazon and Flipkart declined to comment on the story.

Table for The Sandur Manganese & Iron Ores Limited. Includes company logo, address, and financial results for the quarter ended 30.06.2018. Columns include Particulars, Three months ended, Preceding three months ended, Corresponding three months ended, and Year to date figures for the previous year ended.

Table for TOURISM FINANCE CORPORATION OF INDIA LIMITED. Results of Annual General Meeting (AGM). Columns include Item No. and Matter, Total No. of Votes Cast, Total No. of Votes in favour of resolution, and Total No. of votes casts against the resolution.

‘Thyssenkrupp needs new strategy’

REUTERS Düsseldorf, August 11

THYSSENKRUPP NEEDS A BROAD overhaul in strategy carried out by a new external chief executive, as mid-term targets announced this week will not be enough to put the German group back on track, according to one of its investors. Iron Investment owns just a 0.2% stake in Thyssenkrupp, worth about \$28 million, but has been one of the most critical shareholders of the steel-to-submarines conglomerate and repeatedly urged management to seek a deeper restructuring.

“Thyssenkrupp needs a strategy shift. This is easier to achieve when someone new comes in from the outside,” fund manager Ingo Speich said in the first public comments by an investor after the group published 2020/21 targets on Wednesday. That included margin goals for the group’s four divisions, but drew a muted market response as analysts pointed out that they were only in line with consensus forecasts. “They won’t move the needle in capital markets. There, the main questions are who the new CEO will be and what the strategy is going to

look like,” Speich said.

Thyssenkrupp has been thrown into turmoil after both its CEO and chairman resigned in July, under pressure from shareholders to revive the share price, which has fallen a

third since 2011. A profit warning last week has deepened the crisis for interim CEO Guido Kerkhoff, who served as finance chief but has taken the helm until a long-term successor for Heinrich Hiesinger is found.

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MULTIBASE INDIA LIMITED. Notice of the 27th Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Company. Includes details about the meeting, agenda, and contact information for the company secretary.

