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RE: Regulation 30 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (the "SEBI Listing Regulations").

Subject: Earnings' Presentation.

Dear Sir(s)/ Madam,

This is further to our earlier announcement dated August 17, 2020.

In terms of Regulation 30 read with Para A of Part A of Schedule III to the SEBI Listing Regulations, we hereby submit a copy of the Earnings' Presentation on, inter-alia, the Un-Audited Financial Results of the Company for the 1st Quarter ended June 30, 2020, both on Standalone and Consolidated basis, to be discussed during the Earnings' Call scheduled to be held on Wednesday, August 19, 2020 at 11:00 a.m.

It may be noted that the Board of Directors of the Company has, considered and approved the aforesaid Financial Results of the Company, in its meeting held on August 17, 2020.

You are requested to take the above information on records and disseminate the same on your respective websites.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully,

For HFCL Limited

(Formerly Himachal Futuristic Communications Limited)

(Manoj Baid)

Senior Vice-President (Corporate) &

Company Secretary

Encl: Earnings' Presentation.



Company Overview



- HFCL Limited (formerly known as Himachal Futuristic Communications Limited) is a Leading Technology Enterprise connecting the world with fully integrated communication network solutions and specialized services.
- The Company manufactures Optical Fiber, Optical Fiber Cables (OFC) and high end transmission and access equipment catering to different verticals and customers like telecom service providers, railways, defence and security & surveillance projects.
- The Company's in-House Centre for Excellence in Research located at Gurgaon along with invested R&D Houses and other collaborators at different locations in India and Abroad, innovate futuristic range of technology products and solutions with talented human intelligence.
- HFCL has fully integrated world class manufacturing facilities at five locations across India to produce wide range of cost competitive new technology products and solutions with proven edge over its peers.
- The Company exports to customers across the world to more than 40 countries.



Portfolio of Products





OPTICAL FIBER CABLES

- Aerial Cables
- Armoured / Unarmoured Cables
- FTTx Cables
- Duct / Micro Ducts
- Micro Module Cable
- ADSS Cables
- Ribbon Cables
- Premises Distribution Cables
- CPRI Cables

PASSIVE INTERCONNECT SOLUTIONS

- Cable Assemblies
- Indoor/Outdoor Cabinets
- Splitter Modules
- Joint Closure
- FTTH & Aerial cable assemblies
- EWIS for Defence and Aerospace Automotive

OPTICAL FIBER



TELECOM PRODUCTS

- Wi-Fi Network Products
- Microwave Radios
- Cloud-based Management Platform
- Telecom Power Systems
- LTE BSS Equipment

UNDER DEVELOPMENT

- Routers and Switches
- Intelligent Antenna Systems



DEFENCE PRODUCTS

• High Capacity Radio Relay

UNDER DEVELOPMENT / TESTING

- Software Defined Radios
- · Ground Surveillance radar
- Electro Optic Devices
- Electronic Fuses

Portfolio of Network Solutions





TELECOMMUNICATION NETWORK

- OFC Network
- FTTx Network
- Mobile Network
- Broadband Access & Wi-Fi Network
- Radio backhaul Network



RAILWAY COMMUNICATION NETWORK

- Turnkey solution for Mainline Railway
 Telecom Network
- Turnkey solution for Metro Railway Telecom Network
- Integration of Signalling & Telecom Network



DEFENCE COMMUNICATION NETWORK

- OFC Network
- Optical Transport Network
- Fiber Monitoring & Management System
- Microwave Radio Network
- IPMPLS Network



BORDER & PERIMETRIC SECURITY SYSTEM

- Perimeter Security System for critical Infrastructure
- Smart Border Management System
- Gate Management System
- Smart & Safe City Solution
- Command & Control Centre

Manufacturing Facilities





OFC Manufacturing Verna, Goa Capacity: 8m fkm



Telecom Equipment Manufacturing Solan, Himachal Pradesh



OFC Manufacturing Chennai, Tamil Nadu **Capacity:** 10.5m fkm



FRP Rods, IFGR, ARP Manufacturing
Hosur, Tamil Nadu

Capacity: FRP Thermal - UV 7,66,800 kms/
IGFR - 22.50 MT/ARP 1,80,000 kms



Optical Fiber Manufacturing
Hyderabad, Telangana
Capacity: Optical fiber - 6.4m fkm

Centre for Excellence in Research



EMPOWERING INNOVATION, INTRODUCING NEW TECHNOLOGIES



Team : Large pool of technocrats with proven track record having International experience and business know-how

Expertise: Design & Development including System Engineering and Product design, Hardware & Software development, Mechanical design and providing end to end solution for Telecom, Defence, Railways and Security & Surveillance.

STRATEGY



- Promote In-house R&D & Innovation
- Co-innovate with other R&D Houses
- In-organic growth by acquiring R&D Houses at early stage
- Vision to develop products which can be sold globally and can be bench marked with other leading global manufacturers
- Focus on developing cost effective next generation products and solutions with own IPR

OPTICAL FIBER CABLES



Developed:

- Micromodule Cable 12F-288F.
- Steel Armored Micromodule Cable
- Ribbon Cable upto 2004F
- Higher Fiber Count Ribbon Unitube Cable
- Air blown cable ,compatible for extreme low temp.

Under Development:

- Higher Fiber Count Micromodule Cable (432-864F)
- Dry & Lower Diameter Micro modules cables- Upto 96F
- Dry Ribbon Cable Up to 288F
- Spider Web Ribbon Cable (1734F-3456F)
- Mini Drop Cable
- Hybrid Cable
- Tactical Cable (For Defense Application)

TELECOM PRODUCTS



Developed:

- Wi-Fi Network Products
- Microwave Radios
- Cloud Based Management Platform

Under Development:

- Routers & Switches
- Intelligent Antenna Systems

DEFENCE PRODUCTS



Developed:

 High Capacity Radio Relay

Under Development:

- Software Defined Radios
- Ground Surveillance Radar
- Electro Optic Devices
- Electronic Fuses

Recently launched WiFi Technology



Globally benchmarked, Next Generation Wi-Fi Technology products and solutions

- IO is a platform that aims to bring in efficiency and intelligence to mobility and assist global citizens to use the most advanced Wi-Fi technology products & solutions while keeping a sharp focus on security and safety
- Fully designed, developed and manufactured in India with full IPR ownership residing with the Company
- Ready to meet the enormous global and Indian Wi-Fi network demand
- IO Networks are globally benchmarked with features of Next-Gen technologies across all products with flexibility to be customised
- Major Global Certifications in place
- Already making breakthrough with orders coming in from prestigious telecom operators



Controller & NMS







Wi-Fi Access Points

Key Customers







































Ministry of Interior Kingdom of Saudi Arabia





































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Global Customers





EUROPE

- Ireland
- Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Latvia
- Lithuania
- Croatia
- Czech Republic
- Macedonia
- France
- Germany

- Hungary
- Poland
- UK
- Italy
- Slovenia
- Spain
- Switzerland
- Albania
- Greece

AMERICAS

- Brazil
- Canada
- Mexico
- Peru
- Georgia
- Costa Rica
- United States

AUSTRALIA, ASIA

- Bangladesh
- Bhutan
- Burma (Myanmar) Malaysia
- Nepal
- Thailand
- Philippines
- Ukraine
- Singapore
- Sri Lanka

- Iran
- Kuwait
- Cyprus
- Mauritania
- Morocco
- Egypt
- Oman
- Qatar
- UAE
- Saudi Arabia
- Somalia

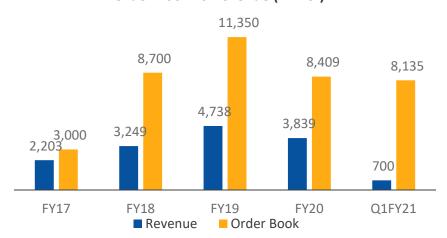
AFRICA

- Kenya
- Nigeria
- South Africa
- Rwanda
- Tanzania
- Uganda
- Zimbabwe

Current Order Book of ~INR 8,135 Cr provides visibility



Order Book To Revenue (INR Cr)



Total Order book of ~INR 8,135 Cr as on 30 June, 2020

Prestigious orders for supply and services spread across all business verticals - telecom, defence, railways, security & surveillance

~2.1 times FY20 revenue

Strong Earning Visibility

O&M Contracts worth ~INR 1,573 Cr Ensuring high margin revenues YoY

Industry Opportunities



TELECOM



- 5G, M2M, IoT shall require extensive fiberisation making the networks more denser and deeper where about 70%-80% towers shall be required to be fiberised
- FTTH shall become dominant for broadband dream
- Govt. Initiatives like Digital India, BharatNet, Defence Communication, Wi-Fi, Railways, Smart Cities etc. will propel demand for communication infra. New Digital Communication Policy sets aggressive targets

RAILWAYS



- Legacy Signaling and Telecom Systems need an overhaul
- New rail lines shall also deploy next generation telecom and signaling systems
- Indian Railways would spend huge amount over the next few years

DEFENCE



- Government has set the goal to reduce Imports from 65% to 30%
- Defence Procurement Procedure has been amended to encourage participation by domestic players
- Defence projects the export of INR 35,000 crores by 2025
- Policy measures will lead indigenous manufacturing of Electronic Fuses, Electro Optical Devices, Radar, Electronic Warfare and communication equipment etc.

SECURITY & SURVEILLANCE



- Smart cities & City surveillance, Perimeter security of critical infrastructure and Artificial Applications into surveillance present a promising opportunity
- High speed Communication technology shall play a key role with open data and end-to-end security
- OFC Connectivity being telecom backbone forms an essential part
- The rapid advancement in surveillance technologies are going to completely redefine the security functions

Value Proposition



Agile Portfolio of Products and Solutions

Offers agile portfolio of products and solutions

Healthy Order Pipeline

Order book of INR 8,135 Cr provides earning visibility and comprises of INR 1,573 Cr high margin O&M Contracts

Global & Diverse Customer Base

Diverse Customer Base across geographies and all verticals of operations ensure sustainable growth

World Class Manufacturing Facilities

State of the Art Manufacturing Facilities capable to deliver latest technology products and solutions

New Business Initiatives

Developing new products for Telecom and Defence.

Promising opportunities in Railways, Security &

Surveillance.

Leadership

Established leader in providing fully integrated solutions in building Communication Networks for Public, Defence, Railways and other sectors

Research & Development

Strong Team of R&D professionals continues to accelerate and bring in cost competitive new technology solutions with significant margins

Comfortable Debt Equity

Comfortable D/E of 0.43x with credit rating of A-

Massive Business Opportunity

Stands benefitted with massive business opportunity across all its business verticals

Strategic Partnerships

Long standing association with marquee customers

Growth Strategy



Produce Technology Solutions with competitive capabilities for diverse and expanded Customer Base

Guided towards creating Shareholders' Value with strong Fundamentals for sustained Growth

- Our Centre for Excellence in Research alongwith Invested R&D Houses and Collaborators at different locations in India and Abroad are working on development of new age technologies.
- We can leverage on State of the Art Manufacturing and network solution capabilities with proven track record to provide end to end solutions covering all aspects of value chain for any network solution
- We have worldwide customers and focus on expanding exports



Levers

- R&D and Technology
- State of the Art Manufacturing
- Network Solution Capabilities
- Worldwide Customers



Objectives

- Excel in Technology with New Products & Solutions
- Deliver Quality and Cost Competitive products & solutions
- Always remain a preferred vendor
- Expand Geographies
 & Customer Base



Goals

- Grow as a Technology Enterprise
- Create Shareholders' Value





Financial Overview

Q1-FY21

Q1-FY21 Key Highlights - Consolidated



- Unusual quarter marked with production side constraints. The results, therefore are hardly comparable.
- No significant impact on our capital and financial resources
- Aggressive cost optimization measures initiated
- Short Term Liquidity Stress due to elongated operating cycles.
 However, required measure taken to maintain adequate working capital
- Order book remained intact with zero cancellations
- Accelerated innovation for ensuring sustainable growth
- 20% of the Promoters Holding was released from pledge

Q1-FY21 Financial Highlights (Consolidated)

| Total Income | EBITDA | EBIDTA Margins |
|--------------|------------------|------------------|
| INR 7,037 Mn | INR 833 Mn | 11.84% |
| - 47.8% YoY | - 57.1% YoY | - 256 Bps YoY |
| PAT | PAT Margins | Diluted EPS |
| INR 214 Mn | 3.04% | INR 0.17 |
| - 81.7% YoY | - 564 Bps YoY | - 80.2% YoY |

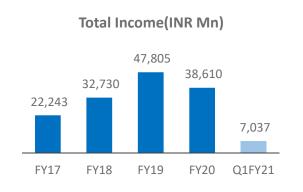
Q1-FY21 Consolidated Income Statement

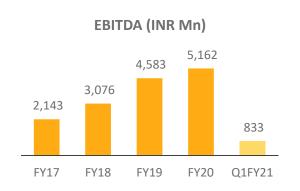


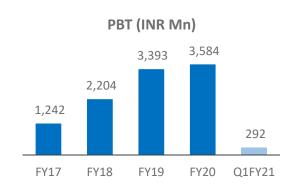
| Particulars (INR Mn) | Q1-FY21 | Q4-FY20 | Change Q-o-Q | Q1-FY20 | Change Y-o-Y |
|--|---------|---------|--------------|---------|--------------|
| Revenue from Operations | 6,998 | 6,632 | 5.5% | 13,427 | (47.9)% |
| Other Income | 39 | 49 | (20.4)% | 63 | (38.1)% |
| Total Income | 7,037 | 6,681 | 5.3% | 13,490 | (47.8)% |
| Total Expenses | 6,204 | 5,918 | 4.8% | 11,548 | (46.3)% |
| EBITDA | 833 | 763 | 9.2% | 1,942 | (57.1)% |
| EBITDA Margin (%) | 11.84% | 11.42% | 42 Bps | 14.40% | (256) Bps |
| Depreciation | 161 | 149 | 8.1% | 88 | 83.0% |
| Finance Cost | 375 | 333 | 12.6% | 277 | 35.4% |
| Share of net profits of JV's accounted using equity method | - | - | NA | (3) | NA |
| Exceptional Items | (5) | - | NA | - | NA |
| PBT | 292 | 281 | 3.9% | 1,574 | (81.4)% |
| PBT Margin (%) | 4.15% | 4.21% | (6) Bps | 11.67% | (752) Bps |
| Tax | 78 | 194 | (59.8)% | 403 | (80.6)% |
| Profit after Tax | 214 | 87 | 146.0% | 1,171 | (81.7)% |
| PAT Margin (%) | 3.04% | 1.30% | 174 Bps | 8.68% | (564) Bps |
| Other Comprehensive Income | 12 | 10 | 20.0% | 6 | 100.0% |
| Total Comprehensive Income | 226 | 97 | 133.0% | 1,177 | (80.8)% |
| EPS (Diluted INR) | 0.17 | 0.04 | 325% | 0.86 | (80.2)% |

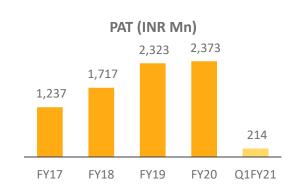
Q1-FY21 Performance Metrics - Consolidated

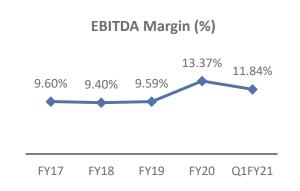


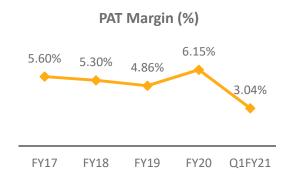






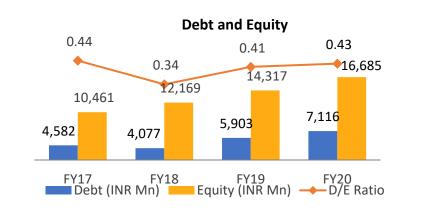


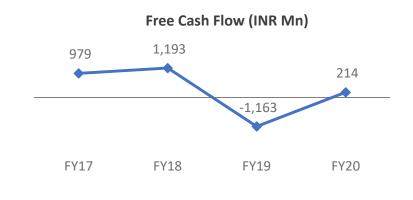


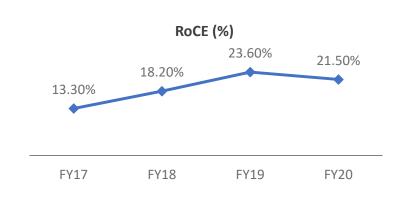


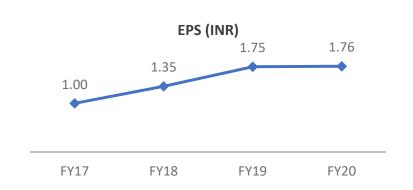
FY20 Performance Metrics – Consolidated











Financial Goals





Increase profits in absolute value

- Own technology products to deliver good returns
- Choose high margin orders
- Cost efficiency measure to continue





Continue with Low Gearing & Effective Working Capital Management

- Contain the gearing at reasonably low level
- Effective management of Working Capital



Improve Returns & Ratios

- Accelerate generation of Free Cash Flow
- Continue to enhance RoCE
- Expand EPS and other Return ratios

Historical Consolidated Income Statement



| Particulars (INR Mn) | FY20 | FY19 | FY18 |
|--|--------|--------|--------|
| Revenue from Operations | 38,389 | 47,378 | 32,485 |
| Other Income | 221 | 427 | 245 |
| Total Income | 38,610 | 47,805 | 32,730 |
| Total Expenses | 33,448 | 43,222 | 29,654 |
| EBITDA | 5,162 | 4,583 | 3,076 |
| EBITDA Margin (%) | 13.37% | 9.59% | 9.40% |
| Depreciation | 420 | 270 | 232 |
| Finance Cost | 1,148 | 919 | 636 |
| Share of net profits of JV's accounted using equity method | (10) | (1) | 14 |
| Exceptional Items | - | - | (18) |
| РВТ | 3,584 | 3,393 | 2,204 |
| PBT Margin (%) | 9.28% | 7.10% | 6.73% |
| Tax | 1,211 | 1,070 | 487 |
| Profit after Tax | 2,373 | 2,323 | 1,717 |
| PAT Margin (%) | 6.15% | 4.86% | 5.25% |
| Other Comprehensive Income | 10 | 45 | 12 |
| Total Comprehensive Income | 2,383 | 2,368 | 1,729 |
| EPS (Diluted INR) | 1.76 | 1.75 | 1.35 |

Historical Consolidated Balance Sheet



| Equities & Liabilities (INR Mn) | FY20 | FY19 | FY18 |
|---------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| (A) Share Capital | 1,284 | 1,274 | 1,239 |
| (B) Other Equity | 15,401 | 13,143 | 10,548 |
| Non Controlling Interest | - | -100 | (221) |
| Total -Shareholder Funds | 16,685 | 14,317 | 11,566 |
| Non Current Liabilities | | | |
| (A) Financial Liabilities | | | |
| (i) Borrowings | 2,010 | 1,344 | 1,413 |
| (ii) Lease Liabilities | 169 | | |
| (iii) Financial guarantee Obligations | 0 | 22 | 4 |
| (B) Provisions | 319 | 248 | 231 |
| Total - Non – Current Liabilities | 2,498 | 1,614 | 1,648 |
| Current Liabilities | | | |
| Financial Liabilities | | | |
| (i) Borrowings | 4,676 | 4,187 | 2,011 |
| (ii) Lease Liabilities | 50 | | |
| (iii) Trade Payables | 8,152 | 8,645 | 5,626 |
| (iv) Other Financial Liabilities | 5,271 | 2,398 | 4,372 |
| (B) Current Tax Liabilities | | - | - |
| (C) Other Current Liabilities | 519 | 1,212 | 636 |
| (D) Contract Liabilities | 332 | 495 | - |
| (E) Provisions | 107 | 74 | 27 |
| Total – Current Liabilities | 19,107 | 17,011 | 12,672 |
| GRAND TOTAL - EQUITIES & LIABILITES | 38,290 | 32,942 | 25,886 |

| Assets (INR Mn) | FY20 | FY19 | FY18 |
|---|--------|--------|--------|
| (A) Property plant & Equipment | 4,369 | 2,022 | 1,657 |
| (B) Capital Work in Progress | 151 | 640 | 17 |
| (C)Right-of-use-Assets | 201 | | |
| (D) Goodwill | 262 | 259 | 259 |
| (E) Other Intangible Assets | 208 | 103 | 44 |
| (F) Intangible Assets under development | 187 | 215 | 82 |
| (G) Investment in Associates/ JV | | 55 | 56 |
| (H) Financial Assets | | | |
| (i) Investment | 557 | 517 | 461 |
| (ii) Trade receivables | 1,199 | 905 | 518 |
| (iii) Others | 380 | 362 | 133 |
| (I) Deferred Tax (Net) | 122 | 799 | 1,187 |
| (J) Other Non Current Assets | 43 | 405 | 22 |
| Total - Non – Current Assets | 7,679 | 6,282 | 4,436 |
| Current Assets | | | |
| (A) Inventories | 3,437 | 2,645 | 2,136 |
| (B) Financial Assets | | | |
| (i) Investment | 25 | 24 | 36 |
| (ii) Trade Receivables | 16,098 | 14,724 | 11,823 |
| (iii) Cash & Cash Equivalents | 164 | 175 | 666 |
| (iv) Bank balances other than above | 1,754 | 1,418 | 655 |
| (v) Loans | 150 | 140 | 98 |
| (vi) Others-Advances | 5,575 | 5,280 | 4,393 |
| (C) Current Tax Assets (Net) | 975 | 595 | 964 |
| (D) Contract Assets | 182 | 33 | |
| (E) Other Current Assets | 2,251 | 1,626 | 679 |
| Total – Current Assets | 30,611 | 26,660 | 21,450 |
| GRAND TOTAL – ASSETS | 38,290 | 32,942 | 25,886 |

Returning to the Society



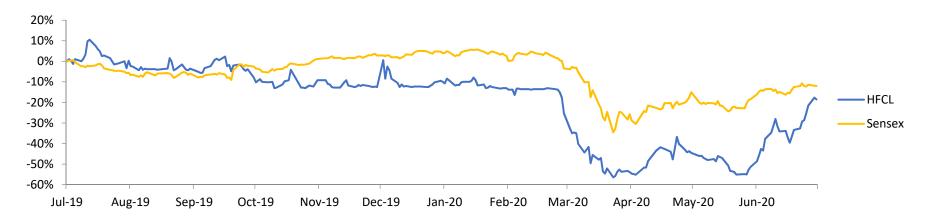
All Encompassing CSR Programme reaching to the ultimate beneficiaries

- Five Mobile Medical Clinics in different states benefitting 500 individuals of underprivileged community everyday
- Equipped HFCL Medi Dialysis centre in Delhi
- Smart Class Education benefitting 10,000 underprivileged children
- Scholarships in various schools and colleges including IIT –
 Madras for meritorious students
- Constructed Old Age Homes and providing them with the needed medical facilities
- Contribute to various other aspects for the welfare of the underprivileged with grants, sponsorships, disaster management contributions, food distribution etc.
- Work with reputed partners to deliver the service for the ultimate beneficiaries



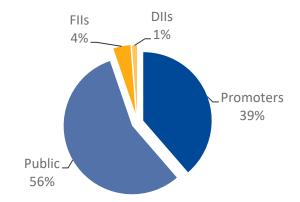
Capital Market Information





| Price Data (As On 30 th June, 2020) | | | |
|--|-----------|--|--|
| Face value (INR) | 1.0 | | |
| Market Price (INR) | 15.92 | | |
| 52 Week H/L (INR) | 22.3/8.15 | | |
| Market Cap (INR Mn) | 20,447.28 | | |
| Equity Shares Outstanding (Mn) | 1,284.4 | | |
| 1 Year Avg. Daily trading volume ('000) | 2,837.7 | | |

Shareholding - (As on 30th June, 2020)



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