

HT Media Limited Registered Office: Hindustan Times House, 18-20, Kasturba Gandhi Marg, New Delhi - 110001, India UN-AUDITED STANDALONE FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR QUARTER ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2009

	(Rs. in lacs)						
CI	Destination	Three mor		Nine months ended		Year ended	
SI. No.	Particulars	31.12.2009	31.12.2008	31.12.2009	31.12.2008	31.03.2009	
1	a) Net Sales/Income from Operations	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)	
1	b) Other Operating Income	32,271	33,381	99,781		132,304	
		627	330	1,428	929	1,296	
	Total Income	32,898	33,711	101,209	99,851	133,600	
2	Expenditure						
	a) (Increase)/Decrease in Stock in Trade and Work in Progress	(43)	(11)	(57)	(33)	(10	
	b) Consumption of Raw Materials	9,759	14,628	34,326	41,195	54,020	
	c) Employees Cost	5,122	4,954	16,340	14,416	20,358	
	d) Advertising and Sales Promotion	3,115	2,747	8,037	8,578	11,474	
	e) Depreciation/Amortisation	1,605	1,380	4,990	3,948	5,50	
	f) Other Expenditure	7,299	6,823	21,453	20,256	27,932	
	g) Total	26,857	30,521	85,089	88,360	119,275	
3	Profit from Operations before Other Income, Interest & Exceptional Items (1-2)	6,041	3,190	16,120	11,491	14,325	
4	Other Income	240	456	1,185	1,536	2,177	
5	Profit before Interest, Depreciation / Amortisation & Exceptional Items (EBITDA) (3+4+2e)	7,886	5,026	22,295	16,975	22,003	
6	Interest (Including Finance Charges)	595	1,014	2,120	2,259	3,169	
7	Profit after Interest but before Exceptional Items (5-6-2e)	5,686	2,632	15,185	10,768	13,333	
8	Exceptional Items	(2,587)	(1,279)	(3,437)	(1,279)	(1,882	
9	Profit from Ordinary Activities before Tax (7+8)	3,099	1,353	11,748	9,489	11,451	
10	Tax Expense						
	a) Provision for Tax	1,257	466	3,528	3,004	2,584	
	b) Fringe Benefit Tax	-	105	<u> </u>	305	344	
	Net Profit from Ordinary Activities after Tax (9-10)	1,842	1. 782	8,220	6,180	8,523	
12	Extraordinary Items (Net of Tax Expenses)	-		-	-	-	
13	Net Profit for the period (11-12)	1,842	782	8,220	6,180	8,523	
14	Paid-up Equity Share Capital (Face value - Rs. 2 per share)	4,700	4,685	4,700	4,685	4,685	
15	Reserves excluding Revaluation Reserve				-	85,461	
16	Basic & Diluted Earning Per Share (in Rs.)	0.78	0.33	3.50	2.64	3.64	
		(not annualised)	(not annualised)	(not annualised)	1		
17	Public Shareholding						
	Number of shares	73,243,945	73,243,945	73,243,945	73,243,945	73,243,945	
10	Percentage of shareholding Promoters and Promoter Group Shareholding	31.16%	31.27%	31.16%	31.27%	31.27%	
	a) Pledge / Encumbered						
	Number of Shares	Nil	NA	Nil	NIA.	s.c.t	
	Percentage of Shares (As a % of the total shareholding of	INII	IVA	INII	NA NA	Nil	
	Promoter and Promoter group)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NIA	
	Percentage of Shares (As a % of total share capital of the	IVA	11/4	INA	INA	NA	
	Company)	NA	NA	NA	NA NA	NIA	
	B) Non Encumbered	14/5	114	INA	IVA	NA	
	Number of Shares	161,777,090	NA	161,777,090	NA	161,007,860	
	Percentage of Shares (As a % of the total shareholding of		`	202,,,,,,	1,47	101,007,00	
	Promoter and Promoter group)	100%	NA	100%	NA	100%	
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	company)	68.84%	NA	68.84%	NA	68.73%	
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Notes:

- 1 The Un-audited Standalone financial results for the quarter ended 31st December 2009 have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors at the meeting held on January 18, 2010. The Statutory Auditors have also conducted "Limited Review" of these results in terms of Clause 41 of the Listing Agreement.
- 2 In terms of a Scheme of Arrangement and Restructuring approved by the Hon'ble Delhi High Court, effective from 1st January, 2009 (Appointed Date), the results of the Radio Undertaking of HT Music & Entertainment Company Limited have been incorporated in the accounts of the Company. Accordingly, the results (including Segment Information) of Quarter ended December 2008 are not comparable with the results of Quarter ended December 2009.
- 3 In terms of the shareholders' approval u/s 293(1)(a) of the Companies Act, 1956 and pursuant to the resolution passed at the Board meeting held on 16th November 2009, the Company has sold its Hindi business undertaking comprising of "Hindustan" (Hindi news daily), "Nandan" & "Kadambini" (Hindi magazines) and its related facilities (the Hindi Business), on slump sale and going concern basis to Hindustan Media Ventures Limited, a 99.27% subsidiary of the Company with effect from 1st December, 2009 on 'Book Value' as on 30th November, 2009 (closing), for a lump-sum cash consideration of Rs.14,318.27 lacs comprising fixed assets of Rs.12,534.26 lacs and net working capital of Rs.1,783.91 lacs. Accordingly, the results (including Segment Information) of Quarter ended December 2008 are not comparable with the results of Quarter ended December 2009.
- 4 Provision for Tax includes Current Tax and Deferred Tax. It also includes Rs. 221 lacs charged in the current quarter relating to earlier periods based on assessment concluded/retrospective amendments in Income Tax Act, 1961.
- 5 During the Quarter, the Company has made following investment in its subsidiaries:
 - HT Burda Media Limited- Rs. 1,020.00 lacs in the Equity Share Capital and Rs. 918 lacs as advance against issue of Equity Share Capital.
 - HT Digital Media Holdings Limited- Rs. 1,959.99 lacs against issue of Compulsorily Convertible Debentures .
- Exceptional Item represents impairement of Investments in Joint Venture Company, Metropolitan Media Company Private Limited. During the quarter, the Company has made an additional provision of Rs.2,300 lacs towards diminution in its investment in equity share capital of the joint venture, thereby fully impairing the investment of Rs.2,750 lacs in the joint venture. Provision of Rs. 287 lacs was also made towards amount recoverable from the joint venture.
- During the quarter, a new Employee Stock Option Scheme viz. "HTML Employee Stock Option Scheme 2009" was implemented as per shareholders' approval and 486,932 Options were granted under the said Scheme. Further, 631,970 Options were forfeited under the existing HTML Employee Stock Option Scheme.
- 8 Details of number of Investor complaints/queries for the quarter ended on 31st December , 2009: Pending at the beginning Nil; Received 13; Disposed off 13; Pending at the end Nil.
- 9 The CEO and CFO certificate in respect of the above results in terms of Clause 41 of the Listing Agreement, has been placed before the Board of Directors.
- 10 The Un-audited standalone financial results of the Company for the quarter ended on 31st December, 2009 have been filed with the stock exchanges where the company's shares are listed and are available on the Company's website www.htmedia.in

11 Previous period's figures have been re-grouped, wherever considered necessary.

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors

Shohhana Bhart

Shobhana Bhartia Chairperson & Editorial Director

New Delhi January 18, 2010

Standalone:- Segment-Wise Revenue, Results and Capital Employed

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Particulars	Three Months Ended 31.12.2009 (Unaudited)	Three Months Ended 31.12.2008 (Unaudited)	Nine Months Ended 31.12.2009 (Unaudited)	Nine Months Ended 31.12.2008 (Unaudited)	Year Ended 31.03.2009 (Audited)
1 Segment Revenue					
a) Printing and Publishing of Newspapers & Periodicals	31,883	33,711	98,332	99,851	132,866
b) Radio Broadcast	1,015	-	2,877	-	734
Total	32,898	33,711	101,209	99,851	133,600
Less: Inter Segment Revenue	-	-	-	-	-
Net Sales/Income from Operations	32,898	33,711	101,209	99,851	133,600

2 Segment Results Profit/(Loss) before Tax and Interest from each Segment					
a) Printing and Publishing of Newspapers & Periodicals	6,170	3,191	16,745	11,491	14,534
b) Radio Broadcast	(129)	-	(625)	-	(209)
Total	6,041	3,191	16,120	11,491	14,325
Less: i) Interest (Including Finance Charges)	595	1,013	2,120	2,259	3,169
ii) Exceptional Item (Net)	2,587	1,279	3,437	1,279	1,882
Add: Income from Investments (Including Interest Income)	240	454	1,185	1,535	2,177
Profit Before Taxation	3,099	1,353	11,748	9,488	11,451

3 Capital Employed (Segment Assets - Segment Liabilities)					
a) Printing and Publishing of Newspapers & Periodicals	67,987	91,671	67,987	91,671	74,382
b) Radio Broadcast	7,605	-	7,605	-	8,325
c) Unallocated	22,212	6,083	22,212	6,083	7,454
Total	97,804	97,754	97,804	97,754	90,161

Note :-

No segment related information is given for the Quarter/period ended on 31st December, 2008 in view of Note 2 of Un-audited standalone financial results.

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