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Dear Sirs.

Sub: Presentation on the Un-audited Financial Results of the Company for the quarter and half-year ended on 30th September, 2021

Please find enclosed a presentation on the Un-audited Financial Results of HT Media Limited for the quarter and half-year ended on 30th September, 2021.

This is for your information and records.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For HT Media Limited

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Encl: As above

HT MEDIA GROUP Q2 FY 2021-22 Consolidated Financial Results





Cautionary Statements

Certain statements in this presentation may be forward-looking statements.

Such forward looking statements are subject to risks and uncertainties like regulatory changes, local political and economic developments, technological risks and many other factors that could cause our actual results to differ materially from those contained in the relevant forward-looking statements.

HT Media Group will not, in any way, be responsible for any action taken based on such statements and undertakes no obligation to publicly update these forward-looking statements to reflect subsequent events or circumstances.

This is a quarterly webcast presentation, combining information for the public listed companies "HT Media Limited" and its subsidiary "Hindustan Media Ventures Limited". Key objective of this presentation is to facilitate a unified platform for quarterly performance discussion pertaining to both the companies. It is neither intended to be an exhaustive review nor to provide any trading, financial, legal advice or outlook.



Chairperson's Message

"The operating environment improved progressively during the second quarter as the Indian economy gradually emerged from the impact of the second wave. It was marked by decline in COVID cases, a significant pickup in the pace of vaccination, and a sharp recovery in economic activity driven by improvement in consumption demand and sentiment.

The positive macroeconomic scenario prompted businesses to revive consumer outreach through advertising. As a consequence, advertising revenue across our Print and Radio businesses has shown significant improvement over the same quarter last year, with both large and small businesses spending on advertising. Circulation revenue too grew well. Our Shine business reported a strong double-digit growth during the quarter, led by Shine Learning.

We witnessed improvement in operating profit margins on the back of strong volume growth and better yields, even as commodity prices continued to rise.

As the economic indicators continue to improve with the opening up of economy, we are hopeful of capitalizing on resurgent demand, especially during the upcoming festive season. We continue to stay focused on delivering credible, reliable and engaging news and analysis, information and entertainment to our audience."

Mrs. Shobhana Bhartia
Chairperson and Editorial Director
HT Media Ltd & Hindustan Media Ventures Ltd



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CONSOLIDATED PERFORMANCE Q2 FY 2021-22

Consolidated Financial Summary

| CONSOLIDATED PE | RFORM | ANCE | | | | KEY HIGHLIGHTS |
|-----------------------|-------|-------|------|-------|------|--|
| Particulars (Rs Cr) | Q2'21 | Q2'22 | YoY | Q1'22 | QoQ | Strong growth in Consolidated revenue across segments |
| Total Revenue | 302 | 440 | 46% | 281 | 57% | YOY revenue growth of 46% |
| EBITDA | -16 | 83 | 632% | -43 | 291% | Sequential revenue growth of 57% |
| EBITDA margin (%) | -5% | 19% | | -15% | | Turnaround in operating profits EBITDA Margin at +19% led by revenue growth |
| PAT ¹ | -41 | 29 | 171% | -76 | 138% | EBITDA higher than Q2'21 by Rs 99 Cr (vs Q1'22 by Rs 127 Cr) |
| PAT margin (%) | -13% | 7% | | -27% | | PAT at Rs +29 Cr (Margin at 7%) vs a loss of Rs (41) Cr in last year Q2 |
| Net Cash ² | 1,033 | 991 | -4% | 1,108 | -11% | |

²Balance at the end of the period



¹PAT is after share of profit/(loss) from Associate/JV

BUSINESS UNIT PERFORMANCE Q2 FY 2021-22

PRINT - ENGLISH

PRINT - HINDI

DIGITAL

Print

FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

| Particulars (Rs Cr) | Q2'21 | Q2'22 | YoY | Q1'22 | QoQ |
|----------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Ad Revenue | 162 | 247 | 52% | 132 | 87% |
| Circulation Revenue ¹ | 45 | 50 | 13% | 50 | 1% |
| Operating Revenue | 225 | 313 | 39% | 203 | 54% |
| Operating EBITDA | -1 | 39 | 5842% | -49 | 179% |
| Op EBITDA margin (%) | 0% | 12% | | -24% | |

¹Circulation revenue excludes impact of copy booking cost

KEY DRIVERS

- + Growth in Ad revenue across both Commercial and Government segments
- + Circulation revenue grew on the back of recovery in copies
- + Operating profits reported despite increase in newsprint price and consumption



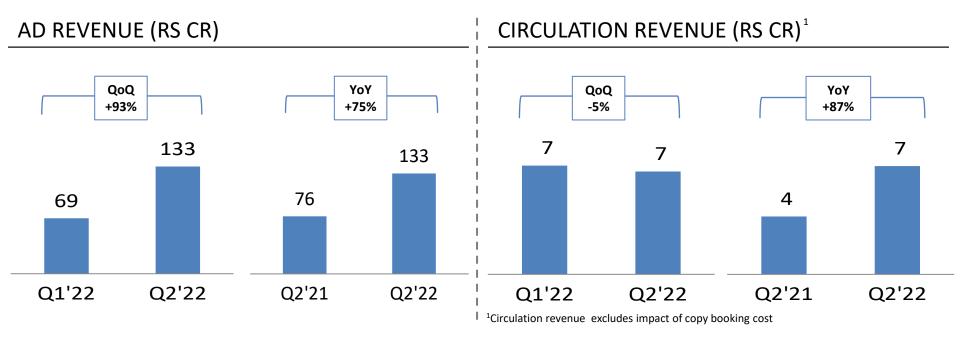
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REVENUE DRIVERS

- Robust recovery in Ad volumes on YoY and on QoQ basis
- Improvement in advertising from both national & local players
- Growth in almost all categories
- Growth in circulation revenue on YoY basis due to increase in copies and improvement in per copy realization

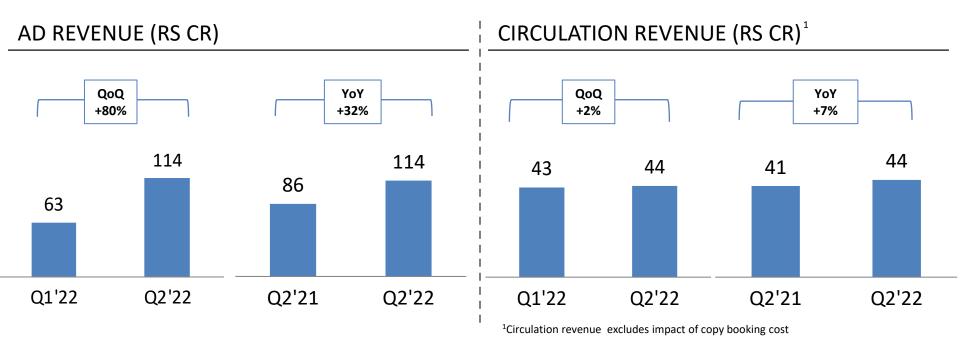


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Print – Hindi हिन्दुस्तान



REVENUE DRIVERS

- + Growth in Ad Volumes contributed to Ad revenue growth, both YoY and sequentially
- + Education, Retail, Entertainment and BFSI categories reported healthy growth
- + Circulation revenue growth supported by higher copies and realization



PRINT - ENGLISH

PRINT - HINDI

DIGITAL

Digital

FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

| Particulars (Rs Cr) | Q2'21 | Q2'22 ¹ | YoY | Q1'22 ¹ | QoQ |
|----------------------|-------|--------------------|------|--------------------|-----|
| Operating Revenue | 21 | 33 | 56% | 29 | 14% |
| Operating EBITDA | 1 | 0 | -82% | 0 | 98% |
| Op EBITDA Margin (%) | 7% | 1% | | 0% | |

¹Q2'22 & Q1'22 include Mosaic Media acquisition

HIGHLIGHTS

- + Operating revenue saw growth of 56% led by growth in Shine and VC Circle
- + EBITDA at breakeven



PRINT - ENGLISH

PRINT - HINDI

DIGITAL

Radio







FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

| Particulars (Rs Cr) | Q2'21 | Q2'22 | YoY | Q1'22 | QoQ |
|----------------------|-------|-------|-----|-------|-----|
| Operating Revenue | 15 | 24 | 59% | 12 | 99% |
| Operating EBITDA | -17 | -3 | 82% | -16 | 81% |
| Op EBITDA Margin (%) | -111% | -13% | | -134% | |

PERFORMANCE DRIVERS

- + Strong traction in Ad volumes across key stations
- + Lower operating losses growth in Op revenue while maintaining cost base

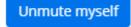


Q&A

1. To ask a question, Click on "Raise Hand"



2. On your turn, click on "Unmute Myself"



3. Ask your question

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ANNEXURES

Consolidated P&L - HT Media Ltd

| Particulars (Rs Cr) | Q2'21 | Q2'22 | YoY (%) | Q1'22 | Seq (%) |
|-------------------------------------|-------|-------|---------|-------|------------|
| Operating Revenue | 261 | 370 | 42% | 244 | 52% |
| Other Income | 42 | 70 | 69% | 38 | 87% |
| Total Revenue | 302 | 440 | 46% | 281 | <i>57%</i> |
| Raw Materials & change in inventory | 58 | 94 | 62% | 74 | 26% |
| Employee Cost | 80 | 94 | 16% | 93 | 0% |
| Other expenses | 180 | 170 | -5% | 157 | 8% |
| EBITDA | -16 | 83 | 633% | -43 | 291% |
| Margin (%) | -5% | 19% | | -15% | |
| PAT ¹ | -41 | 29 | | -76 | |
| Margin (%) | -13% | 7% | | -27% | |



¹PAT is after share of profit/(loss) from Associate/JV

Consolidated Balance Sheet – HT Media Limited

| As at 31 Mar'21 | Particulars (Rs Cr) | As at 30 Sep'21 |
|-----------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| | ASSETS | |
| | Non- current assets | |
| 1,666 | Financial assets | 1,082 |
| 1,053 | Property, plant and equipment | 994 |
| 493 | Others | 489 |
| 3,212 | Total non-current assets | 2,565 |
| | Current assets | |
| 142 | Inventories | 165 |
| 851 | Financial assets | 1,466 |
| 119 | Other current assets | 137 |
| 1,113 | Total current assets | 1,768 |
| 4,325 | Total assets | 4,334 |
| | EQUITY AND LIABILITIES | |
| | Equity | |
| 46 | Equity share capital | 46 |
| 2,043 | Other equity | 2,001 |
| 407 | Non-controlling Interest | 404 |
| 2,496 | Total equity | 2,450 |
| | Liabilities | |
| | Non-current liabilities | |
| 176 | Financial liabilities | 137 |
| 13 | Deferred tax liabilities (Net) | 10 |
| 18 | Others | 18 |
| 207 | Total non-current liabilities | 165 |
| | Current liabilities | |
| 1,424 | Financial liabilities | 1,531 |
| 198 | Others | 188 |
| 1,622 | Total current liabilities | 1,719 |
| 4,325 | Total equity and liabilities | 4,334 |



Consolidated P&L – Hindustan Media Ventures Ltd

| Particulars (Rs Cr) | Q2'21 | Q2'22 | YoY (%) | Q1'22 | Seq (%) |
|-------------------------------------|-------|-------|---------|-------|------------|
| Operating Revenue | 131 | 163 | 24% | 109 | 50% |
| Other Income | 24 | 40 | 66% | 21 | 92% |
| Total Revenue | 155 | 203 | 31% | 130 | <i>57%</i> |
| Raw Materials & change in inventory | 41 | 61 | 49% | 46 | 33% |
| Employee Cost | 32 | 38 | 20% | 38 | 0% |
| Other expenses | 69 | 62 | -10% | 58 | 6% |
| EBITDA | 13 | 42 | 213% | -12 | 439% |
| Margin (%) | 9% | 21% | | -10% | |
| PAT ¹ | 4 | 31 | | -24 | |
| Margin (%) | 2% | 15% | | -18% | |



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Consolidated Balance Sheet – Hindustan Media Ventures Ltd

| As at 31 Mar'21 | Particulars (Rs Cr) | As at 30 Sep'21 |
|-----------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| | ASSETS | |
| | Non- current assets | |
| 1,165 | Financial assets | 645 |
| 287 | Property, plant and equipment | 276 |
| 87 | Others | 88 |
| 1,539 | Total non-current assets | 1,009 |
| | Current assets | |
| 54 | Inventories | 70 |
| 472 | Financial assets | 1,026 |
| 41 | Other current assets | 51 |
| 567 | Total current assets | 1,146 |
| 2,106 | Total assets | 2,155 |
| | EQUITY AND LIABILITIES | |
| | Equity | |
| 74 | Equity share capital | 74 |
| 1,511 | Other equity | 1,519 |
| 1,585 | Total equity | 1,593 |
| | Liabilities | |
| | Non-current liabilities | |
| 31 | Financial liabilities | 21 |
| 15 | Deferred tax liabilities (Net) | 13 |
| 0 | Others | 1 |
| 47 | Total non-current liabilities | 36 |
| | Current liabilities | |
| 432 | Financial liabilities | 489 |
| 42 | Others | 37 |
| 474 | Total current liabilities | 526 |
| 2,106 | Total equity and liabilities | 2,155 |

