Bharti Airtel Limited

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Statement of Audited Standalone Financial Results for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2018

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	Quarter ended			Year ended	
	March	December	March	March	March
	31, 2018	31, 2017	31, 2017	31, 2018	31, 2017
Particulars	Audited	Audited	Audited	Audited	Audited
Income		2			
Revenue	124,888	126,876	142,998	536,630	622,763
Other income	321	800	513	2,356	1,843
	125,209	127,676	143,511	538,986	624,606
Expenses					
Network operating expenses	34,359	33,160	37,262	139,512	145,360
Access charges	19,138	16,820	18,414	78,944	80,505
License fee / spectrum charges (revenue share)	12,708	12,882	15,572	55,630	69,416
Employee benefits expense	4,339	4,202	4,430	17,209	17,385
Sales and marketing expenses	8,396	7,695	8,033	30,519	32,320
Other expenses	7,106	9,381	8,518	36,171	38,524
	86,046	84,140	92,229	357,985	383,510
Profit from operating activities before depreciation, amortisation	39,163	43,536	51,282	181,001	241,096
and exceptional items	39,103	43,330	31,202	101,001	241,090
Depreciation and amortisation	34,533	33,474	32,751	130,486	122,034
Finance costs	16,103	15,768	15,646	59,107	52,546
Finance income	(2,160)	(3,939)	(17,192)	(8,417)	(23,421
Non-operating expenses	133	14	969	596	2,324
(Loss) / profit before exceptional items and tax	(9,446)	(1,781)	19,108	(771)	87,613
Exceptional items	4,693	473	165,528	6,041	172,708
Loss before tax	(14,139)	(2,254)	(146,420)	(6,812)	(85,095
Tax (credit) / expense					
Current tax	(2,893)	(1,527)	(13,938)	(2,204)	(45
Deferred tax	(3,644)	(1,370)	9,280	(5,400)	14,206
(Loss) / profit for the period / year	(7,602)	643	(141,762)	792	(99,256
Other comprehensive income					
Items not to be reclassified to profit or loss :				1	
- Re-measurement gains / (losses) on defined benefit plans	46	64	39	87	(36
- Tax (charge) / credit	(16)	(22)	(12)	(30)	11
Other comprehensive income / (loss) for the period / year	30	42	27	57	(25
Total comprehensive (loss) / income for the period / year	(7,572)	685	(141,735)	849	(99,281
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Paid-up equity share capital (Face value : Rs. 5/- each)	19,987	19,987	19,987	19,987	19,987
Other equity	1,008,622	996,642	992,086	1,008,622	992,086
Earnings per share (Face value : Rs. 5/- each) (In Rupees) Basic and Diluted	(1.90)	0.16	(35.47)	0.20	(24.84



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	March 31, 2018	March 31, 2017	
Particulars	Audited	Audited	
Tarandord product and a			
Assets			
Non-current assets	476,911	381,176	
Property, plant and equipment	27,387	11,818	
Capital work-in-progress	749,183	734,052	
Intangible assets Intangible assets under development	28,040	84,184	
Investment in subsidiaries and joint ventures	481,219	459,538	
Financial assets	401,210	100,000	
- Investments	63	52	
- Derivative instruments	80	213	
- Loans and security deposits	10,290	10,389	
- Others	260	556	
Income tax assets	19,595	16,164	
Deferred tax assets	14,244	8,808	
Other non-current assets	27,142	42,596	
Other Hon-Current assets	1,834,414	1,749,546	
Current assets			
Inventories	63	39	
Financial assets			
- Derivative instruments	195	634	
- Trade receivables	43,196	32,118	
- Cash and cash equivalents	4,626	1,087	
- Other bank balances	825	647	
- Loans	72,496	72,081	
- Others	11,837	13,200	
Other current assets	81,721	33,295	
Assets-held-for-sale	~	13,729	
	214,959	166,830	
Total assets	2,049,373	1,916,376	
Equity and liabilities			
Equity			
Share capital	19,987	19,987	
Other equity	1,008,622	992,086	
	1,028,609	1,012,073	
Non-current liabilities			
Financial liabilities	544,681	503,421	
- Borrowings	124	186	
- Derivative instruments	19.354	21,881	
- Others Deferred revenue	18,371	18,321	
	1,830	2,330	
Provisions	584,360	546,139	
Current liabilities			
Financial liabilities			
- Borrowings	80,680	65,478	
- Current maturities of long-term borrowings	28,797	32,048	
- Derivative instruments	228	1,662	
- Trade payables	176,990	149,698	
- Others	92,529	62,149	
Deferred revenue	30,242	30,311	
Provisions	1,262	1,291	
Current tax liabilities	2,447	3,885	
Other current liabilities	23,229	11,642	
	436,404	358,164	
otal liabilities	1,020,764	904,303	
Total equity and liabilities	2,049,373	1,916,376	



Audited Standalone Segment-wise Revenue, Results, Assets and Liabilities for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2018

(Rs. Million)

		Quarter ended	(Rs. Million) Year ended		
	March 31, 2018	December 31, 2017	March 31, 2017	March 31, 2018	March 31, 2017
Particulars	Audited	Audited	Audited	Audited	Audited
1. Segment Revenue					
a) Mobile Services	100,802	103,004	121,625	441,155	526,745
b) Airtel Business	25,101	25,456	22,716	100,554	98,400
c) Homes Services	5,970	6,010	6,616	24,700	26,870
Total segment revenue	131,873	134,470	150,957	566,409	652,015
- Unallocated		-		-	
Total	131,873	134,470	150,957	566,409	652,015
Less: Inter-segment eliminations	6,985	7.594	7,959	29,779	29,252
Total revenue	124,888	126,876	142,998	536,630	622,763
2. Segment Results					
(Loss) / profit before net finance costs, non-operating expenses, exceptional				1	
items and tax					
a) Mobile Services	(3,749)	2.705	12,758	21,563	94,680
b) Airtel Business	7,418	7,152	4,804	26,193	19,469
c) Homes Services	980	1,093	1,469	4,398	6,331
Total segment results	4,649	10,950	19,031	52,154	120,480
- Unallocated	(19)	(888)	(500)	(1,639)	(1,418)
Total	4,630	10,062	18,531	50,515	119,062
Less:	.,,,,,	.0,	,		,
(i) Net finance costs	13,943	11,829	(1,546)	50,690	29,125
(ii) Non-operating expenses	133	14	969	596	2,324
(iii) Exceptional items	4.693	473	165.528	6.041	172,708
loss before tax	(14,139)	(2,254)	(146,420)	(6,812)	(85,095)
3. Segment Assets *	1	1-11	1.1.1,12.1		(0.0)
a) Mobile Services	1,356,580	1,341,521	1,541,193	1,356,580	1,541,193
b) Airtel Business	101,826	95,927	233,317	101,826	233,317
c) Homes Services	43,059	46,914	296,014	43,059	296,014
Total segment assets	1,501,465	1,484,362	2,070,524	1,501,465	2,070,524
d) Unallocated / Inter-segment eliminations	547,908	515,009	(154, 148)	547,908	(154,148)
Total assets	2.049,373	1,999,371	1,916,376	2,049,373	1,916,376
4. Segment Liabilities *					
a) Mobile Services	303,670	335,268	736,333	303,670	736,333
b) Airtel Business	38,625	34,899	151,419	38,625	151,419
c) Homes Services	20,276	19,495	231,935	20,276	231,935
Total segment liabilities	362,571	389,662	1.119,687	362,571	1,119,687
d) Unallocated / Inter-segment eliminations	658,193	593,080	(215, 384)	658,193	(215, 384)
Total liabilities	1,020,764	982,742	904,303	1,020,764	904,303

^{*} Effective April 1, 2017, individual segments exclude inter-segment balances and allocated borrowings. This has no impact on total assets and liabilities.



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Notes to the Audited Standalone Financial Results

- 1. The said financial results for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2018 have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors in their respective meetings held on April 24, 2018.
- 2. The above financial results are extracted from the Audited Standalone Financial Statements of the Company, which are prepared in accordance with Indian Accounting Standards ('Ind AS') as prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with relevant rules issued thereunder.
- During the quarter ended March 31, 2018, the Company has issued 30,000 listed, unsecured, rated, redeemable, Series I and II non-convertible debentures ('NCDs'), of face value of Rs. 10 lakhs each, at par aggregating to Rs. 30,000 Mn on private placement basis.
- 4. During the quarter ended March 31, 2018, the Company has done internal restructuring of its certain international and domestic entities. The excess of proceeds over the cost of investments for the said common control transactions amounting to Rs. 28,498 Mn has been recognised directly in equity.
- 5. Exceptional items during the quarter ended March 31, 2018 comprises of (i) charge of Rs. 224 Mn towards operating costs on network re-farming and up-gradation program; (ii) provision for one major delinquent receivable balance of Rs 720 Mn; and (iii) charge of Rs. 3,749 Mn mainly due to levies and taxes pertaining to internally restructuring as discussed in note 4 above. Net tax credit on the above is Rs. 1,662 Mn.
- 6. The disclosure required as per the provisions of Regulation 52(4) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 is given below:
 - a. Non-convertible debentures ('NCDs') issued by the Company are rated CRISIL AA+ (Stable).
 - b. The Company maintains at least 100% asset cover for NCDs.
 - c. The details of previous due date for the payment of interest / repayment of principal of NCDs and whether the amount has been paid is given in the table below:

S.No. Particulars		Previous due date			
	Particulars	Interest due date	Principal due date		
(i)	8.25% NCDs series I	NA	NA		
(ii)	8.35% NCDs series II	NA	NA		
(iii)	Whether amount has been paid on due dates	NA	NA		

d. The details of next due date for the payment of interest / repayment of principal along with amount due is given in the table below:

		Next due dates					
S.No.	Particulars	Interest due date *	Interest due (Rs. Million)	Principal due date	Principal due (Rs. Million)		
(i)	8.25% NCDs series I	April 20, 2018	129	April 20, 2020	15,000		
(ii)	8.35% NCDs series II	April 20, 2018	130	April 20, 2021	15,000		

^{*} Annual interest has been paid on the due date / principal is not yet due

e. Other information:

Particulars	March 31, 2018	
Debt service coverage ratio ('DSCR') - [no. of times]	1.57	
Interest service coverage ratio ('ISCR') - [no. of times]	3.81	
Debt - equity ratio - [no. of times]	0.63	
Debenture redemption reserve - [Rs. Million]	7,500	
Net worth - [Rs. Million]	972,709	
	Debt service coverage ratio ('DSCR') - [no. of times] Interest service coverage ratio ('ISCR') - [no. of times] Debt - equity ratio - [no. of times] Debenture redemption reserve - [Rs. Million]	



The basis of computation of above parameters is provided in the table below.

DSCR	Profit from operating activities before depreciation, amortisation and exceptional items / (interest expenses (+) principal repayments of long - term debt)
ISCR Profit from operating activities before depreciation, amortisation and exce interest expenses	
Debt - equity ratio	(Non-current borrowings (+) current borrowings (+) current maturities of long-term borrowings (-) cash and cash equivalents (-) term deposits with bank) / Equity
Net worth	Basis section 2(57) of the Companies Act, 2013; Equity (-) Business Restructuring Reserve (-) Capital Reserve.

- 7. On January 8, 2013, the Department of Telecommunications ('DoT') issued a demand on the Company for Rs. 51,353 Mn towards levy of one time spectrum charge. Based on a petition filed by the Company, the Hon'ble High Court of Bombay, through its order dated January 28, 2013, has directed DoT to respond and not to take any coercive action until the next date of hearing. The Company, based on independent legal opinions, till date has not given any effect to the above demand.
- 8. The Board of Directors at its meeting held on April 24, 2018, has recommended final dividend for the financial year 2017-18 of Rs. 2.50/- per equity share (face value: Rs. 5/- each), being subject to the approval of the shareholders in the ensuing Annual General Meeting of the Company.
- 9. The financial results for the quarter ended March 31, 2018 and March 31, 2017 are the balancing figures between audited results in respect of the full financial year and the published year to date figures of the third quarter of the respective financial years.
- 10. Previous period / year figures have been re-grouped / re-stated basis the Ind AS 101, 'First-time Adoption of Indian Accounting Standards' exemptions as considered in the Ind AS financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2017, wherever required.

For Bharti Airtel Limited

Gopal Vittal

Managing Director and CEO (India & South Asia)

DIN: 02291778

New Delhi April 24, 2018

Notes:

a) 'Bharti Airtel' or 'Company' stands for Bharti Airtel Limited b) For more details on the financial results, please visit our website 'www.airtel.in'



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF BHARTI AIRTEL LIMITED

- We have audited the accompanying Statement of Consolidated Financial Results of Bharti Airtel Limited ("the Company") and its subsidiaries (the Company and its subsidiaries together referred to as "the Group"), and its share of the profit/(loss) of its associates and joint ventures for the quarter and the year ended March 31, 2018 ("the Statement"), being submitted by the Company pursuant to the requirement of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as modified by Circular No. CIR/CFD/FAC/62/2016 dated July 5, 2016.
- 2. This Statement, which is the responsibility of the Company's Management and approved by the Board of Directors, has been compiled from the related Consolidated Financial Statements which has been prepared in accordance with the Indian Accounting Standards prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013, read with relevant rules issued thereunder ('Ind AS') and other accounting principles generally accepted in India. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Statement based on our audit of such Consolidated Financial Statements.
- 3. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. Those Standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Statement is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and the disclosures in the Statement. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the Statement, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Company's preparation and fair presentation of the Statement in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of the accounting policies used and the reasonableness of the accounting estimates made by the Management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the Statement.

We believe that the audit evidence obtained by us and the audit evidence obtained by other auditor in terms of their report referred to in paragraph 6 below, is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

- 4. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, and based on the consideration of the report of the other auditor referred to in paragraph 6 below, the Statement:
 - a. includes the results of the following entities:

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1	Bharti Airtel Limited		
	Subsidiaries		
2	Bharti Airtel Services Limited	42	Airtel Mobile Commerce Zambia Limited
3	Bharti Hexacom Limited	43	Airtel Money (RDC) S.A.
4	Bharti Infratel Limited	44	Airtel Money Niger S.A.
5	Bharti Telemedia Limited	45	Airtel Money S.A. (Gabon)
6	Airtel Payments Bank Limited	46	Airtel Networks Kenya Limited @
7	Telesonic Networks Limited	47	Airtel Networks Limited
8	Nxtra Data Limited	48	Airtel Networks Zambia Plc
9	Wynk Limited	49	Airtel Rwanda Limited
10	Indo Teleports Limited	50	Airtel Tanzania Public Limited Company(formerly known as Airtel Tanzania Ltd)
11	Nettle Infrastructure Investments Limited	51	Airtel Tchad S.A.
12	SmarTx Services Limited	52	Airtel Uganda Limited
13	Bangladesh Infratel Networks Limited #	53	Bharti Airtel Africa B.V.
14	Bharti Airtel (France) SAS	54	Bharti Airtel Burkina Faso Holdings B.V.
15	Bharti Airtel (Hongkong) Limited	55	Bharti Airtel Chad Holdings B.V.
16	Bharti Airtel (Japan) Private Limited	56	Bharti Airtel Congo Holdings B.V.
17	Bharti Airtel (UK) Limited	57	Bharti Airtel Developers Forum Limited
18	Bharti Airtel (USA) Limited	58	Bharti Airtel DTH Holdings B.V. #
19	Bharti Airtel Mali Holdings B.V.	59	Bharti Airtel Gabon Holdings B.V.
20	Bharti Airtel International (Netherlands) B.V.	60	Bharti Airtel Kenya B.V.
21	Bharti Airtel Lanka (Private) Limited	61	Bharti Airtel Kenya Holdings B.V.
22	Bharti Infratel Lanka (Private) Limited #	62	Bharti Airtel Madagascar Holdings B.V.
23	Bharti International (Singapore) Pte Ltd	63	Bharti Airtel Malawi Holdings B.V.
24	Network i2i Ltd.	64	Bharti Airtel International (Mauritius) Limited
25	Africa Towers N.V.	65	Bharti Airtel Niger Holdings B.V.
26	Africa Towers Services Limited *	66	Bharti Airtel Nigeria B.V.
27	Airtel (Seychelles) Limited	67	Bharti Airtel Nigeria Holdings B.V. #
28	Airtel Congo S.A	68	Bharti Airtel Nigeria Holdings II B.V.
29	Airtel DTH Services Nigeria Limited #	69	Bharti Airtel RDC Holdings B.V.
30	Airtel Gabon S.A.	70	Bharti Airtel Services B.V.
31	Airtel Madagascar S.A.	71	Bharti Airtel Tanzania B.V.
32	Airtel Mobile Commerce (Seychelles) Limited	72	Bharti Airtel Uganda Holdings B.V.
33	Airtel Mobile Commerce B.V.	73	Bharti Airtel Zambia Holdings B.V.
34	Airtel Mobile Commerce Holdings B.V.	74	Celtel (Mauritius) Holdings Limited
35	Airtel Mobile Commerce Kenya Limited	75	Airtel Congo (RDC) S.A.
36	Airtel Mobile Commerce Limited, Malawi	76	Celtel Niger S.A.
37	Airtel Mobile Commerce Madagascar S.A.	77	Channel Sea Management Co Mauritius Limited
38	Airtel Mobile Commerce Rwanda Limited	78	Congo RDC Towers S.A.
39	Airtel Malawi Limited	79	Airtel Mobile Commerce Tanzania Limited
40	Indian Ocean Telecom Limited	80	Airtel Mobile Commerce Tchad SARL
41	Madagascar Towers S.A.	81	Airtel Mobile Commerce Uganda Limited

(2)			
82	Montana International	90	Zap Trust Company Nigeria Limited #
83	MSI-Celtel Nigeria Limited #	91	Bharti Airtel Rwanda Holdings Limited
84	Partnership Investments S.A.R.L.	92	Airtel Money Transfer Ltd
0.5	Société Malgache de Telephonie Cellulaire SA		Airtel Money Tanzania Limited
85			Towers Support Nigeria Limited #
86	Tanzania Towers Limited	95	Airtel Mobile Commerce Nigeria Limited \$
87	Gabon Towers S.A. *	96	Bharti Digital Networks Private Limited \$ (formerly known as Tikona Digital Networks Private Limited)
88	Malawi Towers Limited	97	Tigo Rwanda Limited \$
89	Mobile Commerce Congo S.A.	98	Bharti Airtel International (Mauritius) Investments Limited \$
	Joint Ventures and Associates (including their subsidiaries)		
99	Bridge Mobile Pte Limited	105	Seychelles Cable Systems Company Limited
100	Indus Towers Limited	106	Robi Axiata Limited
101	FireFly Networks Limited	107	Seynse Technologies Private Limited
102	Bharti Airtel Ghana Holdings B.V.^	108	Mobile Financial Services Limited \$
103	Airtel Mobile Commerce Ghana Limited^	109	Millicom Ghana Company Limited \$
104	Airtel Ghana Limited^	110	Juggernaut Books Private Limited \$

[@] The Group also holds 100% preference shareholding in these companies. The preference shares do not carry any voting rights.

- is presented in accordance with the requirements of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as modified by Circular No. CIR/CFD/FAC/62/2016 dated July 5, 2016; and
- c. gives a true and fair view in conformity with the aforesaid Indian Accounting Standards and other accounting principles generally accepted in India of the profit, total comprehensive loss and other financial information of the Group, its associates and joint ventures for the quarter ended March 31, 2018 and profit, total comprehensive income and other financial information of the Group, its associates and joint ventures for the year ended March 31, 2018.
- 5. We draw attention to Note 6 of the Statement, which describes the uncertainties related to the legal outcome of Department of Telecommunications demand with respect to one time spectrum charges. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.



^{*} Under dissolution

[#] Dissolved during the year ended March 31, 2018

^{\$} Acquired / incorporated during the year ended March 31, 2018

[^] Effective October 12,2017, the Companies have become joint venture or subsidiary of Joint venture and ceased to be the subsidiary of the Company.

6. The consolidated financial results includes the Group's share of profit of Rs. 2,925 Million and Rs. 11,816 Million and total comprehensive income of Rs. 2,931 Million and Rs. 11,817 Million for the quarter and the Year ended March 31, 2018, respectively, as considered in the consolidated financial results in respect of Indus Towers Limited (joint venture) whose financial statements have not been audited by us. These financial statements have been audited by other auditor whose report has been furnished to us by the management and our opinion on the Statement, in so far as it relates to the amounts and disclosures included in respect of this joint venture is based solely on the report of the other auditor.

Our opinion on the Statement is not modified in respect of the above matter with respect to our reliance on the work done and the report of the other auditor.

7. The comparative financial information of the Company for the quarter and the year ended March 31, 2017 prepared in accordance with Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) included in this Statement have been audited by the predecessor auditor. The report of the predecessor auditor on comparative financial information for the quarter and the year ended March 31, 2017 dated May 9, 2017 expressed an unqualified opinion. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

For **DELOITTE HASKINS & SELLS LLP**

Chartered Accountants

(Firm's Registration No. 117366W/W-100018)

Hemant M. Joshi Partner

(Membership No. 38019)

Place: New Delhi Date: April 24, 2018

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF BHARTI AIRTEL LIMITED

- We have audited the accompanying Statement of Standalone Financial Results of **Bharti Airtel Limited** ("the Company") for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2018 ("the Statement"), being submitted by the Company pursuant to the requirement of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as modified by Circular No. CIR/CFD/FAC/62/2016 dated July 5, 2016.
- 2. This Statement, which is the responsibility of the Company's Management and approved by the Board of Directors, has been compiled from the related Standalone Ind AS Financial Statements which has been prepared in accordance with the Indian Accounting Standards prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013, read with relevant rules issued thereunder('Ind AS') and other accounting principles generally accepted in India. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Statement based on our audit of such Standalone Financial Statements.
- We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. Those Standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Statement is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and the disclosures in the Statement. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the Statement, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Company's preparation and fair presentation of the Statement in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of the accounting policies used and the reasonableness of the accounting estimates made by the Management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the Statement.

We believe that the audit evidence obtained by us is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

- 4. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the Statement:
 - (i) is presented in accordance with the requirements of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as modified by Circular No. CIR/CFD/FAC/62/2016 dated July 5, 2016; and



- (ii) gives a true and fair view in conformity with the aforesaid Indian Accounting Standards and other accounting principles generally accepted in India of the loss, total comprehensive loss and other financial information of the Company for the quarter ended March 31, 2018 and for the profit, total comprehensive income and other financial information of the Company for the year ended March 31, 2018.
- 5. We draw attention to Note 7 of the Statement, which describes the uncertainties related to the legal outcome of Department of Telecommunications demand with respect to one time spectrum charges. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.
- 6. The comparative financial information of the Company for the quarter and the year ended March 31, 2017 (other than additional adjustments on account of Ind AS 101 exemptions considered in the financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2017) prepared in accordance with Ind AS included in this Statement have been audited by the predecessor auditor. The report of the predecessor auditor on comparative financial information for the quarter and the year ended March 31, 2017 dated May 9, 2017 expressed an unqualified opinion. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

For **DELOITTE HASKINS & SELLS LLP**

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Place: New Delhi Date: April 24, 2018