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Dear Sir,

Sub: Press Release – Unaudited Financial Results of the Company for the quarter ended 30th June 2021

With the reference to captioned subject, we hereby enclose a copy of the press release issued by the Company in connection with the unaudited financial results for the quarter ended 30^{th} June 2021 for your information and record.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully
For Carborundum Universal Limited

Rekha Sürendhiran Company Secretary







Carborundum Universal's Q1 FY 2021-22

Consolidated Sales at Rs.706 Cr, up 59% PAT at Rs.77 Cr, up 291%

Chennai, 02nd **August 2021:** The Board of Directors met today and approved the results for the Quarter ended 30th June 2021.

Financial performance

Consolidated sales for the quarter was Rs.706 Cr as against Rs.444 Cr in the corresponding period of last year, while Q1 FY 2020-21 was impacted by nationwide lockdown due to Covid wave-1, Q1 FY 2021-22 was impacted by wave 2 with localized lockdown. As a reference, the Q1 FY 2019-20 sales was Rs.664 Cr.

At a standalone level, sales was Rs.465 Cr as against Rs.234 Cr. The Q1 FY 2019-20 sales on a standalone basis was Rs.424 Cr.

On a consolidated basis, segmental profitability for the Quarter recorded strong growth across all the business segments. Profit before tax was Rs.106 Cr as against Rs.26 Cr, and Profit after tax and non-controlling interest was Rs.77.1 Cr as against Rs.19.7 Cr in Q1 of previous year. As a reference, Profit before tax for the Q1 FY 2019-20 was Rs.78 Cr and Profit after tax and non-controlling interest was Rs.52.8 Cr.

The Company, at a consolidated level, spent Rs.29 Cr on capital expenditure. The debt equity ratio was 0.02. Cash and cash equivalents including deposits with tenure exceeding 3 months net of borrowings was at Rs.662 Cr.

Consolidated Segmental Operating Performance

Abrasives

Segment Revenue was Rs.273 Cr compared to last year's Q1 revenue of Rs.131 Cr. The demand resurged in domestic and export in June after being hit by Covid second wave. The domestic subsidiary Sterling Abrasives and Russian subsidiary Volzhsky Abrasives Works performed significantly well.

Profit/ (Loss) before finance cost and tax was at Rs.38 Cr as against Rs.(3) Cr in Q1 of last year on the back of better capacity utilizations and cost management.





Electro Minerals

Segment revenue was at Rs.288 Cr versus Rs.210 Cr in Q1 of last year, resulting in an increase of 37%. The Standalone Electro Minerals segment registered good growth, while Russian subsidiary recorded marginal drop in revenue on account of Rupee depreciation compared to Q1 of last year.

Profit before finance cost and tax was at Rs.40 Cr as against Rs.23 Cr of Q1 last year. Profitability grew across all entities in this Segment, driven by volume growth in domestic market and aided by higher power generation at Maniyar following good rainfall.

Ceramics

Segment revenues were higher by 61 percent at Rs.173 Cr as against Rs.108 Cr in Q1 of last year. Standalone ceramics business performed well despite delays in exports logistics caused by the pandemic.

Profit before finance cost and tax at Rs.33 Cr was higher as compared to Rs.12 Cr in the corresponding period of the previous year, mainly due to Top line increase and better product mix.

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