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National Stock Exchange of India Ltd
Bandra (E)
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Company Code: 506022

Company Symbol: PRAKASH

Sub: Press Release

Dear Sir/ Madam,

In terms of Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, we are enclosing a press release given today by the Company for your information and record.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully, For **Prakash Industries Limited**

Arvind Mahla Company Secretary

Encl. as above



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FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER AND HALF YEAR ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 2022

During the quarter, the Company has achieved Net Sales of Rs.777 crores and EBITDA of Rs.106 crores. Profit after Tax for the quarter stood at Rs.44 crores.

During the half year ended 30th September, 2022, the Company has achieved Net Sales of Rs.1672 crores and EBITDA of Rs.208 crores. Profit after Tax for the period stood at Rs.87 crores.

This has been a challenging period for the Global and Indian economy marked with elevated inflation including sharp rise in energy prices, rising interest rates and continuing Russia-Ukraine war. Despite all these multiple headwinds faced by the steel industry, the Company was able to deliver growth in its operating margins. The EBITDA margin grew from 11% to 14% (YoY) largely owing to lower coal cost on account of higher supplies from Long Term Coal Linkages.

The Company expects healthy steel demand due to government push for infrastructure and revival in credit growth, which alongwith softening of the raw material prices, shall support it to sustain the margins in the coming quarters.

Bhaskarpara Coal Mine

Consequent to the grant of Vesting Order for Bhaskarpara Commercial Coal Mine by the Ministry of Coal, the Company is taking all required steps to open the Mine by the end of current financial year. Further, the coal extraction from the mine is expected to commence in second half of the next financial year. This mine shall go a long way in enhancing the revenue and profitability of the Company, more so, in a scenario marked by global coal shortages and higher energy prices.

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