

October 27, 2020

National Stock Exchange of India Limited

Exchange Plaza, C-1, Block G, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400051, India

Dear Sir/ Madam,

Ref: Bharti Telecom Limited (BTL 21, BTL 22)

Sub: Submission under Regulation 52 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure

Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations")

In compliance with Regulation 52 and other applicable provisions, if any, of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, we are enclosing herewith the following for the half year ended on September 30, 2020:

- ✓ Audited financial results along with auditors' report thereon pursuant to Regulation 52(1) of the Listing Regulations.
- ✓ Half yearly statement containing details of Non-Convertible Debentures (NCD's) pursuant to Regulation 52(4) of the Listing Regulations.
- ✓ Declaration w.r.t. Statement of Material Deviations under Regulation 52(7) of Listing Regulations

The above financial results have been reviewed by the Audit Committee in its meeting held on Tuesday, October 27, 2020 and based on its recommendation, approved by the Board of Directors at its meeting held on Tuesday, October 27, 2020.

Kindly take the above on record.

Thanking you,

Sincerely Yours,

For Bharti Telecom Limited

Rohit Krishan Puri

Company Secretary

Membership no.: 19779

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BHARTI TELECOM LIMITED

Statement of Audited Standalone Financials results for the six months ended September 30, 2020

(All amounts are in millions of Indian Rupees, unless otherwise stated) **Particulars** Six months Six months Year ended ended ended September September March 31, 30, 2020 30, 2019 2020 Audited **Audited** Unaudited Revenue from operations Interest income 645 62 106 3,932 Dividend income 2,844 25 52 Profit on sale of investments (including fair value gain) 7,421 87 158 **Expenses** 2,922 6,810 Finance costs 3,117 Employee benefits expenses 149 17 Other expenses 3,124 6,827 3,078 4,343 (3,037)(6,669)Profit/(loss) before tax Tax expense / (credit) 1,041 1 Current tax Deferred tax (2)(8)1048 (1) (8) 3,295 (3,036)Profit/(Loss) for the period (6,661)Other comprehensive income Other comprehensive income for the period 3,295 (3,036)(6,661)Total comprehensive income /(loss) for the period Earnings / (loss) per equity share (in Rs.) Paid up equity share capital (Face Value Rs.10 25,823 26,108 25,823 per share) (Basic and diluted) Face value of Rs. 10 each 1.28 (1.16)(2.57)

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BHARTI TELECOM LIMITED

Audited Standalone Balance Sheet as at September 30, 2020 (All amounts are in millions of Indian Rupees, unless otherwise stated)

| Particulars | As at September 30, 2020 | As at March 31, 2020 |
|---|-----------------------------|-------------------------|
| | Audited | Audited |
| Assets | | |
| Financial assets | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 1,435 | 1,644 |
| Loans | 36,000 | :=: |
| Investments | 90,631 | 168,633 |
| Other financial assets | 36 | 4 |
| | 128,102 | 170,281 |
| Non-financial assets | | |
| Other non-financial assets | 50 | 52 |
| | 50 | 52 |
| Total Assets | 128,152 | 170,333 |
| Liabilities and equity Liabilities Financial liabilities Payables – others | | |
| - total outstanding dues of micro enterprises and small enterprises | - | .5 |
| total outstanding dues of creditors other than micro enterprises and small enterprises | 8 | 73 |
| Debt securities | 40,630 | 72,612 |
| Borrowings | 40,030 | 13,871 |
| Other financial liabilities | 563 | 649 |
| Other Illiancial Habilities | 41,201 | 87,205 |
| Non-financial liabilities | 41,201 | 67,205 |
| Current tax liabilities (net) | 403 | 24 |
| Deferred tax liabilities (net) | 1 | 2 |
| Other non-financial liabilities | 150 | 0 |
| Other Hon-Infancial Habilities | 11 - 6/32 - 36 | |
| Faulte | 554 | 26 |
| Equity | 25 022 | 25 022 |
| Equity share capital | 25,823 60,534 | 25,823 |
| Other equity | 60,574 | 57,279 |
| I D - L | 86,397 | 83,102 |
| Total liabilities and equity | 128,152 | 170,333 |







Notes:

- 1. Bharti Telecom Limited (the "Company") is registered with the Reserve Bank of India as a Core Investment Company.
- 2. The audited financial results for the six months ended September 30, 2020 have been reviewed by Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors in their respective meetings held on October 27, 2020.
- 3. The financial results are prepared in accordance with the requirement of Regulation 52 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015 and recognition and measurement principles laid down in Indian Accounting Standards 34 "Interim Financial Reporting" ("Ind AS 34") as prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other accounting principles generally accepted in India.
- 4. The Company is primarily engaged in holding investments in the shares of Bharti Airtel Limited. As such, there are no separate reportable segments as per the Indian Accounting Standard 108 (Ind AS) on Operating Segment.
- 5. The Company sold 2.75% stake in Bharti Airtel Limited on May 26, 2020 to institutional investors through an accelerated book building process in the secondary market. The shares were sold at a price of Rs. 560.26 per share for a net sales consideration of Rs. 84,039 million resulting in profit on sale of investment of Rs. 2,314 million. The shareholding of the Company in Bharti Airtel Limited stands at 36.04%.
- 6. The Company, after considering its current business plans, likely adoption of lower income tax rate permitted under Section 115BAA of the Income Tax Act, 1961 as introduced by the Taxation Laws (Amendment) Act, 2019, future projections and timing of taxable income, has re-assessed the carrying amount Minimum Alternate Tax (MAT) credit available. As a result of the above, tax expense for the six months ended September 30, 2020 includes the impact of reversal of MAT Credit Rs. 7.69 million.







7. The Company has considered the possible effects that may result from the pandemic relating to COVID-19 on the financial results. In developing the assumptions relating to the possible future uncertainties in the economic conditions because of this pandemic, the Company, on March 31, 2020 estimated no material impact on the financial results.

The Company has reassessed the estimates for the six months ended September 30, 2020 and concluded that there is no material impact on the financial results.

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors of Bharti Telecom Limited

Devendra Khanna Managing Director

DIN - 01996768

Place: New Delhi

Date: October 27, 2020

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON AUDIT OF INTERIM STANDALONE FINANCIAL RESULTS

TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF BHARTI TELECOM LIMITED

Opinion

We have audited the Standalone Financial Results for the six months ended September 30, 2020 included in the accompanying "Statement of Audited Standalone Financial Results for the six months ended September 30, 2020" of **Bharti Telecom Limited** ("the Company"), ("the Statement/the Standalone Financial Results"), being submitted by the Company pursuant to the requirements of Regulation 52 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended ("the Listing Regulations").

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the Standalone Financial Results for the six months ended September 30, 2020:

- is presented in accordance with the requirements of Regulation 52 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended; and
- ii. gives a true and fair view in conformity with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the Indian Accounting Standard 34 "Interim Financial Reporting" ("Ind AS 34"), prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other accounting principles generally accepted in India of the net profit and total comprehensive income and other financial information of the Company for the six months ended September 30, 2020.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing ("SAs") specified under Section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act"). Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in Auditor's Responsibilities for audit of the Standalone Financial Results section below. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ("the ICAI") together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the Standalone Financial Results for the six months ended September 30, 2020 under the provisions of the Act and the Rules thereunder, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the ICAI's Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence obtained by us is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.



Management's Responsibilities for the Standalone Financial Results

This Statement, which includes the Standalone Financial Results is the responsibility of the Company's Board of Directors and has been approved by them for the issuance. The Statement has been compiled from the related audited standalone financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2020, audited interim condensed standalone financial statements for the six months ended September 30, 2020 and unaudited interim condensed standalone financial statements for the six months ended September 30, 2020. This responsibility includes the preparation and presentation of the Standalone Financial Results for the six months ended September 30, 2020 that give a true and fair view of the net profit and other comprehensive income and other financial information in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in Ind AS 34 prescribed under Section 133 of the Act read with relevant rules issued thereunder and other accounting principles generally accepted in India and in compliance with Regulation 52 of the Listing Regulations. This responsibility also includes maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the Standalone Financial Results that give a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the Standalone Financial Results, the Board of Directors are responsible for assessing the Company's ability, to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Board of Directors either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

The Board of Directors are also responsible for overseeing the financial reporting process of the Company.

Auditor's Responsibilities for audit of the Standalone Financial Results

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Standalone Financial Results for the six months ended September 30, 2020 as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this Standalone Financial Results.

As part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the Standalone Financial Results, whether
due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain
audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not
detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error,
as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override
of internal control.

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- Obtain an understanding of internal financial control relevant to the audit 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 financial control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the Board of Directors.
- Evaluate the appropriateness and reasonableness of disclosures made by the Board of Directors in terms of the requirements specified under Regulation 52 of the Listing Regulations.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the Board of Directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the ability of the Company to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the Statement or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the Standalone Financial Results, including the disclosures, and whether the Standalone Financial Results represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the Standalone Financial Results of the Company to express an opinion on the Standalone Financial Results.

Materiality is the magnitude of misstatements in the Standalone Financial Results that, individually or in aggregate, makes it probable that the economic decisions of a reasonably knowledgeable user of the Standalone Financial Results may be influenced. We consider quantitative materiality and qualitative factors in (i) planning the scope of our audit work and in evaluating the results of our work; and (ii) to evaluate the effect of any identified misstatements in the Standalone Financial Results.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

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Other Matter

The statement includes the results for the six months ended September 30, 2019 being the published year to date figures up to the six months period ended September 30, 2019 which were subject to limited review by us. Our report on the Statement is not modified in the respect of this matter.

For **DELOITTE HASKINS & SELLS LLP**

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

Nilesh H. Lahoti

Partner

(Membership No. 130054) UDIN: 20130054AAABBY7210

Place: Gurugram

Date: October 27, 2020



Pursuant to Regulation 52(4) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations"), we submit herewith the following information:

(a) Credit rating and change in credit rating (if any):

The Credit Rating as at September 01, 2020 in respect of

- 1. Commercial Paper CRISIL A1+ (Reaffirmed)
- 2. Bank Loan facilities CRISIL AA+/Stable (Reaffirmed)
- 3. Non-Convertible Debentures : CRISIL AA+/Stable (Reaffirmed)
- (b) The Company maintains at least 100% asset cover for unsecured Non-Convertible Debentures
- (c) Debt-equity ratio (As at September 30, 2020): 0.45

(d) Previous due date for the payment of non-convertible debt securities and whether the same has been paid or not; and,

| Sr. No. | Name of Series | Type (Principal/) Interest) | Due date of payment | Status | Redemption amount (including interest) Rs. millions |
|------------|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|---|
| 1 | Bharti Telecom Limited – NCD - Series I | Principal with Interest | May 19, 2020 | Paid on maturity date | 7,699.41 |
| 2 | Bharti Telecom Limited – NCD - Series II | Principal with Interest | May 22, 2020 | Paid on maturity date | 11,007.64 |
| 3 | Bharti Telecom Limited – NCD - Series III | Principal with Interest | May 29, 2020 | Paid on maturity date | 15,438.49 |

The details of redemption of Commercial Paper during the six months ended are given in the table below:

| ISIN | Amount due (Rs. Millions) | Date of maturity | Whether paid on or before date of Maturity |
|--------------|---------------------------|------------------|--|
| INE403D14270 | 500 | Jun 19, 2020 | Paid on maturity date |
| INE403D14312 | 7,800 | Aug 13,2020 | Paid on maturity date |
| INE403D14320 | 3,000 | Aug 12,2020 | Paid on maturity date |
| INE403D14304 | 4,000 | Aug 14,2020 | Paid on maturity date |
| INE403D14296 | 16,200 | Aug 20,2020 | Paid on maturity date |
| INE403D14338 | 4,000 | Aug 25,2020 | Paid on maturity date |
| INE403D14262 | 2,000 | Sep 09, 2020 | Paid on maturity date |
| INE403D14288 | 250 | Sep 24, 2020 | Paid on maturity date |







- (e) Next due date for the payment of interest/ dividend of non-convertible preference shares /principal along with the amount of interest/ dividend of non-convertible preference shares payable and the redemption amount- **Not applicable**
- (f) Debt service coverage ratio: Not applicable
- (g) Interest service coverage ratio: Not applicable
- (h) Outstanding redeemable preference shares (quantity and value): Nil
- (i) Capital redemption reserve/debenture redemption reserve: Nil
- (j) Net worth: Equity share capital + other equity
- (k) Net profit after tax: Forms part of Audited Standalone Financial Results
- (I) Earnings per share: Forms part of Audited Standalone Financial Results

Bharti Telecom Limited

Company Secretary







October 27, 2020

National Stock Exchange of India Limited Exchange Plaza, C-1, Block G, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400051, India

Dear Sir/ Madam,

Ref: Bharti Telecom Limited (BTL 21, BTL 22)

Sub: Submission of Statement of Material Deviations as per Regulation 52(7)

of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

Pursuant to Regulation 52(7) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, we hereby confirm that there is no material deviation in use of proceeds of issue of Non-Convertible Debt securities from the objects stated in the offer document for the half year ended September 30, 2020.

Kindly take the above on record.

Thanking you,

Sincerely Yours,

For Bharti Telecom Limited

Rohit Krishan Puri Company Secretary

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