

# PRITISH NANDY COMMUNICATIONS

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## STATEMENT OF STANDALONE UNAUDITED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER AND NINE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018


In ₹ lakh

PARTICULARS	QUARTER ENDED			NINE MONTHS ENDED		YEAR ENDED
	December 31, 2018 (Unaudited)	September 30, 2018 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2017 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2018 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2017 (Unaudited)	March 31, 2018 (Audited)
I Revenue from operations	165.01	240.92	54.57	937.61	376.26	1,955.54
II Other income	8.75	7.96	8.11	26.07	41.44	49.67
<b>III Total income (I+II)</b>	<b>173.76</b>	<b>248.88</b>	<b>62.68</b>	<b>963.68</b>	<b>417.70</b>	<b>2,005.21</b>
IV Expenses						
a) Cost of content	107.94	268.93	33.17	764.36	42.66	1,202.51
b) Changes in unamortised/ unexploited/ unfinished content	-	40.65	18.22	82.72	218.68	163.03
c) Employee benefit expense	47.02	43.48	38.75	131.30	114.84	155.64
d) Finance Cost	12.07	17.54	19.36	45.23	53.55	65.87
e) Depreciation and amortisation expense	5.75	4.89	4.45	15.32	13.21	17.80
f) Other expense	66.68	62.28	44.19	180.71	142.72	242.77
<b>Total expenditure (IV)</b>	<b>239.46</b>	<b>437.77</b>	<b>158.14</b>	<b>1,219.64</b>	<b>585.66</b>	<b>1,847.62</b>
<b>V Profit/ (loss) before tax (III-IV)</b>	<b>(65.70)</b>	<b>(188.89)</b>	<b>(95.46)</b>	<b>(255.96)</b>	<b>(167.96)</b>	<b>157.59</b>
VI Tax expenses						
Current tax	-	-	-	-	-	20.00
Deferred tax	(10.99)	(10.60)	(18.05)	(32.17)	(48.45)	(72.74)
Short/ (excess) provision for tax (earlier years)	0.97	-	-	0.97	-	-
<b>Total tax expenses (VI)</b>	<b>(10.02)</b>	<b>(10.60)</b>	<b>(18.05)</b>	<b>(31.20)</b>	<b>(48.45)</b>	<b>(52.74)</b>
<b>VII Net profit/ (loss) for the period (V-VI)</b>	<b>(55.68)</b>	<b>(178.29)</b>	<b>(77.41)</b>	<b>(224.76)</b>	<b>(119.51)</b>	<b>210.33</b>
VIII Other comprehensive income/ (expense) (net of tax)						
i) Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	(0.63)	(0.63)	0.56	(1.89)	1.68	(2.31)
ii) Income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total other comprehensive Income/ (expense) (VIII)</b>	<b>(0.63)</b>	<b>(0.63)</b>	<b>0.56</b>	<b>(1.89)</b>	<b>1.68</b>	<b>(2.31)</b>
<b>IX Total comprehensive profit/ (loss) for the period (VII-VIII)</b>	<b>(56.31)</b>	<b>(178.92)</b>	<b>(76.85)</b>	<b>(226.65)</b>	<b>(117.83)</b>	<b>208.02</b>
X Paid-up equity share capital (FV ₹ 10)	1,446.70	1,446.70	1,446.70	1,446.70	1,446.70	1,446.70
Reserves excluding revaluation reserves	-	-	-	-	-	6,660.94
XI Earning per share (Not annualised*) (FV ₹ 10 each)						
Basic and diluted (EPS on weighted average basis)	(0.38)*	(1.23)*	(0.54)*	(1.55)*	(0.83)*	1.45
*Not annualised						

### Notes:

- The above results were reviewed by the Audit Committee and adopted by the Board of Directors of the Company at its meeting held on February 14, 2019 and limited review of the same has been carried out by the Statutory Auditors.
- The standalone financial results have been prepared in accordance with the principles and procedures of Indian Accounting Standards ("Ind AS") as notified under the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015 as specified in section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with SEBI Circular CIR/CFD/CMD/15/2015 dated November 30, 2015 and SEBI Circular CIR/CFD/FAC/62/2016 dated July 5, 2016 and other recognized accounting practices and policies.
- Arbitration proceedings initiated by the Company against Prasar Bharati, in respect of bank guarantees of ₹ 750.50 lakh encashed in the year 2000-01 for marketing of Olympic Games 2000 are ongoing. In view of the legal opinion obtained by the Company, the said amount is fully recoverable and hence no provision is made there against.
- The Company has received an award of ₹ 352 lakh in its favour in the arbitration case filed by it against White Feather Films. The Company has also received a revised order for the amount of interest, which the Company has not found satisfactory and hence it has moved an appeal with the Bombay High Court. White Feather Films has gone in appeal against the above said award and has been directed to deposit an amount of ₹ 300 lakh by the Bombay High Court. Proceedings are ongoing and in view of the same outstanding advance of ₹ 317.53 lakh is considered as fully recoverable.
- The Company has also initiated proceedings for recovery of advances of ₹ 150 lakh given to Saboo Films Pvt Ltd and Bharat Film Works against film rights. Proceedings are ongoing before the Bombay High Court and management considers the same as fully recoverable and hence no provision is made there against.
- PNC Wellness Ltd, a subsidiary company, which owns various brands like Moksh and others are exploring avenues to commercialise its aforesaid brands through lease and collaborative arrangements with other parties. Considering that there was no revenue generation during the period ended December 31, 2018 of FY 2018-19, the management has made provision of ₹ 14.55 lakh in current quarter, totaling to ₹ 43.65 lakh till December 31, 2018 for diminution in value of investment in this subsidiary and considers the retained book value of ₹ 130.95 lakh as fully realizable.
- Short provision of Income Tax of ₹ 0.97 lakh is for the FY 2017-18.
- There are no exceptional and extra ordinary items.
- The Company operates under only one business segment viz Content.
- The figures for corresponding previous period/ year have been regrouped/ reclassified, wherever necessary to make them comparable.

Mumbai  
February 14, 2019

  
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Limited Review Report On Quarterly Standalone Financial Results and Year to Date Results of Pritish Nandy Communications Limited Pursuant to the Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

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To  
The Board of Directors  
M/s. Pritish Nandy Communications Limited  
Mumbai

We have reviewed the accompanying statement of unaudited standalone financial results ('Statement') of **M/s. Pritish Nandy Communications Limited ("the Company")** for the quarter ended 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2018 and year to date results for the period 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2018 to 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2018 attached herewith, being submitted by the Company pursuant to the requirements of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. This Statement is the responsibility of the Company's Management and has been approved by the Board of Directors. Our responsibility is to issue a report on these Statement based on our review.

We conducted our review in accordance with the Standard on Review Engagements (SRE) 2410, "Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity" issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. A review of interim financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with Standards on Auditing and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

Based on our review conducted as above, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying Statement prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards i.e. Ind AS prescribed under section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with relevant rules issued thereunder or by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India and other recognized accounting practices and policies has not disclosed the information required to be disclosed in terms of Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 read with circular number CIR/CFD/CMD/15/2015 dated November 30, 2015 and circular number CIR/CFD/FAC/62/2016 dated July 05, 2016 of SEBI, including the manner in which it is to be disclosed, or that it contains any material misstatement.

**We draw your attention relating to:**

- a. Arbitration proceedings for recovery of wrongful encashment of bank guarantees of Rs. 750.50 lakh by Prasar Bharati are ongoing. It has been legally opined that the amount is fully recoverable and consequently there is no provision made of any amount there against.
- b. The Company has received an award of Rs 352 lakh in its favour in the arbitration case filed against White Feather Films. The Company has also received a revised order for the amount of interest, which the Company has not found satisfactory and hence it has moved an appeal with the Bombay High Court. White Feather Films has gone in appeal against the above said award and has been directed to deposit an amount of Rs 300 lakh by the Bombay High Court. Proceedings are ongoing.
- c. In respect of loans and advances aggregating to Rs 150.00 lakh where the Company has filed a summary suit for recovery, the Management considers the same as good and fully recoverable. The legal opinion



obtained by the Company supports this. We have relied on the same and consequently there is no provision made of any amount there against at this stage.

- d. The investment in subsidiary "PNC Wellness Ltd" stands at Rs. 1, 30, 95,000 as on 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2018. Considering the fact that there is erosion in the net worth of the said Subsidiary, Company has made provision for diminution in value of investment in this subsidiary and considers the balance retained book value as fully realizable.

Our conclusion is not qualified in respect of all the above matters.

**For B.D.Jokhakar & Co.  
Chartered Accountants  
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**Place: Mumbai**

**Date: 14<sup>th</sup> February, 2019**