

Vedanta receives inaugural ET 2Good, 4Good certification rating

- BALCO certified as a '2Good Corporation', one of only 7 companies to receive the honour
- MALCO and Vedanta Limited recognized as among top companies to have made significant positive impact through CSR
- Certification awarded after a thorough review by KPMG and Economic Times

Mumbai, August 4, 2017: Vedanta Limited, a globally diversified natural resources company, has been awarded the 'ET 2Good, 4Good' a certification scheme that certifies organizations based on their CSR performance, CSR processes and systems and over and beyond CSR expenditure of 2 % and 4% of their net profits.

"Our CSR programmes are designed keeping 'People, Planet & Prosperity' at its center. As custodians of the natural resource sector, we remain committed to the principle of zero harm to people and planet to ensure that we leave behind a positive legacy for generations to come", said Mr. Tom Albanese, Group CEO, Vedanta.

Bharat Aluminium Company Ltd. (BALCO), a subsidiary of Vedanta Limited, won the top accolade, 'The 2Good Corporation', while subsidiary MALCO Energy and Vedanta Limited have been distinguished among the top 17 companies that have had a positive impact as a result of their CSR initiatives. The Economic Times along with KPMG (India) as a knowledge partner has created 'The ET 2 Good, 4 Good' certification.

Vedanta's social development initiatives address key social areas, including education, healthcare and women empowerment. In FY 2017, the company invested INR 110 Crore

in social development, benefiting close to 2.2 mn people globally. These include 576 core villages and 1,142 peripheral villages, located around areas of operations. In addition, its flagship CSR project, 'Nand Ghar' expanded to 71 centers across India, working to promote health, education and women entrepreneurship in rural areas.

Vedanta has a market capitalization of about US\$16 billion and is a part of India's premier index, the Nifty 50. Vedanta is also among the top contributors to the country's exchequer at nearly Rs. 40,000 crores in FY 2017.

About Vedanta Limited

Vedanta Limited is a diversified natural resources company, with a market cap of US\$ 14 billion & US\$ 7 billion free float, whose business primarily involves producing oil & gas, zinc - lead - silver, copper, iron ore, aluminium and commercial power. The company has a presence across India, South Africa, Namibia, Australia and Ireland.

Vedanta Limited is the Indian subsidiary of Vedanta Resources Plc, a London-listed, 6th largest natural resources company, globally. Governance and Sustainable Development are at the core of Vedanta's strategy, with a strong focus on health, safety and environment and on enhancing the lives of local communities. The company is conferred with the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) 'Sustainable Plus Platinum label', ranking among the top 10 most sustainable companies in India. To access the Vedanta Sustainable Development Report 2016, please visit

<http://sd.vedantaresources.com/SustainableDevelopment2015-16/>

Vedanta Limited is listed on the Bombay Stock Exchange and the National Stock Exchange in India and has ADRs listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

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future integration of acquired businesses; and from numerous other matters of national, regional and global scale, including those of a political, economic, business, competitive or regulatory nature. These uncertainties may cause our actual future results to be materially different that those expressed in our forward-looking statements. We do not undertake to update our forward-looking statements