

## Press Note

### **Vedanta Sesa Goa steps in to augment oxygen supply by providing 200 concentrators and 125 jumbo oxygen cylinders to Govt. of Goa**

- *Vedanta Sesa Goa Iron Ore Business provided 200 Oxygen concentrators and 125 Oxygen flow meters with humidifier bottle, to Goa Govt.*
- *Vedanta Sesa Goa Iron Ore Business to handover 125 jumbo oxygen cylinders to Goa Govt.*

**Goa, 27<sup>th</sup> May 2021:** As the country battles the second wave of COVID-19 pandemic, Vedanta Sesa Goa Iron Ore Business is ramping up the support to Goa Govt. in combating COVID through various community outreach initiatives and contributing towards Medical infrastructure in the state. Recently, Vedanta Sesa Goa Iron Ore Business provided 200 oxygen concentrators and 125 oxygen flow meters with humidifier bottle to Goa Govt. The company has also procured 125 jumbo oxygen cylinders for use by Goa Government as per the requirements. The initiative is a part of Vedanta's commitment of Rs.4.5 Crore + COVID relief fund to support Goa Govt. in combating second wave of COVID.

Goa CM Dr.Pramod Sawant have appreciated Vedanta for supporting the state Govt. in combating COVID, through tweets.

Vedanta Sesa Goa Iron Ore Business has also committed its support to provide 3 tonnes of free Liquid Medical oxygen per day from Value Added Business (VAB) at Amona, Navelim to state Govt. Previously company handed over 100 Beds to Goa Medical college and medical equipment such as weighing machines, BP Monitors, Infusion Warmers, Stethoscopes, Digital Temp unit, Suction machines, Fluid Warmer, Glucometer etc. in order to help equip the state Govt. hospitals for healthcare treatment of rising COVID cases in the state. Besides which Vedanta Sesa Goa Iron Ore is extending the support to frontline COVID warriors that is Police, Health workers by providing Masks, Sanitizers etc. to help them in ensuring the safety of communities around.

During first wave of COVID-19, Vedanta Sesa Goa Iron ore Business provided relentless support to state/ district administrations and communities around through various community outreach initiatives such as fumigation/ Sanitation drives at public places, Distribution of Groceries during lockdown phase, distribution of masks, Sanitizers etc.

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**About Sesa Goa Iron Ore Business**

Sesa Goa Iron Ore Business of Vedanta Limited is engaged in exploration, mining, and processing of iron ore. The company was founded in 1954 as Scambi Economici SA Goa and acquired by Vedanta. Since then, it has grown to be one among the top low-cost producers of iron ore in the country. During 1991-1995, it diversified into the manufacture of pig iron and metallurgical coke. It has also developed indigenous and environment-friendly technology for producing high quality metallurgical coke. Sesa Goa Iron Ore also has a 60 MW power plant that produces clean power by using the waste heat recovery from its coke ovens and blast furnace gas. Sesa Goa Iron Ore operations in India are in Goa & Karnataka.

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