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Dear Sir/ Madam,

Subject: Updated Disclosure under Regulation 31 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011 ("Takeover Regulations")

This is in reference to the email received from BSE Limited with regard to the disclosure dated June 05, 2025, filed by Vedanta Limited (the "Company") in relation to creation of encumbrance over the equity shares of Hindustan Zinc Limited ("HZL"), a subsidiary of the Company. Please find enclosed the updated disclosure.

This disclosure is being made by the Company in connection with certain undertakings provided by the Company in relation to the equity shares of HZL as summarised below:

The Company has approved issuance of unsecured, listed, rated, non-convertible, redeemable Debentures ("**Debentures**") of upto ₹ 5,000 Crore having a face value of ₹ 1,00,000 (Indian Rupees One Lakh only) each, on a private placement basis, in one or more series. In this regard Axis Trustee Services Limited has been appointed as the Debenture Trustee and a Debenture Trust Deed, dated June 03, 2025 ("**DTD**") has been executed between the Company and Axis Trustee Services Limited, as the Debenture Trustee.

Pursuant to the terms of the DTD, until full and final redemption of the Debentures, the Company is required to directly remain the legal and beneficial owner of 50.1% of the share capital of HZL (on a fully diluted basis), and directly control HZL. The Company is also restricted from creating any security over or disposing 50.1% of the entire issued share capital or voting rights in HZL.

Given the nature of the provisions of the DTD, the conditions mentioned therein fall within the definition of the term "encumbrance" provided under Chapter V of the Takeover Regulations.

The enclosed disclosure is being made under Securities and Exchange Board of India's ("SEBI") Master circular dated February 16, 2023 bearing reference no. SEBI / HO / CFD / PoD-1 / P / CIR / 2023 / 31 and Regulation 31 of the Takeover Regulations.

Kindly take the above on record.

Thanking you Yours faithfully For and on behalf of **Vedanta Limited** 

Prerna Halwasiya
Company Secretary and Compliance Officer

Enclosed: As above

### **VEDANTA LIMITED**

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### **ANNEXURE - 1**

Name of the Target Company (TC)					Hindusta	Hindustan Zinc Limited.							
Names of the stock exchanges where the shares of the target company are listed					BSE Limi	BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited							
Date of reporting					June 05,	2025 (revised on Septemb	per 09, 2025)						
Names of the promoters or PAC on whose shares encumbrance has been created/released/invoked					VEDANT	A LIMITED	-						
Details of the crea	tion of encumbrance:												
Name of the promoter (s) or pACs with him*  Promoter holding in the target company (1)			Promoter holding encumbered	er holding already cumbered (2)			Details of events pertaining to encumbrance (3)					Post event holding of encumbered shares {creation [(2)+(3)] / release [(2) (3)] / invocation [(1)-(3)]}	
	Number	% of total share capital	Number	% of total share capital	Type of event (creation <del>/</del> release <del>/</del> invocation)	Date of creation/ release/ invocation of encumbrance	Type of encumbrance (pledge/ lien/ non disposal undertaking/ others)	Reasons for encumbrance**	Number	% of share capital	Name of the entity in whose favour shares encumbered ***	Number	% of total share capita
Vedanta Limited	2,679,548,419	63.42	2,420,159,373	57.28	Creation	June 03, 2025	Others (Please refer to <u>Note</u> <u>1</u> below)	Please refer to <u>Note</u> <u>1</u> below.	2,11,68,84,8191	50.102	Axis Trustee Services Limited, (as Debenture Trustee on behalf of the Debenture Holders) (Refer Note 1)	2,420,159,373 (Refer <u>Note 2</u> )	57.28 (Refer <u>Note 2</u> )
Total	2,679,548,419	63.42	2,420,159,373	57.28	-	-	-	-	2,116,884,819	50.10	-	2,420,159,373	57.28

### Note 1:

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### Note 2:

There are various existing encumbrances on holding in HZL for various facilities entered by the Company and/or its subsidiaries, for which disclosures have been filed from time to time. The current encumbrance as set out in this disclosure has been created due to the covenants mentioned in the DTD as set out above. Considering that the current encumbrance as set out in this disclosure is based on the aforesaid covenants and undertakings mentioned under the DTD, the "Post event holding of encumbered shares" shall not aggregate to the sum of "Promoter holding already encumbered" and "Details of events pertaining to encumbrance".

Signature of the Authorized Signatory For and on behalf of Vedanta Limited

Place: New Delhi

Date: June 05, 2025 (revised on September 09, 2025)

- \*The names of all the promoters, their shareholding in the target company and their pledged shareholding as on the reporting date should appear in the table irrespective of whether they are reporting on the date of event or not.
- \*\* For example, for the purpose of collateral for loans taken by the company, personal borrowing, third party pledge, etc.
- \*\*\*This would include name of both the lender and the trustee who may hold shares directly or on behalf of the lender.

<sup>1</sup> Refer to Note 1

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Refer to Note 1

## Format for disclosure of reasons for encumbrance

(In addition to Annexure - I)

Name of listed company	Hindustan Zinc Limited
Name of the recognised stock exchanges where the shares of the company are listed	BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited
Name of the promoter(s) / PACs whose shares have been encumbered	Vedanta Limited
Total promoter shareholding in the listed company	No. of shares: 2,67,95,48,419
	% of total share capital: 63.42%
Encumbered shares as a % of promoter shareholding	90.32% (all outstanding encumbrances from 1 to 9)
Whether encumbered share is 50% or more of promoter shareholding	YES <del>/ NO</del>
Whether encumbered share is 20% or more of total share capital	YES <del>/ NO</del>

# DETAILS OF ALL THE EXISTING EVENTS/ AGREEMENTS PERTAINING TO ENCUMBRANCE

		Encumbrance 1 (Date of creation of encumbrance: March 30, 2022)	Encumbrance 2 (Date of creation of encumbrance: May 23, 2022)	Encumbrance 3 (Date of creation of encumbrance: December 5, 2022)	Encumbrance 4 and 5 (Date of creation of encumbrance as per Debenture Trust Deed: May 10, 2024)  Date of creation of pledge (which has been created through depository but was not separately disclosed due to proviso to Regulation 31 (1) of Takeover Regulations):	Encumbrance 6 (Date of creation of encumbrance: July 16, 2024)	Encumbrance 7 (Date of creation of encumbrance: February 04, 2025)	Encumbrance 8 (Date of creation of encumbrance: May 02, 2025)	Encumbrance 9 (Date of creation of encumbrance: June 03, 2025)
					May 14, 2024)				
lien, nega undertak covenant condition	ative lien, non-disposal ling etc. or any other	Pledge Refer Note 2 below	Non-Disposal Undertaking	Pledge Refer Note 2 below	Pledge & Refer Note of earlier Disclosure dated May 14, 2024 (revised on July 20, 2024)	Disclosure dated July 16, 2024	Refer Note of earlier Disclosure dated February 06, 2025.	Pledge	Refer Note 1 below
	% of shares	No. of shares: 24,36,09,285 % of total share capital: 5.77% Refer Note 2 below	No. of shares: 2,11,68,84,819 % of total share capital: 50.10%	No. of shares: 4,22,53,190 % of total share capital: 1% Refer Note 2 below	No. of shares (encumbrance as per Debenture Trust Deed): 2,11,68,84,819 % of total share capital: 50.10% No. of shares (pledge): 4,27,90,960 % of total share capital: 1.01%	No. of shares: 2,11,68,84,819 % of total share capital: 50.10%	No. of shares: 2,11,68,84,819 % of total share capital: 50.10%	No. of shares: 54,224,928 % of total share capital: 1.28%	No. of shares: 2,11,68,84,819 % of total share capital: 50.10% <sup>3</sup>
Specific details about	Name of the entity in whose favour shares encumbered (X)	SBICAP Trustee Company Limited	SBICAP Trustee Company Limited	SBICAP Trustee Company Limited		Victory XII Pte. Ltd., as the agent to the finance parties	Citicorp International Limited	Axis Trustee Services Limited	Axis Trustee Services Limited
the encumb rance	Whether the entity X is a scheduled commercial bank, public financial institution, NBFC or housing finance company? If No, provide the nature of the business of the entity.	Trusteeship services	YES/ NO Trusteeship services	YES/ NO Trusteeship services	YES/ NO Trusteeship services	YES/ NO Agency Services	YES/ NO Agency Services	YES/ NO Trusteeship Services	YES/ NO Trusteeship Services
	Names of all other entities in the agreement	Vedanta Limited as Borrower and Union Bank of India as Lender	Vedanta Limited as Borrower and Union Bank of India as Lender	Vedanta Limited as Borrower and Union Bank of India as Lender	Listed company and its group companies (if any)  Other entities (if any)- Vedanta Semiconductors Private Limited as the issuer and Axis Trustee Services	Listed company and its group companies (if any)  Vedanta Limited and its subsidiaries  Other entities (if any)-	Listed company and its group companies (if any)  Vedanta Limited and its subsidiaries  Other entities (if any)- Refer	subsidiaries	Listed company and its group companies (if any)  Vedanta Limited and its subsidiaries  Other entities (if any)- Refer

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Refer Note 1 below

		Encumbrance 1	Encumbrance 2	Encumbrance 3	Encumbrance 4 and 5	Encumbrance 6	Encumbrance 7	Encumbrance 8	Encumbrance 9
		(Date of creation of	(Date of creation of	(Date of creation of encumbrance:	(Date of creation of	(Date of creation of	(Date of creation of	(Date of creation of	(Date of creation of
		encumbrance: March 30, 2022)	encumbrance: May 23, 2022)	December 5, 2022)	encumbrance as per Debenture Trust Deed: May 10, 2024)	encumbrance: July 16, 2024)	encumbrance: February 04, 2025)	encumbrance: May 02, 2025)	encumbrance: June 03, 2025)
					Date of creation of pledge (which has been created through depository but was				
					not separately disclosed due to proviso to Regulation 31 (1) of Takeover Regulations): May 14, 2024)				
					Limited as the debenture trustee.	Victory XII Pte. Ltd. (as Original Lender)	Note of earlier Disclosure dated February 06, 2025.	Note of earlier Disclosure dated May 05, 2025.	Note 1 below
						Victory XII Pte. Ltd. as agent to the finance parties			
						Victory XII Pte. Ltd. as security agent to the finance parties			
						Axis Trustee Services Limited as onshore security agent to the finance parties			
		YES-/ NO If yes, 1. Name of the issuer:	YES / NO If yes, 1. Name of the issuer:	YES / NO If yes, 1. Name of the issuer:	YES / <del>NO</del> If yes,  1. Name of the issuer:	YES / NO If yes, 1. Name of the issuer:	YES-/ NO If yes, 1. Name of the issuer:	YES / NO If yes, 1. Name of the issuer:	YES/ <del>NO</del> If yes, <b>1. Name of the issuer:</b> Vedanta
	instruments viz. debenture,	2. Details of the debt instrument:	2. Details of the debt instrument:	<ul><li>2. Details of the debt instrument:</li><li>3. Whether the debt instrument is</li></ul>	Vedanta Semiconductors Private Limited, a wholly	2. Details of the debt instrument:	<ol> <li>Details of the debt instrument:</li> <li>Whether the debt instrument</li> </ol>	2. Details of the debt instrument:	Limited 2. Details of the debt
	commercial paper, certificate of deposit	3. Whether the debt instrument is listed on stock	3. Whether the debt instrument is listed on	listed on stock exchanges?: 4. Credit Rating of the debt	owned subsidiary of the Company (as defined	3. Whether the debt instrument is listed on	is listed on stock exchanges?: 4. Credit Rating of the debt	3. Whether the debt instrument is listed on	instrument: Unsecured Rated Listed Redeemable Non-
	etc.? If yes, provide details about the	exchanges?:	stock exchanges?: 4. Credit Rating of the debt	instrument:	below) 2. Details of the debt	stock exchanges?: 4. Credit Rating of the debt	instrument:	stock exchanges?: 4. Credit Rating of the debt	Convertible Debentures, aggregating upto ₹ 5,000 Cr.
	instrument,	instrument:	instrument:	instrument:	instrument: 10% secured	instrument:	3. ISIN OF the histrument.	instrument:	3. Whether the debt instrument
	including credit rating	5. ISIN of the instrument:	5. ISIN of the instrument:		unrated unlisted redeemable non- convertible debentures of	5. ISIN of the instrument:		5. ISIN of the instrument:	is listed on stock exchanges?: Yes. BSE Limited 4. Credit Rating of the debt
					up to ₹ 2,500 crores  3. Whether the debt				instrument: CRISIL AA 5. ISIN of the instrument:
					instrument is listed on stock exchanges?: No				1. Series 1 – INE 205 A 08 04 6 2. Series 2 – INE 205 A 08 05 3
					4. Credit Rating of the debt				3. Series 3 - INE205A08061
					instrument: Not Applicable 5. ISIN of the instrument:				
					INE0VB407010				
	Value of shares on the date of event / agreement (A)	80,000,000,000	80,000,000,000	80,000,000,000	In relation to encumbrance through Debenture Trust Deed: Not Applicable		N/A	N/A	N/A
					In relation to Pledge: INR 18,75,00,00,216 (Note: Value				
					of shares calculated as per the finance documents)				
					Refer Note of earlier Disclosure dated May 14, 2024 (revised on July 20, 2024)				
	Amount involved (against which shares have been encumbered) (B)	80,000,000,000	80,000,000,000	80,000,000,000	25,00,00,000,000	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Ratio of A / B	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.75 (in relation to share pledge)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
End use of	Borrowed amount to be utilized for what								

		Encumbrance 1	Encumbrance 2	Encumbrance 3	Encumbrance 4 and 5	Encumbrance 6	Encumbrance 7	Encumbrance 8	Encumbrance 9
		(Date of creation of	(Date of creation of	(Date of creation of encumbrance:	(Date of creation of	(Date of creation of	(Date of creation of	(Date of creation of	(Date of creation of
		encumbrance: March 30, 2022)	encumbrance: May 23, 2022)	December 5, 2022)	encumbrance as per	encumbrance: July 16, 2024)	encumbrance: February 04, 2025)	encumbrance: May 02, 2025)	encumbrance: June 03, 2025)
					Debenture Trust Deed: May				
					10, 2024)				
					Date of creation of pledge				
					(which has been created				
					through depository but was				
					not separately disclosed due				
					to proviso to Regulation 31 (1)				
					of Takeover Regulations) :				
					May 14, 2024)				
money	purpose –				-				
	(a) Personal use by	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
	promoters and								
	PACs								
	(b) For the benefit of	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
	listed company								
	Provide details								
	including amount,								
	purpose of raising								
	money by listed								
	company, schedule								
	for utilization of								
	amount, repayment								
	schedule etc.								
				Purpose – Takeover of existing					
	(please specify)	syndicated term loan facility of	syndicated term loan facility of	syndicated term loan facility of	the debenture trust deed				
		Rs.10000 Cr	Rs.10000 Cr	Rs.10000 Cr	dated May 10, 2024.	July 16, 2024, as amended,	4, 2025, as amended, restated, or	February 4, 2025, as amended,	June 03, 2025, as amended,
						restated, or supplemented	supplemented from time to time.	restated, or supplemented	restated, or supplemented from
						from time to time.	Refer Notes.	from time to time. Refer	time to time. Refer Notes.
								Notes.	

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#### Note 2:

Please note that from time to time there have been pleage releases (which have been released through depository but were not separately disclosed as per proviso to Regulation 31 (1) of Takeover Regulations) under this facility as detailed below:

Date	Nature of Change	No. of shares	Percentage	In favour of
12-Sep-23	Pledge Release	28,039,148	0.66%	SBICAP Trustee Company Limited
30-Dec-24	Pledge Release	51,564,661	1.22%	SBICAP Trustee Company Limited

Kindly take the above on record.

Signature of the Authorized Signatory For and on behalf of Vedanta Limited

Place: New Delhi

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