

Vedanta declares Record Equity Interim Dividend of Rs. 7,881 Crore

The Board of Directors of the Company, in the meeting held on March 13, 2018, have approved Interim Dividend of **Rs. 21.20** per equity share i.e. 2120% on face value of Re .1/- per share for the Financial Year 2017-18. **The record date for the purpose of payment of dividend is March 21, 2018. The total payout is Rs. 7,881 Crore, being the highest ever dividend payout by the Company in a financial year. This represents a dividend yield of c.7.20% based on the average share price of the company year to date.**

Further, **the Board has also approved the Dividend @ 7.5% p.a. for Financial Year 2017-18 on Preference Shares of Rs. 3,010 Crore** issued and allotted on April 28, 2017 pursuant to the Scheme of Arrangement between the shareholders and creditors of Vedanta Limited and Cairn India Limited (“Scheme”). **The record date for the purpose of payment of dividend to the preference shareholders is March 21, 2018.**

The total amount of Dividend Payout to both its equity and preference shareholders is Rs. 8,091 Crore.

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About Vedanta Limited

Vedanta Limited is a diversified natural resources company, 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 company.

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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 2017, please visit

<http://sd.vedantaresources.com/SustainableDevelopment2016-17/>

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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