

## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Members of Zinc India Foundation

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

### Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of **Zinc India Foundation** ("the Company"), which comprise the Balance Sheet as at March 31, 2026, the Statement of Income and Expenditure (including Other Comprehensive Income), the Statement of Changes in Equity and the Statement of Cash Flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements including a summary of material accounting policy information and other explanatory information (hereinafter referred to as "financial statements").

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the aforesaid financial statements give the information required by the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") in the manner so required and give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India including the Indian Accounting Standards ("Ind AS") prescribed under section 133 of the Act, read with the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015, as amended, of the state of affairs of the Company as at March 31, 2026, its surplus (including other comprehensive income), its changes in equity and its cash flows for the year ended on that date.

### Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Standards on Auditing (SAs) specified under section 143(10) of the Act. Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ("ICAI") together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements under the provisions of the Act and Rules thereunder, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion on the financial statements.

### Other Information

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Board Reports, but does not include the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. The Board's Report is expected to be made available to us after the date of the auditor's report.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information when the same becomes available to us and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.



## Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the matters stated in section 134(5) of the Act with respect to the preparation of these financial statements that give a true and fair view of the financial position, financial performance (including other comprehensive income), changes in equity and cash flows of the Company in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in India, including Ind AS prescribed under section 133 of the Act, read with the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015, as amended. This responsibility also includes maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding of the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls, that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, Board of Directors is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Board of Directors either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those Board of Directors is also responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

## Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances. Under section 143(3)(i) of the Act, we are also responsible for expressing our opinion on whether the Company has adequate internal financial controls with reference to financial statements in place and the operating effectiveness of such controls.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.



- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

#### Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

- (1) This report does not contain a statement on the matters specified in the paragraph 3 and 4 of the Companies (Auditor's Report) Order, 2020 ("the Order") issued by the Central Government of India in terms of Section 143(11) of the Act, since in our opinion and according to the information and explanation given to us, the said Order is not applicable to the Company, being a Company registered under Section 8 of the Act.
- (2) As required by section 143(3) of the Act, we report that:
  - a. We have sought and obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit;
  - b. In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Company so far as it appears from our examination of those books;
  - c. The Balance Sheet, the Statement of Income and Expenditure (including Other Comprehensive Income), the Statement of Changes in Equity and the Statement of Cash Flows dealt with by this report are in agreement with the books of account;
  - d. In our opinion, the aforesaid financial statements comply with the Ind AS prescribed under section 133 of the Act read with the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015, as amended;
  - e. On the basis of the written representations received from the directors as on March 31, 2026, and taken on record by the Board of Directors, none of the directors is disqualified as on March 31, 2026 from being appointed as a director in terms of section 164(2) of the Act;



- f. With respect to the adequacy of the internal financial controls with reference to financial statements of the Company and the operating effectiveness of such controls, refer to our separate report in "Annexure 1";
- g. With respect to the other matter to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with the requirements of section 197(16) of the Act, as amended:  
Since the Company is registered under Section 8, the provisions of Section 197 of the Companies Act, 2013 are not applicable to it.
- h. With respect to the other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with Rule 11 of the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, as amended, in our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us:
- (i) The Company does not have any pending litigations which would impact its financial position;
- (ii) The Company did not have any long-term contracts including derivative contracts. Hence, the question of any material foreseeable losses does not arise;
- (iii) There were no amounts which were required to be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund by the Company;
- (iv) (a) The management has represented that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, no funds have been advanced or loaned or invested (either from borrowed funds or share premium or any other sources or kind of funds) by the Company to or in any other person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities ("Intermediaries"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Intermediary shall, whether, directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Company ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries;
- (b) The management has represented that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, no funds have been received by the Company from any person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities ("Funding Parties"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Company shall, whether, directly or indirectly, lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Funding Party ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries;
- (c) Based on the audit procedures that are considered reasonable and appropriate in the circumstances, nothing has come to our notice that has caused us to believe that the representations under sub-clause (i) and (ii) of Rule 11(e), as provided under (a) and (b) above, contain any material misstatement.
- (v) The Company is registered under Section 8 of the Act and Section 8(c) of the Act prohibits the Company to distribute dividend to its members. Thus, the provisions of Section 123 of the Act are not applicable to the Company.



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- (vi) Based on our examination which included test checks, the Company has used an accounting software for maintaining its books of account for the financial year ended March 31, 2026, which has a feature of recording audit trail (edit log) facility and the same has operated throughout the year for all relevant transactions recorded in the software. Further, during the course of our audit we did not come across any instance of audit trail feature being tampered with and the audit trail has been preserved by the Company as per the statutory requirements for record retention.

For Haribhakti & Co. LLP  
Chartered Accountants  
ICAI Firm Registration No.103523W / W100048



Kunj B. Agrawal  
Partner  
Membership No. 095829  
UDIN: 26095829NLIHNN3066



Place: New Delhi  
Date: April 17, 2026

## ANNEXURE 1 TO THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

[Referred to in paragraph 2(f) under 'Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements' section in our Independent Auditor's Report of even date to the members of Zinc India Foundation on the financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2026.]

Report on the Internal Financial Controls with reference to Financial Statements under clause (i) of sub-section 3 of section 143 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act")

We have audited the internal financial controls with reference to financial statements of Zinc India Foundation ("the Company") as of March 31, 2026 in conjunction with our audit of the financial statements of the Company for the year ended on that date.

### Management's Responsibility for Internal Financial Controls

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal financial controls based on the internal control with reference to financial statements criteria established by the Company considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting (the "Guidance Note") issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ("ICAI"). These responsibilities include the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls that were operating effectively for ensuring the orderly and efficient conduct of its business, including adherence to Company's policies, the safeguarding of its assets, the prevention and detection of frauds and errors, the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, and the timely preparation of reliable financial information, as required under the Act.

### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Company's internal financial controls with reference to financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Guidance Note and the Standards on Auditing specified under section 143(10) of the Act to the extent applicable to an audit of internal financial controls, both issued by the ICAI. Those Standards and the Guidance Note require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether adequate internal financial controls with reference to financial statements was established and maintained and if such controls operated effectively in all material respects.

Our audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the adequacy of the internal financial controls with reference to financial statements and their operating effectiveness.

Our audit of internal financial controls with reference to financial statements included obtaining an understanding of internal financial controls with reference to financial statements, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, and testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of internal controls based on the assessed risk. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion on the Company's internal financial controls with reference to financial statements.

### Meaning of Internal Financial Controls with reference to Financial Statements

A company's internal financial control with reference to financial statements is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. A company's internal financial control with reference to financial statements includes those policies and procedures that (1) pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the company; (2) provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and that receipts and expenditures of the



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company are being made only in accordance with authorisations of management and directors of the company; and (3) provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorised acquisition, use, or disposition of the company's assets that could have a material effect on the financial statements.

## Inherent Limitations of Internal Financial Controls with reference to Financial Statements

Because of the inherent limitations of internal financial controls with reference to financial statements, including the possibility of collusion or improper management override of controls, material misstatements due to error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projections of any evaluation of the internal financial controls with reference to financial statements to future periods are subject to the risk that the internal financial controls with reference to financial statements may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.

## Opinion

In our opinion, to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the Company has, in all material respects, adequate internal financial controls with reference to financial statements and such internal financial controls with reference to financial statements were operating effectively as at March 31, 2026, based on the internal control with reference to financial statements criteria established by the Company considering the essential components of internal controls stated in the Guidance Note issued by the ICAI.

For Haribhakti & Co. LLP

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**ZINC INDIA FOUNDATION**  
**Balance Sheet as at March 31, 2026**  
CIN:U85300RJ2022NPL083038  
(All amounts in ₹ Lakhs, unless otherwise stated)

Particulars	Notes	As at March 31, 2026	As at March 31, 2025
<b>ASSETS</b>			
<b>Non-current assets</b>			
a) Intangible assets	4	0.00	0.00
b) Financial assets			
i) Other financial assets	5	16.80	6.84
<b>Total Non-current assets</b>		<b>16.80</b>	<b>6.84</b>
<b>Current assets</b>			
a) Financial assets			
i) Receivables	6	295.17	302.92
ii) Cash and cash equivalents	7	1.28	0.60
b) Other current assets	8	21.00	12.00
<b>Total Current assets</b>		<b>317.45</b>	<b>315.52</b>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>		<b>334.25</b>	<b>322.36</b>
<b>EQUITY AND LIABILITIES</b>			
<b>Equity</b>			
a) Equity share capital	9	1.00	1.00
b) Other equity	10	17.26	17.26
<b>Total Equity</b>		<b>18.26</b>	<b>18.26</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>			
<b>Current liabilities</b>			
a) Financial liabilities			
i) Payables	11		
a) Total outstanding dues of Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises		1.32	0.89
b) Total outstanding dues to creditors other than Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises		305.23	297.68
ii) Other financial liabilities	12	1.66	0.14
b) Other current liabilities	13	7.78	5.39
<b>Total Current liabilities</b>		<b>315.99</b>	<b>304.10</b>
<b>TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES</b>		<b>334.25</b>	<b>322.36</b>

Summary of material accounting policies

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The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

As per our report on even date

For Haribhakti & Co. LLP  
Chartered Accountants  
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Place: New Delhi  
Date: April 17, 2026



For and on behalf of the Board of Directors of  
Zinc India Foundation

Arun Misra  
Director  
DIN: 01835605

Place: Udaipur  
Date: April 17, 2026



**ZINC INDIA FOUNDATION**  
**Statement of Income and Expenditure for the year ended March 31, 2026**  
CIN:U85300RJ2022NPL083038  
(All amounts in ₹ Lakhs, unless otherwise stated)

Particulars	Notes	For the year ended March 31, 2026	For the year ended March 31, 2025
Donations	14	1,444.19	1,691.33
Other operating income	14	3.43	0.37
<b>Total Income</b>		<b>1,447.62</b>	<b>1,691.70</b>
<b>Expenses:</b>			
Operating expenses	15	790.92	836.55
Power and fuel expenses	16	645.81	672.40
Other expenses	17	10.89	3.98
<b>Total expenses</b>		<b>1,447.62</b>	<b>1,512.93</b>
<b>Surplus before tax</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>178.77</b>
<b>Tax expense :</b>	1(B)		
Current tax		-	-
Deferred tax		-	-
<b>Total tax expenses</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Surplus for the year</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>178.77</b>
Other comprehensive income		-	-
<b>Total comprehensive income for the year</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>178.77</b>
<b>Earnings per share (nominal value of shares ₹ 100)</b>			
-Basic (₹)	18	-	17,877
-Diluted (₹)		-	17,877
Summary of material accounting policies			
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**ZINC INDIA FOUNDATION**  
**Statement of Cash Flow for the year ended March 31, 2026**  
 CIN:U85300RJ2022NPL083038  
 (All amounts in ₹ Lakhs, unless otherwise stated)

Particulars	(₹ in Lakhs)	
	For the year ended March 31, 2026	For the year ended March 31, 2025
<b>(A) CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES :</b>		
Surplus for the year		178.77
Adjustment for:		
<b>Changes in operating assets and liabilities</b>		
(Increase)/Decrease in Trade receivables	7.75	(302.92)
(Increase) in Other non current financial assets	(9.96)	-
(Increase)/Decrease in Other non current assets	(9.00)	9.00
Increase in Payables	7.98	128.94
Increase/(Decrease) in other financial liabilities	1.52	(18.04)
Increase in Other current liabilities	2.39	1.98
<b>Cash flows (used) in/from operations</b>	<b>0.68</b>	<b>(2.27)</b>
<b>Net cash flow (used) in /from operating activities</b>	<b>0.68</b>	<b>(2.27)</b>
<b>(B) CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES :</b>		
<b>Net cash flow (used) in/from investing activities</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>(C) CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES :</b>		
<b>Net cash flows from financing activities</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
Net increase/(decrease) in Cash and cash equivalents	0.68	(2.27)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	0.60	2.87
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year (refer note 7)</b>	<b>1.28</b>	<b>0.60</b>

Note:-

1. The figures in brackets indicates outflows.
2. The above statement of cash flows has been prepared under "Indirect method" as set out in Ind AS -7 Statement of Cash Flows.

Summary of material accounting policies  
 The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

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As per our report on even date

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**ZINC INDIA FOUNDATION**  
Statement of Changes in Equity for the year ended March 31, 2026  
CIN:U85300RJ2022NPL083038

(All amounts in ₹ Lakhs, unless otherwise stated)

**a. Equity Share Capital**

Equity shares of ₹ 100 each issued, subscribed and fully paid	Numbers of shares	Amount
As at March 31, 2024	1,000	1.00
Changes in equity share capital due to prior period errors	-	-
Changes in equity share capital during the year	-	-
As at March 31, 2025	1,000	1.00
Changes in equity share capital due to prior period errors	-	-
Changes in equity share capital during the year	-	-
As at March 31, 2026	1,000	1.00

**b. Other equity**

Particulars	Reserve and Surplus	Amount
	Retained Earnings	
Balance as at March 31, 2024		
Surplus for the year	(161.51)	(161.51)
Other comprehensive income for the year	178.77	178.77
<b>Total comprehensive income for the year</b>	-	-
Balance as at March 31, 2025	178.77	178.77
Surplus for the year	17.26	17.26
Other comprehensive income for the year	-	-
<b>Total comprehensive income for the year</b>	-	-
Balance as at March 31, 2026	17.26	17.26

Summary of material accounting policies

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As per our report on even date

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## ZINC INDIA FOUNDATION

Notes to the financial statements as at and for the year ended March 31, 2026

### 1. COMPANY OVERVIEW

(A) Zinc India Foundation ("ZIF" or "the Company") was incorporated on August 05, 2022 and has its registered office at c/o Hindustan Zinc Limited, Yashad Bhawan, Udaipur (Rajasthan). The Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Hindustan Zinc Limited ("Holding Company") and its object is to carry out the planned CSR activities of the Holding Company or any other object.

(B) The Company is incorporated under section 8 of the Companies Act, 2013 and was granted an order for registration u/s 12A and order for approval u/s 80G of the Income Tax Act, 1961 till Assessment year 2027-28. Thus, the income of the Company registered under section 12A (subject to section 11 and 12) is not chargeable to tax.

### 2. BASIS OF PREPARATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### a) Basis of preparation

The financial statements of the Company have been prepared in accordance with the Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) notified under the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules 2015 (as amended from time to time) and presentation requirement of Division II of schedule III to the Companies Act 2013 (Ind AS compliant Schedule III), as applicable. The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis using historical cost convention and on accrual basis except for financial instruments which are measured at fair values (refer note 3(i)(c) below).

Accounting policies have been consistently applied in all material aspects except where a newly issued accounting standard is initially adopted or a revision to an existing accounting standard requires a change in the accounting policy hitherto in use. Also refer note 3(ii)

The financial statements are prepared in Indian Rupees (₹), which is also the Company's functional currency. All financial information presented in Indian Rupees (₹) has been rounded off to the nearest Lakhs and "0" represents amount less than (₹) 1 Lakh, being rounding off norms adopted by the Company.

The financial statements were authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of Board of Directors on April 17, 2026. The revision to these financial statements is permitted by the Board of Directors after obtaining necessary approvals or at the instance of regulatory authorities as per provisions of the Act.

### 3.(I) MATERIAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### a) Current and non-current classification

The assets and liabilities are classified as current/ non-current based on the operating cycle, which has been identified as upto 12 months.

#### b) Revenue recognition

##### (i) Donation:

Donations/grants/Other receipts are recognised as income upon compliance with the significant condition, or on the basis of reasonable assurance that the company will be able to comply with significant conditions attached to them, if any.

##### (ii) Receivables

A receivable is recognised if an amount of consideration is unconditional (i.e., only the passage of time is required before payment of the consideration is due). Refer to accounting policies of financial assets in section 3(i)(d) Financial instruments - Initial recognition and subsequent measurement.

The Company does not expect to have any contracts where the period between the transfer of promised services to the donor and payment by the donor exceeds one year. As a consequence, the Company does not adjust any of the donation receivable for the time value of money.

#### c) Intangible assets

Intangible assets acquired separately are measured on initial recognition at cost. Following initial recognition, intangible assets are carried at cost less any accumulated amortization and accumulated impairment losses. Gains or losses arising from derecognition of an intangible asset are measured as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset and are recognized in the Statement of Income and Expenditure when the asset is derecognized.

Intangible assets are amortized over their estimated useful life. The estimated useful life of the intangible assets and the amortization period are reviewed at the end of each financial year and the amortization period is revised to reflect the changed pattern, if any.

Intangible assets with indefinite useful lives are not amortised, but are tested for impairment annually, either individually or at the cash-generating unit level. The assessment of indefinite life is reviewed annually to determine whether the indefinite life continues to be supportable. If not, the change in useful life from indefinite to finite is made on a prospective basis.

An intangible asset is derecognised upon disposal (i.e., at the date the recipient obtains control) or when no future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Any gain or loss arising upon derecognition of the asset (calculated as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset) is included in the Statement of Income and Expenditure when the asset is derecognised.

#### d) Financial instruments

A financial instrument is any contract that gives rise to a financial asset of one entity and a financial liability or equity instrument of another entity.



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Notes to the financial statements as at and for the year ended March 31, 2026

### Financial assets – initial recognition and subsequent measurement

All financial assets are recognized initially at fair value, plus in the case of financial assets not recorded at fair value through profit and loss (FVTPL), transaction costs that are attributable to the acquisition of the financial asset. However, receivables that do not contain a significant financial component are measured at transaction price. For purposes of subsequent measurement, financial assets are classified in three categories:

#### • Financial assets at amortized cost

A financial asset that meets the following two conditions is measured at amortised cost (net of any write down for impairment) unless the asset is designated at fair value through profit or loss under the fair value option.

a) Business model test: The objective of the Company's business model is to hold the financial asset to collect the contractual cash flow.

b) Cash flow characteristics test: The contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flow that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

After initial measurement, such financial assets are subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest rate (EIR) method. Amortized cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium on acquisition and fees or costs that are an integral part of the EIR. The EIR amortization is included in finance income in the Statement of Income and Expenditure. The losses arising from impairment are recognized in the Statement of Income and Expenditure.

This category applies to Receivables and Bank balances.

#### • Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVTOCI)

a) Business model test: The financial asset is held within a business model whose objective is achieved by both collecting contractual cash flow and selling financial assets.

b) Cash flow characteristics test: The contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flow that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

#### • Financial assets at fair value through Statement of Profit and Loss (FVTPL)

FVTPL is a residual category. Any financial asset which does not meet the criteria for categorization as at amortized cost or as FVTOCI, is classified as at FVTPL.

### Financial assets – Derecognition

A financial asset (or, where applicable, a part of a financial asset or part of a group of similar financial assets) is primarily derecognised (i.e. removed from the Company's statement of financial position) when:

- The rights to receive cash flows from the asset have expired, or
- The Company has transferred its rights to receive cash flow from the asset.

### Financial liabilities – recognition and subsequent measurement

Financial liabilities are classified, at initial recognition, as financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, loans and borrowings or payables, as appropriate.

All financial liabilities are recognized initially at fair value and, in the case of loans and borrowings and payables, net of directly

The Company's financial liabilities include payables.

The measurement of financial liabilities depends on their classification, as described below:

#### • Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL)

Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss include financial liabilities held for trading and financial liabilities designated upon initial recognition as at fair value through profit or loss. Financial liabilities are classified as held for trading if they are incurred for the purpose of repurchasing in the near term.

Gains or losses on liabilities held for trading are recognized in the Statement of Income and Expenditure.

Financial liabilities designated upon initial recognition at fair value through profit or loss are designated as such at the initial date of recognition, and only if the criteria in Ind AS 109 are satisfied. For liabilities designated as FVTPL, fair value gains/ losses attributable to changes in own credit risk are recognized in OCI. These gains/ loss are not subsequently transferred to Statement of Income and Expenditure. However, the Company may transfer the cumulative gain or loss within equity. All other changes in fair value of such liability are recognized in the Statement of Income and Expenditure.

#### • Financial Liabilities at amortized cost (payables)

After initial recognition, payables are subsequently measured at amortized cost using the EIR method. Gains and losses are recognized in profit or loss when the liabilities are derecognized as well as through the EIR amortization process.

Amortized cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium on acquisition and fees or costs that are an integral part of the EIR. The EIR amortization is included as finance costs in the Statement of Income and Expenditure.

For payables maturing within one year from the balance sheet date, the carrying amounts approximate fair value due to the short maturity of these instruments.

### Financial Liabilities – Derecognition

A financial liability is derecognised when the obligation under the liability is discharged or cancelled or expires. When an existing financial liability is replaced by another, from the same lender on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing liability are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification is treated as the derecognition of the original liability and the recognition of a new liability.

The difference in the respective carrying amounts is recognised in the Statement of Income and Expenditure.



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### Offsetting of financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset and the net amount is reported in the balance sheet if there is a currently enforceable legal right to offset the recognized amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, to realize the assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously.

### e) Fair value measurement

The Company measures financial instruments at fair value at each balance sheet date.

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The fair value measurement is based on the presumption that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability takes place either:

a) In the principal market for the asset or liability, or

A fair value measurement of a non-financial asset takes into account a market participant's ability to generate economic benefits by using the asset in its highest and best use or by selling it to another market participant that would use the asset in its highest and best use.

The Company uses valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value, maximising the use of relevant observable inputs and minimising the use of unobservable inputs.

All assets and liabilities for which fair value is measured or disclosed in the financial statements are categorised within the fair value hierarchy.

### f) Earnings per share

The Company presents basic and diluted earnings per share ("EPS") data for its equity shares. Basic EPS is calculated by dividing the surplus or deficit attributable to equity shareholders of the Company by the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the period. Diluted EPS is determined by adjusting the surplus or deficit attributable to equity shareholders and the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding for the effects of all dilutive potential equity shares.

### g) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash at bank and on hand and short-term money market deposits with original maturities of three months or less that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of change in value.

For the purpose of the statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents consist of cash and short-term deposits, as defined above.

### h) Provisions, contingent liabilities and contingent assets

Provisions represent liabilities for which the amount or timing is uncertain. Provisions are recognized when the Company has a present obligation (legal or constructive), as a result of past events, and it is probable that an outflow of resources, that can be reliably estimated, will be required to settle such an obligation.

If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are determined by discounting the expected future cash flows to net present value using an appropriate pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and, where appropriate, the risks specific to the liability. Unwinding of the discount is recognized in Statement of Income and Expenditure as a finance cost. Provisions are reviewed at each reporting date and are adjusted to reflect the current best estimate.

A contingent liability is a possible obligation that arises from past events whose existence will be confirmed by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more uncertain future events beyond the control of the Company or a present obligation that is not recognised because it is not probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation. A contingent liability also arises in extremely rare cases where there is a liability that cannot be recognised because it cannot be measured reliably. The Company does not recognize a contingent liability but discloses its existence in the Balance Sheet.

Contingent assets are not recognised but disclosed in the financial statements when an inflow of economic benefit is probable.

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3.(II) CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND DISCLOSURES

New and amended standards

The Ministry of Corporate Affairs on August 13, 2025 (MCA) has notified Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Second Amendment Rules, 2025, to amend the following Ind AS which are effective from annual reporting periods beginning on or after April 01, 2026.

Ind AS 1 – Presentation of Financial Statements (Liability classification & covenants)

The recent amendments clarify how liabilities are classified as “current” or “non-current,” particularly when loan covenants are involved. The focus is on whether the entity has a substantive right, as at the reporting date, to defer settlement for at least 12 months.

Post-reporting date waivers or refinancing — even if agreed before approval of financial statement will no longer affect classification. For financial periods beginning on or after 1 April 2026, any loan that becomes repayable on demand because of a covenant breach as of the reporting date must be classified as current liability, unless at the reporting date there is a grace period of at least 12 months already agreed.

The company has evaluated the amendment and there is no impact of it on the financial statements.

Ind AS 10 – Events after Reporting Period

As part of the amendment, the terminology “provision” is replaced by “covenant.” From 1 April 2026, the carve-out that previously allowed waiver of covenants after the reporting date (before approval) to affect classification will be omitted; hence such waivers will be treated as non-adjusting events.

The company has evaluated the amendment and there is no impact of it on the financial statements.

Ind AS 12 – Income Taxes (Pillar Two / Global Minimum Tax)

The 2025 amendments incorporate guidance for taxes under the global minimum tax regime laid out by OECD (“Pillar Two laws”). For “Pillar Two income taxes,” entities are given an exception: they should neither recognize nor disclose deferred tax assets or liabilities arising solely because of those taxes. At the same time, entities must disclose that they applied the exception, and separately disclose current tax expense/income related to Pillar Two income taxes and known/estimated exposures.

The company has evaluated the amendment and there is no impact of it on the financial statements.

3.(III) CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATE AND JUDGEMENT

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with Ind AS requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amount of assets, liabilities, income, expenses and disclosures of contingent liabilities at the date of these financial statements. Actual results may differ from these estimates under different assumptions and conditions.

The management believes that the estimates used in preparation of the financial statements are prudent and reasonable. Information about estimates and judgments made in applying accounting policies that have the most significant effect on the amounts recognized in the financial statements are as follows:

(A) Significant Estimates

Provisions:

Provisions and liabilities are recognized in the period when it becomes probable that there will be a future outflow of funds resulting from past operations or events and the amount of cash outflow can be reliably estimated. The timing of recognition and quantification of the liability require the application of judgement to existing facts and circumstances, which can be subject to change. Since the cash outflows can take place many years in the future, the carrying amounts of provisions and liabilities are reviewed regularly and adjusted to take account of changing facts and circumstances.

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**4. INTANGIBLE ASSETS**

Particulars	Right to use assets	Total
<b>At Cost</b>		
As at March 31, 2024*	0.00	0.00
Additions	-	-
Disposals	-	-
As at March 31, 2025*	0.00	0.00
Additions	-	-
Disposals	-	-
As at March 31, 2026*	0.00	0.00
<b>Accumulated Amortisation</b>		
As at March 31, 2024	-	-
Charge for the year	-	-
As at March 31, 2025	-	-
Charge for the year	-	-
As at March 31, 2026	-	-
<b>Net Carrying Amount</b>		
As at March 31, 2026*	0.00	0.00
As at March 31, 2025*	0.00	0.00

\*The amount is below rounding off norms adopted by the Company.

**Note:**

Pursuant to the Companies (Corporate Social Responsibility Policy) Amendment Rules, 2021 ("the Rules"), Hindustan Zinc Limited ("the Holding Company"), after obtaining regulatory approvals, transferred its Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) capital assets in the nature of right to use intangible assets to the Company created by the Holding Company prior to the commencement of the Rules. The capital assets having a carrying value of ₹ 117 Crores as on the date of transfer were transferred to the Company at a nominal consideration of ₹ 24 (₹ 1 each for 24 number of CSR assets). Accordingly, such assets have been recorded by the Company at ₹ 24 in its books of account.



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**5. OTHER NON-CURRENT FINANCIAL ASSETS**

Particulars	As at March 31, 2026	As at March 31, 2025
Unsecured, considered good		
Security Deposits	16.80	6.84
<b>Total</b>	<b>16.80</b>	<b>6.84</b>

**6. RECEIVABLES**

Particulars	As at March 31, 2026	As at March 31, 2025
Unsecured		
Considered good	295.17	302.92
<b>Total</b>	<b>295.17</b>	<b>302.92</b>

**Receivables Ageing Schedule\***

Particulars	As at March 31, 2026	As at March 31, 2025
<b>Undisputed</b>		
Not Due	295.17	302.92
Less than 6 months	-	-
6 months - 1 year	-	-
1-2 years	-	-
2-3 years	-	-
More than 3 years	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>295.17</b>	<b>302.92</b>
<b>Disputed</b>		
Not Due	-	-
Less than 6 months	-	-
6 months - 1 year	-	-
1-2 years	-	-
2-3 years	-	-
More than 3 years	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

\*Outstanding for above mentioned periods from due date of receipt (except for not due).

(1) There are no outstanding receivables due from directors or other officers of the Company. Refer note 23 for details of related party transactions and terms and conditions.

(2) The average period ranges from 0-30 days from the date of issuance of donation request till it's collection from the Holding Company.

**7. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS**

Particulars	As at March 31, 2026	As at March 31, 2025
Balances with a bank		
In current account	1.28	0.60
<b>Total</b>	<b>1.28</b>	<b>0.60</b>

**8. OTHER CURRENT ASSETS**

Particulars	As at March 31, 2026	As at March 31, 2025
Unsecured, considered good		
Advance to vendors	21.00	12.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>21.00</b>	<b>12.00</b>

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9. EQUITY SHARE CAPITAL

Particulars	As at March 31, 2026		As at March 31, 2025	
	Number of Shares	Amount	Number of Shares	Amount
A. Authorized equity share capital Equity shares of ₹ 100 each.	1,000	1.00	1,000	1.00

B. Issued, subscribed and paid up  
Equity shares of ₹ 100 each fully paid-up

	1,000	1.00	1,000	1.00
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C. Reconciliation of number of Equity Shares outstanding at the beginning and at the end of the year

Particulars	As at March 31, 2026		As at March 31, 2025	
	Number of Shares	Amount	Number of Shares	Amount
Shares outstanding at the beginning of the year Issued during the year	1,000	1.00	1,000	1.00
Shares outstanding at the end of the year	1,000	1.00	1,000	1.00

D. Equity shares held by Holding Company

Particulars	As at March 31, 2026		As at March 31, 2025	
	Number of Shares	% Held*	Number of Shares	% Held*
Hindustan Zinc Limited % of Holding (along with its nominees)	1,000	100%	1,000	100%

D. No shares issued as bonus shares or for consideration other than cash and no shares bought back for the period of 5 years preceding the date of balance sheet i.e. since the inception of the Company on August 05, 2022.

E. Details of shareholders holding more than 5% shares in the Company

Particulars	As at March 31, 2026		As at March 31, 2025	
	Number of Shares	% Held*	Number of Shares	% Held*
Hindustan Zinc Limited % of Holding (along with its nominees)	1,000	100%	1,000	100%

F. Details of shares held by promoters

Particulars	As at March 31, 2026		As at March 31, 2025	
	Number of Shares	% of total shares	Number of Shares	% of total shares
Hindustan Zinc Limited (along with its nominees)	1,000	100%	1,000	100%
	1,000	100%	1,000	100%

G. Terms/Rights attached to equity shares

The Company has one class of equity shares having a par value of ₹ 100 per share. Each equity shareholder is eligible for one vote per share held. As per the Companies Act, 2013 (the Act), section 8 companies are prohibited from declaration of dividend and is only permitted to utilise the surplus towards the purpose for which the Company is incorporated. In the event of liquidation, any assets that remains after satisfaction of debts shall be transferred to another section 8 Company with similar objects or may be sold and proceeds thereof credited to Rehabilitation and Insolvency Fund formed under the Act.

H. There are no shares reserved for issue under options and contracts / commitments for the sale of shares / disinvestment.



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**10. OTHER EQUITY**

Particulars	As at March 31, 2026	As at March 31, 2025
<b>Surplus/(Deficit) in the Statement of Income and Expenditure</b>		
At the beginning of the year	17.26	(161.51)
Add: Surplus for the year	-	178.77
Add: Other comprehensive income for the year	-	-
<b>At the end of the year</b>	<b>17.26</b>	<b>17.26</b>

**11. PAYABLES**

Particulars	As at March 31, 2026	As at March 31, 2025
Total outstanding dues of Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises	1.32	0.89
Total outstanding dues to creditors other than Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises	305.23	297.68
<b>Total</b>	<b>306.55</b>	<b>298.57</b>

**Payables Ageing Schedule <sup>(i)</sup>**

Particulars	As at March 31, 2026	As at March 31, 2025
<b>Undisputed dues - Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises</b>		
Unbilled Dues	1.32	0.89
Less than 1 year	-	-
1-2 years	-	-
2-3 years	-	-
More than 3 years	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>1.32</b>	<b>0.89</b>
<b>Undisputed dues- Other than Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises</b>		
Unbilled Dues	310.57	264.38
Less than 1 year	-	33.30
1-2 years	-	-
2-3 years	-	-
More than 3 years	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>310.57</b>	<b>297.68</b>

<sup>(i)</sup> Outstanding for above mentioned periods from date of transaction (except for unbilled dues).

The disclosures relating to Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises have been furnished to the extent such parties have been identified on the basis of the intimation received from the suppliers regarding their status under the Micro and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006.

Particulars	As at March 31, 2026	As at March 31, 2025
The principal amount and the interest due thereon remaining unpaid to any supplier as at the end of each accounting year.		
i) Principal amount due to micro and small enterprises	1.32	0.89
ii) Interest due on above	-	-
iii) The amount of interest paid by the buyer in terms of section 16 of the MSMED Act, 2006 along with the amounts of the payment made to the supplier beyond the appointed day during each accounting year.	-	-
iv) The amount of interest due and payable for the period of delay in making payment (which have been paid but beyond the appointed day during the year) but without adding the interest specified under the MSMED Act, 2006.	-	-
v) The amount of interest accrued and remaining unpaid at the end of each accounting year.	-	-
vi) The amount of further interest remaining due and payable even in the succeeding years, until such date when the interest dues as above are actually paid to the small enterprise for the purpose of disallowance as a deductible expenditure under section 23 of the MSMED Act, 2006.	-	-



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**12. OTHER CURRENT FINANCIAL LIABILITIES**

Particulars	As at March 31, 2026	As at March 31, 2025
Due to related parties (refer note 23)	1.66	0.14
<b>Total</b>	<b>1.66</b>	<b>0.14</b>

**13. OTHER CURRENT LIABILITIES**

Particulars	As at March 31, 2026	As at March 31, 2025
<b>Current</b>		
Statutory dues payable	7.78	5.39
<b>Total</b>	<b>7.78</b>	<b>5.39</b>

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**14. DONATION & OTHER OPERATING INCOME**

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2026	For the year ended March 31, 2025
Donations	1,444.19	1,691.33
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,444.19</b>	<b>1,691.33</b>
Other operating income:		
Awards & Penalties	3.43	0.37
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.43</b>	<b>0.37</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>1447.62</b>	<b>1,691.70</b>

**15. OPERATING EXPENSES**

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2026	For the year ended March 31, 2025
Operation & maintenance expenses	790.92	836.55
<b>Total</b>	<b>790.92</b>	<b>836.55</b>

**16. POWER AND FUEL EXPENSES**

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2026	For the year ended March 31, 2025
Power and fuel expenses	645.81	672.40
<b>Total</b>	<b>645.81</b>	<b>672.40</b>

**17. OTHER EXPENSES**

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2026	For the year ended March 31, 2025
Payment to auditors <sup>(1)</sup>	1.82	1.80
Legal and professional expenses	0.84	1.34
Rent expenses <sup>(2)</sup>	0.88	0.84
Insurance expenses	7.35	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>10.89</b>	<b>3.98</b>
<sup>(1)</sup> Remuneration to auditors:		
- Audit fees	1.50	1.50
- GST	0.27	0.27
- Out of pocket expenses	0.05	0.03
<b>Total</b>	<b>1.82</b>	<b>1.80</b>

<sup>(2)</sup> Leases

The Company has taken premises on lease that have a lease term of less than twelve months. The Company has elected to record lease payments in respect of such short term leases as an expenses by applying paragraph 6 of Ind AS 116.

Rental Expense recorded in respect of such short term leases in the statement of income and expenditure for the year Rs. 0.88 lakhs (March 31, 2025: Rs 0.84 lakhs).

**18. EARNINGS PER SHARE**

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2026	For the year ended March 31, 2025
Basic (₹)	-	17,877
Diluted (₹)	-	17,877
The earnings and weighted average number of equity shares used in the calculation of basic and diluted earnings per share are as follows:		
a) Surplus attributable to owners of the Company (in ₹ Lakhs)	-	178.77
b) Earnings used in the calculation of earnings for the year (in ₹ Lakhs)	-	178.77
c) Weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the year* (No.'s)	1,000	1,000
d) Nominal Value per share (in ₹)	100	100

\*There are no dilutive potential equity shares, hence weighted average number of shares used for basic and diluted EPS remain the same.

**19. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AND COMMITMENTS**

**a. Contingent Liabilities**

There are no contingent liabilities as at the year ended March 31, 2026 (March, 2025: Nil).

**b. Capital Commitments**

Estimated amount of contracts remaining to be executed on capital account and not provided for are Nil as at the year ended March 31, 2026 (March, 2025: Nil).



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**20. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENT  
FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS**

This section gives an overview of the significance of financial instruments for the Company and provides additional information on the balance sheet. Details of material accounting policies, including the criteria for recognition, the basis of measurement and the basis on which income and expenses are recognized, in respect of each class of financial asset and financial liability are disclosed in Note 3.

**Financial assets and liabilities:**

The accounting classification of each category of financial instruments, and their carrying amounts, are set out below:

Particulars	Fair Value through profit and loss	Fair Value through other comprehensive income	Amortized Cost	Total carrying value	Total fair value
<b>As at March 31, 2026</b>					
<b>Financial assets</b>					
Cash and cash equivalents	-	-	1.28	1.28	1.28
Receivables	-	-	295.17	295.17	295.17
Other financial assets	-	-	16.80	16.80	16.80
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>313.25</b>	<b>313.25</b>	<b>313.25</b>
<b>Financial liabilities</b>					
Payables	-	-	306.55	306.55	306.55
Other financial liabilities	-	-	1.66	1.66	1.66
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>308.21</b>	<b>308.21</b>	<b>308.21</b>
<b>As at March 31, 2025</b>					
<b>Financial assets</b>					
Cash and cash equivalents	-	-	0.60	0.60	0.60
Receivables	-	-	302.92	302.92	302.92
Other financial assets	-	-	6.84	6.84	6.84
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>310.36</b>	<b>310.36</b>	<b>310.36</b>
<b>Financial liabilities</b>					
Payables	-	-	298.57	298.57	298.57
Other financial liabilities	-	-	0.14	0.14	0.14
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>298.71</b>	<b>298.71</b>	<b>298.71</b>

The management assessed that cash and cash equivalents, other current financial assets, payables and other current financial liabilities approximate their carrying amounts largely due to the short-term maturities of these instruments.

Since the Company does not have any financial asset or liability measured at fair value, disclosure of fair value hierarchy and disclosure of category-wise assets and liabilities is not relevant. All financial assets and liabilities of the Company have been valued at amortised cost and their values are not expected to be different than those presented in financial statements.

**21. RISK MANAGEMENT FRAMEWORK**

**Risk management**

The Company's businesses are subject to several risks and uncertainties including financial risks such as liquidity risk and market risk.

**Financial risk**

The Company's Board approved financial risk policies comprise liquidity, currency and interest rate. The Company does not engage in speculative treasury activity.

**Liquidity risk**

Liquidity risk is defined as the risk that the Company will not be able to settle or meet its obligations on time or at a reasonable price. For the Company, liquidity risk arises from obligations on account of trade payables and other financial liabilities.

The Management monitors rolling forecasts of the company's liquidity position (comprising the commitment by the Holding Company) and cash and cash equivalents on the basis of expected cash flows.

The maturity profile of the Company's financial liabilities based on the remaining period from the date of balance sheet to the contractual maturity date is given in the table below. The figures reflect the contractual undiscounted cash obligation of the Company.

Payment due by years	<1 year	1-3 Years	3-5 Years	> 5 Years	Total
<b>As at March 31, 2026</b>					
Payable	306.55	-	-	-	306.55
Other financial liabilities	1.66	-	-	-	1.66
<b>Total</b>	<b>308.21</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>308.21</b>
<b>As at March 31, 2025</b>					
Payable	298.57	-	-	-	298.57
Other financial liabilities	0.14	-	-	-	0.14
<b>Total</b>	<b>298.71</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>298.71</b>



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**Market risk**

Market risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risk comprises currency risk and interest rate risk.

**a. Foreign exchange risk**

Foreign exchange risk is the risk that the future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates. There is no foreign currency exposure as at March 31, 2026 and March 31, 2025.

**b. Interest rate risk**

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of financial instruments will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rate. The Company does not have any borrowings as at March 31, 2026 and March 31, 2025.

**22. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT**

For the purpose of Company's capital management, capital includes issued capital, all other equity reserves and debts. The primary objective of the Company's capital management is to support its business. The funding requirements are met through donations received from the Holding Company. The Company believes that it will be able to meet all its current liabilities on timely manner. Since the company has no external borrowings, Capital gearing ratio is not presented for the year ended March 31, 2026 and March 31, 2025.

**23. RELATED PARTY**

**a. List of related parties:**

**Particulars**

**(i) Holding Companies:**

Hindustan Zinc Limited (Holding Company)  
Vedanta Limited (Intermediate Holding Company)  
Vedanta Resources Limited (Intermediate Holding Company)  
Vedanta Incorporated (Firsttime known as Volcan Investments Limited) (Ultimate Holding Company)

**(ii) Key management Personnel:**

Arun Misra (Director)  
Anupam Nidhi (Director)  
Kishor Kumar Sugumarani (Director)

**b. Transactions with Related Parties:**

The details of the related party transactions entered into by the Company, for the year ended March 31, 2026 and March 31, 2025 are as follows:

Nature of transactions	For the year ended March 31, 2026	For the year ended March 31, 2025
<b>Donation Income</b>		
Hindustan Zinc Limited	1444.19	1691.33
<b>Total</b>	<u>1444.19</u>	<u>1,691.33</u>
<b>Rent Expense</b>		
Hindustan Zinc Limited	0.88	0.84
<b>Total</b>	<u>0.88</u>	<u>0.84</u>
<b>Reimbursement of expenses- Insurance Expenses</b>		
Hindustan Zinc Limited	7.35	-
<b>Total</b>	<u>7.35</u>	<u>-</u>

**c. The balances outstanding as at year end:**

Particulars	As at March 31, 2026	As at March 31, 2025
<b>Payable to</b>		
Hindustan Zinc Limited	1.66	0.14
<b>Total</b>	<u>1.66</u>	<u>0.14</u>
<b>Receivable from</b>		
Hindustan Zinc Limited	295.17	302.92
<b>Total</b>	<u>295.17</u>	<u>302.92</u>



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**d. Terms and conditions of related party transaction**

Receivables and payables outstanding balances are unsecured, require settlement in cash and no guarantee or other security has been received/ given against these receivables/ payables.

**24. SEGMENT INFORMATION**

The Company has evaluated its operating segments in accordance with the requirements of Ind AS 108 – Operating Segments. Based on the information reviewed by the Chief Operating Decision Maker (CODM) for the purposes of allocation of resources and assessment of performance, the Company operates in a single segment. The CODM monitors the results of the Company as a whole, considering the nature of activities, and the internal reporting structure. Accordingly, the Company has only one reportable segment under Ind AS 108. Further, the Company operates only within India, and hence, there are no reportable geographical segments. Therefore, the disclosures required under Ind AS 108 relating to segments are not applicable to the Company.

**25. RATIO ANALYSIS AND ITS ELEMENTS \***

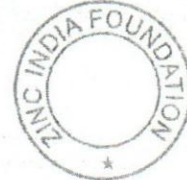
Ratio	Numerator	Denominator	March 31, 2026	March 31, 2025	% Variance	Reason for Variance more than 25%
Current ratio	Current Assets	Current Liabilities	1.00	1.04	(3.17%)	
Receivable Turnover Ratio	Total income (excluding Other income)	Average Receivable	4.84	11.17	(56.65%)	Ratio for the previous year was abnormally high due to absence of receivables in the year preceding to previous year, resulting in high variance in current year.
Payable Turnover Ratio	Total operating expenses	Average Payables	4.75	6.31	(24.76%)	

\*The following ratios are not applicable to the Company since the Company is a Not for Profit Organisation or does not have the relevant transactions: (i) Debt Equity ratio (ii) Debt Service coverage ratio (iii) Inventory Turnover Ratio (iv) Net capital turnover ratio (v) Return on Investment (vi) Net Profit ratio (vii) Return on Capital employed (viii) Return on equity

**26. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

There are no material adjusting or non-adjusting subsequent events.

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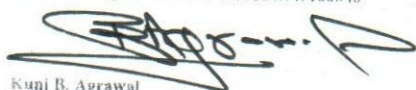
27. Other Statutory Information

- (i) The Company does not have any Benami property, where any proceeding has been initiated or pending against the company for holding any Benami property.
- (ii) The Company has not been declared wilful defaulter by any bank or financial Institution or other lender.
- (iii) The Company does not have any transactions with companies struck off.
- (iv) The Company does not have any charges or satisfaction which is yet to be registered with ROC beyond the statutory period.
- (v) The Company has not traded or invested in Crypto currency or Virtual Currency during the financial year.
- (vi) The Company has not advanced or loaned or invested funds to any other person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities (Intermediaries) with the understanding that the Intermediary shall:
- (a) directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the company
- (b) provide any guarantee, security or the like to or on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.
- (vii) The Company has not received any fund from any person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities (Funding Party) with the understanding (whether recorded in writing or otherwise) that the Company shall:
- (a) directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Funding
- (b) provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.
- (viii) The Company has no such transaction which is not recorded in the books of accounts that has been surrendered or disclosed as income during the year in the tax assessments under the Income Tax Act, 1961 (such as, search or survey or any other relevant provisions of the Income Tax Act, 1961.)
- (ix) The Company has used accounting software for maintaining its books of account which has a feature of recording audit trail (edit log) facility and the same has operated throughout the year for all relevant transactions recorded in the software. Further no instance of audit trail feature being tampered with was noted in respect of the software. Additionally, the Company has recorded and preserved audit trail in full compliance with the requirements of section 128(5) of the Companies Act, 2013, in respect of the financial year 2025-26.

The accompanying notes form an integral part of the financial statements.

As per our report on even date

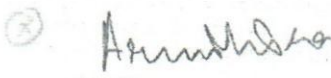
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Kunj B. Agrawal  
Partner  
Membership No : 095829

Place: New Delhi  
Date: April 17, 2026

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors of  
Zinc India Foundation



Arun Misra  
Director  
DIN: 01835605

Place: Udaipur  
Date: April 17, 2026

