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September 16th, 2010

The Secretary
 Karachi Stock Exchange (Guarantee) Limited
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Sub: Financial Results for the 3rd Quarter ended August 31, 2010

Dear Sir,

We have to inform you that the Board of Directors in their meeting held at 11.30 a.m. on Thursday, September 16th, 2010 considered and approved the financial results of the Company for Third Quarter and Nine Months ended August 31st, 2010.

The financial results of the Company are as follows:-

	JUN-AUG 2010	DEC - AUG 2010	JUN-AUG 2009	DEC - AUG 2009
	----- (Rupees ' 000) -----			
SALES - net				
Domestic	2,259,078	6,922,715	2,115,573	5,838,572
Export	183,273	405,290	127,307	295,562
	<u>2,422,351</u>	<u>7,328,014</u>	<u>2,242,880</u>	<u>6,134,134</u>
Service fee for toll manufacturing	-	-	3,715	10,038
	<u>2,422,351</u>	<u>7,328,014</u>	<u>2,246,595</u>	<u>6,153,172</u>
Cost of goods sold and services	1,540,195	4,868,617	1,555,151	4,424,329
Gross Profit	<u>882,156</u>	<u>2,461,397</u>	<u>691,444</u>	<u>1,728,843</u>
Selling and distribution expenses	383,233	1,060,871	303,118	861,472
Administrative Expenses	63,280	169,574	49,271	134,085
	<u>455,663</u>	<u>1,230,652</u>	<u>339,055</u>	<u>733,278</u>
Other operating income	30,625	77,161	46,018	111,188
Other operating charges	44,758	122,970	39,307	86,538
	<u>441,530</u>	<u>1,185,143</u>	<u>345,766</u>	<u>757,928</u>
Finance Cost	1,060	2,638	639	1,751
Profit before taxation	<u>440,470</u>	<u>1,182,505</u>	<u>345,127</u>	<u>756,177</u>
Taxation - Net	125,910	344,379	100,988	211,852
Profit after taxation	<u>314,560</u>	<u>838,126</u>	<u>244,139</u>	<u>544,525</u>
Earnings per share - basic / diluted (Rupees)	<u>3.21</u>	<u>8.56</u>	<u>2.49</u>	<u>5.56</u>