

# DAWOOD CORPORATION (PRIVATE) LIMITED

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The General Manager  
The Karachi Stock Exchange (Guarantee) Limited  
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**Subject: Disclosure of acquisition of more than 10% voting shares of Dawood Lawrencepur Limited**

Dear Sir,

Pursuant to the requirement of section 4 of the Listed Companies (Substantial Acquisition of Voting Shares & Take-Overs) Ordinance, 2002, we hereby disclose that on May 16<sup>th</sup> 2008 the Company acquired 11,624,839 shares (i.e. 24.9% of the total issued capital) of Dawood Lawrencepur Limited. As a result of the aforesaid acquisition the Company now holds an aggregate of 11,625,776 shares (i.e. 24.9% of the total issued capital) of Dawood Lawrencepur Limited.

Yours sincerely,



Mr. Samad Dawood  
Chief Executive

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