

# WEST COAST PAPER MILLS LTD.,

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Dear Sirs,

## Sub: Press Release on Financial Results

We enclose herewith Press Release on Un-audited Financial Results (Standalone & Consolidated) for the Quarter and Half year ended on 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2024, submitted to the stock exchanges dated 14.11.2024.

Please take the same on record.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully, For WEST COAST PAPER MILLS LIMITED

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### Press Release

**Nov 14, 2024, Kolkata / Dandeli**: West Coast Paper Mills Limited (BSE: 500444, NSE: WSTCSTPAPR), has reported its unaudited financial results for the quarter ended 30<sup>th</sup> Sept 2024.

#### FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS:

Particulars ₹ in Crores	Consolidated			Standalone		
	Q2FY25	Q1FY25	Q-o-Q change	Q2FY25	Q1FY25	Q-o-Q change
Revenue	1044.82	960.34	9%	609.36	641.81	-5%
EBIDTA	196.38	217.65	-10%	143.05	158.03	-9%
PAT	100.56	121.51	-17%	91.98	93.11	-1%
PAT Margin	10%	13%	-300bps	15%	15%	-
EPS	13.49	17.24	-22%	13.93	14.10	-1%

Commenting on the results Mr. S.K. Bangur, Chairman & Managing Director, West Coast Paper Mills Limited said: "The results have been impacted by the persistent high cost of wood. This sustained increase in raw material costs has put stress on margins. Additionally, there has been a notable rise in WPP imports at lower prices. The inflow of lower-cost imports has impacted the revenue realization in the Printing & Writing segment, intensifying the challenges we face in maintaining competitive pricing and profitability in this sector."

#### **About West Coast Paper Mills Limited**

West Coast Paper Mills Limited (BSE: 500444, NSE: WSTCSTPAPR), one of the oldest and the largest producers of paper for printing, writing and packaging in India. Established in 1955, the company enjoys a pedigree standing over the past 69 years as premium brand in paper industry, widely acknowledged in India and abroad.

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