

August 7, 2024

**National Stock Exchange of India Limited** 

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Kurla Complex, Bandra (E),

Mumbai - 400 051

**NSE SYMBOL: ZEEMEDIA** 

**BSE Limited** 

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**SCRIP CODE: 532794** 

Kind Attn. : Corporate Relationship Department

Subject : Disclosure under Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure

Requirement), Regulations, 2015 - Earning Release

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Dear Sir/Madam,

This is in continuation to our intimation dated August 7, 2024, with respect to Board meeting outcome, filed with the stock exchanges on August 7, 2024.

In this regard, please find attached the Earning Release on the Un-Audited Financial Results of the Company for the quarter and three months ended June 30, 2024.

You are requested to kindly take the above information on your records and disseminate the same including at your website.

Thanking you,

Yours truly,

For Zee Media Corporation Limited

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Zee Media Corporation Limited



## **EARNINGS RELEASE** for the quarter ended June 30, 2024

## Noida, India; August 7, 2024 -

The Board of Directors of Zee Media Corporation Limited (ZMCL) (BSE: 532794, NSE: ZEEMEDIA), in their meeting held today, approved and took on record the financial results of ZMCL for the quarter ended June 30, 2024, the highlights of which are as follows:

Highlights (₹ million)	For the Quarter		
	Q1FY25	Q1FY24	Growth
Operating Revenue	1,759.6	1,404.1	25.3%
Expenditure	1,611.9	1,601.5	0.7%
Operating Profit (EBITDA)	147.7	(197.4)	-174.8%

The tables below present the condensed consolidated statement of operations for ZMCL and its subsidiaries / associates for the quarter ended June 30, 2024:

Revenues (₹ million)	For the Quarter		
Revenues (< million)	Q1FY25	Q1FY24	Growth
Advertising Revenue	1,634.8	1,318.1	24.0%
Subscription Revenue	123.4	85.5	44.4%
Other sales and services	1.4	0.5	175.4%
<b>Total Revenue</b>	1,759.6	1,404.1	25.3%

Operating Expenditure (₹ million)	For the Quarter		
	Q1FY25	Q1FY24	Growth
Operating Costs	327.3	364.2	-10.1%
Employee Benefits Expenses	551.4	659.0	-16.3%
Other Expenses	733.2	578.3	26.8%
Total Expenses	1,611.9	1,601.5	0.7%

## **Business Highlights**

Zee News, our flagship channel, revolutionized election forecasting when the Zee News' Al anchor, Zeenia, delivered the AI Exit Poll data to viewers using cutting-edge artificial intelligence technology, resulting in the most accurate prediction of Voting Trends, in terms of the number of seats predicted for the political parties in Lok Sabha Elections.



- **Zee Business** is leading the Hindi business news segment with 60.3% market share, average weekly reach of 1.3 mn and 28 minutes ATSV [Source: BARC, All 22+, Male ABC, HSM, 0600-2400 hrs WK 30'24 (4 weeks rolling average)].
- Zee Bihar Jharkhand, our regional channel for the states of Bihar and Jharkhand, enjoyed 2<sup>nd</sup> ranking with 12 minutes ATSV and reached 1.7 million viewers [Source: BARC, All 15+, Bihar/Jharkhand, 0600-2400 hrs, WK 30'24 (4 weeks rolling average)].
- Zee Rajasthan, our regional channel catering to the Rajasthani audience, enjoyed 18.3 minutes ATSV, leading the market with 40.8% share [Source: BARC, All 15+, Rajasthan, 0600-2400 hrs, WK 30′24 (4 weeks rolling average)]. The channel continued to be number one in its region with a huge margin in market share and time spent. The channel organized event name "Education Excellence 2024" to honoured institution for their pivotal role in elevating educational standards.
- **Zee Madhya Pradesh Chhattisgarh,** through its relevant and engaging content, was at 3<sup>rd</sup> ranking with 20.5% market share, 11.4 minutes ATSV [Source: BARC, All 15+, UP/UK, 0600-2400 hrs, WK 30'24 (4 weeks rolling average)]. The channel organized various events such as "Education Conclave 2024" and "Emerging Madhya Pradesh".
- **Zee Uttar Pradesh Uttarakhand** organized "Vikas Ki Devbhoomi Uttarakhand Conclave". The channel covered "Leaders of Prayagraj" through its special event of the same name, to recognize and celebrate individuals who have shown exceptional achievement and dedication in their respective fields.
- Zee 24 Ghanta, our regional channel catering to Bengali audience got the broadcasting right of the prestigious "Calcutta Premier League".
- Salaam TV, our offering for Urdu audience, is at the top position with 67% market share and 15.5 minutes ATSV [Source: BARC, All 15+, India, 0600-2400 hrs, WK 30'24 (4weeks rolling average)].
- Zee Delhi NCR Haryana, our regional channel for the audiences across Delhi NCR Haryana, enjoyed 1<sup>st</sup> Ranking with 51.9% market share and 9.2 minutes ATSV [Source: BARC, All 15+, Delhi, 0600-2400 hrs, WK 30'24 (4 weeks rolling average)].
- Our Digital portfolio with its various brands in 11 languages had 1.9 Bn pageviews in Q1FY25, and MAU of 223 Mn in Q1FY25.
- Zee Digital ranks 3<sup>rd</sup> in the overall news & Information category (ComScore –Jun'24).
- Video views on YT increased by 60% in June'24 to 1864 Mn vs. 1166 Mn. in May'24.
- Our other regional channels and digital properties maintained strong performance by consistently engaging their target audiences with relevant content.



## **Caution Concerning Forward-Looking Statements**

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