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STATEMENT OF AUDITED STANDALONE FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER AND YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2022

					(INR in lacs, except per equity share data)		
5.No.	Particulars	Three months ended (Refer note 2)	Preceding three months ended	Corresponding three months ended in previous year (Refer nate 2)	Current year ended	Previous year ended	
		31-Mar-2022	31-Dec-2021	31-Mar-2021	31-Mar-2022	31-Mar-2021	
		(Audited)	(Un-Audited)	(Audited)	(Audited)	(Audited)	
ı	Revenue from operations	6,505	7,209	8,104	28,402	27,902	
11	Other income	332	190	131	1,119	889	
81	Total income (I+II)	6,837	7,399	8,235	29,521	28,791	
IV	Expenses						
*******	Employee benefits expense	2,839	2,914	3,067	11,974	11,450	
*******	Finance costs	43	23	47	117	136	
	Depreciation and amortization expense	325	334	344	1,336	1,246	
	Other expenses	1,076	1,723	2,428	6,255	7,169	
*******	Total expenses	4,283	4,994	5,886	19,682	20,001	
٧	Profit before tax (III-IV)	2,554	2,405	2,349	9,839	8,790	
VI	Tax expenses						
	Current tax	735	660	772	2,686	2,169	
******	Adjustment of tax relating to earlier years	50	18	1	68	498	
	Deferred tax	(86)	12	(201)	(61)	70	
*******	Total tax expenses	699	690	572	2,693	2,737	
VII	Profit for the period/year (V-VI)	1,855	1,715	1,777	7,146	6,053	
VIII	Other comprehensive income	Â.					
*******	Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss						
	Remeasurement of the net defined benefit liability/asset	7	19	64	1	3	
	Income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	(2)	(5)	(17)	(1)	(1)	
	Items that will be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss					************************	
	Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations	100	64	(183)	140	(157)	
	Total other comprehensive income for the period/year	105	78	(136)	140	(155	
iX	Total comprehensive income for the period/year (VII+VIII)	1,960	1,793	1,641	7,286	5,898	
x	Paid-up equity share capital (Face value - INR 10 per equity share) Other equity	1,711	1,805	1,805	1,711 30,889	1,80 <u>5</u> 34,066	
ΧI	Earnings per equity share (not annualised) (nominal value of share INR 10)						
	Basic and diluted	10.57	9.50	9.85	39.87	33.00	

No.	'EMENT OF AUDITED STANDALONE ASSETS AND LIABIL' Particulars	FIES As at 31-Mar-2022 (Audited)	(IVR :: lacs) As at 31-Mar-2021 (Audited)
A	ASSETS		(checking)
1	Non-current assets		
	Property, plant and equipment	1,781	1,824
	Investment property	101	104
	Right-of-use assets	865	742
	Goodwill	3,481	3,406
	Other intangible assets	1,688	2,239
	Financial assets		
	Investments	11,762	12,339
	Other financial assets	4,637	6,608
	Income tax assets (net)	492	147
	Other non-current assets	202	257
	Total non-current assets	25,009	27,666
2	Current assets		
	Financial assets		***************************************
	Investments	424	626
	Trade receivables	4,871	5,730
*****	Cash and cash equivalents	1,516	2,118
	Other bank balances	3,011	2,812
******	Other financial assets	602	593
******	Other current assets	4,531	4,260
******	Total current assets	14,955	16,139
******	TOTAL ASSETS	39,964	43,805
В	EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		Total A Anthropy Comment
1	Equity	······	
	Equity share capital	1,711	1,805
	Other equity	30,889	34,066
•••••	Total equity	32,600	35,871
2	Liabilities		
	Non-current liabilities	·····	
	Financial liabilities	<u>i</u>	
	Lease liabilities	704	1,063
	Deferred tax liabilities (net)	29	90
• • • • • • • • •	Total non-current liabilities	733	1,153
3	Current liabilities		
	Financial liabilities		
	Lease liabilities	358	163
	Trade payables		
	Due to Micro and Small enterprises	16	56
	Due to Others	2,431	3,152
	Other financial liabilities	434 :	678
		3,156	2,233
	Other current liabilities	**************************************	
	Provisions	93	249
	Income tax liabilities (net)	143	250
	Total current liabilities TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	6,631 39,964	6,781 43,805

	Particulars	Current year ended 31-Mar-2022	Previous year ended 31-Mar-2021
		(Audited)	(Audited)
i.	Cash flows from operating activities		
	Net profit before tax	9,839	8,7
.;.	Adjustments:		
	Depreciation and amortisation expense	1,336	1,2
	Interest income	(507)	(5)
	Net gain on sale of current investment	(9)	(
	Finance costs paid		
ij.	Gain on sale of property, plant and equipment (net)	(8)	
	Rent concession as a variable lease payment		
	Loss on liquidation of wholly owned subsidiary		
.į.	Gain on investment carried at fair value through profit or loss (net)	(21)	(
	Liabilities/provisions no longer required written back	(14)	
. ; .	Allowances for expected credit loss	(114)	
	Bad debts written off	66	
: -į-	Allowances for doubtful advances	3	
	Allowances for contract assets	213	
	Income from government grants	(248)	
	Advances written off (net)	77	
	Unrealised foreign exchange loss (net)	(18)	
	Unrealised foreign exchange (gain)/loss on mark-to-market on forward contracts	14	(1
:	Miscellaneous income	-	(
1	Operating cash flows before working capital changes	10,727	9,5
	Decrease/(increase) in trade receivables	902	(1,0
	(increase) in loans	(3)	
:	Decrease in other financial assets	167	
	(Increase)/decrease in other current assets	(314)	3
	Decrease/(increase) in other non-current assets	55	(
	(Decrease)/increase in trade payables	(761)	
:	(Decrease) in other financial liabilities	(222)	(1
	Increase in other liabilities	948	
	(Decrease) in provisions	(155)	(2
1	Cash generated from operations	11,344	9,6
1	Income tax paid (net of refunds)	(3,207)	(1,9
1	Net cash generated from operating activities (A)	8,137	7,0
1	Cash flow from investing activities		
	Purchase of property, plant and equipment (including capital work-in-proress)	(347)	(5
	Purchase of other intangible assets	(19)	
	Sale of property, plant and equipment	9	
	Acquisition of business (net of cash and cash equivalents acquired)	-	(4,2
	Investment in subsidiaries	-	(1
	Loan repaid by subsidiary	-	2,1
	Proceeds on liquidation of subsidiary (refer note 6(i))	188	
	Purchase of current investments	(5,268)	(16,7
	Sale of current investments	5,499	21,
	Purchase of term deposits	(6,927)	(9,4
	Redemption of term deposits	8,755	1,
	Redemption of investment in preference shares	-:	2,
	Rent received	400	
:	Interest received	246	
		2,536	(3,4
	Net cash generated from/(used in) investing activities (B)		
	Net cash generated from/(used in) investing activities (B) Cash flow from financing activities		
	Cash flow from financing activities	(700)	
	Cash flow from financing activities Repayment of lease liabilities including interest expenses		
	Cash flow from financing activities Repayment of lease liabilities including interest expenses Buy-back of equity shares	(8,500)	(3,4
	Cash flow from financing activities Repayment of lease liabilities including interest expenses		(3,4

STATEMENT OF AUDITED STANDALONE CASH FLOWS (INR in lacs)

Net cash used in financing activities (C)	(11,281)	(4,912)
Net (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents (A+B+C)	(608)	(663)
Impact on cash flows on account of foreign currency translation reserve	(16)	5
Effects of exchange differences on cash and cash equivalents held in foreign currency	22	(219)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	2,118	2,995
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	1,516	2,118

NOTES:

- 1 These results have been prepared in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in Indian Accounting Standards ('Ind AS') notified under section 133 of Companies Act, 2013. These results have been reviewed by the Audit Committee and upon their recommendation, approved by the Board of Directors at their meeting held on 17 May 2022. The Statutory auditors of the Company have carried out audit of the financial results for the year ended 31 March 2022 and an unmodified audit report has been issued. The same are available with Stock Exchanges and on the Company's website at www.mpslimited.com.
- 2 The figures for the three months ended 31 March 2022 and 31 March 2021 are the balancing figures between audited figures in respect of the full financial year and the published year to date figures up to preceding quarter of the relevant financial year which were subject to limited review.

3 Segment Reporting

(a) Based on the "management approach" as defined in Ind AS 108 Operating Segments, the Chief Operating Decision Maker ("CODM") evaluates the Company's performance and allocates resources based on an analysis of various performance indicators by business segments. During the quarter ended 30 June 2021, the CODM has evaluated and realigned the composition of the business segments to reflect the changes in the internal organisation structure and accordingly the segment revenue and results have been reclassified for all the reported periods. The accounting principles used in the preparation of the financial statements are consistently applied to record revenue and expenditure in individual segments.

(IMR in lacs)

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v. =		(Audited)	(Un-Audited)	(Audited)	(Audited)	(Audited)
1	Segment revenue				:	
	Content solutions	4,382	4,365	4,016	17,575	16,017
	Platform solutions	2,123	2,844	4,088	10,827	11,885
	Total revenue from operations	6,505	7,209	8,104	28,402	27,902
88	Segment results (profit before tax, exceptional items and interest from each segment)					
	Content solutions	1,651	1,758	1,486	7,103	6,511
	Platform solutions	1,286	986	1,247	4,086	3,661
	Total	2,937	2,744	2,733	11,189	10,172
	Less: Finance cost	43	23	47	117	136
	Less: Un-allocable expenditure (net of un-allocable income)	340	316	337	1,233	1,246
	Profit before tax	2,554	2,405	2,349	9,839	8,790

- (b) Assets and liabilities used in the Company's business are not identified to any of the reportable segments, as these are used interchangeably between segments and the management believes that it is not practicable to provide segment disclosures relating to total assets and liabilities.
- 4 On 1 July 2020, the Company had completed the acquisition of the HighWire Press US Business at a purchase consideration of INR 5,181 Lacs through its US branch and the newly incorporated wholly owned subsidiary, HighWire North America LLC. This being a Business Combination thus based on the purchase price allocation to the various identifiable acquired assets and assumed liabilities, goodwill of INR 3,423 Lacs had been recognised. The measurement period of goodwill had been closed on 30 June 2021 as per applicable accounting standards. MPS North America LLC, an existing US based wholly owned subsidiary of the Company has also acquired, through Stock Purchase Agreement, 100% shares of HighWire Press Limited, based at Northern Ireland along with its wholly owned subsidiary, Semantico Limited, based at United Kingdom at a purchase consideration of INR 770 Lacs.
- 5 During the period ended 31 March 2022, the Company has completed Buyback of 9,44,444 equity shares. All the equity shares bought back have been extinguished on 11 February 2022.
- 6 During the period ended March 2022, HighWire North America LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company cease to exist retrospectively from December 21, 2021 upon the completion of dissolution process.
- 7 The Code on Social Security, 2020 (the Code) relating to employee benefits during employment and post-employment benefits has been enacted, which would impact the contributions by the Company towards Provident Fund and Gratuity. The effective date from which the changes are applicable is yet to be notified and rules are yet to be framed. The Company will assess the impact and will give appropriated impact in its financial results in the period in which, the Code becomes effective and the related rules are published.
- 8 The Board recommended a final dividend of INR 30 (face value of INR 10 per share) per equity share. This payment is subject to the approval of shareholders in the Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Company to be held on June 27, 2022.
- In assessing the recoverability of receivables including unbilled receivables, contract assets, goodwill, intangible assets and investments, the Company has considered internal and external information up to the date of approval of these financial results including economic forecasts considering emerging situations due to COVID-19. Based on current indicators of future economic conditions, the Company expects to recover the carrying amount of these assets. Due to the nature of the pandemic, the Company will continue to monitor developments to identify significant uncertainties in future periods.

By Order of the Board of Directors

Rahul Arora

Place: Gurugram

Date: 17 May 2022

Chairman and Managing Director