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To

<b>Bombay Stock Exchange Limited</b> Department of Corporate Services, SP. J. Towers, Dalal Street, Mumbai – 400 001 (Scrip Code-514162)	<b>National Stock Exchange of India Limited</b> Listing Compliance Department Exchange Plaza, Bandra-Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400 051 (Symbol: WELSPUNIND)
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**Re: Regulation 30 read with Part C of Schedule III of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015**

Dear Sir / Madam,

**Sub: Press release**

Please be informed that the Company has been recognized amongst the top innovators in South Asia at the Clarivate South and South East Asia Innovation Award 2020.

Please find enclosed herewith the text of the press communication, which is being released simultaneously to the media.

Please take the same on your record.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,  
For **Welspun India Limited**



**Shashikant Thorat**  
**Company Secretary**  
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Encl: As Above

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## Welspun India recognized amongst the top innovators in South Asia at the Clarivate South and South East Asia Innovation Award 2020

*Named as a winner in the Corporation segment, the award marks another impressive milestone for Welspun Group*

**Mumbai, XX January, 2021:** Welspun India Limited, a global leaders of home textiles, added another feather to its illustrious cap by being named amongst the most' **Influential Innovators' at the Clarivate South and South East Asia Innovation Award 2020**. Welspun won the award in the Corporation segment and was the only player from the textile industry.

**Ms. Dipali Goenka, Jt. MD & CEO, Welspun India Ltd said,** "Innovation is an integral part of the Welspun's DNA and the foundation on which our customer-centric solutions are built. Our innovation-driven approach has helped us to challenge the status quo, set new industry benchmarks, and build an industry-leading portfolio of 30 innovations over the years. We are proud to be recognized amongst the most' Influential Innovator' by an illustrious industry forum such as South and South East Asia Innovation Forum by Clarivate. The award is a testament to our efforts and motivates us to keep developing more relevant and innovative solutions for our customers."

Welspun has always focused on consumers' needs and catered to them with innovations like Nanocore technology, which prevents dust mites and other allergens from entering home linens. Additionally, the company introduced an industry-defining, multi-level traceability process Wel-Trak™ that tracks finished products back to the raw material as well as HygroCotton technology which traps the air in its core thereby making terry towels bloom after every wash and regulates a bedsheet's temperature naturally.

Every year, Clarivate, a global leader in providing trusted information and insights to accelerate the pace of innovation hosts the Innovation Forum, which also brings together leaders from academic, government and industry sectors across the region to share best practices and transformational initiatives that accelerate the pace of innovation.

The awards were based on an analysis of patent volume, citation volume, patent success, and globalization level using patent data from Derwent World Patents Index™ (DWPI) and Derwent Patent Citations Index™ (DPCI). Analysis was strictly conducted using proprietary Clarivate Analytics data and tools, with the evaluation strictly driven by metrics for both patent volume (patents published) and patent quality (grant success rate, the extent of globalization, and citations). The awards were given in three broad categories – Government Research Organisations, Academic Institutions, and Corporations – for each country in the region.

**[About Welspun India:](#)**

Welspun India Ltd (WIL), part of \$2.7 Bn Welspun Group, is a global leader in Home textiles. With a distribution network in more than 50 countries and world class manufacturing facilities in India, Welspun is strategic partners with top global retailers. WIL is driven by its differentiation strategy based on Branding, Innovation and Sustainability.