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Dear Sir,

## Financial Results for the Year Ended 31 December 2014

We wish to inform you that the Board of Directors of Dawood Hercules Corporation Limited in their meeting held on Saturday, 7<sup>th</sup> March 2015 at 10.00 AM at Dawood Center, M.T. Khan Road, Karachi, has approved the audited Standalone Financial Statements of the Company and Consolidated Financial Statements of the Group for the year ended 31 December 2014 and recommended the following:

## Cash Dividend:

A final cash dividend for the year ended 31st December 2014 at Rs. 1.00 per share i.e. 10%.

The financial results of the Company are attached as 'Annexure A' and 'Annexure B'.

The Annual General Meeting of the Company will be held on Friday, 24<sup>th</sup> April 2015 at 11:30 am at Pearl Continental Hotel, Karachi.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from 17<sup>th</sup> April 2015 to 24<sup>th</sup> April 2015 (both days inclusive). Transfer received in order at the office of our Registrar, Messrs. FAMCO Associates (Pvt.) Limited, 8-F,Next to Hotel Faran, Nursery, Block-6, P.E.C.H.S., Shahrah-e-Faisal, Karachi upto the close of business (5:00 pm) on 16<sup>th</sup> April 2015, will be treated in time for the purpose of above entitlement to the transferees.

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We will be sending you 200 copies of printed accounts for distribution amongst the members of the Exchange 21 days before the date of AGM.

Sincerely yours,

For Dawood Hercules Corporation Limited

**Shafiq Ahmed** 

**Company Secretary** 

Encl: As above

## DAWOOD HERCULES CORPORATION LIMITED

FINANCIAL RESULTS (STANDALONE) FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

Karachi: March 7, 2015

	December 31, 2014	December 31, 2013
	('Rupees in '000)	
Dividend Income	1,652,946	922,406
Administrative expenses	(412,157)	(418,737)
	1,240,789	503,669
Other operating expenses	(696)	(428)
Other (loss) / income	(83,770)	16,818
Operating profit	1,156,323	520,059
Finance costs	(121,961)	(65,447)
Profit before taxation	1,034,362	454,612
Taxation	(174,256)	(25,327)
Profit after taxation	860,106	429,285
Earnings per share (Rupees) - basic and diluted	1.79	0.89

For Dawood Hercules Corporation Limited

Shafiq Ahmed

**Company Secretary** 

# DAWOOD HERCULES CORPORATION LIMITED

FINANCIAL RESULTS (CONSOLIDATED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

Karachi: March 7, 2015

	December 31, 2014	December 31, 2013
	('Rupees in '000)	
		Restated
Net sales	3,670,299	4,840,142
Cost of sales	(3,396,587)	(4,050,853)
Gross profit	273,712	789,289
Selling and distribution expenses	(106,976)	(95,555)
Administrative expenses	(613,828)	(640,643)
Other operating expenses	(9,007)	(38,955)
Other income	86,148	280,046
Operating (loss) / profit	(369,951)	294,182
Finance cost	(890,163)	(849,839)
Share of profit of associates	3,941,451	4,449,086
Gain on dilution of share in associate	720,515	
Profit before taxation	3,401,852	3,893,429
Taxation	(427,142)	(441,644)
Profit after taxation	2,974,710	3,451,785
Earnings per share (Rupees) - basic and diluted	6.18	7.17

For Dawood Hercules Corporation Limited

Shafiq Ahmed

Company Secretary