

Vedanta Champions Global Quality Standards of Excellence on World Quality Day 2025

- **Reimagining quality through innovation, global standards, and customer-centric excellence**

New Delhi, November 12, 2025: On the occasion of World Quality Day 2025, celebrated under the global theme “Quality: Think Differently,” Vedanta Limited, India’s leading energy transition metals, oil & gas, critical minerals, power, and technology conglomerate, reaffirmed its commitment to reimagining quality as a driver of innovation, sustainability, and global competitiveness. This commitment is underscored by Vedanta’s extensive portfolio of global licenses, memberships, and certifications that showcase its adherence to the highest international standards of responsible production, environmental stewardship, and governance excellence.

Across its businesses in aluminium, zinc, lead, silver, copper, iron & steel, oil & gas, and energy, Vedanta continues to pioneer a new paradigm of total quality excellence. Its focus on highest standards of quality is further reflected in affiliations with leading global institutions such as the International Council on Mining & Metals (ICMM), Aluminium Stewardship Initiative (ASI), Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS), Environmental Product Declaration (EPD), International Aluminium Association (IAA), International Organization for Standardization (ISO), International Zinc Association (IZA), London Bullion Market Association (LBMA), London Metal Exchange (LME), National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories (NABL), Oil & Gas Methane Partnership (OGMP), REACH certification, and S&P Global Sustainable1.

Of particular significance, Hindustan Zinc’s membership with ICMM places it among a select group of global mining leaders committed to the highest standards of ethics, safety, and sustainable development.

Both Hindustan Zinc and Vedanta Aluminium exemplify how quality and innovation can transform industries and enable a greener future, while leading the way in low-carbon and circular economy initiatives. As the world’s largest integrated zinc producer, Hindustan Zinc has established new benchmarks in product reliability and environmental transparency, and responsible sourcing practices recognized internationally. It is the first company in India’s zinc and lead sector to receive NABL accreditation, highlighting its advanced testing and calibration capabilities. The company has also started its Agile Quality Circle, empowering employees to apply the most effective quality tools to each challenge, supported by its Laboratory Information Management System (LIMS), which ensures traceability, transparency, and accuracy across all quality processes. Its products are registered both with the London Metal Exchange (LME) and London Bullion Market Association (LBMA), assuring global buyers of purity, consistency, and responsible sourcing, including 99.99% pure silver. Hindustan Zinc also holds REACH certification, allowing exports across all 27 EU member states, and has earned EPD International verification for its extensive zinc portfolio, one of the largest in the world. These certifications, aligned with ISO and EN sustainability standards, demonstrate the company’s efforts to minimize life-cycle environmental impact across manufacturing, use, and end-of-life

phases. Demonstrating its leadership in sustainability, Hindustan Zinc has also introduced its low-carbon 'green' zinc brand EcoZen and set ambitious carbon-reduction targets.

Similarly, Vedanta Aluminium, India's largest aluminium producer, has become the first in the Indian aluminium industry to earn BIS certification across 15 product lines, including wire rods, primary foundry alloy & remelt products, and rolled products. It has also achieved EPD verification for billets, primary foundry alloys, wire rods, and ingots, following comprehensive Life Cycle Assessments that highlight strong performance on energy, emissions, and water efficiency. The company's Jharsuguda plant is certified by the Aluminium Stewardship Initiative (ASI), the global benchmark for sustainable aluminium production. With its Centre of Quality Excellence and Customer Technical Service (CTS) teams, Vedanta Aluminium works closely with clients in over 50 countries, enabling breakthroughs in sectors such as aerospace, automotive, renewable energy, and electric mobility.

As Vedanta advances its *Vedanta 2.0* vision, quality remains at the heart of its transformation journey. By embedding advanced digital technologies, AI-led process control, and R&D-driven innovation, the company is developing the next generation of materials that are lighter, cleaner, and more efficient, fueling India's ambitions in renewable energy, electric vehicles, and advanced manufacturing. Through its adherence to international standards and collaborations with global quality bodies, Vedanta is positioning Indian industry at the forefront of responsible and innovative production, proving that quality, when reimaged, is not just about compliance but about creating enduring value for customers, communities, and the nation.

About Vedanta Limited

Vedanta Group is a global leader in critical minerals, transition metals, energy, and technology, with operations spanning India, South Africa, Namibia, Liberia, UAE, Saudi Arabia, Korea, Taiwan, and Japan. As the world's largest integrated producer of zinc, the fourth-largest global producer of silver, and one of the top producers of aluminium globally, Vedanta plays a pivotal role in the global supply of essential materials for the energy transition. The Company is also India's only private oil and gas producer and one of the largest private power producers. A global ESG champion, Vedanta is committed to achieving net-zero emissions by 2050 or sooner. Through its transformative social impact initiatives, the company has improved the lives of nearly 7 million people in underserved regions. For more information, please visit www.vedantalimited.com

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