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Sub: JSW Steel secures coveted position in DJSI World and Emerging Market Sustainability Indices

Dear Sirs,

Enclosed herewith is a press release dated 09.12.2023 on the above subject, which is self-explanatory.

This is for your information and in compliance with applicable Regulation of the Securities Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,
For **JSW STEEL LIMITED**

Lancy Varghese
Company Secretary



PRESS RELEASE

JSW STEEL SECURES COVETED POSITION IN DJSI WORLD AND EMERGING MARKET SUSTAINABILITY INDICES

Mumbai, India – December 09, 2023 – JSW Steel Ltd. (“JSW Steel” or the “Company”) is happy to announce that the Company is a member of the DJSI World Index and the DJSI Index for Emerging Markets. The Company had participated in the 2023 S&P Global Corporate Sustainability Assessment (CSA) conducted to construct the Dow Jones Sustainability Index, and received a score of 99th percentile, moving to the top 2 position globally in the steel sector. This quantum leap is a testament to our good ESG practices and commitment to work towards a sustainable world.

Jayant Acharya, Joint Managing Director and CEO - JSW Steel Limited said “We understand our responsibility towards making our planet sustainable and we lay our groundwork with commitment, accountability, and transparency. We are proud to be part of the DJSI World Index and reach the top 2 position in steel sector globally in the S&P Global CSA demonstrating our commitment towards sustainability and being Better Everyday.”

The S&P Global Corporate Sustainability Assessment (CSA) is an annual evaluation that scrutinizes the sustainability practices of companies worldwide. Covering over 10,000 companies, the CSA focuses on sustainability criteria that are industry-specific and financially material. Established in 1999, it has served as the foundation for numerous ESG indices over the past two decades, including the Dow Jones Sustainability Indices (DJSI), S&P 500 ESG, and various other sustainability indices. The indices serve as benchmarks for investors who believe sustainable business practices lead to long-term shareholder value and who wish to reflect their sustainability convictions in their portfolio.

With rising urgency to tackle issues like climate change, and social impact, and the need to strengthen governance for better accountability, resilience, and responsibility, JSW’s performance in the CSA marks the company’s and its stakeholders’ commitment to advance on the track of strong ESG outlook and performance. We thank all our internal stakeholders for their valuable inputs and support. With this, we intend to improve our performance each year so that we stand true to JSW’s ethos of being *#BetterEveryday*.

About JSW Steel:

- *JSW Steel is the flagship business of the diversified, US\$ 23 billion JSW Group. As one of India's leading business houses, JSW Group also has interests in energy, infrastructure, cement, paints, sports, and venture capital.*
- *Over the last three decades, JSW Steel has grown from a single manufacturing unit to become India's leading integrated steel company with a capacity of 29.7 MTPA in India and the USA. Its next phase of growth in India will take its total capacity to 38.5 MTPA by FY25. The Company's manufacturing unit in Vijayanagar, Karnataka is the largest single location steel plant in India with current capacity of 12.5 MTPA, increasing to 19.5 MTPA by FY25.*
- *JSW Steel has always been at the forefront of research and innovation. It has a strategic collaboration with global leader, JFE Steel of Japan, enabling JSW to access new and state-of-the-art technologies to produce and offer high-value special steel products to its customers. These products are extensively used across industries and applications including construction, infrastructure, automobile, electrical applications, and appliances.*
- *JSW Steel is widely recognized for its excellence in business and sustainability practices. Some of these recognitions include World Steel Association's Steel Sustainability Champion (consecutively from 2019 to 2023), Leadership Rating (A) in CDP climate change disclosure (2022), Deming Prize for TQM for its facilities at Vijayanagar (2018), and Salem (2019). It was part of the Dow Jones Sustainability Index (DJSI) for World and Emerging Market during 2023.*
- *JSW Salem Works became the first Integrated Steel Plant in the world to achieve the British Safety Council 5-star rating, as well as receive the "Sword of Honor" award. JSW Steel Dolvi Works achieved a top rating in the British Safety Council 5-star OHS Rating Audit.*
- *In December 2022, JSW Steel was ranked 8th among the top 35 world-class steelmakers, according to the 'World-Class Steelmaker Rankings' by World Steel Dynamics (WSD), based on a variety of factors.*
- *As a responsible corporate citizen, JSW Steel's CO2 emission reduction goals are aligned with India's Climate Change commitments under the Paris Accord.*
- *JSW Steel aims to reduce its CO2 emissions by 42% from its steel-making operations and achieve net zero CO2 emissions at its subsidiary, JSW Steel Coated Products Ltd by 2030. JSW Steel aims to lead the energy transition by powering steel-making operations entirely by renewable energy by 2030.*
- *Other sustainability targets include achieving no-net loss in biodiversity at the operating sites by 2030, substantially improving air quality and reducing water consumption in all operations and maintaining Zero Liquid Discharge.*
- *JSW Steel has emerged as an organisation with a strong cultural foundation. It is certified by Great Places to Work (2021, 2022 and 2023) as well as ranked as one of the Best Employers among Nation Builders (2023).*

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