

PSX/PakChem/ **024-2019**

April 25, 2019

The General Manager  
Pakistan Stock Exchange Limited  
Stock Exchange Building  
Stock Exchange Road  
Karachi.

Dear Sir,

**FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE 1<sup>ST</sup> QUARTER ENDED 31<sup>ST</sup> MARCH 2019**

We have to inform you that the Board of Directors of our Company in their Meeting held on Thursday, 25<sup>th</sup> of April 2019 at 11:00 am at the Company premises, B-19/A, Irshad Qadri Road, S.I.T.E., Karach, recommended the following:

(i) CASH DIVIDEND	NIL
(ii) BONUS SHARES	NIL
(iii) RIGHT SHARES	NIL
(iv) ANY OTHER ENTITLEMENT/CORPORATE ACTION	NIL
(v) ANY OTHER PRICE-SENSITIVE INFORMATION	NIL

The financial results of the company are as follows:

	MARCH 2019 Rs.'000	MARCH 2018 Rs.'000
Sales net	206,472	221,598
Cost of sales	(185,873)	(212,515)
Gross Profit	20,599	9,083
Administrative expenses	(11,478)	(11,877)
Shipping expenses	(7,498)	(8,115)
Other operating expenses	(225)	-
	(19,201)	(19,992)
	1,398	(10,909)
Other Income	2,656	4,042
Operating profit/(loss) before finance costs	4,054	(6,867)
Finance Costs	(1,179)	(1,272)
<b>Profit/(loss) before taxation</b>	<b>2,875</b>	<b>(8,139)</b>
Taxation	(2,219)	(2,200)
<b>Profit/(loss) for the period</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>(10,339)</b>
	----- Rupees -----	
<b>Profit/(loss) per share - basic and diluted</b>	<b>0.15</b>	<b>(2.43)</b>

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The quarterly report of the Company for the period ended 31 March 2019 will be transmitted through PURCARS separately, within the specified time.

Yours Sincerely,  
**For PAKISTAN GUM & CHEMICALS LTD.**



**Zafar Iqbal**  
*Company Secretary*

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