

#### **INVESTOR RELEASE**

# Dwarikesh Sugar Q1 Net Profit at Rs. 31.93 Crs

### Strong surge in Profitability Matrix

**03**<sup>rd</sup> **August, 2016, Mumbai** – The Board of Directors of Dwarikesh Sugar Industries Limited (the "Company") in their meeting held today have announced Unaudited Financial results for the quarter ended 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2016.

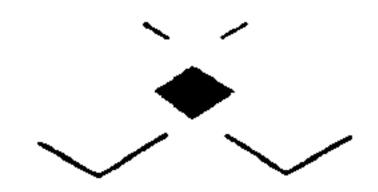
#### Key Highlights are as follows:

Particulars (Rs. Cr)	Q1-FY17	Q1-FY16
Total Income	286.27	196.62
EBITDA	52.31	(40.61)
EBITDA Margin	18.3%	NM
PAT	31.93	(56.20)
PAT %	11.2%	NM

The financial performance of the Company was aided by:

- a. Operating efficiencies achieved during the sugar season ("SS") 2016 as reflected in higher sugar recoveries. For the SS 2016, sugar recovery achieved by us was 11.73% as against 10.78% in SS 2015. Higher sugar recoveries have translated into lower per unit cost of production. On 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2016 the Company was carrying a sugar stock of 11.02 lac quintals valued at Rs. 2,664 per quintal
- b. Improvement in sugar recoveries also driven by superior varietal mix.
- c. Reasonable realizations in Sugar owing to restoration of balance emanating from alignment of production & consumption, both globally & domestically.

On back of recovery in sugar prices and improved performance in the last few months, our credit rating has been upgraded by ICRA. Rating has been upgraded from [ICRA] BB+ (pronounced as ICRA Double B Plus) to [ICRA] BBB- (pronounced as ICRA Triple B minus) with positive outlook for Long Term Loans/Fund based/Non Fund based facilities.



## At Dwarikesh, our Strategy moving forward shall be:

- 1. Build on Operating Efficiencies and Cost Control through continuous improvements in operating parameters, R&D and continuous farmer engagement and through Plant efficiencies & logistics management
- 2. De-leverage Balance Sheet through Cash generation and improvement in our Financial parameters
- 3. On-going focus on Cane Development to improve recoveries for our sugar mills and yield for farmers, leading to win-win situation for all stakeholders

#### About Dwarikesh Sugar Industries Ltd -

Dwarikesh is a multi-faceted, integrated sugar company with plants at Uttar Pradesh, deriving its revenues from Sugar, by-products such as Molasses and value added products such as Ethanol and Power. It has 3 plants with combined capacity to crush 21,500 TCD of Sugarcane, generate 86 MW of Power of which 56 MW is evacuated to the State Grid and manufacture 30 KL of Ethanol per day. Equity shares of the Company are listed both on BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Ltd.

For more information about Dwarikesh Sugar Industries Limited, please visit <a href="http://www.dwarikesh.com/carporate-video.aspx">www.dwarikesh.com/carporate-video.aspx</a> for our corporate documentary

#### Safe harbor statement

Statements in this document relating to future status, events, or circumstances, including but not limited to statements about plans and objectives, the progress and results of research and development, potential project characteristics, project potential and target dates for project related issues are forward-looking statements based on estimates and the anticipated effects of future events on current and developing circumstances. Such statements are subject to numerous risks and uncertainties and are not necessarily predictive of future results. Actual results may differ materially from those anticipated in the forward-looking statements. The company assumes no obligation to update forward-looking statements to reflect actual results changed assumptions or other factors.

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