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BSE Limited Department of Corporate Services Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street, Mumbai – 400 001 Security Code: 523696

## Sub: Intimation under Regulation 30 of SEBI LODR

Dear Sir(s),

In compliance of Regulation 30 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, this is to inform you that Board of Directors of the Company has approved appointment of Mr. Ravi Rajagopal as an additional director (Non-Executive and Independent) of the Company with effect from October 23, 2019 for a term of 5 (five) years, up to October 22, 2024, not liable to retire by rotation subject to the approval of the shareholders. He is not related to any of the existing directors. Brief Profile of Rajagopal is attached herewith and marked as **Annexure 1**.

Mr. Rajagopal declared that, he is not debarred from accessing the capital markets and / or restrained from holding any position / office of director in a company pursuant to order of SEBI or any other such authority.

This is for your information and records please.

Thanking You For Fortis Malar Hospitals Limited

Shashank Porwal Company Secretary M. No. ACS-51957



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## Annexure 1

Mr. Ravi Rajagopal, aged about 63 years, is a Chartered Accountant and has a 35 year career in major consumer goods businesses. He has held several positions at ITC from 1979 to 1995, where he was involved in Packaging, Tobacco Farming, Agri-Businesses, Financial Services and Tobacco Marketing. He was head of Finance and Commercial at Ranbaxy Laboratories from 1995 to 1996, after which he moved to Diageo pie, where he held several positions including Finance Director for India and South Asia, Chief Financial Officer for Venture Markets and International Region, Group Financial Controller, Managing Director for India and South Asia and Chief Financial Officer for Europe. From 2010 to 2015, he was Global Head for Mergers and Acquisitions at Diageo Plc.

He currently serves as Chairman for JM Financial Services Singapore, as well as an Independent Director and Chairman of the Audit Committee for Vedanta Resources Plc. He is a Director and Audit Chair of Airtel Africa Plc. UK. He is an Association Member of BUPA. Earlier board experience includes serving as Non-Executive Director in United Spirits from 2013 to 2016, as well as forming and leading Diageo's India Advisory Board on India Strategy and Business Development between 2008 and 2015. He is also one of the Trustee of Science Museum Foundation, UK.

He has a B.Com degree from Madras University, and also completed the Advanced Management Programme at Harvard Business School in 2001. He is currently a Board Member of Pratham UK, a charitable organization focused on child literacy and vocational skilling and is Trustee in a school for under privileged children in Chennai, where 1,200 students up to the 12th grade are taught free of charge. He has helped build a paediatric cancer wing in Chennai for up to 70 patients at a cost of £500k and is currently a Trustee in overseeing the running of the wing. He has lectured at Oxford University and Imperial College on M&A and is currently studying MA (History of Ideas).