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To,
The Manager,
Listing Department,
National Stock Exchange of India Ltd,
"Exchange Plaza"
Bandra – Kurla Complex, Bandra (E),
Mumbai – 400 051

Dear Sir,

Sub: Media Release
Ref: Script Symbol: GULFPETRO

As per the listing agreement, please find enclosed herewith Media Release text matter of our Company, titled "**GP Petroleums launches first REPSOL passenger Car Oil in India**".

We have provided the aforesaid titled Media Release text matter to the press for publication.

Kindly take them on record.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,
For **GP PETROLEUMS LIMITED**


D. MALLA REDDY
COMPANY SECRETARY

Enclosed: Media Release Text Matter



Media Release

GP Petroleums launches first REPSOL passenger car oil in India

Editor's Synopsis

- Launches Repsol Passenger Car Motor Oils (PCMO) for the first time in India
- 'Repsol Elite NEO XTI 5W-40' and 'Repsol Elite NEO 5W-30' launched
- The PCMO range follows the successful launch of Repsol's Motor Cycle Oil (MCO)

Mumbai, October 27, 2016: GP Petroleums Ltd, a leading lubricant maker and part of UAE-based Gulf Petrochem Group, today launched the Spanish oil major Repsol's fully synthetic Passenger Car Motor Oils (PCMO) for the first time in India, as per its exclusive licence agreement with Repsol S A Spain to manufacture and market REPSOL brand of lubricants in the country.

The PCMO range follows the successful launch of Repsol's Motor Cycle Oil (MCO) and is available as a world class fully synthetic product 'Repsol Elite NEO XTI 5W-40' and premium car engine oil 'Repsol Elite NEO 5W-30' in the Indian market. Earlier this year in April, brand REPSOL was successfully launched by cricketer Mr Suresh Raina in India.

"The encouraging response to the REPSOL brand, we got from consumers, motivated us to launch the passenger car motor oil (PCMO) range in quick succession. We have aggressive plans for bringing in the complete range including synthetics in Motor cycle, Passenger Cars and Commercial Vehicle space very soon. Our ambition is to be a significant player in the premium segment in India, which is one of the fastest growing markets," said Mr. Hari Prakash, CEO, GP Petroleums Ltd.

Repsol Elite NEO XTI 5W-40' a fully synthetic product is known for its high performance levels, allowing optimized performance with longer drain intervals, excellent soot dispersion, anti-wear, anti-corrosion properties & viscosity stability in extreme conditions.

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Repsol Elite NEO 5W-30', a premium engine oil, allows better performance with fuel economy. The advanced formula is best suited for technologically developed engines, leading to lower CO2 emissions to the atmosphere and therefore reduced environmental impact.

REPSOL S.A Spain has also been associated with major Car OEMs, for developing high performance lubricants, partnering and participating jointly in car rallies. The Dakar is the toughest race in the world of motorsports. To undertake the challenge, riders need the best products to ensure that their vehicles can make it to the camp each day after the grueling stages of the rally. **Watch out for the 2017 Dakar Rally, where REPSOL Elite lubricants will be taking part.**

REPSOL lubricants are developed in the state of the art global R&D centre in Spain, which cater to the newly emerging premium and top end segments. These premium products are produced by GP Petroleum Ltd in their manufacturing plants in India, with modern testing facilities, in accordance to the stringent quality standards, certified by Repsol S A, Spain.

About GP Petroleum Ltd (GPPL)

GP Petroleum Ltd. is a listed company in India and is part of the Gulf Petrochem group, based in UAE and is a major player in the petrochemical industry. GPPL an ISO 9001, ISO 14001 & OSHAS 18001 certified company, which specializes in formulating, manufacturing and marketing, of Industrial & Automotive lubricants, Process oils, Greases and other Specialties under the brand name IPOL for more than four decades. GPPL has invested in high precision quality-control and product development labs to meet global standards and OEM expectations. The company has a well established network of Distributors and Dealers across the country.

GP Petroleum Ltd., has signed an exclusive licence agreement with Repsol S A Spain to manufacture and market REPSOL brand of lubricants in India to cater to the premium lubricant segment. This partnership will strengthen the in house R&D facilities and develop technologically advanced products in India in all segments.

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