



CARSONS MANAGEMENT SERVICES (PRIVATE) LIMITED
No. of Company PV 315

BY FAX / BY HAND

19th May 2016

Mr. Renuke Wijayawardhane
Chief Operating Officer
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Dear Sir,

Our Ref.: BREW/LION/CSE/ANN/2016/NS/01/01

ANNOUNCEMENT

**LION BREWERY (CEYLON) PLC
CEYLON BEVERAGE HOLDINGS PLC
FACTORY AFFECTED BY FLOODS**

In accordance with Section 8.1 of the Listing Rules of the Colombo Stock Exchange, the Boards of Lion Brewery (Ceylon) PLC and Ceylon Beverage Holdings PLC wish to inform that due to the incessant showers and resulting floods of the Kelani River over the past few days, Lion Brewery (Ceylon) PLC's Factory situated at 254, Colombo Road, Biyagama has been affected and production has been halted. The Management will assess the impact to the Factory once the water recedes and will inform the Shareholders of the status accordingly. The Management is currently taking steps to mitigate the impact and bring operations back to normalcy as early as possible.

Yours faithfully,
For and on behalf of
**LION BREWERY (CEYLON) PLC
CEYLON BEVERAGE HOLDINGS PLC**
Carsons Management Services (Private) Limited

Director
Secretaries
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