



**GEOJIT
BNP PARIBAS**

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Sir,

Sub: Press Release – Audited Financial Results for the year ended 31st March 2013.

Please find enclosed a copy of Press Release issued after the Audited Financial Results for the year ended 31st March, 2013 was taken on record by the Board of Directors at its Meeting held today the 22nd May, 2013 at Kochi.

This is for your information and record.

Thanking you,
For Geojit BNP Paribas Financial Services Limited

Liju K Johnson
Company Secretary





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PRESS RELEASE

Kochi
22 May 2013

Geojit BNP Paribas to pay 25% final dividend. Total dividend for the year is 100%

Company's revenues for FY 2012-13 at Rs. 262 crore, PAT at Rs. 82 crore

Geojit BNP Paribas Financial Services approved its audited financial results for the fiscal year 2012-13 following the meeting of its Board of Directors at Kochi, on 22 May 2012. For the year under review, the Consolidated Revenues of the company has gone up by 2% from Rs 257 crore to Rs 262 crore. Consolidated Profit Before Tax has gone up to Rs 109 crore from Rs 48 crore, while Consolidated Net Profit for the fiscal was Rs 82 crore as against Rs 19 crore which included a one time income from the sale of stake in a Joint Venture. The company has also provided Rs 22 crore for taxes for the fiscal year 2012-13.

The Board of Directors of Geojit BNP Paribas Financial Services has approved the audited accounts for 2012-13 and the Board has proposed a final dividend of 25 paise on the paid-up value of Re. 1 per share for 2012-13. Along with the 75 paise interim dividend previously declared, the total dividend works out to be 100% for the financial year 2012-13.

Commenting on the results C J George, Managing Director of Geojit BNP Paribas Financial Services said, "Although the top line has only grown marginally due to the challenging market situation, tight control of cost and growth in revenues from software services and lending business resulted in significant improvement in profit margin."

About Geojit BNP Paribas Financial Services

Geojit BNP Paribas Financial Services (www.geojitbnpparibas.com) is one of the leading retail stock brokers in India, with a strong presence in the Gulf countries. Listed on the National Stock Exchange (NSE) and on the Bombay Stock Exchange (BSE), it has more than 6,72,800 clients, a network of over 522 offices and manages assets worth over Rs. 13,578 crore. BNP Paribas is its main shareholder.

Geojit BNP Paribas has an extensive presence in the Middle East region via joint ventures and partnerships. Barjeel Geojit Securities, its joint venture with the Al Saud group is headquartered in Dubai, in the United Arab Emirates, and owns branches in Abu Dhabi, Ras Al Khaimah, Al Ain, and Sharjah. Aloula Geojit Capital Co., the joint venture with the Al Johar group in Saudi Arabia is headquartered in Riyadh with branches in Dammam and Jeddah. BBK Geojit Securities KSCC, located in Kuwait, is a joint venture with Bank of Bahrain and Kuwait and JZA. QBG Geojit Financial Services LLC is the joint venture with Qurum Business Group (QBG) and National Securities Co. and based in Oman.

About BNP Paribas

BNP Paribas (www.bnpparibas.com) has a presence in nearly 80 countries with 190,000 employees, including 145,000 in Europe. It ranks highly in its three core activities: Retail Banking, Investment Solutions and Corporate & Investment Banking. In Europe, the Group has four domestic markets (Belgium, France, Italy and Luxembourg) and BNP Paribas Personal Finance is the leader in consumer lending. BNP Paribas is rolling out its integrated retail banking model across Mediterranean basin countries, in Turkey, in Eastern Europe and a large network in the western part of the United States. In its Corporate & Investment Banking and Investment Solutions activities, BNP Paribas also enjoys top positions in Europe, a strong presence in the Americas and solid and fast-growing businesses in Asia-Pacific.

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