

# RCOM ALLOWED TO PROCEED WITH FULL ASSET MONETISATION PROGRAMME OF APPROX. RS. 25,000 CRORE

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## HON'BLE NCLAT HAS TODAY VACATED STAY IN RELATION TO SALE OF TOWERS AND FIBER ASSETS

Mumbai, April 6, 2018:

### An RCOM spokesperson stated:

- As directed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court, RCOM moved the Hon'ble NCLAT today for vacation of the stay in relation to sale of its tower and fiber assets. The Hon'ble SC had itself vacated the stay in relation to spectrum, MCNs and real estate yesterday.
- 2. By an interim order passed today, the NCLAT has vacated the remaining stay, and allowed execution of sale deeds and deposit of the proceeds with SBI in an escrow account.
- 3. Based on these orders, RCOM can now proceed with completion of its entire asset monetisation plan, covering spectrum, towers, fiber, MCNs and real estate.
- 4. RCOM is now very confident of achieving overall debt reduction of approx. Rs. 25,000 crore within the next few weeks, from its asset monetisation programme as detailed in its media release of 26th December, 2017. The distribution of proceeds of only the tower and fiber will be subject to the final decision of the NCLAT on 18th April, 2018. Based on legal advise, RCOM believes the claim of the minority investors in the tower and fiber proceeds, which is fully disputed by RCOM, can at best be Rs. 200 300 crore.

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