

Sterlite is India's largest nonferrous metals and mining company with interests and operations in aluminum, copper, zinc and lead. It is a subsidiary of Vedanta Resources plc, a London-based diversified FTSE 100 metals and mining group.

Sterlite has world class copper smelter and refinery operations in India. Its main operating subsidiaries are Hindustan Zinc Limited for its zinc and lead operations; Copper Mines of Tasmania Pty Limited for its copper operations in Australia; and Bharat Aluminium Company Limited for its aluminum operations. The company is in the process of setting up a 2,400MW independent power plant through its wholly owned subsidiary, Sterlite Energy Limited.

Sterlite is listed on the Bombay Stock Exchange and National Stock Exchange in India and the New York Stock Exchange in the United States.

Copper

We are one of the two custom copper smelters in India, with a leading 43% primary market share by volume in India in fiscal 2006.

(Source: International Copper Promotion Council, India - ICPCI).

Our Tuticorin smelter and refinery had the lowest cost of production of all copper smelting and refining operations world-wide in 2005 (Brook Hunt & Associates Ltd., or Brook Hunt)

Zinc

Our majority-owned subsidiary Hindustan Zinc Limited, or HZL, is India's only integrated zinc producer and enjoys largest market share by volume in India.

HZL's Rampura Agucha lead-zinc mine is the third largest in the world in terms of contained zinc.

Aluminium

Our majority-owned subsidiary Bharat Aluminium Company Limited, or BALCO, is one of the primary producers of aluminium in India and had a significant primary market share by volume in India .

In addition, we have interests and plans in the following businesses:

Vedanta Aluminium Limited (VAL)

We hold a 29.5% minority interest in VAL, which is a 70.5% subsidiary of our parent company, Vedanta Resources plc. VAL is a fully integrated alumina and aluminum producer with a 1.4 million tonnes per annum (tpa) alumina refinery at Lanjigarh and a

500,000 tpa aluminum smelter in Jharsuguda – both in the state of Orissa in eastern India – together with their associated captive power plants.

Commercial Energy Business

We are developing a commercial power generation business, based on our expertise in building and managing captive power plants across our operations. Work on the 2,400 MW (600 MW x 4) greenfield coal based independent thermal power plant at Jharsuguda is progressing well with equipment deliveries on schedule. Construction activities are in full swing and the project is on target for progressive commissioning from December 2009.