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National Stock Exchange of India Limited,

"Exchange Plaza", Bandra-Kurla Complex, Bandra (East), Mumbai-400051. **BSE Limited,**P.J. Towers,
Dalal Street,
Mumbai-400001.

Dear Sirs,

Sub.: Suzlon announces Q1 FY23 Results.

In continuation to our letter of even date, enclosed please find the copy of press release and presentation in the subject matter, which are also available on the website of the Company (www.suzlon.com).

This is for your information as also for the information of your members and the public at large.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

For Suzlon Energy Limited

Geetanjali S.Vaidya, Company Secretary.

Encl.: As above.



For Immediate Release 10<sup>th</sup> August, 2022

#### Suzlon announces robust Q1 FY23 Results

- Healthier balance sheet with strong performance indicators
- Revenue of ₹ 1,378 crores in Q1 FY23 (Y-o-Y growth of ~21%)
- EBITDA of ₹ 214 crores in Q1 FY23 and EBITDA margin of 15.6%, Y-o-Y
   EBITDA growth of ~39%
- PBT (before exceptional items) of ₹ 7 crores in Q1 FY23

**Pune, India:** Suzlon Group, India's largest renewable energy solutions provider, announced its first quarter results for the financial year 2022-23 (Q1 FY23).

**Ashwani Kumar, Chief Executive Officer, Suzlon Group,** said, "India has reached 160GW of renewable energy in June, 2022 despite two years of a global pandemic and a disrupted supply chain. I am extremely proud of this milestone and Suzlon's contribution to it as the largest original equipment manufacturer across the renewable energy sector in the country."

"At Suzlon, we continue to show significant improvement in our performance. The ramping up of our operations has been successfully achieved and stabilized. We are beginning to show growth and are well positioned to leverage the tremendous opportunity that the renewables market has to offer in coming years. We launched our larger turbines in the 3MW to 3.15MW series with a rotor diameter of 144mts with an increased generation of ~45% over the \$120 in low wind sites and are working on commercializing the same. While our order-book remains healthy, execution of orders to meet customer expectations is our priority for this FY."

"Recent months have seen several positive policy initiatives by the GOI for the wind energy sector. In July 2022, MNRE took an in principle decision to relook at the e-reverse auction of wind energy projects with a view to remove it. This could be a game-changer and give tremendous boost to the sector. The recent order of the Ministry of Power now has a separate class for wind RPO (Renewable Purchase Obligation) with a clear increase in the wind RPO trajectory. This increased trajectory in combination with other policies will result in



a much larger Indian Wind Energy market between now and 2030. As an industry leader, we welcome these initiatives."

Himanshu Mody, Chief Financial Officer, Suzlon Group, said, "Q1 of FY23 takes forward our consistent improvement over the last few quarters. We have seen a healthy YoY increase on all our key parameters of revenues, RR, EBITDA and PAT in Q1 FY23 which is a direct reflection of our operational strengths. It is even more heartening to see these results despite continuing disruptions in the supply chain across the industry. Currently, we are in the process of further optimizing our organizational structure including our international operations to unlock more synergies and operational efficiencies. SE Forge our forging and foundry business as well as Suzlon Services continue to show good performance as well."

"Our balance sheet looks much healthier, however, since our refinancing exercise was completed towards the end of May, 2022, the full impact of the same on the finance cost will be seen from the Q2 of FY23."

#### Suzlon Group Q1 FY23 at a glance (consolidated):

#### > Revenue

Q1 FY23 ₹ 1,378 crores

#### Operating Performance

EBITDA: ₹ 214 crores in Q1 FY23; EBITDA margin at 15.6%

EBIT: ₹ 156 crores in Q1 FY23

#### **PBT (before exceptional items)** of ₹ 7 crores in Q1 FY23

#### **Industry Updates:**

- Ministry of Power (MoP) notified the Scheme for Flexibility in Generation and Scheduling of Thermal and Hydro Power Stations through bundling with Renewable Energy and Storage Power.
- MoP issued the trajectory for replacement of Thermal Energy with about 58,000 MU (30,000 MW) for Renewable Energy 2025-26.



- > MoP has notified the nomination of third party for calling the bids for establishment of RE Power Plant under Revised RE bundling Scheme.
- > MoP, in another major reform for Renewable energy, has issued the Electricity (Promoting Renewable Energy Through Green Energy Open Access) Rules, 2022.
- > Further Time-extension in SCoD of Wind Energy Projects on case to case basis, considering disruption due to post-COVID supply chain and monsoon related disruptions.
- Government of Maharashtra (GoM) issued directions related to improvements/ financial assistance and amenities for Non-conventional Energy Generation Policy-2020.

#### **About The Suzion Group**

The Suzlon Group is one of the leading renewable energy solutions provider in the world with presence in 17 countries. Headquartered at Suzlon One Earth in Pune, India; the Group is comprised of Suzlon Energy Limited (NSE: SUZLON & BSE: 532667) and its subsidiaries. A vertically integrated organization, with over twenty seven years of operational track record, the Group has a cumulative global installation of over 19.4 GW\* of wind energy capacity, over 5,550 employees with diverse nationalities and world-class manufacturing facilities. Suzlon is the only Indian wind energy Company with a large in-house Research and Development (R&D) set-up in Germany, the Netherlands, Denmark and India. The Group is the custodian of over 13.4 GW of wind energy assets under service in India making it the 3<sup>rd</sup> largest Operations and Maintenance Company (over 9200 turbines) in the Indian power sector. The Group also has ~2.5 GW of wind energy assets under service outside India including WTGs under Technical Service Agreements for Spares and Repairs.

\*Data till 30<sup>th</sup> June 2022









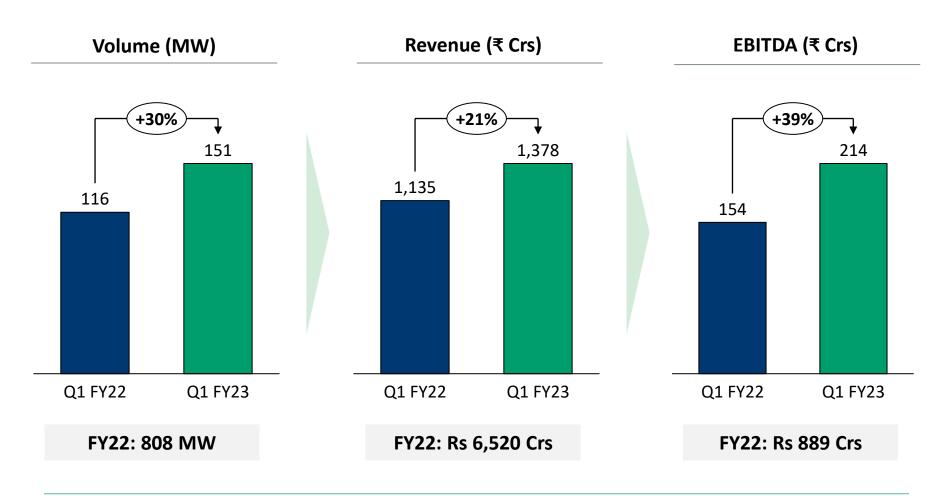
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## **Robust Financial Performance**



## **Strong Y-o-Y Volume and Profitability Growth**



## **Highlights of Financial Performance**

- ✓ Highest Q1 revenue since FY19 with strong volume and EBITDA growth
- ✓ Significant improvement in EBITDA Q1 FY23 EBITDA up by 39% on Y-o-Y basis
- ✓ Part of commodity price impact passed on to customer to minimize margin pressure
- ✓ Maintained strong control over fixed costs despite of inflationary trends
- ✓ Healthy traction in order pipeline in addition to a sizable order backlog.
- ✓ Completion of debt refinancing resulting in removal of decade long debt overhang.
- ✓ Net worth significantly improved as compared to March, 2022
- ✓ Reduction in finance costs; full impact will be visible from Q2 FY23.



## **Q1 FY23 Consolidated Financial Metrics**

(₹ Cr.)

Dorticulore	Q1 FY23	Q1 FY22	
Particulars	Unaudited	Unaudited	
Net Volumes (MW)	151	116	
Net Revenue	1,378	1,135	
Contribution	436	436	
Contribution Margin	31.7%	38.4%	
Employee Expenses	142	122	
Other Expenses (net)	109	115	
Exchange Loss / (Gain)	-29	46	
EBITDA	214	154	
EBITDA Margin	15.6%	13.6%	
Depreciation	59	58	
Net Finance Cost	148	175	
Profit before tax and ex. Items	7	-79	
Taxes	44	1	
Exceptional Loss / (Gain)	-2,469	-83	
Report Net Profit	2,433	3	

- Improvement in Y-o-Y performance on all KPIs – volumes, revenue and EBITDA
- ✓ EBITDA increased by ~39% with higher EBITDA margins
- Refinancing got completed in May 2022, therefore, full effect of finance cost reduction will be visible from Q2 FY23
- Exceptional gain primarily on account of conversion of financial instruments pursuant to refinancing.



## **Consolidated Balance Sheet Metrics** (as on 30<sup>th</sup> June 2022)

(₹ Cr.)

Particulars	Jun-22*	Mar-22^	
Equity & Liabilities			
Shareholders' Fund	-653	-3,562	
Borrowings (non-current and current)	3,272	6,391	
Non-current Liabilities	210	210	
Current Liabilities	3,399	3,436	
Total equity and liabilities	6,228	6,475	
Assets			
Non-current Assets	1,245	1,295	
Inventories and Trade Receivables	3,556	3,585	
Other current assets	929	1,000	
Cash and cash equivalents	498	595	
Total assets	6,228	6,475	
Net Debt	2,774	5,796	

- ✓ Significant improvement in net worth pursuant to conversion of financial instruments.
- Net debt reduced by more than 50% pursuant to conversion of financial instruments.
- Group corporate structure is being simplified, which will increase transparency.





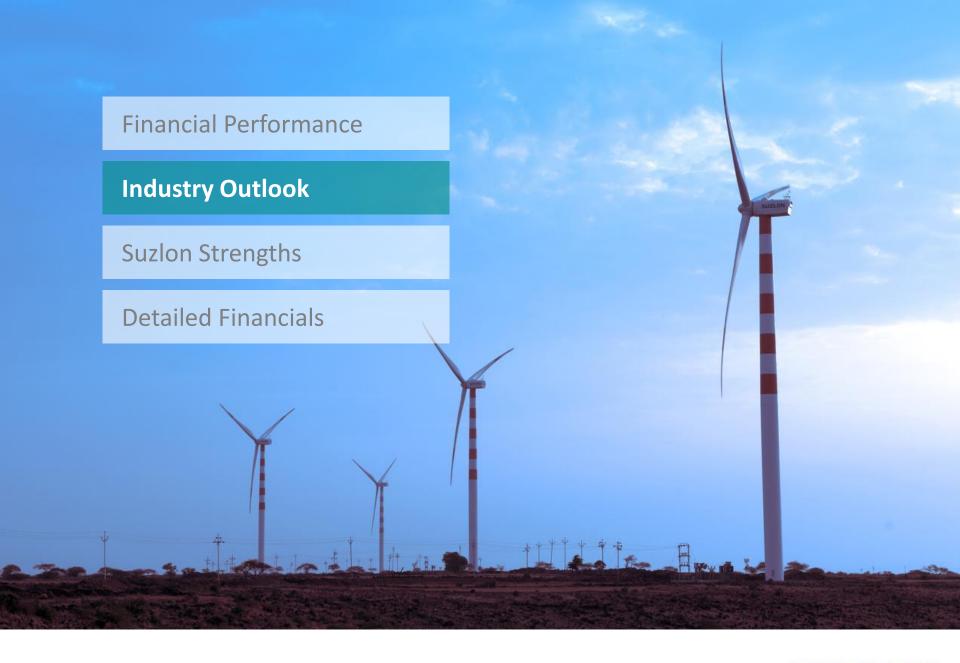
## Wind Order Book (As on 30<sup>th</sup> June 2022)

Particulars	Capacity (MW)	Remarks		
Central Auctions	367.5	The order book comprises of orders from		
State Auctions	56.7	marquee customers such as Adani group Apraava Energy (formerly known as CLP		
Captive/Retail/PSUs	268.2	India), etc.		
Wind Firm Order Book	692.4			



Strong order pipeline under advanced discussion







## **Opportunities: Favorable Market Conditions**

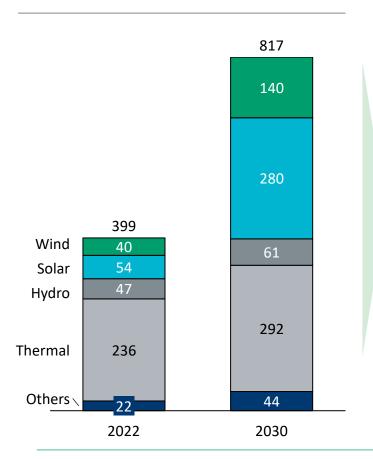
- ✓ India's Renewable Energy target of 500 GW by 2030
- ✓ Energy security is top priority encouraging policies to boost market growth
- ✓ New demand from large industries, green fuel producers and e-mobility
- ✓ Auction activity gaining momentum with high focus on Hybrid and RTC
- ✓ Wind power critical to address energy crisis and meet growing energy demand
- ✓ Global wind installation for 2021 at 103 GW shows resilience of wind technology
- ✓ Strong visibility for market size expansion for both wind and renewable sector

Suzlon well positioned to capture the market opportunity



## Renewable Energy growth to be driven by Wind & Solar

# Target Wind Capacity for 2030 to result in huge market expansion (capacity numbers in GW)



#### **Drivers for volume growth**

#### **Gol Targets till FY 2030:**

- 500 GW Renewable Capacities
- Power supplied to grid from Renewables to reach 40%
- Positive impact on policy support and bidding activity

#### **New Business segments:**

- Increase of coal price and currency volatility Large industries are investing heavily in renewable
- New demand is emerging in big way for Green Fuel Production
- C&I segment is gaining strong momentum (Wind is critical for high PLF projects)

#### **Enablers for Wind Energy growth:**

- Future is of hybrid, as most of the customers and utilities prefer higher PLF and scheduled power
- Wind Repowering: by 2030- ~20GW existing capacities would need rebuilding





## **Major Policy Updates**

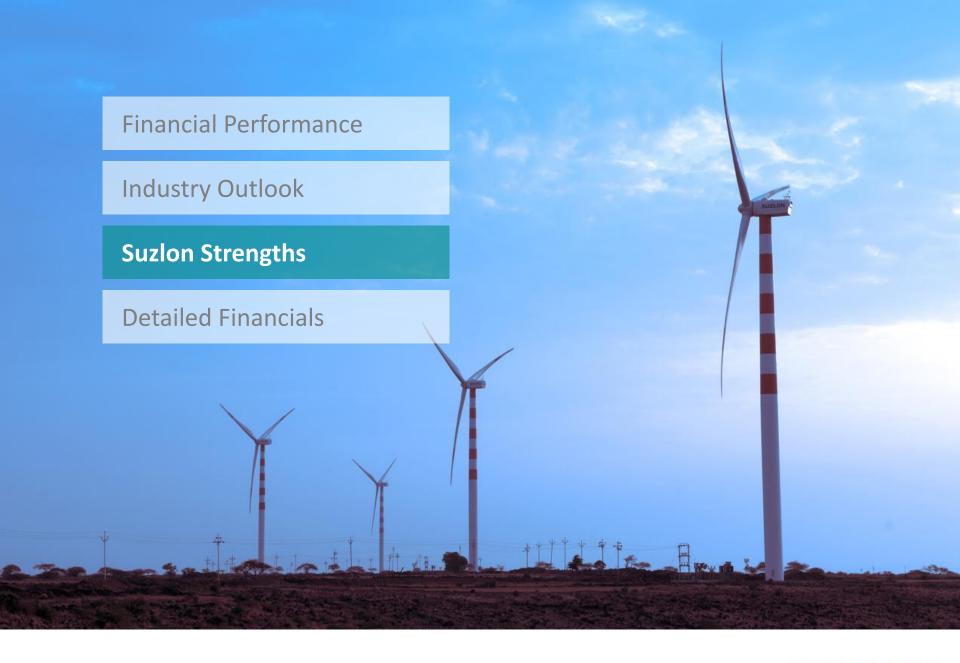
#### **Central Government / MNRE level**

- Flexibility for Thermal Hydro Power Stations in bundling Renewable Energy and Storage Power
- Target for replacement of Thermal Energy of about 30,000 MW with Renewable Energy by 2025-26
- Third parties nominated for calling the under Revised RE bundling Scheme
- Issuance of Electricity (Promoting Renewable Energy Through Green Energy Open Access)
   Rules, 2022.
- Time-extension in SCoD of Wind Energy Projects considering covid and monsoon related disruption
- In-principle decision to stop electronic reverse auction for wind power projects in India

#### State level

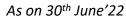
 Government of Maharashtra (GoM) issued directions related to financial assistance and amenities







## **Suzlon Strengths** 19.4 GW **17 Countries Installed Wind Energy** Presence SUZLON Capacity 5,500+ ~33% Global Workforce Cumulative Market Share in India





## Suzlon's Strengths in Indian Wind Energy Market No.1 OEM in India's Pan India **End-to-end Technology Presence Service** Leadership SUZLON Provider **Best-in-class Strong Customer 27 Years Track** Service Relationship Record **Capabilities**

Strong presence across value chain & customer segments



## **Suzlon's Global Presence (19.4 GW)**



Suzlon's strong relationships across regions positions it well



## Key clientele among marquee customers globally































































## **Technology driven solutions**

Technology Locations					
	Hamburg	<ul><li>Development &amp; Integration</li><li>Certification</li></ul>			
Germany	Rostock	<ul><li>Development &amp; Integration</li><li>Design &amp; Product Engineering</li><li>Innovation &amp; Strategic Research</li></ul>			
The Netherlands	Hengelo	Blade Design and Integration			
India	Pune	<ul> <li>Design &amp; Product Engineering</li> <li>Turbine Testing &amp; Measurement</li> <li>Technical Field Support</li> <li>Blade Engineering</li> </ul>			
	Vadodara	<ul><li>Blade Testing Center</li><li>Blade Engineering</li></ul>			
	Chennai	<ul> <li>Design &amp; Product Engineering (Gear Box Team)</li> </ul>			









Team is well integrated across geographies – Follows 10 step Stage Gate process



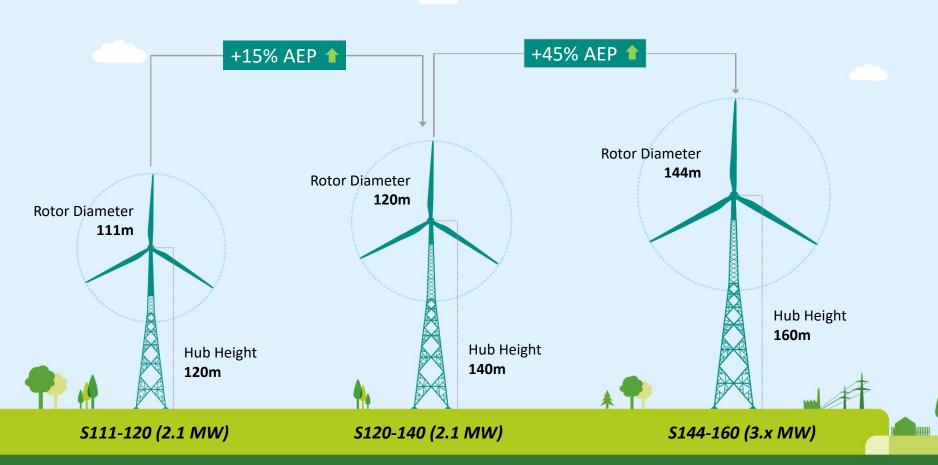
## Geographically diversified manufacturing base



#### **Efficiently Supports India Market with Easy Export for Asia Markets**



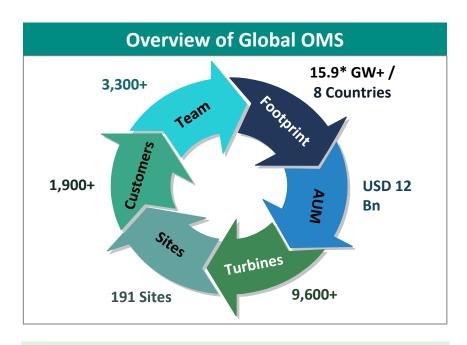
## **Product Optimised for Higher Energy Output**



**Consistent Reduction of Levelised Cost of Energy (LCoE)** 

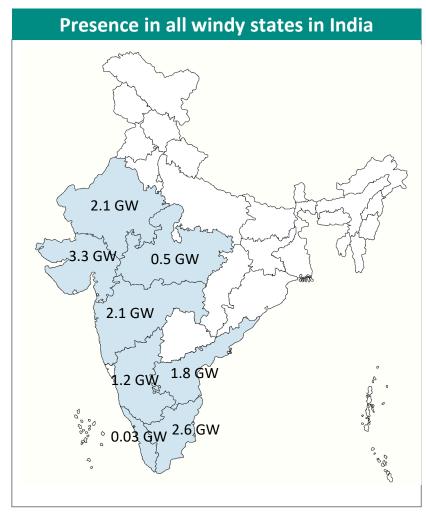


## Overview of asset management capabilities





- ~15% All India installed renewable capacity
- 28 TWh estimated of annual clean energy;
  - =2,291 mn trees planting p.a.
  - =~20.8 mn tonnes coal avoidance p.a.
  - =~27.4 mn tonnes CO<sub>2</sub> emission savings p.a.



<sup>\*</sup>include WTGs under Technical Service Agreements (TSA) for Spares and Repairs







## **Consolidated Income Statement**

(₹ Cr.)

Particulars	Q1 FY23	Q1 FY22	Q4 FY22	FY22
	Unaudited	Audited	Audited	Audited
Net Volumes (MW)	151	116	336	808
Net Revenue	1,378	1,135	2,442	6,520
Contribution	436	436	467	1,877
Contribution Margin	31.7%	38.4%	19.1%	28.8%
Employee Expenses	142	122	131	545
Other Expenses (net)	109	115	144	503
Exchange Loss / (Gain)	-29	46	-25	-61
EBITDA	214	154	217	889
EBITDA Margin	15.6%	13.6%	8.9%	13.6%
Depreciation	59	58	77	260
Net Finance Cost	148	175	172	712
Profit before tax and ex. Items	7	-79	-33	-82
Taxes	50	1	160	167
Exceptional Loss / (Gain)	-2,469	-83	0	-83
Net Profit/(Loss)	2,433	3	-193	-166



## **Glossary**

- **1. MW** Megawatt
- **2. GW** Gigawatt
- 3. Y-o-Y Year on Year
- **4. EBITDA** Earnings before Interest Depreciation Tax and Amortizations
- **5. KPI** Key Performance Indicators
- **6. PSU** Public Sector Undertaking
- **7. RTC** Round The Clock
- 8. Gol Government of India
- 9. **C&I** Commercial and Industrial
- 10. PLF Plant Load Factor

- 11. MNRE Ministry of Renewable Energy
- **12. RE** Renewable Energy
- 13. SCoD Scheduled Commissioning Date
- 14. OEM Original Equipment Manufacturer
- 15. WTG Wind Turbine Generator
- **16. LCoE** Levelised Cost of Energy
- 17. OMS Operations and Maintenance Services



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