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Dear Sir/Ma'am,

**Sub: Press Release**

We are pleased to inform you that Hindustan Zinc Signs MoU with TERI for 250-Hectare Ecological Restoration Project in Rajasthan. The Press Release in this regard is enclosed.

The same is also available on the website of the Company at [www.hzlindia.com](http://www.hzlindia.com).

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This is for your information and records.

Thanking You.

Yours faithfully,

**For Hindustan Zinc Limited**

**Aashima V Khanna**  
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## Hindustan Zinc Signs MoU with TERI for 250-Hectare Ecological Restoration Project in Rajasthan

- Large-scale initiative to restore industrial land into a self-sustaining natural ecosystem, enhancing biodiversity and climate resilience.
- Project to be developed at Hindustan Zinc's Chanderiya Lead Zinc Smelter Complex, in addition to the successful restoration of 22.25 hectares of industrial wasteland using TERI's Mycorrhiza technology.

**Udaipur, 6 June 2026:** Hindustan Zinc Limited (BSE: 500188 & NSE: HINDZINC), the world's largest integrated zinc producer & one of the top 10 silver producers globally has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with The Energy and Resources Institute (TERI) to develop a 250-hectare ecological restoration project in Rajasthan, that is set to become world's largest green cover area within industrial premises. To be undertaken at Hindustan Zinc's Chanderiya Lead Zinc Smelter Complex in Chittorgarh district, the initiative marks a significant step in the company's efforts to reimagine industrial landscapes as thriving natural ecosystems.

This collaboration plays a critical role in advancing Hindustan Zinc's Sustainability Goal 2030 on halting and reversing biodiversity loss through measurable improvements and to progressively work towards delivering a Net Positive Impact (NPI), supporting nature-positive outcomes over the long term.

The project will follow a scientific, multi-layered ecological restoration approach, comprising native trees, shrubs, herbs and grasses suited to the local landscape. It will also include measures for invasive species management, support for water bodies and aquatic ecosystems, and the development of long-term maintenance and protection protocols. TERI will also support the identification of suitable native and adaptive plant species and bring in subject matter experts across the planning, design and implementation phases.

This new collaboration builds on Hindustan Zinc's longstanding collaboration with TERI at the Chanderiya Lead Zinc Smelter Complex. At the Jarofix Yard (an area where residue generated during the zinc smelting process is safely stored and managed), restoration activities covering 22.25 hectares have already been completed in two phases, transforming degraded industrial land into ecologically functional and biodiverse green cover. In parallel, a 6-hectare biodiversity park is being developed atop the secured landfill within the complex. Using TERI's Mycorrhiza technology, the initiative has enabled the plantation of nearly 56,400 native trees, creating dense green cover even in challenging industrial conditions.

Commenting on the development, **Arun Misra, CEO, Hindustan Zinc Limited**, said, "At Hindustan Zinc, sustainability is paramount to how we operate. From water stewardship and circularity to decarbonisation and biodiversity conservation, our focus is on building responsible, future-ready operations. Our partnership with TERI reflects this commitment by transforming industrial land into resilient green ecosystems that support native biodiversity and ecological restoration. As the first Indian company to join ICMM, we continue to align with global benchmarks in sustainable mining and remain committed to creating lasting value for the environment, communities and the nation."

The initiative is aligned with Hindustan Zinc's broader Environment, Social & Governance (ESG) roadmap, which places strong emphasis on land restoration, biodiversity conservation, water stewardship, decarbonisation and responsible natural resource management. The company has been strengthening its sustainability performance through its 530 MW round-the-clock renewable energy agreement, expected to meet over 70% of its power requirement, with initial supply already underway. It has also improved its water recycling rate to 49% and expanded its green mobility fleet to 232 vehicles, including electric and LNG-powered vehicles.

Hindustan Zinc, a Vedanta group company, was recently ranked as the world's most sustainable metals and mining company for the third consecutive year in the S&P Global Corporate Sustainability Assessment 2025. With the proposed 250-hectare ecological restoration project, the company continues to demonstrate how responsible industrial operations can contribute to regenerative landscapes, climate resilience and long-term value creation for communities, biodiversity and the planet.

#### **About Hindustan Zinc**

Hindustan Zinc Limited (BSE: 500188 and NSE: HINDZINC), a Vedanta Group company, is the world's largest integrated zinc producer and is amongst the top 10 silver producers globally. The company supplies to more than 40 countries and holds a market share of about 74% of the primary zinc market in India. Hindustan Zinc has been recognized as the world's most sustainable company in the metals and mining category for the third consecutive year by the S&P Global Corporate Sustainability Assessment 2025, reflecting its operational excellence, innovation, and leading ESG practices. The company also became the first Indian company to join the prestigious International Council on Mining & Metals (ICMM) in 2025. The company also launched EcoZen, Asia's first low carbon 'green' zinc brand, produced using renewable energy. Hindustan Zinc is also a certified 3.32 times Water-Positive company and is committed to achieving Net Zero emissions by 2050 or sooner. The company is also transforming the lives of 2.6 million people through its focused social welfare initiatives. As an energy transition metals company, Hindustan Zinc is pivotal in the journey of sourcing critical metals essential for a sustainable future.

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