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**VEDANTA LIMITED JHARSUGUDA BAGGED KALINGA CSR AWARD-2016**

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Vedanta Limited Jharsuguda bagged the prestigious Kalinga CSR Award for its significant contributions in rural development across the periphery villages of Vedanta's Jharsuguda Operation. The Institute of Quality and Environmental Management Service (IQEMS) has instituted Kalinga CSR Award to recognize the outstanding contributions made by organizations in the field of CSR in the State of Odisha. This year Vedanta Jharsuguda adjudged for its remarkable efforts in the field of community education for its unique projects like Vedanta Vidyathi Vikas Yojana(VVVY).

Vedanta's CSR footmarks in the field of livelihood, health, infrastructure and education was lauded by the award committee. Vedanta's CSR project covers 64 villages in its periphery, benefitting 1.13 Lakhs people so far through its various initiatives.

In the award ceremony conducted at the New Marion Hotel, Bhubaneswar on 20th May 2017 by IQEMS, Mr. Manoj Panda, AGM Corporate Affairs Vedanta Limited along with Corporate Communication Team members Mrs. Shazia Rahman and Mr. Chirag Kumar Vegad received the coveted award from the Chief Guest of the occasion Mr T.K. Chand, CMD Nalco and Mr Vinod Kumar, IFS(Retd.).

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### **About Vedanta Limited (Formerly Sesa Sterlite Limited)**

Vedanta Limited is a diversified natural resources company, whose business primarily involves producing oil & gas, zinc - lead - silver, copper, iron ore, aluminium and commercial power. The company has a presence across India, South Africa, Namibia, Australia, Ireland, Liberia and Sri Lanka.

Vedanta Limited, formerly Sesa Sterlite Limited is the Indian subsidiary of Vedanta Resources Plc, a London-listed company. Governance and Sustainable Development are at the core of Vedanta's strategy, with a strong focus on health, safety and environment and on enhancing the lives of local communities. Vedanta Limited is listed on the Bombay Stock Exchange and the National Stock Exchange in India and has ADRs listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

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