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To,

A-One Steels India Limited

(formerly known as "A-One Steel and Alloys Private Limited", "A-One Steels India Private Limited")

A One House, No. 326,
CQAL Layout Ward No. 08, Sahakar Nagar,
Bangalore, Karnataka – 560 092, India

Kind Attn.: Mr. Sandeep Kumar, Promoter

Re.: Proposed initial public offering of equity shares of face value of Rs. 10 each ("Equity Shares") by A-One Steels India Limited (the "Company" and such offering, the "Fresh Issue") and an offer for sale of Equity Shares by certain existing shareholders of the Company (the "Offer for Sale", and together with the Fresh Issue, the "Issue").

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We confirm that we are an independent agency and are not, in any manner, related to the Company, its directors, its key managerial personnel, or the book running lead managers appointed in relation to the Issue ("**Book Running Lead Managers**"). Neither the Company, nor its directors, its key managerial personnel, or the Book Running Lead Managers as stated in Annexure-A, are related parties to us as per applicable law as on the date of this letter. We also confirm that, we are not and have not been engaged or interested in the incorporation, promotion or management of the Company.

This letter may be shared by the Company, with the Book Running Lead Manager(s) and advisers concerned in relation to the Offer. We agree to keep strictly confidential, this letter and the non-public information relating to the Issue until such time that: (A) such disclosure by us is approved by the Company; or (B) such disclosure is required by law or regulation, in which case prior intimation shall be given to the Company (where permissible); or (C) such information is already in the public domain or comes into public domain through no fault of ours.

We represent that our execution, delivery and performance of this consent have been duly authorised by all necessary action (corporate or otherwise).

For **CRISIL Limited**



Miren Lodha
Senior Director, India Research

Annexure-A

Promoters of the Company

1. Krishan Kumar Jalan
2. Sunil Jallan
3. Sandeep Kumar

Directors of the Company

1. Sunil Jallan
2. Uma Shankar Goyanka
3. Sandeep Kumar
4. Krishan Singh Barguzar
5. Kamaldeep Singh
6. Jeevika Poddar

KMP of the Company

1. Saurabh Jindal
2. Pooja Sara Nagaraja

SMPs of the Company

1. Anand Mohan Dixit
2. Rajindharan R
3. Manoj Kumar
4. Shreenivas
5. Anand Saraf
6. Murli Krishna
7. Mahesh Singhal

BRLMs to the Offer

1. PL Capital Markets Private Limited
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Maharashtra – 400 018, India
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Legal Counsels to the Offer

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