



# CASTLE TRADERS LIMITED

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9<sup>th</sup> February, 2023

To

Listing & Compliance,  
The Metropolitan Stock Exchange of India Limited,  
Vibgyor Towers, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor,  
Plot No. C62, Opp. Trident Hotel,  
Bandra Kurla Complex,  
Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400 098

Dear Sir,

**Ref: Symbol: CASTLE; Series: BE; ISIN: INE262V01014**

**Sub: Newspaper Publication of Financial Results**

We have enclosed the copy of the newspaper publication of Unaudited Financial Results (Standalone and Consolidated) of our Company for the Quarter and nine month ended December 31, 2022 as approved by the Board of Directors at their meeting held on 8<sup>th</sup> February, 2023 published both in Tamil and English Newspaper on 9<sup>th</sup> February, 2023.

We request you to kindly take this on record.

Thanking You,  
Yours Sincerely,

**For Castle Traders Limited**

**R. Manoranjan**  
Company Secretary



Encl: As Above

# ICC confirms Oval as venue for WTC Final in June

## India-Australia look to seal berth for mega event

Dubai, Feb 9: The International Cricket Council (ICC) on Wednesday confirmed that the second edition of the ICC World Test Championship Final will be played between June 7 and 11, 2023, as two years of Test cricket reaches its conclusion in the Ultimate Test at The Oval in England.

The South London venue has hosted over 100 Test matches in its rich history, and in June will welcome the top two Test sides in the ICC World Test Championship standings, which will compete for the ICC World Test Championship Mace following two years of hard-fought competition.

The ICC World Test Championship Final is the pinnacle event in the Test calendar and is a week-long celebration of the longest format of the game. This Ultimate Test is the culmination of two years of intense competition in the ICC World Test Championship, spanning 61 Test matches over 24 series played to

date. While the two competing nations may not yet be known, there are a host of significant fixtures due to play out in the coming weeks to determine the Finalists, and excitement is building ahead of June's clash.

Australia currently top the standings, with India in hot pursuit in second place, and both teams go head-to-head across a four-Test series from February 9 with a place at The Oval, and the coveted ICC World Test Championship Mace, firmly in their sights.

While six teams in total stand a chance of qualification, among the frontrunners to challenge the top two are Sri Lanka, who sit third in the standings and South Africa in fourth, who take on reigning WTC champions New Zealand and the West Indies respectively over two two-Test series during February and March.

As the drama ebbs and flows in the coming weeks, the ICC World

Test Championship Final will undoubtedly present us with another absorbing encounter, where the victors will write themselves into the annals of this historical format of the game.

India's captain Rohit Sharma looks ahead to what could be a second successive WTC Final encounter, remarking, "Leading Team India out onto the field of play at the World Test Championship Final would be special."

He remarked, "We have grown and developed as a team during this competition and to be in with a chance of lifting the Mace at the Oval in June, we know we first need to overcome a tough Australia side. There have been so many dramatic moments in Test cricket lately, and there are undoubtedly more to come. I am excited by the prospect of booking our place at the Final and hopefully creating history later in the year."

On the potential of securing their place at the

showpiece event, Australia skipper Pat Cummins said, "The prospect of playing in the World Test Championship Final has been a big motivator for us over the last couple of years, more so now having missed out on over rates last time."

Cummins added, "We are confident we can secure a place while here in India after a really strong 12 months. The Final would be a great reward for the players and staff who have done so well."

Sri Lanka captain Dimuth Karunaratne also relishes the opportunity to compete in the World Test Championship Final, adding, "Sri Lanka still has a good chance of making it to the World Test Championship Final. We have done well to be among the top contenders, and if we can complete a good Test series on the upcoming New Zealand tour, our chances of making it to the Final will look like a greater possibility."



M.O.P. Vaishnav College for Women won the overall trophy in the University of Madras A-Zone (Women) Athletics tournament held at Madras University Union Ground, Chetpet. They bagged 10 gold, 5 silver and 5 bronze medals. The winning athletes with Dr. Lalitha Balakrishnan, Principal, Dr. L. Amutha Sumankumar, Director of Physical Education, M.O.P. Vaishnav College.

## Proteas spinner Mlaba pips Deepti in T20I rankings

Dubai, Feb 9: South Africa left-arm spinner Nonkululeko Mlaba has overtaken India's Deepti Sharma to grab second position among bowlers in the ICC women's T20I Player Rankings after a fine performance against India in the final of the South Africa Tri-series which also featured the West Indies.

Mlaba grabbed two for 16 in the final in East London to finish with six wickets in the Tri-Series which came at just 8.66 runs per over and she conceded just 3.25 runs per over to move

to a career-best 753 rating points, just 10 points behind England's Sophie Ecclestone, another left-arm spinner.

One more spinner to make impressive gains is India's Sneha Rana, who has advanced four places to a career-best sixth position after taking two for 21 in the Tri-Series final.

South Africa all-rounder Chloe Tryon is the main mover with the bat, following her unbeaten 57 in the final, which also won her the Player of the Match award.

India's Harmanpreet

Kaur (up one place to 10th), Deepti Sharma (up two places to 23rd) and Harleen Deol (up 20 places to 110th) are among those to move up the list for batters in the last update to the rankings ahead of the ICC Women's T20 World Cup 2023.

The upcoming 10-team tournament in South Africa could see several possibilities as the best in the world compete across three venues in South Africa.

Australia batters Tahlia McGrath and Beth Mooney are looking at potential milestones.

McGrath could achieve the highest points tally by a batter in the women's T20I batting rankings as she is just 40 adrift of Charlotte Edwards's record of 843 achieved in June 2009. Mooney could become only the second Australian to reach 800 batting rating points after McGrath.

Among bowlers, Ecclestone and Mlaba could get to 800 rating points, which only Australia fast bowler Megan Schutt has managed to do so far, touching 806 rating points in 2018.



## Our Country's Strong Leaders..!

As I glanced at the papers today, all of them mentioning different leaders in our country, I came across some thoughts by Steve Goodier on leadership, and added some of my own. But I want you to read it even as you look at our country and judge for yourself what strong leaders we have:

Weak leaders discourage others. They find fault and blame. They criticize when things don't go right. Good leaders encourage. They give credit when things go well and take responsibility when they don't go well. Alabama football coach "Bear" Bryant was once asked how he inspired his players. He responded, "Well, I'm just an old plow hand from Arkansas, but I've learned a few things about getting people to do what you want them to do. When things go wrong, I did it. When things go semi-good, we did it. And when things go good, you did it. That's all it takes to hold a team together and win football games."

Weak leaders know it all. They already have the answers. Good leaders keep learning. A cross-discipline study of leadership indicated that effective leaders in all fields are always learning. They constantly improve their skills. The best leaders are perpetual learners. Unlike weak leaders, they know that a spurt here and a spurt there does not make one an expert!

Weak leaders keep others in their place. They remind them who is boss. Good leaders know that authority is more earned than granted. A young Army officer found that he did not have the correct change for a soft drink vending machine. Noticing a subordinate nearby, he said, "Private, do you have change for a dollar?" Cheerfully, the man said, "I think so - let me look." "That is no way to address your superior, soldier!" scolded the officer. "Now, let's try it again. Private, do you have change for a dollar?" The soldier snapped to attention, saluted and said, "NO,

SIR!"

Weak leaders sabotage the successes of others. When those below them succeed, they feel threatened. Good leaders, on the other hand, help their subordinates find success. They give a hand up. They realize that when one is lifted to another's shoulders, both stand taller.

Weak leaders motivate by force. Good leaders know that motivation by force destroys morale. They understand that people respond best to positive incentive. They know that people who believe in themselves will do more work and better work.

Finally, weak leaders do not listen to those they lead. Their minds are already made up and they charge recklessly ahead. Good leaders listen and learn.

I guess by now you know the kind of strong leadership we have...!

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R. Ethirajan won the singles title for the second consecutive time by beating Swaminathan (Postal Accounts) 11-7, 11-8, 11-8 in the finals of the 2nd Masters State Ranking Table Tennis Tournament held at Perks Sports Academy, Coimbatore. In the semi-finals Ethirajan beat Saravanan (Tirupur) 11-8, 11-5, 11-8. In the valedictory function prizes were distributed by Ms. Nandhini Ramesh, CEO, The Global Ties, Overseas Education Consulting Firm. Other Winners: 40+ Category: Sharath Sanker; 60+ Kalyanaraman; 65+ Sekar; 70+ Premkumar; 75+ Ramakrishnan.

## Gill makes rapid progress in ICC men's T20I rankings

Dubai, Feb 9: India opener Shubman Gill has shot up to a career-best 30th position in the ICC men's T20I player rankings after smashing an match-winning century against New Zealand in the third and final ODI in Ahmedabad.

Gill's 126 not out off 63 balls that contributed to India's huge 168-run victory and helped seal the series 2-1, lifted him an incredible 168 slots. Gill, who has now slammed centuries in all three formats of the game, is ranked sixth in ODIs and 62nd in Tests.

Left-arm fast bowler Arshdeep

Singh, Gill's team-mate in the ICC U19 Men's Cricket World Cup-winning squad of 2018, is another one to move up the rankings, gaining eight slots to reach a career-best 13th position after finishing with two for 16 in Ahmedabad. All-rounder Hardik Pandya, who grabbed four for 16 and smashed a 17-ball 30, has progressed to all three lists. He has moved up from 53rd to 50th among batters, 66th to 46th among bowlers and is in second place among all-rounders, only a couple of rating points behind Bangladesh's Shakib Al Hassan.

Daryl Mitchell, who top-scored for New Zealand with 35 in their total of 66, has gained four spots and is in joint-25th position in the latest weekly update that considers performance in the Ahmedabad match for T20Is and the final match of the South Africa-England series for the ODI rankings.

England captain Jos Buttler's match-winning 131 in Kimberley has helped him progress six places to 20th position while South Africa fast bowler Lungi Ngidi has advanced five places to reach 19th position after finishing with four for 62 in the high-scoring match.

## FC Goa to promote football at grassroots across nation

Panaji Feb 9: With the aim to kick-start India's biggest grassroots-level football revolution, Forca Goa Foundation (FGF) the sister-concern of FC Goa, the renowned Indian Super League (ISL) football club, in association with Delta Corp Limited, on Wednesday launched the 'Fields of Dreams' project.

Under this project, FGF is committed to enhancing the lives of children and communities in the country, starting with Goa with the financial support of Delta Corp. This project also aims to bridge the gap in grassroots football development by facilitating state-of-the-art football grounds accessible to all.

### ORIGINAL DOCUMENT LOST

I, I. Nandini, (Aadhar Card No. 8051 9085 9606) Daughter of (Late) T.N. Irusapillai, aged about 66 years, residing at No. 127, Sri Panchalliamman Koil Street, B-Block, No. 302 III Floor, Arumbakkam, Chennai - 600 106, do hereby inform to the General Public that my Father Late. T.N. Irusapillai, I have lost the Original Land Document as well as Parent Document, When I was to take a Xerox, to near my house, dated 31.01.2023.

It was registered in Documents in 3750/83 and 3019/81, registered at Ambattur Sub Register Office Thiruvallur District. (Chennai) of any one finds the Said Documents, Please contact me at the following residential address: I. Nandini, Daughter of (Late) T.N. Irusapillai, No. 127, Sri Panchalliamman Koil Street, B-Block, No. 302, III Floor, Arumbakkam, Chennai - 600 106,

I. NANDINI,  
Cell No: 9840505408

PARTICULARS	STANDALONE						CONSOLIDATED					
	Quarter ended		Nine Months ended		Year ended	Quarter ended		Nine Months ended		Year ended		
	31.12.2022 Unaudited	30.09.2022 Unaudited	31.12.2021 Unaudited	31.12.2022 Unaudited	31.12.2021 Unaudited	31.03.2022 Audited	30.09.2022 Unaudited	31.12.2021 Unaudited	31.12.2022 Unaudited	31.12.2021 Unaudited	31.03.2022 Audited	
Total Income from Operations	46,532,894	52,310,655	74,082,270	11,186,891	86,359,195	132,041,066	46,532,894	52,310,655	74,082,270	111,186,891	86,359,195	132,041,066
Net Profit/(Loss) before Tax (before Exceptional Items)	2,225,338	1,731,571	4,732,087	4,043,742	4,915,061	2,439,439	2,225,338	1,731,571	4,732,087	4,043,742	4,915,061	2,439,439
Net Profit/(Loss) after Tax (after Exceptional Items)	1,635,530	1,295,820	3,541,120	2,996,379	3,678,056	1,807,114	1,635,530	1,295,820	3,541,120	2,996,379	3,678,056	1,807,114
Shares of Associate for the year profit/(Loss)	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,273,107	6,962,469	307,987	8,527,317	17,038,096	19,402,233
Profit/(Loss) for the year after Share from Associate	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,908,636	8,258,289	3,849,107	11,523,696	20,716,152	21,209,347
Total Comprehensive Income for the period	25,609,062	1,309,232	1,930,336	26,833,842	(963,896)	(13,524,376)	27,882,169	8,271,702	2,238,323	34,937,897	9,481,427	5,427,110
Equity share capital (Face Value of Rs.10/- per Share)	2,450,000	2,450,000	2,450,000	2,450,000	2,450,000	2,450,000	2,450,000	2,450,000	2,450,000	2,450,000	2,450,000	2,450,000
Other Equity excluding revaluation reserves	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,84,79,915	-	-	-	-	174,514,398
Earning Per Share of Rs.10 each- Basic and Diluted EPS (not annualised)	6.68	5.29	14.45	12.23	15.01	7.38	15.95	33.71	15.71	47.04	84.56	86.57

**Note:**

- The above is an extract of the detailed format of Financial Results filed with the Stock Exchange under the Regulation 33 of the SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015. The full format of Financial Results are available on the Stock Exchange website namely www.mseil.in and on the Company's website www.castletraders.co.in
- The above results for the Quarter and Nine months ending 31st December, 2022 were reviewed and recommended by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors in their meeting held on 8th February, 2023.
- The full impact of COVID19 still remains uncertain and could be different from our estimates when we prepared these financial results. The Company will continue to closely monitor any material changes to future economic conditions.

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors  
For CASTLE TRADERS LIMITED  
Sd/-  
BHARAT KUMAR CHORDIA  
Wholtime Director - [DIN: 00049455]

Place : Chennai  
Date : February 8, 2023

