

## Quess Corp Successfully Closes Acquisition of Aramark India Pvt Ltd

Bangalore April 1, 2015: Quess Corp. India's Leading Business Services provider, today announced the successful closing of its acquisition of Aramark India Pvt Ltd (Aramark India) from Aramark, USA

Aramark India will be renamed and rebranded as 'Aravon Services Pvt Ltd' (Aravon Services). The rebranding exercise is expected to be completed within the next 1 month and will reflect the coming together of the best of Aramark India and Avon – Quess Corp's Integrated Facility Management offering.

Based out of Mumbai, Aravon India is a facility management company with strong capabilities in hospitality and healthcare facility management. With the addition of more than 80 sites pan-India and a workforce of over 2,500 employees, the FMS business of Quess Corp will now have about 20,000 employees and with significant strengths in Hospitality and Health Care. On a combined basis, the Group is present in 8 hospitals and approximately 25 Hospitality sites, many of whom are marquee names and among India's leading brands.

Commenting about the acquisition, Mr. Ajit Isaac, Chairman of Quess said, 'We find permanent homes for businesses and back good Management Teams. We are happy to welcome the Aravon team to Quess Corp. On a combined basis, we have market leading capabilities in soft services, hard services, pest control and catering.

The acquired business will benefit by having a long term, financially strong shareholder in the form of Quess Corp – a step down subsidiary of Fairfax Financial Holdings, held through its Indian listed subsidiary, Thomas Cook India Ltd.

## About Quess Corp Limited:

Quess Corp Limited is a market leading business services provider organised under 4 verticals namely, Global Technology Solutions, Industrial Asset Management, Integrated Facilities Management, and People & Services. Headquartered in Bangalore, the Group has more than 90000 employees, operates in 32 cities in India, the North America, Middle East and South East Asia. The group has grown through a series of acquisitions in the last seven years and has revenue in excess of INR 2,400 crores. Quess Corp is a subsidiary of Thomas Cook (India) Ltd.

## About Aramark India Private Limited:

Aramark India is a facility management company based out of Mumbai. With over 2,500 employees, the company has a Pan India presence servicing several leading Indian companies

## About Aramark:

Aramark (NYSE: ARMK) is in the customer service business across food, facilities and uniforms, wherever people work, learn, recover and play. United by a passion to serve, our more than 270,000 employees deliver experiences that enrich and nourish the lives of millions of people in 22 countries around the world every day. Aramark is recognized among the Most Admired Companies by *FORTUNE* and the World's Most Ethical Companies by the Ethisphere Institute. Learn more at <a href="https://www.aramark.com">www.aramark.com</a> or connect with us on <a href="facebook">Facebook</a> and <a href="fwitter">Twitter</a>

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