

## **PRESS RELEASE**

# Arvind Fashions reports a strong operational performance in Q4 FY22;

# Posts sales growth of 34% (Y-o-Y) and 59% (vs. pre-Covid)

**Bengaluru, May 27, 2022:** Arvind Fashions Limited (AFL), India's leading casual and denim player, has declared its financial results for the fourth quarter and the fiscal year ended March 31, 2022.

#### **Key Highlights for Q4 FY22**

- Q4 FY22 revenues grew by 34% to Rs. 917 Crs compared to Q4 FY21. This was led by a strong bounce back in demand and strong footfalls, reflected in 20% LTL growth in Feb-Mar'22 after the impact of Covid 3<sup>rd</sup> wave in Jan'22. It was further aided by growth in other channels including online and department stores. Revenue growth was 59%, compared to pre-COVID levels (Q4 FY20)
- Power brands revenues grew by 32% with USPA and Tommy Hilfiger continuing to clock doubledigit EBITDA margins (pre-IndAS)
- Robust sales growth resulted in an EBITDA of Rs. 94 Crs; growth of 36% Y-o-Y (adjusted for rent concessions in Q4 FY21)
- Online channel achieved the significant milestone of ~1000 Crs in revenues in FY22; profitably grew by 20%+ in Q4 and 50%+ for the full year
- Net debt stood at ~Rs. 400 Crs; lower by >50% compared to Mar'21

Commenting on the performance of the company, **Mr. Shailesh Chaturvedi, MD & CEO** said "FY22 has indeed been an important year for the company having achieved various milestones with refreshed brand identities, sharp retail execution, significant expansion of our store network backed by omnicapabilities, leadership in the online channel with 1000 Crs revenues and a stronger balance sheet. Performance in H2 FY22 with revenues of 1925 Crs and EBITDA of 200 Crs reflects great affinity of our brands amongst the consumers and resilience of business model to overcome the initial impact of the Covid 3<sup>rd</sup> wave in Jan'22. This momentum sets us up strongly for FY23 to capture the large opportunities in branded & apparel industry, thereby delivering accelerated profitable growth going ahead"

# **Consolidated Financial Performance Summary**

Rs. Crore	Q4 FY22	Q4 FY21	Y-o-Y Growth	H2 FY22	H2 FY21	H-o-H Growth
Revenues	917	685	34%	1925	1458	34%
EBITDA	94	89	6%	200	154	30%
PBT	10	(14)	-	32	(43)	-
PAT	1	(45)	-	7	(86)	-

<sup>\*</sup>Continuing operations

## About AFL

Arvind Fashions Ltd is India's no. 1 casual and denim player, a lifestyle powerhouse with a strong portfolio of fashion brands catering to consumers across the sub-categories and price points. With a host of renowned brands, both international and indigenous, like US Polo Assn., Arrow, Tommy Hilfiger, Calvin Klein, Flying Machine and Sephora, it has presence across lifestyle brands and prestige beauty.



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