Flipkart donates ICU Ventilators to the state of Maharashtra

- Part of Flipkart’s overall commitment to providing critical life-saving equipment to state governments across the country
- Efforts to help strengthen the state’s critical care COVID-19 relief work

Mumbai - June 29, 2021: As a part of its ongoing efforts to support and augment the relief efforts towards Covid-19, Flipkart, India's homegrown e-commerce company today donated 30 life-saving ICU ventilators to Maharashtra Industry Development Corporation (MIDC). This is a part of Flipkart’s efforts to donate ICU ventilators and support various state governments in their efforts to enhance their capacity to treat Covid-19 patients and provide timely critical care.

Shri Subhash Desai, Industries Minister- Maharashtra, said, “Flipkart has shown relentless efforts towards the fight against Covid-19 through several efforts undertaken in Maharashtra and across the country. We thank Flipkart for its contribution to the state and strengthening our critical care work as we fight against COVID-19. These ICU ventilators will aid the health care system in the state and make it more resilient as we work towards providing critical care to those in need.”

Rajneesh Kumar, Chief Corporate Affairs Officer, Flipkart, said, “The fight against Covid-19 is a long one and needs all hands on deck. We are honored to continue serving the community in these difficult times. Strengthening healthcare with the appropriate equipment is the need of the hour and Flipkart is committed to working with various stakeholders and state governments in close collaboration to make these available. We are hopeful that these ICU ventilators will augment the critical care and support the government's efforts in the fight against Covid. We are happy to contribute to this fight against COVID in addition to supporting livelihood opportunities & supporting MSMEs.”

Over the past 15 months, through the pandemic, Flipkart has committed to providing its support to various state governments and local authorities across the country. Through supplies of critical medical care, personal protective equipment and by leveraging its supply chain for the delivery of essential medical supplies and oxygen cylinders, Flipkart continues to play its part in the fight against Covid.

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empower generations of entrepreneurs and MSMEs have inspired us to innovate on many industry firsts. The recent launch of Flipkart Wholesale, our new digital marketplace, is a testament to our commitment to accelerate the growth of kiranas and MSMEs in India. Flipkart is known for pioneering services such as Cash on Delivery, No Cost EMI and easy returns – customer-centric innovations that have made online shopping more accessible and affordable for millions of Indians. Together with Myntra, which holds a prominent position in the online fashion market, Flipkart Wholesale and Cleartrip, the Flipkart Group will continue to steer the transformation of commerce in India through technology.

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