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**Subject: “HCL Technologies becomes a Microsoft Azure Expert Managed Service Provider”**

Dear Sir(s),

Enclosed please find a release on the captioned subject being issued by the Company today.

This is for your information and records.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,  
For **HCL Technologies Limited**



**Manish Anand**  
**Company Secretary**

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## HCL Technologies becomes a Microsoft Azure Expert Managed Service Provider

Noida, India -- xxxx, 2018 -- HCL Technologies, a leading global technology company, today announced that it has become a Microsoft Azure Expert Managed Service Provider (MSP). The Azure Expert MSP program recognizes HCL Technologies' investment in resources, training, and technology to deliver successful outcomes for their customers on Azure.

HCL qualified for this program based on its comprehensive enterprise services, focusing on digital transformation and cloud technologies. These services include helping enterprises build cloud native applications, modernizing legacy applications, enabling digital and analytics applications, and building platforms for IoT capabilities. As an Azure Expert MSP, HCL will expand its visibility and reach in the Microsoft ecosystem to deliver the end-to-end services HCL offers to enterprises covering consulting, migration, and operation.

"In these interesting times of enormous opportunities in the cloud native world, HCL is very proud to deepen our relationship with Microsoft. The Microsoft Azure Expert Managed Service Provider recognition is an outcome of HCL's commitment toward building and establishing strong customer relationships," said **Kalyan Kumar, Corporate Vice President and CTO, IT Services, HCL Technologies**. "This is also a reflection of HCL's strategy of investing in developing skills, competencies, partnerships, and solutions that will help solve the customer's most pressing business and technology challenges."

**Gavriella Schuster, Corporate Vice President, One Commercial Partner (OCP), Microsoft Corporation** said, "Partners play a central role in Microsoft's development to support companies in their digital transformation projects. HCL Technologies has invested in building deep Azure knowledge and services and we are pleased to recognize it as a Microsoft Azure Expert Managed Service Provider."

### About HCL Technologies

HCL Technologies (HCL) is a leading global technology company that helps global enterprises re-imagine and transform their businesses through Digital technology transformation. HCL operates out of 43 countries and has consolidated revenues of US\$ 8.2 billion, for 12 Months ended 30th September, 2018. HCL focuses on providing an integrated portfolio of services underlined by its Mode 1-2-3 growth strategy. Mode 1 encompasses the core services in the areas of Applications, Infrastructure, BPO and Engineering & R&D services, leveraging DRYiCE™ Autonomics to transform clients' business and IT landscape, making them 'lean' and 'agile'. Mode 2 focuses on experience-centric and outcome-oriented integrated offerings of Digital & Analytics, IoT WoRKST™, Cloud Native Services and Cybersecurity & GRC services to drive business outcomes and enable enterprise digitalization. Mode 3 strategy is ecosystem-driven, creating innovative IP-partnerships to build products and platforms business. HCL leverages its global network of integrated co-innovation labs and global delivery capabilities to provide holistic multi-service delivery in key industry verticals including Financial Services, Manufacturing, Telecommunications, Media, Publishing, Entertainment, Retail & CPG, Life Sciences & Healthcare, Oil & Gas, Energy & Utilities, Travel, Transportation & Logistics and Government. With 127,875 professionals from diverse nationalities, HCL focuses on creating real value for customers by taking 'Relationships Beyond the Contract'. For more information, please visit [www.hcltech.com](http://www.hcltech.com)



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