Fairfax India Holdings Corporation

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FAIRFAX INDIA RENEWS UNIVERSAL SHELF PROSPECTUS

Fairfax India Holdings Corporation ("**Fairfax India**") (TSX: FIH.U) has filed a final short form base shelf prospectus with the Canadian securities regulatory authorities in connection with Fairfax India's US\$1.5 billion universal shelf renewal.

The shelf prospectus renewal allows Fairfax India to offer from time to time over a 25-month period up to US\$1.5 billion of debt, equity or other securities. Should Fairfax India offer any securities, it will make a prospectus supplement available that will include the specific terms of the securities being offered.

A copy of the short form base shelf prospectus in connection with the shelf renewal may be obtained from Fairfax India, John Varnell, Vice President, Corporate Affairs at (416) 367-4755, 95 Wellington Street West, Suite 800, Toronto, Ontario, Canada M5J 2N7 or electronically at www.sedar.com.

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Fairfax India is an investment holding company whose objective is to achieve long term capital appreciation, while preserving capital, by investing in public and private equity securities and debt instruments in India and Indian businesses or other businesses with customers, suppliers or business primarily conducted in, or dependent on, India.

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