# 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Report 2009-10



**ADDI INDUSTRIES LIMITED** 



BOARD OF DIRECTORS : Shri C.L. Jain - Chairman & Managing Director

Dr. B.K. Behera - Director Shri V.B. Aggarwal - Director

: Shri Hari Bansal - Whole-time Director

COMPANY SECRETARY : Shri Raj Kumar Arora

MANAGER FINANCE & COMPLIANCE OFFICER : Shri Atul Jain

BANKERS : Punjab National Bank

AUDITORS : M/s S.R. Dinodia & Co.

Chartered Accountants K-39 Connaught Circus New Delhi-110 001

REGISTERED &CORPORATE OFFICE : A-106, Sector IV

Noida – 201 301 (U.P.)

**WORKS** : A-105, 106, Sector IV

Noida - 201 301 (U.P.)

B-1,2,3, Hosiery Complex Phase–II, Noida (U.P.)

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# Request to Members:

- 1. As a measure of economy, copies of the Annual Report will not be distributed at the Annual General Meeting. Shareholders are requested kindly to bring their copies to the Meeting.
- 2. Members/Proxy holders are requested to bring the Attendance Slip duly filled in for attending the Meeting.



# **NOTICE**

### TO ALL MEMBERS:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the 28<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of the Members of Addi Industries Ltd. will be held on Thursday, the 30<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2010, at 9.00 A.M. at Ashoka White Farm House, Sector 70-71, Main Road Basai, Noida - 201 301 (U.P.), to transact the following business:

# **ORDINARY BUSINESS:**

- 1. To receive, consider and adopt the audited Balance Sheet as at 31st March 2010, Profit & Loss Account for the year ended on that date & the Reports of the Directors and the Auditors' thereon.
- 2. To appoint a Director in place of Mr. Hari Bansal, who retires by rotation, and being eligible, offers him for re-appointment.
- 3. To appoint Auditors for the current year 2010-2011 & to fix their remuneration.

M/s. S.R. Dinodia & Co., Chartered Accountants, New Delhi, who hold office till the conclusion of this Annual General Meeting, being eligible, have furnished their consent and the requisite Certificate u/s 224(1B) of the Companies Act, 1956.

For & on behalf of the Board

Regd. & Corp. Office:

A-106, Sector-IV, Noida-201 301 (U.P.) Dated: September 4, 2010 **C.L. Jain** Chairman & Mg. Director

#### Notes:

- a) A MEMBER ENTITLED TO ATTEND AND VOTE IS ENTITLED TO APPOINT A PROXY. THE PROXY NEED NOT BE A MEMBER OF THE COMPANY. PROXIES IN ORDER TO BE EFFECTIVE MUST BE LODGED WITH THE COMPANY NOT LESS THAN 48 HOURS BEFORE THE MEETING.
- b) The Register of Members and the Share Transfer Books of the Company will remain closed from Wednesday, the 29<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2010 to Thursday, the 30<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2010(both days inclusive).
- c) The Equity Shares of Rs. 10 each of the Company have been sub-divided/ splitted-up into 2 new Equity Shares of Rs. 5 each fully paid-up. All those Shareholders, who are still holding the Shares in physical form and have not yet got their Share Certificates of Rs. 10 each exchanged for new Share Certificates of Rs. 5 each, are requested to send the same to the Regd. & Corporate Office of the Company at A-106, Sector-IV, Noida 201 301 (U.P.) for exchange thereof.
- d) Dividend @10% i.e. Re. 1 per Equity Share of Rs.10 was declared for the financial year 2002-03. Similarly, Dividend @ 10% i.e. Re. 0.50 per Equity Share of Rs.5 was declared for the financial years 2003-04 and 2004-05. Those Shareholders who have not yet got their Dividend warrant/s encashed are requested to send the same to the Regd. & Corporate Office of the Company for revalidation. Please note that the dividend for the FY 2002-03, which was paid on 09.10.2003 is required to be transferred to Investors Education & Protection Fund established u/s 205C of the Companies Act, 1956, if it remains unpaid or unclaimed upto 08.10.2010.
- e) The Company's Equity Shares continue to remain listed on the Bombay Stock Exchange Ltd., and the listing fee has been duly
- The Equity Shares of the Company are dematerialised and the trading has to be compulsorily in demat mode. Those Shareholders who have not yet got their equity shares dematerialised may approach the Depository Participant with whom they are maintaining account, for getting their Shares dematerialised.
- A Statement u/s 212 of the Companies Act, 1956, in respect of the Subsidiary Company, Aum Texfab Pvt. Ltd., is contained hereinafter with the Consolidated Financial Statements along with the Directors & Auditors Reports of the Subsidiary Company i.e. AUM Texfab Pvt. Ltd. The Company undertakes that the Annual Accounts of the Subsidiary Company and the related detailed information will be made available to the Holding and Subsidiary Company Investors seeking such information at any point of time. The Annual Accounts of the Subsidiary Company has been kept open for inspection by any investor at the Head/Registered Office of the Company and the Registered/Head office of the Subsidiary Company i.e. Aum Texfab Private Limited on all working days between 10.00 A.M. to 12.00 'O' Clock.



- h) NOMINATION: Pursuant to the new Section 109A inserted in the Companies Act, 1956, individual Shareholders holding Shares of the Company singly or jointly may nominate an individual to whom all the rights in the Shares of the Company shall vest in the event of death of the sole/all joint Shareholders.
- i) REGISTRAR & TRANSFER AGENTS: The Company has appointed M/s. Beetal Financial & Computer Services (P) Ltd., Beetal House, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, 99, Madangir, Behind Local Shopping Centre, Near Dada Harsukh Dass Mandir, New Delhi-110 062, as its Registrar & Transfer Agents. Shareholders may write to them also directly, or communicate with the Company at its Regd. & Corporate Office, as they may like.
- J) Pursuant to Clause 49 of the Listing Agreement(s) pertaining to Corporate Governance, the particulars of Directors proposed to be re-appointed vide item No. 2 of the Notice, are as follows:

S. No.	Particulars	Shri Hari Bansal		
1.	Date of Birth	14.09.1975		
2.	Date of Appointment	12.11.2002		
3.	Qualification	B.Chem. Engineering		
4.	Expertise in specific functional area	Please refer Corporate Governance Report 2008-09.		
5	Directorship held in other Public Companies*	Nil		
6.	Membership/Chairmanship of Committees**	Nil		
7.	No. of Equity Shares held in the Company	9,96,118		
8.	Relationship with other directors	Related to Shri Chaman Lal Jain (Son)		

<sup>\*</sup>excluding Foreign & Private Limited Companies.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Includes only Audit and Shareholders/Investor Grievance Committee other than Addi Industries Limited



# **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

### **Dear Members**

The Directors of your Company present their 28th Annual Report & the Audited Statements of Account of the Company for the year ended on 31st March, 2010.

#### **Financial Results**

The performance of your Company for the financial year ended on 31st March, 2010 is summarized below:

(Rs./Lakhs)

	2009-2010	2008-2009
Turnover & other Income	2,416.76	2,350.20
(incl. Exports)	(2,114.64)	(1,920.66)
Gross Profit before	154.02	170.62
Financial Exp. & Depreciation Less : Financial Expenses Depreciation	45.92 96.87	47.93 111.72
Net Profit/(Loss) before Tax	11.23	10.97
Less : Provision for Taxation Income Tax adj. for earlier years	- 7.68	
Provision for Fringe Benefit Tax	_	1.70
Provision for Wealth Tax	_	0.09
Add: Adj. for deferred tax	(10.53)	8.18
Net Profit /(Loss) after tax	14.08	17.36
Add: Recoup/Transfer to General Reserve Add: Amount b/f from last year	- (59.91)	(77.27)
Balance transferred to Balance Sheet	(45.83)	(59.91)

# Dividend

In view to conserve resources for future operations, the Directors are not in a position to recommend dividend for the financial year 2009-10.

# Operations

The performance of your Company during the financial year under review has been marginally improved than that of the previous year. However, the Net Profit after tax is lesser than the previous year. The turnover and exports of the Company have surged forward in the year under review. However, margins continue to be under pressure, mainly on account of high operational costs, overall recessionary trend in Indian and International markets. Board of Directors of the Company have left no stone unturned for the reduction of the growing cost of production and to improvise the Export Turnover.

# Technology upgradation, modernisation-cum-diversification

The Company has incurred nominal capital expenditure of Rs. 11.13 lakhs on technology upgradation & modernization of machinery and equipment, wherever considered necessary, during the year under report, as against Rs.15.51 lakhs incurred in the preceding year.

# **Future Prospects**

During the first quarter ended on 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2010, the Company has achieved turnover of Rs. 440.33 Lacs (incl. exports of Rs. 421.24 lacs) as against Rs. 442.25 Lacs (incl. exports of Rs. 417.69 Lacs) in the corresponding first quarter of the previous year. Strict monitoring is being done to cut down costs and overheads wherever feasible to make the product more price competitive. The Directors are making their best efforts and have taken effective steps to increase the turnover & exports and to improve the profitability of the Company. The performance is poised for improvement in the current year.

# Finances

Your Company continues to have the support of its Bankers, Punjab National Bank, for the working capital requirements commensurate with its business activities.

#### **Deposits**

The Company has neither invited nor accepted any deposits from the Public within the meaning of the Companies (Acceptance of Deposits), Rules, 1975 during the year under report.

### **Directors**

Mr. Hari Bansal, Whole-time Director, retires by rotation at the ensuing Annual General Meeting and is eligible for reappointment. Board of Directors recommends his re-appointment.

#### **Auditors**

M/s. S.R. Dinodia & Company, Chartered Accountants, New Delhi, retire and being eligible, offer themselves for re-appointment as Auditors of the Company for the current financial year 2010-11, to hold office till the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting. The Company has received the consent and the requisite Certificate u/s 224(1B) of the Companies Act, 1956, from them.

### **Subsidiary Company**

During the year under review, M/s Aum Texfab Pvt. Ltd. continues to be a Subsidiary of the Company and the contribution of the said Subsidiary Company was insignificant. The financials along with the Directors' and Auditors' Report thereon of Aum Texfab Pvt. Ltd. and the Statement u/s 212(1) of the Companies Act, 1956 are annexed and forms part of this Annual Report. A gist of the financial performance of the subsidiary companies in the format prescribed by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs is contained elsewhere in the Annual Report. The Accounts of the Subsidiary Company is open for inspection for any Member/Investor at the Registered Office of your Company. The Company will make available these documents/details upon request to any Member/Investor interested in obtaining the same.

# **Corporate Governance**

The Management Discussion & Analysis Report and the Report on Corporate Governance, along with the Certificate from the Auditors of the Company regarding compliance with the conditions of Corporate Governance as stipulated under Clause 49 of the Listing Agreement with the Stock Exchange, is given in the Annexure, forming part of this Report.

# **Directors' Responsibility Statement**

As required u/s 217 (2AA) of the Companies Act, 1956, with respect to Directors' Responsibility Statement, the Directors hereby confirm that as stated by the Auditors:

- i) in the preparation of the Annual Accounts, the applicable accounting standards have been followed along with proper explanation relating to material departures;
- ii) the accounting policies have been selected and applied consistently and judgments and estimates have been reasonably and prudently made when required so as to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company at the end of the financial year and of the profit and loss of the Company for that period;
- iii) proper and sufficient care has been taken for maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 1956 for safeguarding the assets of the Company and preventing and detecting any fraud or other irregularities; and
- iv) the annual accounts for the financial year have been prepared on a going concern basis.

# Particulars of Employees

There was no employee who was in receipt of remuneration for the financial year under report in the aggregate of not less than Rs. 24 Lacs per annum, within the meaning of Section 217(2A) of the Companies Act, 1956, read with the Companies (Particulars of Employees) Rules, 1975.

# Energy Conservation, Technology Absorption and Foreign Exchange earnings & outgo

The relevant information & data required to be disclosed u/s 217 (1)(e) read with the Companies (Disclosure of Particulars in the Report of the Board of Directors) Rules, 1988 is given in the Annexure and forms part of this Report.

# Acknowledgements

Industrial relations continue to be cordial during the year under report. The Directors appreciate the effort and contribution made by the Workers, Staff Members and Executives at all levels for the improvement in the Company's performance. The Directors would also like to thank the Shareholders, Bankers, Customers, Suppliers & Vendors for the continuous support given by them to the Company, and their confidence in its management.

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors

Place: New Delhi

C.L. Jain

Dated: September 4, 2010

Chairman & Mg. Director

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# ANNEXURE TO & FORMING PART OF DIRECTORS' REPORT

Energy Conservation, Technology Absorption and Foreign Exchange earnings & outgo

Conservation of Energy: The Company has been regularly monitoring the process of energy conservation through improved operational and maintenance activities. Various measures namely maximum use of natural day light, arresting leakages of air and steam and proper insulation for preventing loss of heat etc. have been implemented, to minimise losses. These measures have and are resulting in cost savings for the Company.

Total energy consumption & consumption per unit during the year ended 31st March, 2010, is as per Form 'A' below: FORM 'A'

# A. Power and Fuel Consumption:

(Rs./Lakhs)

		Current Year 31.3.2010	Previous Year 31.3.2009
1.	ELECTRICITY		
	(a) Purchased		
	Units	921,534	925,178
	Total amount (Rs./Lacs)	46.23	47.71
	Rate/unit (Rs.)	5.02	5.16
	(b) Own Generation		
	i) Through diesel generator Units	50,085	66,780
	Unit per ltr. of diesel oil	3.50	3.50
	Cost/unit (Rs.)	10.21	9.97
	ii) Through steam turbine/generator	N.A.	N.A.
2.	COAL		
	Qty. (Kgs.)	N.A.	N.A.
	Value (Rs./Lacs)	N.A.	N.A.
3.	FURNACE OIL/ LDO/HSD		
	Qty. (Ltrs.)	136,090	132,854
	Value (Rs.Lacs)	48.62	39.46
	Rate/Unit (Rs.)	35.73	29.70
4.	OTHERS: INTERNAL GENERATION		

# Consumption per unit of production:

		Electricity (Units)		Furnace Oil (KL)		Coal (KG.)	
Product	(Unit)	Curr.Yr.	Prev.Yr.	Curr.Yr.	Prev.Yr.	Curr.Yr.	Prev.Yr.
Ready made Garments	1,000 Pcs.	1,223	1,264	_	_	_	_

# **Technology Absorption**

The requisite particulars are given in Form B below:

Research and Development (R&D): R&D has always been a crucial factor, being carried out in manufacturing operations. The Company continues to give due attention and stress on R&D activities to achieve maximum benefit for process and product by adapting all round technological development This is of utmost important in today's customer-driven market, where both quality and lower cost are dominant factors. Beside development of new designs, high value added specifications/ product and such like measures are imperative in the trade. The cumulative measures taken to update and use the latest technology for improvement in productivity are yielding positive results and are enabling the Company to concentrate upon high value added products. Expenditure on R&D is booked to respective heads as it is not separately identified.

Technology Absorption, Adoption and Innovation: The company puts proper emphasis on absorption of design and manufacturing technology. Priority is given in using latest technology for improving productivity, product quality and reducing wastage in consumption of raw materials, consumables and fuels. No technology import is required, since the product manufacturing is specific and subjective

Foreign Exchange Earnings and Outgo: Total Foreign exchange earned and used:

(Rs./Lacs)

	31.3.2010	31.3.2009
Earnings	2,078.29	1,868.99
Outgoings	195.10	219.45

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors

Place: New Delhi Dated: September 4, 2010 C.L. JAIN

Chairman & Mg. Director

# MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION & ANALYSIS REPORT

# 1. INDUSTRY STRUCTURE & DEVELOPMENTS

It is a recognized fact that the knitwear sector in the textile industry plays an important role in the Indian Economy. This industry, however, is highly competitive and fragmented. During the year 2009-10 the exports of readymade garments have surged forward. However, export growth was severely affected due to several internal and external developments. Stiff Global Competition, Changing Technology & Fashion industry and above all the overall recession continue to have an adverse impact on business prospects and profitability.

# 2. OPPORTUNITIES & THREATS

The opportunities in the Textile Industry and the increasing growth in export of knitted garments augur well for this vital segment. There is a perceptible change in the outlook and shift for diversified and high value added products.

Textile Companies are always experiencing pricing pressures, lately due to stiff international competition. Besides, lack of modern technology and archaic personnel laws are some of the other areas of significant threats.

Addi Industries is seized of all such factors having adverse effect on its exports. It is always eager and endeavouring to constantly update its plant & equipment for producing the best quality products. A capital expenditure of 15.50 Lacs was incurred during the year on technology upgradation and modernization of machinery & equipment, wherever considered necessary.

Sales in Company's domestic retail outlets are gradually improving. Keeping in view the market requirements, new and diversified product lines are continuously being added in the domestic market.

# 3. SEGMENT-WISE PERFORMANCE

The Company operates in one segment only i.e. manufacturing of garments. Hence, no segment-wise performance reporting is available.

### 4. FINANCIAL AND OPERATIONAL PERFORMANCE

The Company's performance during the financial year 2009-10 has been improved. The Company achieved turnover of Rs.2416.76 Lacs (including exports of Rs.2114.64 Lacs) as against the turnover of Rs.2350.20 Lacs (including exports of Rs.1920.66 Lacs) in the previous year. However, margins continued to be under pressure, mainly on account of high operational costs. The operational profit in the year under report was Rs.11.23 lakhs as compared to the operational profit of Rs.10.97 Lacs in the previous year.

# OUTLOOK

Exports in the current year 2010-11 are looking up. The Company has achieved exports of Rs.421.23 Lacs in the first quarter ended 30th June, 2010 as compared to the exports of Rs.417.69 Lacs in the corresponding first quarter of the previous year. International competition has and is exerting high pressure on selling prices of the export products. Exports also depend a lot on Govt. policies and developments in the international market.

# 6. RISKS & CONCERNS

The Company places its thrust on product excellence. Judicious risk management policies, strong systems, constant monitoring of various risk factors and a focus on greater market penetration continue to guide the business strategy of the Company. Strict monitoring is done to cut-down costs and overheads, whatever feasible, to make the product more prices competitive.

# 7. INTERNAL CONTROL SYSTEMS

The Company has instituted a system of internal control and checks, which are supplemented by an on-going programme of internal audits and Management Information System (MIS). An annual planning and budgeting system has been put into practice. The Audit Committee of the Board actively reviews internal control systems as well as financial disclosures normally on every quarterly period.

# 8. MATERIAL DEVELOPMENTS IN HR

Personal relations during the year under report have been cordial. To conform to international standards, the Company conducts different training programmes in-house. The Company has also identified and included specific programmes on Health, Safety & Environment in every employee/s performance targets. A self assessment system is in vogue amongst the staff, and a code of conduct amongst the senior management personnel, which is reviewed by the top management from time to time.

# **CAUTIONARY STATEMENT**

The Statements in the Report of the Board of Directors and the Management Discussion & Analysis Report describing the Company's projections, estimates, expectations or predictions may be forward looking statements within the meaning of applicable securities laws and regulations. Actual results could differ materially from those expressed or implied since the company's operations are influenced by many external and internal factors beyond the control of the company.

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors

Place: New Delhi
Dated: September 4, 2010

C.L. JAIN
Chairman & Mg. Director

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# REPORT ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

(Pursuant to Clause 49 of the Listing Agreement with the Stock Exchanges)

### 1. Corporate Philosophy

The Company is committed to good Corporate Governance. It makes best efforts for, and monitors, full compliance with the requirements of Corporate Governance under the revised Clause 49 of the Listing Agreement with the Stock Exchange. There is a conscious endeavour to bring about transparency in operations and for maintaining professional approach and accountability so that the return to the shareholders is optimized. Regular meetings of the Board and Committee/s thereof are held for transparency in management, effective leadership and for supervision and control. Risk management and internal control functions are monitored on a regular basis and are geared up to meet the progressive governance standards.

### 2. Board of Directors

The composition of the Board of Directors, as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2010, is four, two Executive Directors and two Non-executive Directors. The Agenda and other documents alongwith relevant information on the business to be discussed and decided in the Board/Committee Meeting/s are circulated well in advance. The Chairman & Managing Director is responsible for the conduct of the business as also the day-to-day affairs of the Company. The Executive Whole-time Director is in charge of Marketing, Product development, Quality control, Export & other Commercial functions of the Company. A Certificate of Statutory Compliance reporting compliance of the various rules and regulations, laws & clauses applicable to the Company is placed before the Board at every Meeting on a quarterly basis. The Statutory Auditors are special invitee/s to the Board / Committee Meeting/s as and when required, and particularly at the time of Annual & Half yearly Financial Statements.

The Board met 6 times on April 25, July 30, September 3, October 31, 2009; January 30 and February 19, 2010 during the financial year ended March 31, 2010:

Name of the Director & Designation	Executive/ Non-executive/ Independent	Non of Board Meetings held during the year	No. of Board Meetings attended	Attendance at the last AGM on 30.09.2009	Directorship in other Cos. incorporated in India	No. of other Cos. Board Committees, of which Member/ Chairman
Shri C.L. Jain (Chairman & Managing Director)	Executive (Promoter Grp)	6	6	Present	1	NIL
Shri V.B. Aggarwal	Non-executive (Independent)	6	6	Present	NIL	NIL
Dr. B.K. Behera	Non-executive (Independent)	6	2	Present	1	NIL
Shri Hari Bansal (Whole-time Dir.)	Executive (Promoter Grp)	6	5	Present	1	NIL

None of the Directors on the Board hold the office of Director in more than 10 Companies as Director or as Member of Committee/s of the Board. Particulars of a Director retiring by rotation and being re-elected are given elsewhere in this Report.

None of the non-executive independent Directors hold any shares in the company, either in their own name or in the name of their relatives/associates, or hold shares in any other company exceeding 2% of the share capital of the company.

Shri C.L. Jain, and Shri Hari Bansal are related to each other (as Father-Son relationship), except them none of the other Director of the Company is related with other.

# Directors resigned during the year.

There is no change in the Directorship/s of the Company during the year under report.

# 3. Committee/s of the Board

# A. Audit Committee

An Audit Committee is duly constituted in terms of Section 292A of the Companies Act 1956 and in compliance with the requirements of Clause 49 of the Listing Agreement. Shri V.B. Agarwal, a non-Executive Independent Director, is the Chairman of the Audit Committee. Dr. B.K. Behera, Non-Executive Director and Shri C.L. Jain, Managing Director are the other members of this Committee.

Shri V.B. Agarwal is a professionally qualified Cost Accountant & Company Secretary, and has the requisite financial acumen and a rich & varied expertise on financial matters. He attended and was present at the Annual General Meeting of the Members held on September 30, 2009.

The Committee relies on the expertise and knowledge of the management, the Statutory Auditors, and the Professionals in carrying out its oversight responsibilities, and for effectively looking after all the financial and other matters specified u/s 292A of the Act ibid. The Committee discharges such duties and functions indicated in Clause 49 of the Listing Agreement with the Stock Exchange and such other functions as may be specifically delegated to the Committee by the Board from time to time. The Company Secretary invariably acts as Secretary to the Committee. The Auditors are permanent invitee/s to the meeting/s of the Committee, especially at the time of consideration of half yearly and Annual Accounts.

Five Meetings of the Audit Committee were held on April 25, July 30, August 29, October 31, 2009 and January 30, 2010; during the financial year ended 31st March, 2010. All the members of the Audit Committee attended each and every meeting held during the year except Dr. B.K. Behera who did not attended the meeting held on October 31, 2009 and January 30, 2010.

The Company has a "Whistle Blower Policy". Every employee has a right of access to the Audit Committee and its Members, without any information to their Superiors. The Company hereby affirms that it has not denied any personnel access to the Audit Committee of the Company and has provided protection to whistle blowers from any unfair termination and other unfair or prejudicial employment practices.

# B. Remuneration Committee

The Remuneration Committee of the Company comprises of two non-executive independent Directors namely Shri V.B. Agarwal & Dr. B.K. Behera, and Shri C.L. Jain, Mg. Director, as its members. The Remuneration Committee is empowered to review the remuneration of the Managing Director and Executive Directors. One Meeting of the Remuneration Committee was held on August 29, 2009, which was attended by all the members of the Committee for the financial year ended March 31, 2010.

### C. Selection Committee

The Selection Committee of the Company also comprises of two non-executive independent Directors namely Shri V.B. Aggarwal and Dr. B.K. Behera, and Shri C.L. Jain, Mg. Director, as its Members. The Selection Committee functions for regulating the selection and appointment of any relative/s of a Director, to hold office or place of profit in the Company. One meeting of the Selection Committee was held on August 29, 2009, which was attended by all the members of the Committee.

# D. Committee of Directors (COD)

In terms of the revised clause 41 of the Listing Agreement, a Committee of Directors (COD) has been constituted with Shri V.B. Aggarwal, non- executive independent Director as its Chairman, and Shri C.L. Jain, Mg. Director as its Member, for the purpose of considering the Limited Review Report of the Statutory Auditors, before its submission to the Stock Exchange. No meeting of the Committee of Directors was required to be held during the financial year ended March 31, 2010.

# E (i) Investor Grievance cum Share Transfer Committee

The Investor Grievance cum Share Transfer Committee has been constituted under the Chairmanship of Dr. B.K. Behera. The other members of the Committee are S/Shri V.B. Aggarwal, C.L. Jain and Hari Bansal. The terms of reference to the Committee inter-alia includes the redressal of Shareholders/Investors grievances, de-materialisation/re-materialisation of Shares, to consider the status of Quarterly Complaints received and redressed. Apart from these a general authority has been given to Shri C.L. Jain, Chairman & Mg. Director of the Company to approve the Share Transfer, Transmission, Transposition and other related matters.

Five Meetings of the Investor Grievance cum Share Transfer Committee were held on April 15, 25, July 30, October 31, 2009 and January 30, 2010; during the financial year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2010. All the members of the Committee attended each and every meeting held during the year except Dr. B.K. Behera and Shri V.B. Aggarwal who did not attended even a single meeting.

During the year under review, Shri C.L. Jain in his independent capacity and as per the authority delegated to him has approved the Share Transfer/Transmission/issue of duplicate Share Certificate/s & other related matters, upto 2500 Equity Shares per case, held in physical form. Proceedings of all the Share Transfers/ Transmissions/ other matters approved are placed at the ensuing Board Meeting/s, from time to time.

Shri Atul Jain, Compliance Officer & Manager(Finance) acts as the Compliance Officer of the Committee. The Company attends the Shareholders'/investors' communications/grievances expeditiously. No Demat request was pending at the close of the last Financial Year.

# 4. Remuneration to Directors

The Mg. Director & the Whole-time Directors are paid remuneration as decided & approved by the Remuneration Committee, the Board and the Shareholders, & thereafter, the approval of the Central Govt. is obtained wherever required. The Company does not have any Stock Option Scheme.