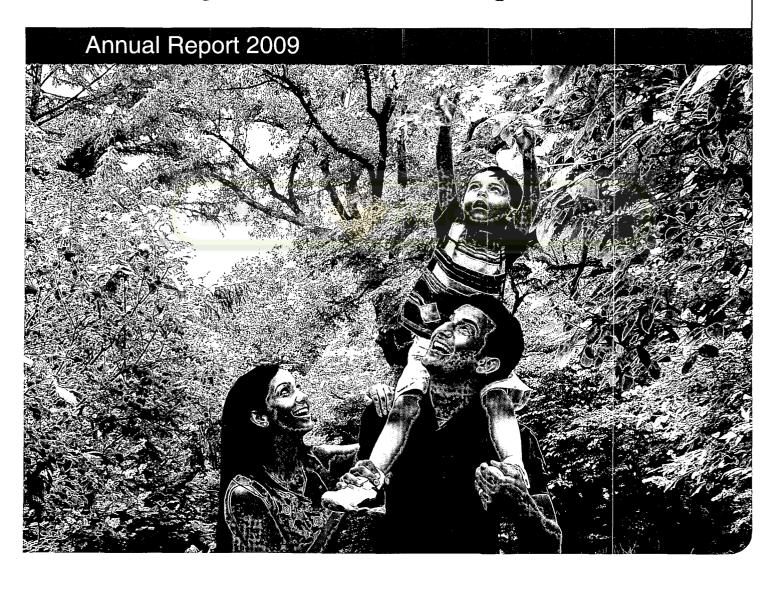


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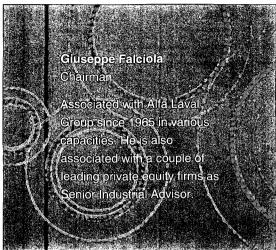




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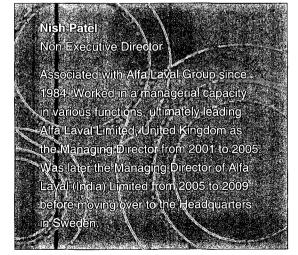






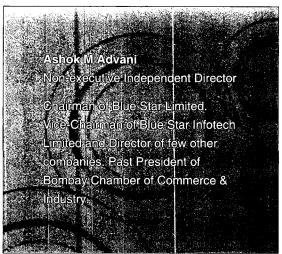








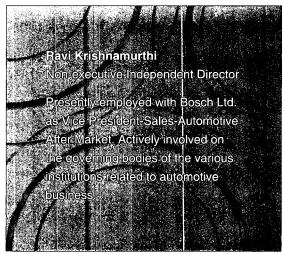












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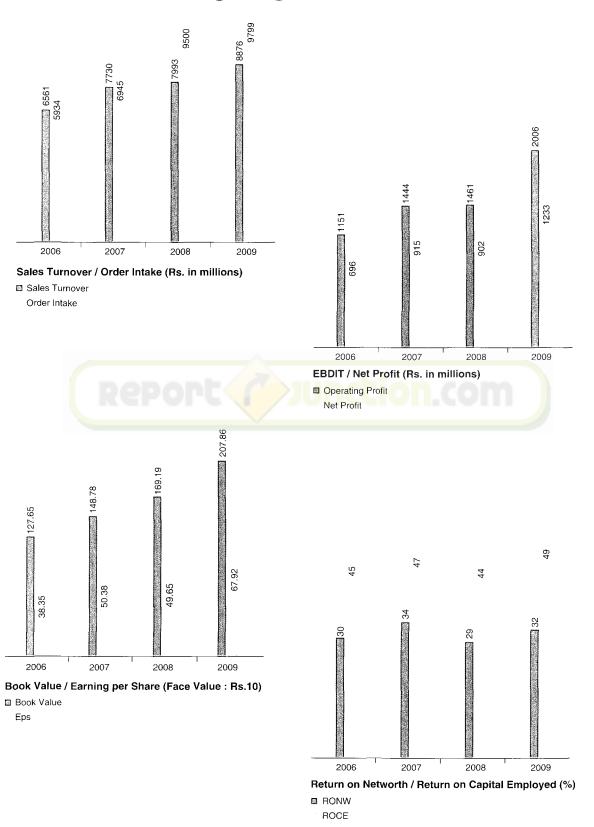
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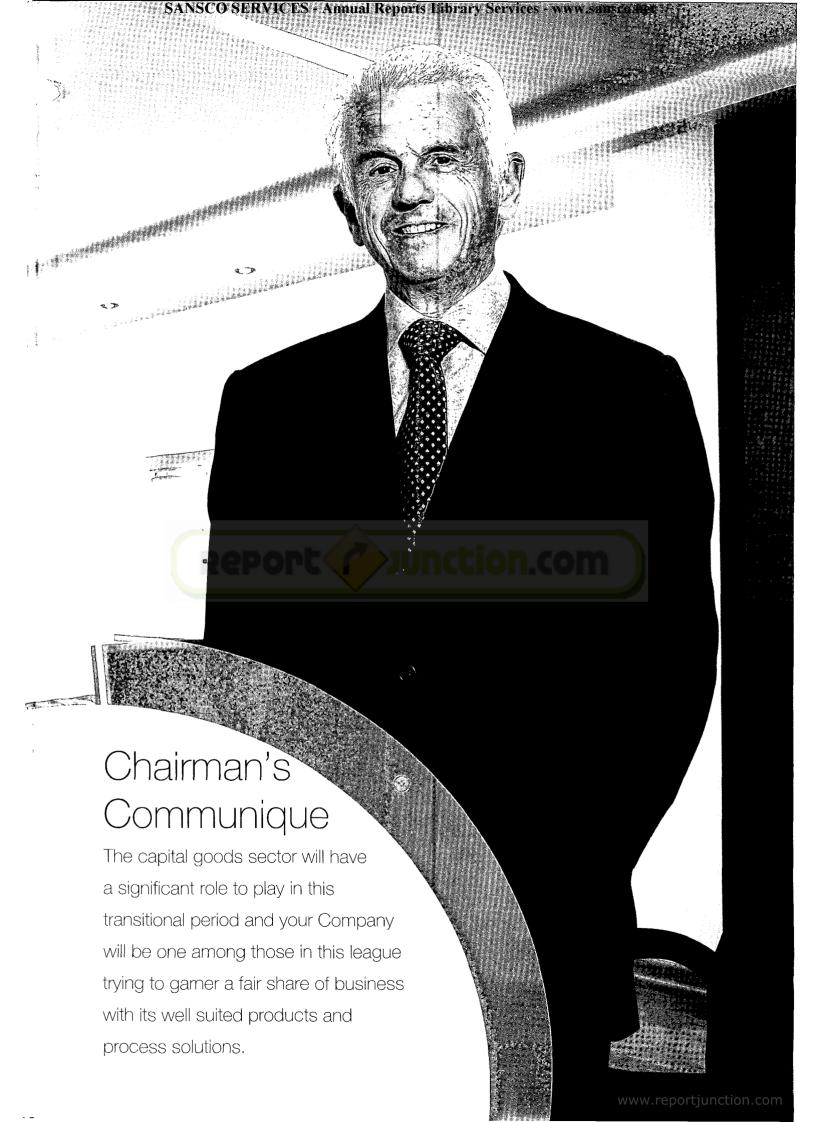
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Financial highlights





Dear Shareholders,

The year 2009 heralded with the fright of the global economic downturn further denting the business climate. However, as the year moved on, the world economy gave tentative indications of improvement, though the pace of recovery could not be gauged with certainty because of mixed and conflicting signals. In that context, the economic recovery in India has been a revelation. While there is an optimism on further recovery, inflationary pressures and a possible upward movement of interest rates in the medium term - not to forget that major global economies are still struggling to stay afloat – could contain the revival process.

In the midst of this unstable economic situation, your Company delivered a remarkable performance reaching new highs on order booking and sales turnover. While this was on the expected lines, the substantial rise in profitability was achieved much because of the contribution of very specific factors and the profit protection plan in place. This underlines your Company's focus on Growing Profitably in this still tough international financial and business environment which calls for conservation of resources in order to be well placed to counter any adverse shift in the market conditions. This was the thought process which rode on the Board of Directors of your Company to maintain the dividend distribution for the year 2009 at the same level as the previous year.

The quick turnaround in the Indian economy so far, boosted by the Government response in the form of fiscal stimulus, has given rise to further optimism for a continued economic revival in the medium term. The recent budget, termed as progressive, is expected to consolidate the gains from the recovery process though the planned and phased roll back of stimulus, has raised concerns about the recovery losing momentum for some time. Added to this are the higher than expected inflation and the consequences thereof threatening to pose hurdles for a broad-based economic recovery. However, the resumption of investments, though on a slower pace, and rise in consumption are expected to drive up the manufacturing sector, already in a positive mode. The capital goods sector will have a significant role to play in this transitional period and your Company will be one among those in this league trying to garner a fair share of business with its well suited products and process solutions.

As you are now aware, Jose' Hernanz has succeeded Nish Patel at the helm of affairs of the Company with effect from 1st January 2010, following the latter's decision to move over to the Headquarters of Alfa Laval Group to take up a major assignment. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Nish for leading the Company to new and remarkable heights in the last four years. Jose' has a long association with Alfa Laval Group, where he has successfully served over the years in very demanding managerial positions in several international locations. With the wealth of experience behind him, he is well suited to lead the Company in its build-up to meet the challenges ahead. The message from the Managing Director has a clear direction on the way forward to emerge stronger and healthier in its pursuit of sustaining the performance on all key parameters.

The Principals continue to express strong confidence in the Indian operations and plans are afoot for further developing and extending the Indian manufacturing base for both domestic and worldwide requirements. With the quality and reliability established, more models of products are being sourced and your Company continues to derive the benefits in terms of knowledge, expertise and utilization of capacities.

The bar of corporate governance has been raised by Alfa Laval Group and your Company has already expressed its desire for compliance while at the same time adhering to the local norms in the same way.

I take this opportunity to thank all my colleagues on the Board for their extensive co-operation and professional contribution while conveying my best wishes to Jose Hernanz and his team for great success in the years to come. I would also like to thank all other stakeholders including the employees at all levels for their strong dedication and proficient support in this growth journey and expect this commitment to continue in the years ahead.

Giuseppe Falciola

