

Associated Alcohols & Breweries Ltd.

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18TH ANNUAL REPORT 2006-2007



ASSOCIATED ALCOHOLS & BREWERIES LTD.

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the 18th Annual General Meeting of the Members of Associated Alcohols & Breweries Ltd. will be held at "Shripati Singhania Hall". Rotary Sadan, 94/2, Jawaharlal Nehru Road, (Chowranghee Road), Kolkata 700 020 on Friday, 28th day of September 2007 at 4 P.M. for following business:

ORDINARY BUSINESS

- 1. To Consider and adopt the Audited Balance Sheet of the Company as at 31st March 2007 and the Profit and Loss Account for the year ended on that date, together with the report of Directors and Auditors thereon.
- To declare dividend.
- 3. To appoint a Director in place of Shri Surendra Kumar Khetawat, who retires by rotation and being eligible offers himself for reappointment.
- 4. To appoint a Director in place of Shri Manish Kumar Tibrewal, who retires by rotation and being eligible offers himself for re-appointment.
- 5. To appoint Auditors and to fix their remuneration.

SPECIAL BUSINESS

6. To consider and if thought fit to pass with or without modification, the following resolution as ordinary resolution:

"RESOLVED that Shri Manish Kumar Kedia who holds office up to the date of this Annual General Meeting pursuant to Section 260 of the Companies Act, 1956 and who is eligible for appointment and in respect of whom the company has received notice in writing, pursuant to Section 257 of the Proposing his candidature for the office of Director and is hereby appointed a Director of the Company, liable to retire by rotation."

NOTES

- Explanatory statements pursuant to section 173(2) of the Companies Act, 1956 are annexed hereto.
- 2. A member entitled to attend and vote at the meeting is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote instead of himself. Such proxy needs to be a member of the Company. Proxies in order to valid and effective must be delivered at the Registered Office of the Company not later than forty-eight hours before the Commencement of the meeting.
- 3. The Register of Members and the Shares transfer books of the Company shall remain closed from Monday, 24th day of September, 2007 to Friday, the 28th day of September, 2007, both days inclusive.

REGISTERED OFFICE

Queen Court 8C, Queens Park, Ballygunge, Kolkata-700 019 Dated: 18th August 2007 By order of the Board

S.K. KEDIA DIRECTOR



ANNEXURE TO NOTICE

I. EXPLANATORY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 173 (2) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 1956

Item No.6

Shri Manish Kumar Kedia was appointed as an Additional Director of the Company on 1st March 2007 pursuant to Section 260 ("the Act"). Shri Manish Kumar Kedia holds office up to the date of the ensuing Annual General Meeting of the Company. The company has received a notice from him proposing as a candidate for the office of the director of the Company. The appointment of Shri Manish Kumar Kedia shall be in the interest of the Company and therefore the Board recommends the resolution for its adoption. Except Shri Manish Kumar Kedia and Shri S.K. Kedia, none of the directors of the Company is interested or concerned in the resolution.

II. AS REQUIRED UNDER CLAUSE 49VI OF THE LISTING AGREEMENT GIVEN BELOW ARE THE DETAILS OF THE DIRECTORS PROPOSED FOR APPOINTMENT:

Shri Surendra Kumar Khetawat:

Shri Surendra Kumar Khetawat holds a Bachelor's degree from University of Kolkata. He is a seasoned businessman and having over decade of experience in multi-functional area in various industries.

Outside Directorship:

- 1. M/s. Bharat Roadways Transport Ltd.,
- 2. M/s. Rameshwara Engg. Co., Pvt. Ltd.,
- 3. M/s. Rameshwara Syntex Ltd.
- 4. M/s. Aapee Trading & Holdings (P) Ltd.,
- 5. M/s. Rameshwara Projects Ltd.,

Shri Manish Kumar Tibrewal

Shri Manish Kumar Tibrewal is a Commerce graduate. He is young and dynamic and having rich experience in multi-functional areas. Outside Directorship: Nil

Shri Manish Kumar Kedia

Shri Manish Kumar Kedia is a MS in Computer Science from California State University, USA. He is young and dynamic and having rich experience in multi-functional areas.

Outside Directorship: Nil

REGISTERED OFFICE

By order of the Board

Queen Court

8C, Queens Park,

Bailygunge, Kolkata-700 019

S.K. KEDIA DIRECTOR

Dated: 18th August 2007

ASSOCIATED

DIRECTORS REPORT

To the Members,

Your Directors have pleasure in presenting their 18th Annual Report together with the Audited Accounts of the Company for the year ended on 31st March 2007.

FINANCIAL RESULTS	(Rupees	in Lacs)
PARTICULARS	2006-2007	2005-2006
Sales & Other Income	8321.76	7777.17
Profit/(Loss) before Depreciation & Tax	573.61	277.88
Profit/(Loss) before Tax	344.26	95.03
Provision for- Income Tax	(38.63)	(21.81)
- Fringe Benefit Tax	(5.26)	(6.42)
Deferred Taxation	(67.11)	213.24
Profit for the year	233.26	280.04
Add: Balance brought forward from previous Year	1121.08	891.03
Profit available for appropriation	1354.34	1171.07

APPROPRIATIONS

Proposed Dividend	16.35	~~
Tax on Dividend	2.78	
General Reserve	100.00	50.00
Amount carried to next year	1235.21	1121.07

Your directors have recommended Dividend @ 2.5% (Previous year Nil) on the equity share capital of Rs.653.96 Lacs for the year ended on 31st March 2007.

OPERATIONS

The turnover of the Company during the year was at Rs.83.22 Crores in comparison to Rs. 77.77 Crores in the previous year. The operating profit for the year was Rs.344.26 Lacs in comparison to Rs.95.05 Lacs in the previous year. In view of the scenario of the Industry, your Directors consider overall performance of the Company satisfactory.

SUBSIDIARY COMPANY

Copy of the Annual Report and Accounts of the subsidiary are annexed to the Accounts as required under section 212 of the Companies Act, 1956. In view of continuous losses of the subsidiary, the Company is in the process of finalisation of the deal for disposal of shares and realization of investment in the interest of the company. Necessary approval for same is being sought from the shareholders.

MODERNISATION/EXPANSION

The company undertook the project of installing Turbine and High Pressure Boilers to increase the operational efficiency alongwith saving of substantial power cost of SEB from captive generation. This is apart from certain up-gradation programme of manufacturing facilities of Barwaha unit. The cost of project estimated to about Rs.1150 Lacs is going to be financed by Internal accruals and preferential issue of warrants.

POST BALANCE SHEET EVENT

With the requisite sanctions, the Company has issued 35 Lacs warrants aggregating to Rs.840 Lacs on preferencial allotment basis and these warrants are convertible into equal number of equity shares of Rs.10/ each at a premium of Rs.14/ per such share within a period of 18 months from the date of their allotment.

DIRECTORS

Shri Surendra Kumar Khetawat and Shri Manish Kumar Tibrewal Directors retire by rotation and being eligible, offer themselves for reappointment. Shri Sandeep Kumar Tulsyan associated with the Company as a Director of the Company since 20th October 2001, resigned on 1th March 2007. The Company acknowledge its highest appreciation Mr. Tulsyan for the services rendered by him over the years. Shri Manish Kumar Kedia was appointed as additional director on 1th March, 2007. In terms of section 260 of the companies Act, 1956, Shri Kedia relinquishes his office at the commecement of the next annual general meeting. However proposal has been received by the company for appointment of Shri Kedia as director of the company.

MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Present Industry Scenario and Developments, opportunities, Threats & Performance:

The Company is mainly operating under the bulk Alcohol segment and supplies to the Government and leading IMFL manufacturers. The liquor consumption is growing by 10% CAGR. The Company's units are operating at optimum level. The Company is further concentrating for the value added products, IMFL to increase its margins in the coming years.

a. Outlook:

The Company is striving hard to improve cost efficiencies, widen its reaches to new consumer segments and consolidate further on its image. Barring unforeseen circumstances, the Company expects to improve its march towards improved profitability.

b. Risks and Concerns:

Stiff competition in the market does have an impact on the product pricing policies and put the operating margins under pressure. All the insurable interests of the Company including inventories, buildings, plants and machinery and liabilities under legislative enactments are adequately insured.

c. Internal Control Systems:

The Company has proper and adequate system of internal control to ensure that all assets are safe and protected against loss from unauthorized use or disposition, and that all transactions are authorized, recorded and reported correctly. The Company regularly conducts internal audits, using external and internal resources to monitor the effectiveness of internal control in the organization. The Company has a well-defined organization structure and authority limits. It strictly adheres to corporate policy with respect to financial



reporting and budgeting functions. The Audit Committee of the Board of Directors deals with significant control issues coming out of by internal audit system and/or raised by the external auditors of the Company and instructs further areas to be covered.

d. Financial Controls

The total capital employed by the Company was Rs.68.64 Crores at the year-end 2006-2007 in comparison to Rs.62.07 Crores at the end of previous year. The working capital and interest costs have been managed more efficiently. The bank borrowing to sustain the business was Rs.15.41 Crores at the close of 2006-2007 as against Rs.11.29 Crores at the end of the previous years.

The interest outflow was Rs. 2.10 Crores in 2006-2007 as against Rs. 1.85 Crores in 2005-2006, out of which working capital interest and bank charges accounted for Rs.1.83 Crores as against Rs.1.85 Crores in the previous year. The Company's management is committed to evolve strategy to achieve enhancement in the shareholders value through the adoption of strong fiscal discipline, improvement in operating efficiencies and resource utilization.

e. Human Resources

Human capital continues to be a vital resource for the Company. Training and development of our human resources continued to receive focused attention. The Company has a continuous process to monitor individual performance. The Company continued to have cordial and harmonious relations with its employees.

f. Cautionary Statement:

Statement in this report on Management Discussion and Analysis describing the Company's objectives, projections, estimates, expectations or predictions may be forward looking statements within the meaning of applicable security laws or regulations. These statements are based on certain assumptions and expectation of future events. Actual results could however, differ materially from those expressed or implied. Important factors that could make a difference to the Company's operations include demand-supply conditions, finished goods prices, raw materials costs and availability, changes in Government regulations and tax structure and other factors. The Company assumes no responsibility of forward looking statement herein which may undergo changes in future on the basis of subsequent developments, information or events.

DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

As required under section 217 (2AA) of the Act, your Directors confirm that:

- a. in the preparation of the annual accounts, the applicable accounting standards have been followed.
- b. appropriate accounting policies have been selected and applied consistently and that judgements and estimates made are reasonable and prudent so as to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as on 31st March 2007 and of its profit for the year ended on that date.
- c. Proper and sufficient care has been taken for the maintenance of adequate accounting records under the provisions of the Act for safeguarding the assets of the Company and for preventing and defecting fraud and other irregularities.
- The annual accounts have been prepared on a going concern basis.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

The Company has complied with the mandatory provisions of Corporate Governance as prescribed in the clause 49 the listing agreement with the Stock Exchange. A separate report on Corporate Governance and Auditors Report there on are included as part of the Annual Report.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

With regard to remarks of the Auditors in Para (i) (a),(vii), (ix)(a), your Directors have already taken steps to ensure regularities and/or deposit of dues to the concerned authorities, whereas the unsecured loans given to the subsidiary company as observed by the Auditors in para (iii) (b) is acceded by the company on business compulsions and the directors are of the opinion that the same is not prejudicial to the interest of the company. Further as regards note No.4 for accounting of excise duty, the same were done accordance with accepted business practices. As regards note No.14 regarding non-funding of gratuity liability, the same is provided on the basis of certificate of LIC obtained at the year end and deposited thereafter.

AUDITORS

The Auditors M/s. B. K. Agrawal & Co., Kolkata and M/s. M. D. Agrawal & Co., Indore retire at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting and are eligible for reappointment for the period from the conclusion of the ensuing Annual General Meeting to the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting.

PERSONNEL

The relation between the employees and the management has been cordial throughout the year under review and the Directors place on record their appreciation for the efficient services rendered by the employees at all levels.

There has been no employee drawing remuneration in excess of limits prescribed under Section 217 (2A) of the Companies Act, 1956 read with the Companies (Particulars of Employees) Rules, 1975 as amended.

CONSERVATION OF ENERGY, TECHNOLOGY ABSORPTION AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNINGS /OUTGO

Information required under Section 217 (1) (e) of the Companies Act, 1956 read with the Companies (Disclosure of particulars in the Report of the Board of Directors) Rules, 1988 with respect to conservation of energy, technology absorption and foreign exchange earnings/outgo is appended hereto as Annexure -II and forms part of this report.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Your Directors are thankful to the Banks, Financial Institutions and other Government agencies for their assistance, as also to the suppliers and customers for their support to the Company. Your Directors also take this opportunity to express their sincere thanks to the shareholders for their continued faith in the Company.

FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

SANTOSH KUMAR KEDIA

DIRECTOR

Dated: 18th August 2007 Place: KOLKATA

HARSHAN KUMAR BHANDARI DIRECTOR

ASSOCIATED

ANNEXURE TO THE DIRECTORS' REPORT

ANNEXURE-1

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

Company's Philosophy on Code of Governance

The Company is committed to good Corporate Governance. The mandatory requirements pursuant to Clause 49 of the Listing Agreement with the Stock Exchanges relating to "Corporate Governance" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Clause") have been implemented by the Company. The Company has always tried to adopt the good standards of disclosures so as to emphasize transparency, accountability and integrity towards all its stakeholders. The Company will continue to strive hard towards raising of standards so as to enhance the shareholders value.

Board of Directors ('Board'):

Composition of the Board of Directors

The Board comprises of Executive and Non-Executive Directors. The strength of the Board as on 31st March 2007 was 6 members comprising of 3 Executive Directors and 3 Non-Executive Directors. The composition includes 3 independent Directors out of which 2 are Non-Executive Directors. The Board's composition meets with the stipulated requirement of at least half of the Board comprising independent directors and non-executive Directors.

Responsibilities:

The Board has a formal schedule of matters reserved for its consideration and decision which includes reviewing Company's performance, ensuring adequate availability of financial resources and reporting to shareholders. During the year under review the Board met 30 times and there was no gap exceeding two months between any two meetings. Board members ensure that their other responsibilities do not materially have impact on their responsibilities as a Director of the Company.

The Board meetings during the year were held on 5th April 2006, 10th April, 2006, 20th April 2006, 25th April 2006, 5th May 2006, 20th May 2006, 20" June 2006, 15" July 2006, 20" July 2006, 21" July 2006, 5" August 2006, 20" August 2006, 21st August 2006, 5" September 2006, 20th September 2006, 20th October 2006, 20th November 2006, 27th November 2006, 5th December 2006, 15th December 2006, 20th December 2006, 28th December 2006, 5th January 2007, 10th January 2007, 20th January 2007, 5th February 2007, 20th February 2007, 1th January 2007, 20th February 2007, 20th February 2007, 1th January 2007, 20th February 2007, March 2007, 2nd March 2007, 5th March 2007, & 20th March 2007.

Sr. No.	Name of Director	Category	Designation	Board Meetings Attended	Attendance at Last AGM	Total Number of other Directorship as on date#	No. of other Committee membership on date Member/ Chairman
1.	Shri Sanotsh Kumar Kedia	ED	Director	30	Yes	1	
2.	Shri Harshan Kumar Bhandari	ED	Director	17	No	1	-
3.	Shri Ashish Gadia	ED	Director	15	Yes	-	-
4.	Shri Surendra Kumar Khetawat	NED	Director	20	Yes	5	2
5.	Shri Manish Kumar Tibrewal	NED	Director	22	Yes	·	2
6.	Shri Sandeep Kumar Tulsyan	NED	Director	15	No	_	-
7.	Shri Manish Kumar Kedia	NED	Director	04	No		2

Details of shares held by the Non-Executive Directors as on 31" March 2007 are as follows:

Shri Surendra Kumar Khetawat

Nil

2. 3.

Shri Manish Kumar Tibrewal Shri Manish Kumar Kedia

Nil

2,900 shares

Board Committees:

To enable better and more focused attention on the affairs of the Company, the Board has delegated specific matters to Committee of the Board set up for the respective purpose. The requirement that a Director shall not be a member of more than five Committees and Chairman of more than two Committees has been complied with while constituting the Committee of Directors.

(1) Audit Committee:

The Audit Committee constituted as per the requirements of the provisions of Section 292A and in compliance of the requirements of Clause 49 of the Listing Agreement held its meeting on 20th April 2006, 21st July 2006, 20th October 2006 and 20th January 2007.

Terms of Reference

To consider the scope of audit review, the effectiveness of the system of internal control, risk management and statutory compliances. The Committee's powers and role are as stipulated in Clause49 of the Listing Agreement and under Section 292A of the Companies Act

S. No.	Name	Executive / Non Executive	Category
1.	Shri Manish Kumar Tibrewal	Non-Executive & Independent	Chairman
2.	Shri Sandeep Kumar Tulsyan	Non-Executive & Independent	Member
3.	Shri Surendra Kumar Khetawat	Non-Executive & Independent	Member

Shri S.K. Kedia, Director along with the Statutory Auditors are invitees to the meeting.



Meeting and Attendance:

The Committee met four times during the year under review. The said meetings were held on 20th April 2006, 21th July 2006, 20th October 2006 and 20th January 2007.

S. No.	Name of Directors	Category	Nos. of meeting attended
1.	Shri Manish Kumar Tibrewal	Chairman	4
2.	Shri Sandeep Kumar Tulsyan	Member	4
3.	Shri Surendra Kumar Khetawat	Member	4

(2) Shareholders'/Investors Grievances Committee:

The Committee constituted to attend to and address the Shareholders' and Investors' grievances consists of three members namely Shri Manish Kumar Tibrewal, Shri Sandeep Kumar Tulsyan and Shri Surendra Kumar Khetawat. This Committee meets periodically to approve transfer of shares and resolve investor's grievances, if any. The Committee overseas the performance of Registrars and Transfer Agents and recommends measures for overall improvement of the quantity of investor services.

S.No	Name of Directors	Category	Total Meetings 2006-2007	Nos. of meetings attended
1.	Shri Sandeep Kumar Tulsyan	Chairman	20	20
2	Shri Manish Kumar Tibrewal	Member	20	15
3.	Shri Surendra Kumar Khetawat	Member	20	20

Name and Designation of the Compliance Officer:

Mr. S.K. Kedia, Director

Details of Shareholders complaints received:

Number of Complaints - 32
Number of Complaints unsolved - Nil
Pending Complaints - Nil

4. Annual General Meeting

Location and time where last three Annual General Meetings were held:

AGM No.	Place	Date	Time
15 th	Registered Office at 8-C Queens Park, Ballygunge, Kolkata	28-09-2004	10.3 <mark>0</mark> a.m.
16 th	Registered Office at 8-C Queens Park, Ballygunge, Kolkata	28-09-2005	10.30 a.m.
17 th	Registered Office at 8-C Queens Park, Ballygunge, Kolkata	28-12-2006	01.30 p.m.

The shareholders passed all the resolutions set out in the respective notices. There were no resolutions put through postal ballot last year. There are two business requiring implementation of the postal ballot under the applicable rules. Postal ballets and other related documents are being mailed separately.

5. Disclosures:

Details of materially significant related party transactions:

The Company does not have any related party transaction that may have a potential conflict with interests of the Company. The Company has complied with all the requirements of regulatory authorities on capital market and no penalties or strictures have been imposed against it by Stock Exchanges or SEBI or any Statutory Authority during last three years except the fine imposed by BSE at the time of revocation of its suspension order for trading of the company's shares.

6. Means of communication:

- Quarterly results are taken on record by the Board of Directors, and submitted the same to the Stock Exchange in terms of requirements of Clause 41 of the Listing Agreement alongwith Publication of Quarterly results in newspapers: These were not published in the last year.
- The Company is having website as <u>www.associatedalcohols.com</u>.
- No presentations have been made to institutional investors or to the analysts.
- The Management Discussion and Analysis Report forms part of Directors Report.

General Shareholder Information.

Annual General Meeting

Date Venue

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: 28th September 2007

".Shripati Singhania Hall" Rotary Sadan 94/2, Jawaharlal Nehru Road(Chowranghee Road),Kolkata-700020

:4 P.M.

Board meeting to approve quarterly results : Proposed Board Meetings dates to be results for the quarter ending as on

:31st July 2007 :30th October 2007 :30th January 2008

: 30th January 2008 : 30th April 2008

: 24th September 2007 to 28th September, 2007

on or after 28th September 2007

: Mumbai, Annual listing fee for the Year 2007-08 has been paid. : Fee for the year 2007-08 to NSDL and CDSL has been paid.

30th June 2007
30th September 2007
31st December 2007
31st March 2008
Book Closure Date
Dividend payment date
Listing on Stock Exchange
Custodial Fees to Depositories



Market Price data: H/L of each month in the last financial year:

SHARE PRICE HIGH & LOW (Rs.) year 2006-2007

Month	Apr 06	May 06	June 06	July 06	Aug 06	Sept 06	Oct 06	Nov. 06	Dec. 06	Jan 07	Feb 07	Mar 07
Low	3.52	6.00	11.00	16.00	23.80	16.80	11.05	10.90	10.87	17.50	14.00	13.25
High	6.00	11.00	16.00	24.90	24.00	26.90	15.85	12.60	21.63	19.95	19.65	14.75

Registrar & Transfer Agents:

Ankit Consultancy Pvt. Ltd., Alankar Point, Geeta Bhawan Chauraha, Indore 452 001. Phone No. 0731-2491298/2495229, Fax No. 0731-4065798

e-mail: ankitind@sancharnet.in.

Share Transfer System:

The Share transfer work and dematerialization/re-materialization work was assigned to M/s. Ankit Consultancy Pvt. Ltd., the Registrars and Share transfer Agent. Shares in physical form sent for transfer are normally registered and returned within a month from the date of receipt, if the documents are in order in all respects. The Company has entered into agreement with CDSL & NSDL to facilitate holding and trading in shares of the Company in dematerialized form..

Distribution of Shareholding as on 31st March 2007

Range in Rs.	Number of Holders	% to Total Holders	Shareholding (Rs. In Lacs)	% to total Capital
000001-1000	4933	74.70	49.29	7.54
001001-5000	1148	17.38	34.03	5.20
005001-10000	291	4.41	23.93	3.66
010001-100000	196	2.96	52.32	8.10
100001-above	36	0.55	494.39	75.60
Total	6604	100.00	653.96	100.00

Sr.No.	Particulars	No. of Shares	% to the total Paid up Share Capital
1.	Promoters/Directors & Relatives	30,98,400	47.18
2.	Financial Institutions, Banks & M.F.	3,000	0.05
3.	Private Bodies Corporate	15,62,500	23.89
4.	Indian Public	18,75,700	28.68
	TOTAL	65,39,600	100.00

Dematerialization of Shares and liquidizing:

76.71% of the Company's share capital is held in dematerialized form as on 31st March 2007. The company's shares are being regularly traded on the Bombay Stock Exchange Ltd., ISIN in CDSL and NSDL for Company's equity shares is INE 073G 01016

Declaration code of Conduct and ethics

The Board of Directors of the company has laid down code of conduct and ethics for the company, its directors and senior employees. All the directors and the senior employees covered by the code affirmed compliance with code on an annual basis.

Non-Mandatory Requirement:

The Company is in the process of implementation of non-mandatory requirements of Corporate Governance.



AUDITIORS' REPORT ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE TO THE MEMBERS OF ASSOCIATED ALCOHOLS & BREWERIES LIMITED

We have examined the compliance of conditions of Corporate Governance by Associated Alcohols & Breweries Limited for the year ended March 31, 2007 as stipulated in clause 49 of the Listing Agreement of the said Company with the stock exchange(s).

The compliance of conditions of Corporate Governance is the responsibility of the management. Our examination was limited to procedures and implementation thereof, adopted by the Company for ensuring the compliance of the conditions of Corporate Governance. It is neither an audit nor an expression of opinion on the financial statements of the Company.

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, and the representations made by the directors and the management, we certify that subject to our observation that the quarterly financial results of the company were considered and published without having them limited reviewed by the auditors, the Company has complied with the conditions of Corporate Governance as stipulated in the above-mentioned Listing Agreement.

As required by the Guidance Note issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India, we have to state that as per the records maintained by the Company, and to the best of our information and belief, there were no investor's grievance remaining unattended/pending for more than 30 days as at March 31, 2007.

We further state that such compliance is neither an assurance as to the future viability of the Company nor the efficiency or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the Company.

FOR B.K.AGRAWAL & CO. Chartered Accountants

FOR M.D.AGRAWAL & CO. Chartered Accountants

(CAB.K.Agrawal) Partner (CA M. P. Agrawal)
Partner

Place: Kolkata

Date: 18th August, 2007

ANNEXURE -II TO THE DIRECTORS' REPORT

Information required under the Companies (Disclosure of particulars in the Report to the Board of Directors) Rules, 1988 and forming part of the Directors Report for the year ended on 31st March 2007.

A) CONSERVATION OF ENERGY

Your Company continues to give the highest priority to the conservation of the energy. All respects of generation and usage are regularly reviewed. The Company has been generating the Biogas from the industrial effluents of the Distillery which has resulted in substantial savings in primary fuel. The Company is successfully operating Turbine Gen-Set of 800 KW for co-generation of Power, which resulted in saving of power. Further the Company have chalked out an ambitious project for installation of turbine of two MW to be generated from the Bio-gas. The project is in progress and expected to be completed by December 2007.

B) TECHNOLOGY ABSORPTION

The Company has adopted the latest technology in its production process. The Company has an inbuilt system of research and development and has not imported any technology.

C) FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNINGS AND OUTGO

	(Rs.in	Lacs)	
	2006-2007	2005-2006 22.23	
Foreign Exchange Earned	20.66		
Foreign Exchange Outgo/			
Expenditure in foreign currency	74.17	137.82	

FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

SANTOSH KUMAR KEDIA DIRECTOR HARSHAN KUMAR BHANDARI DIRECTOR

Dated: 18th August 2007 Place: Kolkata



TO THE SHAREHOLDERS

We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of Associated Alcohols & Breweries Limited as at 31st March, 2007 and the related Profit & Loss Account and Cash Flow Statement for the year ended on that date annexed thereto, which we have signed under reference to this report. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in India. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As required by the Companies (Auditor's Report) Order, 2003 issued by the Central Government and on the basis of such checks as were considered appropriate and according to the information and explanations given to us, we state that: -

- (i) (a) The Company has not maintained proper records of fixed assets to show full particulars including quantitative details and situation of fixed assets.
 - (b) As explained to us, these fixed assets have been physically verified by the management under the phased programme of physical verification, which in our opinion, is reasonable having regard to the size of the Company and the nature of its assets. The frequency of verification is reasonable and no material discrepancy has been noticed on such verification.
 - (c) As per the information and explanation given to us on our enquiries the disposal of assets during the year were not substantial so as to have an impact on the operations of the company, or affect its going concern.
- (ii) (a) The inventories have been physically verified by the management during the year. In our opinion, the frequency of verification is reasonable.
 - (b) The procedure of physical verification of inventories followed by the management are reasonable and adequate in relation to the size of the company and the nature of its business.
 - (c) The Company has maintained proper records of inventory. No material discrepancies were noticed on physical verification of inventory.
- (iii) (a) The Company has granted unsecured loans amounting to Rs.941.22 Lacs to the subsidiary company, listed in the register maintained under section 301 of the Act.
 - (b) Since the unsecured loans given to the subsidiary company are interest free and there is no express stipulation regarding repayment of principal amount, in our opinion, to that extent the same is prejudicial to the interest of the company.
 - (c) There are no stipulated conditions as regards to repayment of such interest free loans, accordingly Clause iii(c) and (d) is not applicable.
 - (d) The company has taken unsecured loans from two parties covered in the register maintained under section 301 of the Act. The maximum amount involved during the year was 3.15 Lacs and the year end balance of the said loan Rs. 1.00 Lac.
 - (e) In our opinion the rate of interest and other terms and conditions on which loans have been taken from the parties listed in the registers maintained under Section 301 of the Act, are not prima facie, prejudicial to the interest of the company.
 - (f) Since there has been no express stipulation regarding repayment of principal and interest amount in relation to loans taken, we are unable to make comment about their regularity and over due amount if any.
- (iv) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, there are adequate internal control procedures commensurate with the size of the company and the nature of its business with regard to purchases of inventory, fixed assets and with regard to the sale of goods. During the course of our audit, we have not observed any continuing failure to correct major weaknesses in internal controls.
- (v) (a) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the particulars of contracts or arrangements referred to in Section 301 of the Companies Act, 1956 have been entered in the register maintained under the said section.
 - (b) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the transactions made in pursuance of contracts or arrangements entered in the register maintained under section 301 of the Companies Act, 1956 and exceeding the value of Rupees Five Lakhs in respect of any party during the year had been made at prices which are reasonable having regard to prevailing market prices at the relevant time.
- (vi) According to the information and explanations given to us the company has not accepted any deposits to which provisions of Section 58-A of the Companies Act, 1956 are applicable during the year. We have been informed that no Order has been passed by the Company Law Board or National Company Law Tribunal or Reserve Bank Of India or any other courts or any other Tribunal.
- (vii) The Company has no internal audit system as such. It needs to be implemented formally and to make it commensurate with the size and nature of the Company's business.
- (viii) As far as we are informed, the Central Government has not prescribed the maintenance of cost records by the company under section 209(1)(d) of the Companies Act, 1956 for the year ended on 31-03-2007.
- (ix) (a) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the books of account, the company has generally been regular in depositing undisputed statutory dues including Provident Fund, Investor Employees' State Insurance, Income-tax, Sales-tax, Wealth tax, Custom duty, Excise duty, Cess and any other dues during the year with the appropriate authorities. There was however, delay in timely deposit of Provident Fund dues for certain period during the year. Further, as at 31st March 2007, there are Entry tax Rs.2,20,133/-, M.P.C.T. Rs.1001- and C.S.T. Rs.10,201/- (for accounting year 2002-03) and Entry tax Rs.1498/-, M.P.C.T. Rs.10200/- and C.S.T. Rs.1000/- (for accounting year 2002-03) payable for a period of more than six months from the date they become payable.
 - (b) According to the records of the company, the dues of Sales-tax, Income-tax, Customs tax/Wealth-tax, Excise duty/cess, which have not been deposited as on 31" March 2007 on account of any dispute are given below:

Sr.No.	Name of the statute	Nature of dues	Amount (Rs. in lacs)	Forum where dispute is pending
1.	Service Tax Rules	Service Tax Demand- F.Y2005-06	114.54	Customs, Excise & Service Tax Appellate Tribunal, New Delhi