2003-2004

21st Annual Report And Accounts



WARNER MULTIMEDIA LIMITED

ANNUAL REPORT 2003-2004

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

Jagdish Prasad Purohit Kailash Purohit Dhruva Narayan Jha Ganesh Kanodia Chairman/Managing Director Whole Time Director Director Director

AUDITORS:

Pradip Sarkar & Associates Chartered Accountants 83/85, N. S. Road, 3rd Floor, Room No. 206 Kolkata - 700 001.

REGISTERED OFFICE:

75C, Park Street, Kolkata - 700 016

BANKERS: ABN Amro Bank Federal Bank Ltd.

Canara Bank

SHARE TRANSFER & DEMAT REGISTER:

Maheswari Datamatics Pvt. Ltd.

6, Mangoe Lane, Kolkata - 700 072.

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NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the 21st Annual General Meeting of the Members of WARNER MULTIMEDIA LTD. held on Tuesday, 30th September 2004 at 10.30 A.M. at P-27, Princep Street, 3rd Floor, Kolkata - 700 072 to transact the following business:

- To receive, consider and adopt and Audited Balance Sheet as at 31st March, 2004 and Profit & Loss Account for the year ended on that date together with the Reports of the Directors and Auditors thereon
- To appoint a Director in place of Shi Kailash Purohit who retires by rotation and being eligible offers himself for reappointment.
- 3. To appoint Auditors for the Company and to fix their remuneration.

By the Order of the Board For WARNER MULTIMEDIA LTD.

Sd/- Jagdish Pd. Purohit
MANAGING DIRECTOR

Registered Office 75C, Park Street Kolkata - 700 016

Date: The 2nd day of August, 2004

Notice:

- A member entitled to attend a vote is entitled to appoint a Proxy to attend and vote instead of himself/herself and the proxy need not be a Member. proxies, in order to be effective, must be received at the Registered Office of the Company not less than forty-eight hours before the time fixed for the meeting.
- 2. The Register of members and share Transfer Books of the Company will remain closed from 22nd September, 2004 to 30th September, 2004 (Both days inclusive).
- Members are requested to bring their copies of the Annual Report at the Meeting as no extra
 copies shall be provided. Shareholders desiring any information information as regard the
 Accounts are requested to write to the Company latest by 10th September, 2004 so as to the
 management to keep the information ready.

Registered Office 75C, Park Street, Kolkata - 700 016

Date: The 2nd day of August, 2004

DIRECTOR REPORT

TO THE MEMBERS OF WARNER MULTIMEDIA LIMITED

Dear Shareholders.

Your Directors have pleasure in presenting the 20th Annual Report of the Company together with Audited Annual Accounts, Report of your Company for the Financial year ended 31st March, 2004. The Summarized Financial result for the year ended 31st March 2004 as compared with the earlier year are as under

FINANCIAL RESULTS :	CURRENT YEAR Rs. P.	PREVIOUS YEAR Rs. P.
Profit before Tax	49,667.95	8,91,682.00
Less : Non Cash Charges	0.00	8,82,272.00
Profit After Tax	49,667.95	9,410.82
Add: Balance Brought Forward from Pr. Yr.	1,00,86,054.62	1,00,76,643.80
	1,01,35,722.57	1,00,86,054.62
Less : Income Tax earlier year	3,14,441.00	0.00
Balance carried to Balance Sheet	98,21,281.57	1,00,86,054.62

DIVIDEND:

Your Directors are not recommended any dividend for the year.

REVIEW OF OPERATION

Your directors are glad to inform you that your company's performance has whown considerable improvement during the last year. The growth in performance is largely attribute to the proactive measures employed.

FIXED DEPOSITS

During the year the Company has reduced its liabilities of Public Deposit by Rs. 23.78 Lacs out of its due of Rs. 160.17 Lacs. There were matured deposits amounting to Rs. 136.37 lacs of which part have been paid as per the order of Hon'able Company Law Board and the balance are pending as requisite documents have not been submitted with the company, the company has not accepted any deposits from the Public during the year pursuant to the provisions of Section 58A oaf the Companies Act 1956 under review.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNINGS AND OUTGO

The Company had no foreign exchange earnings/outgo during the period under review.

AUDITOR REPORT

Our comments on the obsercations made by auditors are as under :

- Llabilities related to Rural Electrification Corporation Ltd. and Fixed deposits are sub-judice and amounts payable towards interest are not determinable at this stage, hence they have not been provided for.
- Provisions for Non-performing assets and diminution in value of investments have not been made as in opinion of the Board, the amounts of non-performing assets are realizable at value stated in the Balance Sheet and value of investments is expected to increase in view of recent upturm of capital markets.

- Depreciation on Wind Power Project has not been provided, as the plant was non-operational during the whole year.
- The Company is in process of obtaining Group Gratuity policy from Insurance companies for its employees in the current year, Hence, provision for the gratuity has not been made.

PARTICULARS OF EMPLOYEES

None of the employees of the Company was in receipt of remuneration in excess of limits prescribed under Section 217 (2A) of the Companies Act, 1956. Hence, particulars as required under the Companies (Particulars of Employees) Rules, 1975 are not given.

DIRECTORS:

Shri Kailash Purohit Director of the Company retire by rotaiton being eligible after himself for re-appointment.

CONSERVATION OF ENERGY AND TECHNOLOGY ABSORPTION

Your Company is not covered by schedule which requires to furnish details in Form A & B as per the provision of section 217(1) (e) of the Companies Act, 1956 read with the companies (disclosures of particulars in the report of Board of Directors) Rules, 1988.

AUDITORS:

M/s. Pradip Sarkar & Associates, Chartered Accountants, Auditors of the Company, hold office until the conclusion of the forthcoming Annual General Meeting and being eligible have offered themselves for reappointment. The Company has received a certificate from them to the effect that their re-appointment, if made, would be within the limits prescribed under Section 224 (1B) of the Companies Act, 1956.

DIRECTORS. RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT U/S.217(2AA) OF THE COMPANIES ACT. 1956

- (i) That in the preparation of the annual accounts, the applicable accounting standards had been followed alongwith proper explanation relating to material departures:
- (ii) That the directors had selected such accounting policies and applied them consistently and made judgements and estimates that are reason able and prudent 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 or loss of the company for that period.
- (iii) That the directors had taken proper and sufficient care for the maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of this Act for safeguarding the assets of the company and for preventing and detecting fraud and other irregularities.
- (iv) That the directors had prepared the annual accounts on a going concern basis.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE:

As per Clause 49 of the Listing Agreement with the Stock Exchanges, Corporate Governance Report alongwith Auditors Cartificate and Management Discussion and Analysis thereon is set out in the Annexure forming part of this report.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:

The Board express its sincere gratitude to the shareholders, bankers and clients for their continued support. The Board also wholeheartedly acknowledges with thanks the dedicated efforts of all the Staffs and employees of the Company.

For and on behalf of the Board S/d. JADISH PRASAD PUROHIT Managing Director

Place: 75C, Park Street Kolkata - 700 016

Date: 02.08.2004

REPORT ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

The Directors present the Company's report on Corporate Governance

1. CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

The Company defines Corporate Governance as set of Standards which aims to improve the working of the Company, and establishes the integrity and accountability of the management. It is a system by which companies are directed and controlled. The main focus is to give more protection to investory by making management more responsable, and bring transparency to the activities of the Company. The principle characteristics of Corporate Governance are transparency, responsibility, accountability, trusteeship and fairness. It helps to improve the Company's image, efficiency, and effectiveness.

The Company is committee to good Corporate Governance which aims to protect the interest of its stokeholders. The Company provides information on various issues concerning the Compan's business and financial performance to its shareholders.

2. BOARD OF DIRECTORS

(a) Composition of the Board

The Composition of the Board of Directors of the Company consists of qualified executive and non executive directors. The Board is based and comprises of persons who have excelled in their respective areas having good standing.

Sr. Name of the Director		Executive/Non-Executive	No. of Other	No. of Other	
No.			Directorship	Committee memberships	
1.	Shri Jagdish Pd. Purohit	Promoter-Execuitve	7	• 1	
2.	Shri Kailash Pd. Purohit	Non-Executive	4	1	
3.	Shri D. N. Jha	Non-Executive & Independant	8	2	
4.	Shri Ganesh Kanoria	Non-Executive & Independant	n com		

- b. Changes in the composition of the Board of Directors since last Annual General Meeting.
- c. Details of sitting fees: Remuneration etc., paid to Directors

Name of the Director

Mr. D. N. Jha

Salary

ha 69,000/-

BOARD MEETING HELD IN THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2003-2004 AND ATTENDANCE OF DIRECTORS. The Board meets at least once in a quarter to consider amongst other business, the quarterly performance of the Company and financial results, During the year under review, 8 (Eight) Board meetings were held on 29th April 2003, 30th April, 2003, 30th July 2003, 1st August 2003, 30th September, 2003, 30th October 2003, 30th January 2004 and 30th March 2004.

DIRECTORS INTEREST IN THE COMPANY.

Except Shri Jagdish Pd. Purohit and Shri Kailash Pd. Purohit, no other director is related to any other director.

None of the directors received any loan and advances from the Company during the year.

* Attendance of each director at the BOD meetings and the last AGM.

Director	No. of	Meetings	Attendance at last AGM-Held on	
	Held	Attended	30th September 2002	
Shri Jagdish Pd. Purohit	8	8	Yes	
Shri Kailash Pd. Purohit	8	8	Yes	
Shri D. N. Jha	8	8	Yes	
Shri Ganesh Kanoria	8	. 4	No	

COMMITTEES OF DIRECTORS

In accordance with requirements of the Listing Agreement with the Stock Exchanges on Corporate Governance following 2 committees were operational during the year.

- (a) Audit Committee
- (b) Share Transfer and Investors Grievance Committee.

a. Audit Committee

The Company set up its Audit Committee. The present Audit Committee of the Board of Directors fulfils the requirements of Section 292(A) of the Companies Act, 1956 as well as the Listing Agreement. The Audit Committee of the Company consists of 3 directors. During the financial year 2003-2004 the Audit Committee met 4 times on 29th April, 2003, 30th July 2003, 30th October 2003 and 30th January 2004.

The composition of the Audit Committee and the attendance of each director at this meeting was as follows:

Sr. No.	Members of Audit Committee	No. of Meetings held	No. of Meetings attended
1.	Shri Kailash Pd. Purohit	4	4
2.	Shri D. N. Jha	4	4
3.	Shri Ganesh Kanodia	4	4

Audit Committee is responsible for reviewing with the management the annual finacial statement before submission to the Board. The main function of Audit Committee is to supervise the companies financial reporting process and the disclosure of its finacial information to ensure that the financial statements are correct.

SHARE TRANSFER AND INVESTORS GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE

The Company set up its Share Transfer and Investors Grievance Committee in 2003. The Company has in house transfer system for physical shares. The Committee deals with the various matters relating to

- transfer/transmission of shares/debentures
- * issue of duplicate share certificate.
- review of shares dematerialised and all other related matters.
- monitors expenditious redressal of investors, grievances.
- all other matters related to chares/debentures.

Six Meetings were held during the Financial Year on 2003-2004 on 10th April 2003, 31st July 2003, 14th October 2003, 30th October 2003, 20th November 2003 & 31st December 2003.

The composition of the committee and the number of meetings attended by each of the members are as under:-

Sr. Members of Share Transfer and No. Investors Grievance Committee	No. of Meetings attended
1. Shri Jagdish Pd. Purohit	6
2. Shri Kailash Pd. Purohit	6
3. Shri D. N. Jha	6

As required by the Listing agreement with the Stock Exchnages, Pushpal Chandra has been appointed as 'Complinace Officer' to monitor the share transfer process.

The Status of investors Queries/complaints received during the year is as under:

No. of Investors queries/complaints received during the year ended 31.03.04	Pending at the end of the year	No. of pending Share transfer
25	NIL	NIL

REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

The Company has only one Managing Director on the Board, whose appointment and remuneration has been fixed by the Board and in terms of the resolution passed by the members. In view of this, no remuneration committee was constituted.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Location and time, where has three AGMs held.

Year	Date	Place	Time
2003	30.09.2003	P-27, Princep Street, 3rd Floor Kolkata - 700 072	10.30 a.m.
2002	30.09.2002	P-27, Princep Street, 3rd Floor Kolkata - 700 072	10.00 a.m.
2001	29.09.2001	P-27, Princep Street, 3rd Floor Kolkata - 700 072.	10.00 a.m.

Whether special resolutions were put through postal ballot last year, details of voting pattern.
No special resolutions were put through postal ballot last year, as the situation did not arise.

DISCLOSURES

(a) Disclosures on materially sigficantion related party transactions.

There were no materially significant related party transactions during the year having conflict with the interest of the Company.

(b) Details of Non-Compliance by the Company, penalties, stricture imposed on the Company by the Stock Exchanges, SEBI or any statutory authorities on any matter related to capital markets.

The Company has complied with all requirements of the listing agreement with the Stock exchanges as well as regulations and guidelines of SEBI except payment of listing fees to Mumbai, Ahmedabad, Jaipur, Kolkata and Delhi Stock Exchanges and numbered. No penalties or any statutory authorities on matters relating to capital market during the last three years.

MEANS OF CMMUNICATION

The Board of Directors of the Company approves and take on record Un-audited financial results in the proforma prescribed by the stock exchange, within one month of the close of the every quarter and announces forthwith the results to all the stock exchanges where the shares of the Company are listed. Shareholders are intimated throught print media of quarterly financial results and performance besides significant matters, within time period stipulated from time to time by stock exchanges. The quarterly Un-Audited Financial Results are published in leading newspaper i. e The Financial Express (English) and Kalantar (Bengali).

GENERAL SHAREHOLDER'S INFORMATION

1. Annual General Meeting

Date & Time	30th September, 2004 at 10.30 a.m.
Venue	P-27, Princep Street, 3rd Floor, Kolkata - 700 072

2. Financiai Calender (Tentative)

Financial reporting for the quarter ending June 30,2004	End of July, 2004
Financial reporting for the quarter ending September 30,2004	End of Oct, 2004
Financial reporting for the quarter ending December 31,2004	End of Jan, 2005
Financial reporting for the quarter/year ending March 31,2005	End of April, 2005
Annual General Meeting for the year ending March 31,2005	End of Sept, 2005

3	Date of Book closure	22nd September, 2004 to 30th September 2004 (both days inclusive)
4	Dividend payment Date	No Dividend is recommended by the Board

5. LISTING ON STOCK EXCHANGES AT

The Stock Exchange, Mumbai, Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers Dalal Street, Mumbai - 400 023

The Stock Exchange, Ahmedabad Kamdhenu Complex, Panjara Pole, Near Polytechnic Ahemedabad - 380 015.

Jaipur Stock Exchange Ltd. Stock Exchange Building J. L. N. Marg, Jaipur - 302 017

The U. P. Stock Exchange Ltd. 114/113 Padam Tower, Civil Lines Kanpur The Calcutta Stock Exchange Association Ltd., 7, Lyons Range Kolkata - 700 001

The Madras Stock Exchange Exchange Building 11, Second Line Beach Chennai - 600 001

The Delhi Stock Exchange Association Ltd. "DSE House" 3/1, Asaf Ali Road, New Delhi - 110 002.

6. LISTING FEES PAID :

The company has not paid listing fees for the financial year 2003-2004 to all the Stock Exchanges where securities of the Company are listed except the Stock Exchange, at Ahmedabad, Delhi, Jaipur, Kanpur, Madras and Kolkata.

7. STOCK CODE

Name of the Exchange	Code
The Stock Exchange Mumbai	511690
The Calcutta Stock Exchange Association Ltd.	10013062
ISIN NO.	INE407B01017