

CRIMSON METAL ENGINEERING COMPANY LIMITED

*Annual Report
and Accounts for the year ended
31st March 2014*

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CRIMSON METAL ENGINEERING COMPANY LIMITED
(Formerly known as SRI SAARBATI STEEL TUBES LIMITED)

CIN No. L27105TN1985PLC011566

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Shri. Vinay Goyal (Managing Director)
Shri. S.N. Seshadri (Whole-time Director)
Shri. A.J. Menon (Director)
Shri. Rama Iyengar Srinivasa Chari (Director)
Shri. Krishan Chand Batra (Director)
Shri. Mahabir Singh (Director)
Shri. Ramkishan Yadve (Whole Time Director)

AUDITORS

M/s. Abhay Jain & Co.,
Chartered Accountants,
Bushra House, Flat A-4, 2nd Floor,
6/46, Nowroji Road, Chetpet,
Chennai - 600 031.

REGISTERED OFFICE

"K Sons Complex"
163/1,Prakasam Road,
II Floor,
Chennai - 600 108.

WORKS - TUBE MILL DIVISION

Sedarpet Industrial Estate
Mailam Road, Pondicherry 605 111.

WORKS - FLAT PRODUCTS DIVISION

Karasur Village,
Villianur Commune, Pondicherry.

SHARE TRANSFER AGENTS

M/s. Cameo Corporate Services Ltd.,
"Subramanian Building"
1, Club House Road,
Chennai - 600 002.
Ph : 28460390, 28460391
Fax : 044-28460129.

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163/1 PRAKASAM ROAD, BROADWAY, CHENNAI.600 108

NOTICE is hereby given that the 30th Annual General Meeting of Crimson Metal Engineering Company Limited will be held at Andhra Chamber of Commerce Velagapudi Ramakrishna Bldg, 23, Third Cross Street, West C.I.T Nagar, Nandhanam, Chennai- 600 035 on Monday, 29th day of September 2014 at 10 A.M. to transact the following business.

ORDINARY BUSINESS

1. Adoption of Annual Accounts

To receive, consider and adopt the audited Profit & Loss Account for the year ended March 31, 2014, the Balance sheet as on that date and the reports of the Auditors and Directors thereon.

2.Appointment of Mr.Narayanamurthy Seshadri as a Director

To appoint a Director in the place of Mr. Narayanamurthy Seshadri, who retires from office by rotation and being eligible offers himself for reappointment.

"RESOLVED THAT, pursuant to section 152(6) of the Companies Act, 2013, Mr.Narayanamurthy Seshadri (DIN 02927049), be and hereby reappointed as a director of the Company and shall continue in the office of the Whole-time Director, till the expiry of the period of his tenure, as per his original terms of appointment, on the same terms and conditions, mentioned therein."

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board be and is hereby authorised to do all acts and take all such steps as may be necessary, proper or expedient to give effect to this resolution."

3.Appointment of M/s Abhay Jain & Co. Chartered Accountants as statutory Auditors

To appoint M/s. Abhay Jain & Co. Chartered Accountants as statutory auditors of the Company to hold office from the conclusion of this AGM until the conclusion of the 34th AGM and to fix their remuneration and to pass the following resolution thereof.

"RESOLVED THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Section 139 of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules made thereunder, and pursuant to the recommendations of the audit committee of the Board of Directors, M/s.Abhay Jain & Co. Chartered Accountants, be and are hereby appointed as the auditors of the company, to hold office from the conclusion of this AGM to the conclusion of the 34th AGM and that the Board of Directors be and are hereby authorized to fix such remuneration as may be determined by the audit committee in consultation with the auditors.

SPECIAL BUSINESS

4. Appointment of MrJanarthanan Atashary Karunakaran Nayar (A J Meon)as an Independent Director

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution

"RESOLVED THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Section 149, 150,152 and any other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the rules made there under (including any statutory modification thereof for the time being in force) read with Schedule IV to the Companies Act 2013, Mr.Janarthanan Atashary Karunakaran Nayar (A J Meon) (holding DIN 02872797)Director of the Company and in respect of whom the Company has received a notice in writing from a member proposing his candidature for the office of Director , be and is hereby appointed as an independent Director of the Company to hold office upto March 31st 2019, not liable to retire by rotation.

5. Appointment of Shri. Ramaiyengar Chari as an Independent Director

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution

"RESOLVED THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Section 149,150,152 and any other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the rules made there under (including any statutory modification thereof for the time being in force),read with Schedule IV of the Companies Act 2013 Shri. Ramaiyengar Chari (holding DIN 2609348), Director of the Company and in respect of whom the Company has received a notice in writing from a member proposing his candidature for the office of Director , be and is hereby appointed as an independent Director of the Company to hold office upto March 31st 2019, not liable to retire by rotation.

6. Appointment of Shri. Mahabir Singh Sehrawat as an Independent Director

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution

"RESOLVED THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Section 149,150,152 and any other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the rules made there under (including any statutory modification thereof for the time being in force),read with Schedule IV of the Companies Act 2013 Shri. Mahabir SinghSehrawat(holding DIN 01196310), Director of the Company and in respect of whom the Company has received a notice in writing from a member proposing his candidature for the office of Director, be and is hereby appointed as an independent Director of the Company to hold office upto March 31st 2019, not liable to retire by rotation.

7. Appointment of Shri. Krishan Chand Batra as an Independent Director

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution

"RESOLVED THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Section 149,150,152 and any other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the rules made there under (including any statutory modification thereof for the time being in force),read with Schedule IV of the Companies Act 2013 Shri. Krishan Chand Batra(holding DIN 00906402), Director of the Company and in respect of whom the Company has received a notice in writing from a member proposing his candidature for the office of Director , be and is hereby appointed as an independent Director of the Company to hold office upto March 31st 2019, not liable to retire by rotation.

8. Approval of Borrowing Limit

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution as a Special Resolution

"RESOLVED THAT, pursuant to Section 180(1)(c) and any other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the rules made there under (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force), the consent of the Company be and is hereby accorded to the Board of Directors to borrow moneys in excess of the aggregate of the paid up share capital and free reserves of the Company, provided that the total amount borrowed and outstanding at any point of time, apart from temporary loans obtained/to be obtained from the Company's bankers in the ordinary course of business, shall not be in excess of Rs. 100 Crores(one hundred Crores) over and above the aggregate of the paid up share capital and free reserves of the Company.

9. Authorization Under Section 180(1)(a) of the Companies Act, 2013

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution as a Special Resolution

"RESOLVED THAT, pursuant to Section 180(1)(a) and any other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the rules made there under (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force), the consent of the Company be and is hereby accorded to the Board of Directors to mortgage and / or charge, in addition to the mortgages and / or charges created / to be created by the Company, in such form and manner and with such ranking as to priority and for such time and on such terms as the Board may determine, all or any of the movable and / immovable, tangible and / or intangible properties of the Company, both present and future and / or the whole or any part of the undertaking(s) of the Company together with the power to take over the management of the business and concern of the Company in certain events of default, in favour

of the lender(s), agent(s), trustee(s) for securing the borrowings of the Company availed / to be availed by way of loan(s) (in foreign currency and / or rupee currency) and securities (comprising fully / partly convertible debentures or bonds or other debt instruments issued / to be issued by the Company, from time to time, subject to the limits approved under Section 180(1)(c) of the Companies Act, 2013, together with interest at the respective agreed rates, liquidated damages, commitment charges, all other costs, charges and expenses and all other monies payable by the company in terms of loan agreement(s) or any other document entered into / to be entered into between the company and the lender(s) in respect of the said loans / borrowings and containing such specific terms and conditions and covenants in respect of enforcement of security as may be stipulated in that behalf and agreed to between the Board of Directors and the lender(s).

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT for the purpose of giving effect to this resolution, the Board or Committee thereof be and is hereby authorized to finalise, settle and execute such documents / deed / writings / agreements as may be required and to do all acts, deeds, matters and things, as it may in its absolute discretion deemed necessary, proper or desirable and to settle any question, difficulty or doubt that may arise in regard to create mortgage / charge as aforesaid and also to delegate all or any of the above powers to the committee of directors or the Managing Director of the Company and generally to do all acts, deeds and things that may be necessary, proper, expedient or incidental for the purpose of giving effect to the aforesaid resolution.

10. Adoption of New Articles of Association

To adopt new Articles of Association of the Company containing regulations in conformity with the Companies Act, 2013, and in this regard it is to consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification, the following resolution as SPECIAL RESOLUTION:

"RESOLVED THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Section 14 and all other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 read with companies Rules, 2014 (including statutory modification (s) or re-enactments thereof, for the time being in force) the draft regulation contained in the Articles of Association submitted to this meeting be and is hereby approved and adopted in substitution, and to the entire exclusion, of the regulations contained in the existing Articles of Association of the Company.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company (including a Committee thereof) be and is hereby authorized to do all acts and take all such steps as may be necessary, proper or expedient to give effect to this resolution".

**By and on behalf of Board of Directors
forCrimson Metal Engineering Company Limited
Sd/
Shri Vinay Goyal
Managing Director**

Place: Chennai
Date: 14.08.2014

NOTES:

1. A MEMBER TO ATTEND AND VOTE AT THE MEETING IS ENTITLED TO APPOINT A PROXY TO ATTEND AND VOTE ON POLL INSTEAD OF HIMSELF THE PROXY NOT BE A MEMBER OF THE COMPANY. Proxies in order to be effective must be filed with the Company at this Registered Office no later than forty-eight hours before the commencement of the meeting.
2. The Instrument appointing a proxy shall be deposited at the Registered Office of the Company not less than 48 hours before the time for holding the aforesaid meeting.

3. The Register of Members and Transfer Books of the Company will remain closed from Friday, 26th September to Monday, 29th September, 2014 (both days inclusive) for the purpose of Annual General Meeting.
4. Members/Proxies should bring the Attendance Slip sent herewith duly filled in for attending the meeting.
5. The information on the Directors appointment or re-appointment is provided as per clause 49 of the Listing Agreement is given below.
6. Information Pursuant to Clause 49 of the Listing Agreement for Appointment / Re-appointment of Directors.

Particulars	Item No 2	Item No 4	Item No 5	Item No 6	Item No 7
Name of the Director	Mr.Narayana-murthy Seshadri	MrJanarthanan Atashary Karunakaran Nayar (A J Meon)	Shri Ramaiyengar Chari	Shri Mahabir Singh Sehwat	Shri KrishanChand Batra
Date of Appointment	08/11/2003	28/02/2003	10/03/2003	12/11/2010	12/11/2010
Qualifications	B.Tech	Diploma in Business Management	MA	B.Sc	B.A
Experience in Specific Functional Area	More than 41 Years of Experience in Industrial area, Especially over 21 years of Experience in Pipe industry	More than 33 Years. Fellow Member of British Institute Of Management Past Chairman of the Planters Association	Retired Chief Secretary of Pondicherry	Retired Assistant Commissioner Of Police (NewDelhi)	Expertise in Business
Directorships Held in other Companies	Nil	Nil	Sri Jaganmohini Systems Private Limited	Nil	Indo Asia Private Limited
Committee Chairmanship / Membership Held in other Companies	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Number of Shares held in the Company as on 31 st March 2014	80	1392856	Nil	Nil	40

7. With effect from 1st April 2014, inter alia, provisions of Section 149 of the Companies Act, 2013 has been brought into force. In terms of the said section read along with section 152(6) of the Act, the provisions of retirement by rotation are not applicable to Independent Directors. Profile of directors seeking re-appointment as stipulated in terms of Clause 49 of the listing agreement with the stock exchanges is provided in the report on Corporate governance, which forms an integral part of the annual report.

8. The Ministry of Corporate Affairs (vide circular nos. 17/2011 and 18/2011 dated April 21, 2011 and April 29, 2011 respectively) has undertaken a Green Initiative in Corporate Governance and allowed Companies to share documents with its shareholders through an electronic mode. A recent amendment to the Listing Agreement with the Stock Exchanges permits companies to send soft copies of the Annual Report to all those shareholders who have registered their email addresses for the said purpose. Hence Members are requested to register their e-mail addresses with the Company by sending their details relating to name, folio no./DP Id/Client Id to the company's email id : premnkb@gmail.com

9. Shareholders / Proxy holders are requested to bring their copy of the annual report with them at the meeting and to produce at the entrance the attached admission slip duly completed and signed for the admission to the meeting hall.

10. Members desirous of getting any information about the accounts and operation of the company are requested to address their query to the company at the registered office of the company well in advance so that the same may reach at least Seven days before the date of meeting to enable the management to keep the required information readily available at the meeting.

11. Members are requested to notify immediately any change in their address to the Registrar and Share transfer Agent –

M/s. Cameo Corporate Services Ltd., "Subramanian Buildings", 1, Club House Road, Chennai-600 002.

12. Members who hold shares in physical form are requested to dematerialize their holdings to make the Company's shares traded in normal segment.

13. Electronic copy of the AGM Notice of the Company inter alia indicating the process and manner of e-voting along with Attendance slip and Proxy form is being sent to all the members whose email IDs are registered with the Company/Depository Participant(s) for communication

purposes unless any member has requested for a hard copy of the same. For members who have not registered their email address, physical copies of the Notice of the Company inter alia indicating the process and manner of e-voting along with Attendance slip and Proxy form is being sent in the permitted mode.

14. Voting through Electronic Means

In compliance with provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act 2013 read with the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, the Company is pleased to offer E-Voting facility as an alternate, for its shareholders to enable them to cast their votes electronically at the 30th Annual General Meeting (AGM) through e-voting service provided by Central Depository Services (India) Limited. E-Voting is optional. The procedure and instructions for the same are as follows: **The Company will provide the e-voting facility through CDSL. The e-voting particulars are set out below:**

The instructions for members for voting electronically are as under:-

In case of members receiving e-mail:

- (i) Log on to the e-voting website www.evotingindia.com
- (ii) Click on "Shareholders" tab.
- (iii) Now, select the "Crimson Metal Engineering Company Limited" from the drop down menu and click on "SUBMIT"
- (iv) Now Enter your User ID
 - a. For CDSL: 16 digits beneficiary ID,
 - b. For NSDL: 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digits Client ID,
 - c. Members holding shares in Physical Form should enter Folio Number registered with the Company.
- (v) Next enter the Image Verification as displayed and Click on Login.
- (vi) If you are holding shares in demat form and had logged on to www.evotingindia.com and voted on an earlier voting of any company, then your existing password is to be used.
- (vii) If you are a first time user follow the steps given below:

PAN*	For Members holding shares in Demat Form and Physical Form Enter your 10 digit alpha-numeric *PAN issued by Income Tax Department (Applicable for both demat shareholders as well as physical shareholders) - Members who have not updated their PAN with the Company/Depository Participant are requested to use the first two letters of their name and the last 8 digits of the demat account/ folio number in the PAN field. - In case the folio number is less than 8 digits enter the applicable number of 0's before the number after the first two characters of the name in CAPITAL letters. Eg. If your name is Ramesh Kumar with folio number 100 then enter RA00000100 in the PAN field.
DOB#	Enter the Date of Birth as recorded in your demat account or in the company records for the said demat account or folio in dd/mm/yyyy format.
Dividend Bank Details#	Enter the Dividend Bank Details as recorded in your demat account or in the company records for the said demat account or folio. Please enter the DOB or Dividend Bank Details in order to login. If the details are not recorded with the depository or company please enter the number of shares held by you as on the cut off date in the Dividend Bank details field.

(viii) After entering these details appropriately, click on "SUBMIT" tab.

(ix) Members holding shares in physical form will then reach directly the Company selection screen. However, members holding shares in demat form will now reach 'Password Creation' menu wherein they are required to mandatorily enter their login password in the new password field. Kindly note that this password is to be also used by the demat holders for voting for resolutions of any other company on which they are eligible to vote, provided that company opts for e-voting through CDSL platform. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential.

(x) For Members holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for e-voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.

(xi) Click on the EVSN for Crimson Metal Engineering Company Limited

(xii) On the voting page, you will see "RESOLUTION DESCRIPTION" and against the same the option "YES/NO" for voting. Select the option YES or NO as desired. The option YES implies that you assent to the Resolution and option NO implies that you dissent to the Resolution.

(xiii) Click on the "RESOLUTIONS FILE LINK" if you wish to view the entire Resolution details.

(xiv) After selecting the resolution you have decided to vote on, click on "SUBMIT". A confirmation box will be displayed. If you wish to confirm your vote, click on "OK", else to change your vote, click on "CANCEL" and accordingly modify your vote.

(xv) Once you "CONFIRM" your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.

(xvi) You can also take out print of the voting done by you by clicking on "Click here to print" option on the Voting page.

(xvii) If Demat account holder has forgotten the changed password then Enter the User ID and the image verification code and click on Forgot Password & enter the details as prompted by the system.

- Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are required to log on to <https://www.evotingindia.co.in> and register themselves as Corporates.

- They should submit a scanned copy of the Registration Form bearing the stamp and sign of the entity to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com.

- After receiving the login details they have to create a user who would be able to link the account(s) which they wish to vote on.

- The list of accounts should be mailed to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com and on approval of the accounts they would be able to cast their vote.

- They should upload a scanned copy of the Board Resolution and Power of Attorney (POA) which they have issued in favour of the Custodian, if any, in PDF format in the system for the scrutinizer to verify the same.

In case of members receiving the physical copy:

(A) Please follow all steps from sl. no. (i) to sl. no. (xvii) above to cast vote.

(B) The voting period begins at 09.00 AM on Tuesday the 23rd September 2014 and ends at 05.00 PM on Thursday 25th September 2014.

During this period shareholders' of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date (record date) of 29th August 2014, may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter.

(C) In case you have any queries or issues regarding e-voting, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions ("FAQs") and e-voting manual available at www.evotingindia.co.in under help section or write an email to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com.

Please note that by virtue of providing the e-voting facility by the company as per Rule 20 of Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 the following will be applicable:

(i) The manner of voting for the members being present in the General Meeting will be on "proportion principle" ie one share – one vote unlike one person one vote principle, further provision of the Companies Act, 2013 relation to demand for poll will not be relevant.

(ii) The option of voting by show of hands will not be available for members presenting the General Meeting in view of clear provision of section 107 of the Companies Act, 2013, ie. voting by show of hands would not be allowable in cases where Rule 20 of Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 is applicable.

(iii) Any member who has voted through e-voting facility provided by the company may also participate in the General Meeting in person, but such a member will not be able to exercise his vote again in the meeting, and the earlier vote casted through electronic means will be treated as final.

15. The Explanatory Statement as required under Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 in respect of Special Business(s) is attached herewith.

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT IN RESPECT OF THE SPECIAL BUSINESS PURSUANT TO SECTION 102 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013

Item No.4 to 7

Your Board is of the Opinion that all the Independent Directors mentioned in Item Nos 4 to 7 fulfill the Conditions specified in the Act for appointment as Independent Directors of the Company. Details in Respect of Directors who are proposed to be appointed as Independent Directors, are furnished in the Corporate Governance section of the Annual Report. All are eminent personalities in their respective fields. Your Board Considers that their continued association with the Company would be of immense benefit to the Company. In View thereof, your Board has recommended them to be classified as Independent Directors.

The Classification of the aforementioned directors also as Independent Directors pursuant to Section 149 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rules made thereunder, with their respective term of Office to be for a period of upto five years with effect from 1st April , 2014.

Concerned Directors are interested in their respective resolutions being related to their own appointments. Other than the aforesaid, none of the Directors and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives are concerned or interested in the resolutions as set out in Item Nos.4 to 7 of the accompanying notice. None of the Directors are related inter se to each other.

Item No 8 & 9

In order to meet the requirements of Section 293 (1) (d) and 293 (1) (a) of the Companies Act, 1956 the shareholders authorized the Company to borrow sums in excess of paid capital and free reserves of the Company subject to a ceiling of Rs.100 Cr. (other than temporary borrowings).

Section 180 of the Companies Act, 2013 (notified as on September 12, 2013) mandates that the aforementioned powers of the Board shall be exercised only through Special Resolution passed in the meeting of shareholders as compared to the requirement of ordinary resolution under the previous Act. Further the Ministry of Corporate Affairs vide its circular no.04 /2014 dated 25/03/2014 have stated that the resolution passed under section 293 of the Companies Act, 1956 , prior to 12.09.2013 with reference to borrowings (subject to the limits prescribed) and / or creation of security on assets of the company will be regarded as sufficient compliance of the requirements of section 180 of the Companies Act, 2013 for a period of one year from the date of notification of section 180 of the Act.

Consequently, the Board recommends to the shareholders to pass a special resolution under Section 180(1)(c) and Section 180(1)(a) of the Companies Act, 2013, without altering the borrowing limits already approved by way of general resolution passed earlier.

Accordingly, the proposed resolution is placed before the shareholders for their approval.

None of the Directors and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives is concerned or interested, financial or otherwise, in the resolution

Item 10

The existing AoA of the Company is based on the Companies Act, 1956 and several regulations in the existing AoA contain references to specific sections of the Companies Act, 1956 and some regulations in the existing AoA are no longer in conformity with the Companies Act 2013 ("The Act").

The Act is now largely in force. On September 12, 2013, the Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") had notified 98 Sections for implementation. Subsequently, on March 26, 2014, MCA notified most of the remaining Sections (barring those provisions which require sanction / confirmation of the National Company Law Tribunal ("Tribunal") such as variation of rights of holders of different classes of shares (Section 48), reduction of share capital (Section 66), compromises, arrangements and amalgamations (Chapter XV), prevention of oppression and mismanagement (Chapter XVI), revival and rehabilitation of sick companies (Chapter XIX), winding up (Chapter XX) and certain other provisions including, inter alia, relating to Investor Education and Protection Fund (Section 125) and valuation by registered valuers (Section 247). However, substantive sections of the Act which deal with the general working of companies stand notified.

With the coming into force of the Act several regulations of the existing AoA of the Company require alteration or deletions in several articles. Given this position, it is

considered expedient to wholly replace the existing AoA by a new set of Articles.

The proposed new draft AoA is would be available for inspection without any fee by the members at the Registered Office of the Company during normal business hours on any working day, excluding Saturday.

None of the Directors / Key Managerial Personnel of the Company / their relatives are, in any way, concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the Special Resolution as set out in Item No.10 of the Notice.

The Board recommends the Special Resolution as set out in Item No. 10 of the Notice for approval by the shareholders.

**By and on behalf of Board of Directors
Sd/**

**Shri Vinay Goyal
Managing Director**

Place: Chennai
Date: 14.08.2014

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CIN No. L27105TN1985PLC011566

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II Floor, Chennai - 600 108.

DIRECTORS REPORT

Your directors have the pleasure in presenting the 30th Annual Report and that of the Auditors together with the audited Balance Sheet as at 31st March 2014 and profit and loss account for the year ended on that date.

PERFORMANCE

The financial results for the year ended 31st March 2014 are as under:

(Rupees in lakhs)

	31.03.2014	31.03.2013
INCOME	6280.53	11844.71
EXPENDITURE	5811.89	11315.12
EBITDA	468.63	529.59
PBT	93.44	120.60
PAT	62.89	97.20

COURSE OF BUSINESS AND OUTLOOK

Your company had achieved a turnover of Rs. 628,053,482 as compared to the turnover of Rs. 1,184,471,241 in the previous year. The profit before tax was Rs. 9,344,405 as compared to profit of Rs. 12,060,778 last year. With continued confidence of all our associates, we will aggressively meet all the challenges with renewed faith in our company and the future that we all share.

DIVIDEND:

In order to stream line Company's business model, the board of directors have decided not to declare any dividend for the current fiscal. The profits, retained by the company during the financial year 2013-14, has been carried over to the Reserves and Surplus Account.

DIRECTORS:

The Company has, pursuant to the provisions of Companies Act, 2013 and clause 49 of the Listing Agreement entered into with the Stock Exchange, as amended from time to time, appointed **Mr Janarthanan Atashary Karunakaran Nayar (A J Meon)**, **Shri. Ramaiyengar Chari**, **Shri. Mahabir Singh Sehrawat** and **Shri. Krishan Chand Batra** as Independent Directors of the Company. The Company has received declarations from the appointee independent directors, that they meet the criteria of independence, as prescribed both under sub-section (6) of Section 149 of the Companies Act 2013 and under the said clause 49. In accordance with the provisions of section 149(4) and section 152 (5) of the Companies Act, 2013, the above persons are being appointed as Independent Directors to hold office as per their tenure of appointment mentioned in the Notice of the forthcoming AGM of the Company.

Mr. Narayanamurthy Seshadri retire by rotation and being eligible offer himself for re-appointment.

AUDITORS

The auditors of the company M/s Abhay Jain & Co., Chartered Accountants retire at the conclusion of the meeting and are eligible for reappointment. The auditors have expressed their willingness to continue in office if they are reappointed. Your Board recommends their reappointment.

PARTICULARS OF EMPLOYEES AS PER SECTION 217(2A) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 1956:

None of the employees fall under the category specified under Sec.217 (2A) of the Companies Act, 1956 and the Rules thereunder.

CONSERVATION OF ENERGY, TECHNOLOGY ABSORPTION AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE INFLOW & OUTGO:

Prescribed particulars under Section 217(1)(e) of the Companies Act, 1956 are furnished as Annexure to this Report.

EXPORTS, INITIATIVES TAKEN TO INCREASE EXPORTS; DEVELOPMENT OF NEW EXPORT MARKETS FOR PRODUCT AND SERVICES AND EXPORT PLANS:

The company has done export in a small by way of deemed export for Rs.78,11,363.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNINGS/OUTGO:

Foreign Earnings : Nil

Foreign Outgo : Nil

DIRECTOR'S RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT:

Directors hereby declare:

- That in the preparation of the annual accounts the applicable accounting standards have been followed along with proper explanation related to material departures.
- That the directors had selected such accounting policies and applied them consistently and made judgments and estimates that are reasonable 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 period and of the profit and loss of the company for that period.
- That the directors have taken proper and sufficient care has been taken 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 subject to the inherent limitations that should be recognized in weighing the assurance..