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THIRTIETH
ANNUAL REPORT
AND ACCOUNTS
2020-2021



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## **BOARD OF DIRECTORS:**

Asheesh Dabriwal : Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer (DIN - 00044783)

Janak Bhardwaj : Executive Director & Chief Operating Officer (DIN - 00047641)

Anjum Dhandhania : Non-Executive Director (DIN - 00058506)

Buddhadeb Basu : Non-Executive & Independent Director (DIN - 00061771)

Dr. Subrata Haldar : Non-Executive & Independent Director (DIN - 00089655)

Surajit Raha : Non-Executive & Independent Director (DIN - 07019436)

## COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD:

Audit Committee: Nomination and Remuneration Committee:

Buddhadeb Basu : Chairman Buddhadeb Basu : Chairman Dr. Subrata Haldar : Member Anjum Dhandhania : Member Surajit Raha : Member Surajit Raha : Member

Stakeholders Committee: Corporate & Social Responsibility Committee:

Buddhadeb Basu : Chairman Buddhadeb Basu:Chairman Anjum Dhandhania : Member Surajit Raha:Member Asheesh Dabriwal : Member Asheesh Dabriwal:Member

### OTHER KEY MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL:

Ashok Kumar Singh : Chief Financial Officer (C.F.O.)

Suruchi Tiwari : Company Secretary-cum-Compliance Officer

BANKER : Citibank N.A.

## AUDITORS:

Statutory & Tax Auditors : M/s. NAVIN NAVAR & Co., Chartered Accountants,

Cost Auditors : M/s. K. MAJUMDAR & ASSOCIATES, Cost Accountants,

Secretarial Auditors : M/s. SUSHIL TIWARI & ASSOCIATES, Companies Secretaries,

Internal Auditors : Mr. Timir Baran Hazra, Chartered Accountants,

#### REGISTRARS & SHARE TRANSFER AGENTS:

M/s. Niche Technologies Private Limited, 3A-Auckland Place, 7th Floor, Room No. 7A & 7B, Kolkata - 700 017.

#### SHARES LISTED WITH:

THE CALCUTTA STOCK EXCHANGE LTD. [Securities Code No.10014058] BOMBAY STOCK EXCHANGE LTD. [Securities Code No. 531306]

### SHARES ACTIVATED WITH DEPOSITORIES:

CENTRAL DEPOSITORIES SERVICES LIMITED (CDSL) AND NATIONAL SECURITIES & DEPOSITORY LIMITED (NSDL) UNDER ISIN – INE590D01016

### REGISTERED OFFICE:

10, Middleton Row, Kolkata - 700 071. WEST BENGAL

### FACTORY:

"Dhulagarh Industrial Park" P.O.:-Kanduah, P.S. - Sankrail, N. H. - 6, Howrah - 711 302, West Bengal.



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### NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Thirtieth Annual General Meeting of the Members of DHP INDIA LIMITED (the Company) will be held on Monday, the 27<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 at 11.00 A.M. at CALCUTTA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, 18H, Park Street, Stephen Court, Kolkata – 700 071, to transact the following business:-

### ORDINARY BUSINESS: Ordinary Resolutions:

## Item No. (1) - Adoption of Standalone Audited Financial Statements :

To receive, consider and adopt the Standalone Audited Financial Statements (including the Statement of Financial Results, the Balance Sheet, the Statement of Profit and Loss, the Statement of Changes in Equity, the Statement of Cash Flow and Other Financial Reports) of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2021 and the Report of the Board of Directors ("the Board") and Auditors thereon.

"Resolved that, the Audited Financial Statement (including the Statement of Financial Results, the Balance Sheet, the Statement of Profit and Loss, the Statement of Changes in Equity, the Statement of Cash Flow and Other Financial Reports) of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2021 and the report of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon as circulated to the members, be and hereby considered and adopted."

### Item No. (2) - Declaration of Dividend:

To declare a final dividend of Rs.4/- per equity share (@40% of Share Capital of the Company) for the year ended March 31, 2021.

"Resolved that a final dividend at rate of Rs.4/- (Rupees Four only) per equity share of Rs.10/- (Ten rupees) each fully paid-up of the Company i.e. @40% of paid-up equity share capital of the Company, as recommended by the Board of Directors, be and is hereby declared for the financial year ended March 31, 2021 and the same be paid out of the profits of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2021."

# Item No. (3)-Appointment of Smt. Anjum Dhandhania (DIN:00058506) as a director liable to retire by rotation:

To appoint a directors in place of Smt. Anjum Dhandhania (DIN: 00058506), who retires by rotation and, being eligible, seeks re-appointment.

**Explanation:** Under the terms of their appointment, our Executive Director Sri Janak Bhardwaj and our a Non-Executive and woman Director Smt. Anjum Dhandhania are subject to retirement by rotation. Last year, Sri Janak Bhardwaj was subject to retirement by rotation and was appointed by shareholders. To the extent that Smt. Anjum Dhandhania is required to retire by rotation, she would need to be re-appointed as Non-Executive Director.

Therefore, shareholders are requested to consider and, if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"Resolved that, pursuant to provisions of Section 152 read with Schedule IV and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013, the approval of the members of the Company be and is hereby accorded to the re-appointment of Smt. Anjum Dhandhania (DIN: 00058506) as a Non-Executive Director, to the extent that she is required to retire by rotation."



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## NOTICE (Continuing)

SPECIAL BUSINESS: Special Resolutions:

Item No. (4) – To approve the Increase of Remuneration of Sri Asheesh Dabriwal (DIN: 00044783), Managing Director of the Company for their remaining three years terms from 1st April, 2021 to 31st March, 2024.

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

"RESOLVED THAT as per pursuant to the section 196, 197, 198 and 203 and any other applicable section of the Companies Act, 2013 and their Schedules V to the Companies Act, 2013 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force), and rule 4 of Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules 2014, as may applicable, and also such other consents/approvals may be required and accordance with Articles 164 of the Articles of Association of the Company, the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, the Audit Committee and the Board hereby accord its approval to increase the remuneration of Mr. Ashessh Dabriwal (DIN: 00044783), as Managing Director of the Company for his remaining 3 (Three) years terms period from 01/04/2021 to 31/03/2024 with Modified and Increased Basic Salary Per Months of Rs.6,00,000/- (for Financial Year 2021-22 i.e. from 01/04/2021 to 31/03/2022), thereafter Basic Salary Per Months of Rs.7,50,000/- (for Financial Year 2022-23 i.e. from 01/04/2022 to 31/03/2023) and thereafter Basic Salary Per Months of Rs.9,00,000/- (for Financial Year 2023-24 i.e. from 01/04/2023 to 31/03/2024), plus other benefits and terms and conditions as per a new Modified Remuneration Agreement dt. 20th April, 2021 as set out in the draft agreement proposed to be entered into between the Company of the ONE PART and Mr. Asheesh Dabriwal of the OTHER PART, as set out in the Explanatory Statement annexed to the Notice convening this Meeting."

"FURTHER RESOLVED THAT where in any Financial Year during the tenure of the said Managing Director & CEO, the Company has no profits or profits are inadequate, the aforesaid remuneration or remuneration as may be approved by the Board of Directors and shareholders of the Company in this Annual General Meeting shall be paid as minimum remuneration."

Registered Office:

By Order of the Board of

Directors

10, Middleton Row, Kolkata - 700 071.

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Sd/-

SURUCHI TIWARI

Dated: 9TH June, 2021

Company Secretary-cum-Compliance Officer

Enclosed: Notes (forming part of Notice)



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#### NOTES:

1) As you are aware, in view of the situation arising due to COVID-19 global pandemic, the Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") has permitted convening the Annual General Meeting through Video Conferencing or Other Audio Visual, without the physical presence of the members at the MCA Circulars. Now as from our past experience and records of attendance in AGM the total presence only 20-25 recorded in AGM, hence the Board Decided to hold the Annual General Meeting in physical presence and not exercise the relaxation issued by MCA for holding AGM without physical presence as members will be able to maintain social distancing at all times during AGM.

The Company's Statutory Auditors, M/s. Navin Nayar & Company, Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No. 328951E), were appointed as Statutory Auditors of the Company for a period of 5 (Five) consecutives years from Financial Year 2018-19 to financial year 2022-23 (from April 1, 2018 to March 31, 2023) at the Annual General Meetings ("AGM") of the Members held on September 24, 2018 on a remuneration mutually agreed upon by the Board of Directors and the Statutory Auditors.

Their appointment was subject to ratification by the Members at every subsequent AGM held after the AGM held on September 24, 2018. Pursuant to the amendments made to section 139 of the Companies Act, 2013 by the Companies (Amendments) Act, 2017 effective from May 7, 2018, the requirement of seeking ratification of the members of the appointment of the Statutory Auditors has been withdrawn from the statute.

In view of the above, ratification by the members for continuance of their appointment at this AGM is not been sought. The Statutory Auditors' have given a confirmation to the effect that they are eligible to continue with their appointment and that they have not been disqualified in any manner from continuing as Statutory Auditors. The remuneration payable to the Statutory Auditors shall be determined by the Board of Directors based on the recommendation of the Audit Committee.

- The Explanatory Statement setting out material facts, pursuant to section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013, Secretarial Standard-2 on General Meetings and Regulation 36 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 in respect of the Special Business under item Nos. 4 of the accompanying Notice is annexed hereto.
- 4) A MEMBER ENTITLED TO ATTEND AND VOTE AT THE MEETING IS ENTITLED TO APPOINT A PROXY TO ATTEND AND VOTE INSTEAD OF HIMSELF/HERSELF AND THE PROXY NEED NOT BE A MEMBER OF THE COMPANY. A person can act as proxy on behalf of Members not exceeding 50 (Fifty) in number and holding in aggregate not more than 10% (Ten Percent) of the total share capital of the Company carrying voting rights. A member holding more than 10% (Ten Percent) of the total share capital of the Company carrying voting rights may appoint a single person as proxy and such person cannot act as a proxy for any other person or shareholder. Proxies in order to be effective, should be deposited at the Registered Office of the Company at 10, Middleton Row, Kolkata 700 071, duly completed and signed, not less than forty-eight hours before the commencement of the Annual General Meeting. Proxies submitted on behalf of the Companies, Societies etc., must be supported by an appropriate resolutions/authority, as applicable. A Proxy Form is annexed to this Notice.
- 5) Corporate Members are required to send a certified true copy of the Board Resolution, pursuant to section 113 of the Companies Act, 2013, authorising their representatives to attend and vote on their behalf at the Annual General Meeting.



## NOTES (continuing):

- Members, Proxies and Authorised Representatives are requested to bring to the Annual General Meeting, the attendance slip enclosed herewith, duly completed and signed mentioning their in details of their DP ID and Client ID/Folio No. and Number of Shares holding. Duplicate attendance slip or copies of the Report and Accounts will not be made available at the AGM venue. Members seeking any information or clarification on the Accounts are requested to send, in writing, queries to the Company, at least one week before the date of the meeting. Replies will be provided, in respect of such written queries, only at the meeting.
- A brief resume to each of the Directors proposed to be re-appointed at this AGM, nature of their expertise in specific functional areas, names of companies in which they hold directorship and membership/chairmanships of Board Committees, Shareholding and relationship between directors inter se as stipulated under Regulation 36 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015, and other requisite information as per clause 1.2.5 of Secretarial Standard-2 of Annual General Meetings, are provided in Annexure-1.
- 8) Electronic copy of the Annual Report for F.Y. 2020-21 (Year Ended March 31, 2021) is uploaded on the Company's website at www.dilindia.co.in and is being send 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 physical copy of the same. Members are requested to support Green Initiative by registering/updating their email addresses with the Depository Participant (in case of shares in dematerialized form) or with link in M/s. Niche Technologies Private Limited, 3A, Acuckland Place, 7th Floor, Room No.7A & 7B, Kolkata-700017, the Registrars and Transfer Agents ("RTA") of the Company (in case of shares held in physical form). Electronic copy of the Notice of the Twenty-Ninth AGM is uploaded on the Company's website at www.dilindia.co.in and also on the website of Central Depository Services (India) Limited at www.evotingindia.com of the Company inter alia indicating the process and manner of e-voting along with attendance slip and Proxy Form and same is being send 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 physical copy of the same. For Members who have not registered their email address, physical copies of this Notice and the Annual Report for FY 2020-21 (Year Ended March 31, 2021) are being send through permitted mode. For any communication the Members may also send requests to the Company's email ID at: info@dhpindia.com.
- 9) Relevant documents refer to in the accompanying Notice and in the Explanatory Statement are opened for inspection by the Members at the Companies Registered Office: 10, Middleton Row, Kolkata 700 071 on all working days (except Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays) between 11:00 AM 1:00 PM up to the date of this AGM and also at the AGM.
- The Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI") has mandated the submission of Permanent Account Number (PAN) by every participant in securities market. Members holding shares in electronic form are, therefore, requested to submit their PAN to the Depository Participants with whom they maintain their demat accounts. Members holding shares in physical form should submit their PAN to the RTA of the Company or Company.





### NOTES (continuing):

- SEBI Notification No. SEBI/LAD-NRO/GN/2018/24 dated June 8, 2018 and further amendment vide Notification No. SEBI/LAD-NRO/GN/2018/49 dated November 30, 2018, requests for effecting transfer of securities (except in case of transmission or transposition of securities) shall not be process from April 1, 2019 unless the securities are held in the dematerialized form with the depositories. Therefore, Shareholders are requested to take action to dematerialize the Equity Shares of the Company, promptly.
- 12) The Register of Members and Share Transfer Books of the Company will remain closed from Tuesday, the 21<sup>st</sup> September, 2021 to Monday, the 27<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 (both days inclusive), for determining the names of Members eligible for dividend on Equity Shares, if declared at the AGM.
- 13) The dividend on Equity Shares proposed Rs.4/- per Equity Shares, if declared at the AGM will be paid on or after 27<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 to Members whose names appear on the record of Depositories [National Securities Depository Limited and Central Depository Services (India) Limited] on as at the end of business day hours on Monday, the 20<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 (for shares held in demat mode) and in the Register of Members of the Company (for shares held in physical mode) updated as on the end of business day hours on Monday, the 20<sup>th</sup> September, 2021. The dividend will be paid to the Members within the stipulated time.
- Pursuant to the provisions of Sections 124 and 125 of the Companies Act, 2013, the Company has transferred on due dates, all unclaimed dividends up to the financial years ended 31st March, 2013 to Investor Education and Protection Fund ("said Fund") established by the Central Government. Pursuant to the provisions of the Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Rules, 2016, as amended from time to time, the Company has uploaded the details of the unpaid and unclaimed amounts lying with the Company on the website of the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (<a href="www.mca.gov.in">www.mca.gov.in</a>). During the current financial year ended from April 1, 2020 to March 31, 2021, the Company has transferred the unpaid or unclaimed dividend of FY 2012-13 to the Investor Education and Protection Fund. Those Members, who have not encashed their dividends for the FY 2013-14 to FY 2019-20, are requested to claim it from the Company immediately.

Information in respect of such unclaimed dividend when due for transfer to the said Fund is given below:-

	l Financial Year Ended	Date of declaration of dividend	Last date for claiming unpaid dividend	Due date for transfer to IEP Fund
1.	31/03/2014	19/09/2014	18/09/2021	17/10/2021
2.	31/03/2015	28/09/2015	27/09/2022	26/10/2022
3.	31/03/2016	19/09/2016	18/09/2023	17/10/2023
4.	31/03/2017	20/09/2017	19/09/2024	18/10/2024
5.	31/03/2018	24/09/2018	23/09/2025	22/10/2025
6.	31/03/2019	20/09/2019	19/09/2026	18/10/2026
7.	31/03/2020	28/09/2020	27/09/2027	26/10/2027





### NOTES (continuing):

Pursuant to the provisions of Sections 124(6) of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Rules, 2016, as amended from time to time, all Equity Shares of the Company on which dividend has not been paid or claimed for seven consecutive years or more on February 12, 2021 shall be transferred by the Company to Investor Education and protection Fund ("IEPF").

During the current financial year ended from April 1, 2020 to March 31, 2021, the Company has transferred the shares of constant unclaimed dividend from financial year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2013 to till date to the **Investor Education and Protection Fund**. The Company has also written to the concern Shareholders intimating them their particulars of the Equity Shares due for transfer. This details are also available on the Company's website www.dilindia.co.in. No claim shall lie against the Company in respect of this Equity Shares post their transfer to IEPF. Upon transfer, the Shareholders will be able to claim this Equity Shares only from the IEPF Authority by making and online application, the details of which are available at <a href="www.iepf.gov.in">www.iepf.gov.in</a>. All correspondence should be addressed to the RTA of the Company M/s. Niche Technologies Private Limited, 3A, Auckland Place, 7th Floor, Room No. 7A & 7B, Kolkata-700017, Tel: 033-22806616, Email: nichetechpl@nichetechpl.com.

- The cutoff date for the purpose of determining the members eligible for participation in remote evoting (e-voting from a place other than venue of the AGM) and voting at the AGM is September 20, 2021. Please note that Members can opt for only one mode of voting i.e. either by voting at the meeting or remote e-voting. If Members voted in remote e-voting, then they should not vote at the meeting and vice versa. However, once an e-vote on a resolutions is casted by a Member, such Member is not permitted to change it subsequently or cast the vote again. Members who have cast their vote by remote e-voting prior to the date of the AGM can attend the meeting and participate in the meeting, but shall not be entitled to cast their vote again.
- Any person, who acquired shares of the Company and becomes a Member of the Company after dispatched of the Notice, hold shares as of the cut-off date i.e. September 20, 2021, may obtain the login ID and password by sending a request at <a href="helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com">helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</a>. However, if the Member is already registered with CDSL, for remote e-voting, then he/she can use his/her existing user ID and password for casting the vote. Only a Member which entitled to vote shall exercise his/her/its vote through e-voting and any recipient of this Notice who has no voting rights as on the cut-off date should treat the same as intimation only.
- 18) In case of Joint holders attending the meeting, the joint holders who is highest in the order of names will be entitled to vote at the AGM.
- 19) A route map showing directions to the venue of the Thirtieth AGM is *given* at the end of this Notice as per the requirement of the Secretarial Standard-2 on AGM.
- At present the Company's Equity Shares are listed on the Stock Exchanges at Kolkata and Mumbai and listing fees for the current financial year 2021-2022 of Mumbai Stock Exchange have been paid and awaiting Bills from Kolkata Stock Exchange for payment. Members are informed that the scripts of the Company have been activated both in Central Depositories Services Limited (CDSL) and National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) and may be dematerialised under the ISIN INE 590D 01016. The Custodian/Issuer fees and Charges for Monitoring of Foreign Investment Limit for the current financial year 2021-2022 have been paid to CDSL & NSDL.





## NOTES (continuing):

## 21) VOTING THROUGH ELECTRONIC MEANS:

I) Pursuant to Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 and Regulation 44 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended from time to time, the Company is pleased to provide its Members the facility of remote e-voting to exercise their right to vote at the Thirtieth Annual General Meeting (AGM). The business may be transacted through e-voting services rendering by Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL).

The Board has appointed Mr. Sushil Tiwari, Practicing Company Secretary (Membership No. ACS 6199 & Certificate of Practice No. 1903) as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the remote e-voting and voting process at the Thirtieth AGM in a fair and transparent manner.

## II) THE INTRUCTIONS OF SHAREHOLDERS FOR E-VOTING ARE AS UNDER:

- (i) The remote e-voting period begins on Friday, September 24, 2021 (10.00 a.m. IST) and ends on Sunday, September 26, 2021 (5.00 p.m. IST). 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 Monday, September 20, 2021, may cast their vote electronically. The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter.
- (ii) Shareholders/Members holding shares in physical or in demat form as on the cut-off date (record date) of Monday, September 20, 2021, shall only be eligible for e-voting. Shareholders/Members who have already voted prior to the Meeting would not be entitled to vote at the Meeting.
- (iii) Pursuant to SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD/CIR/P/2020/242 dated 09.12.2020, under Regulation 44 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, listed entities are required to provide remote e-voting facility to its shareholders, in respect of all shareholders' resolutions. However, it has been observed that the participation by the public non-institutional shareholders/retail shareholders is at a negligible level.

Currently, there are multiple e-voting service providers (ESPs) providing e-voting facility to listed entities in India. This necessitates registration on various ESPs and maintenance of multiple user IDs and passwords by the shareholders.

In order to increase the efficiency of the voting process, pursuant to a public consultation, it has been decided to enable e-voting to all the demat account holders, by way of a single login credential, through their demat accounts/ websites of Depositories/ Depository Participants. Demat account holders would be able to cast their vote without having to register again with the ESPs, thereby, not only facilitating seamless authentication but also enhancing ease and convenience of participating in e-voting process.

(iv) In terms of SEBI circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD/CIR/P/2020/242 dated December 9, 2020 on e-Voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode are allowed to vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants. Shareholders are advised to update their mobile number and email Id in their demat accounts in order to access e-Voting facility.



