



ESCORP

ASSET MANAGEMENT LIMITED

6th

ANNUAL REPORT

2016-17

CORPORATE INFORMATION

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

☞ Mr. Shripal Shah	(Executive Director)
☞ Mr. Shreyas Shah	(Executive Director)
☞ Mr. Darshit Parikh	(Independent Director)
☞ Mr. Haresh Sanghvi	(Independent Director)
☞ Ms. Supriya Tatkar	(Independent Director)

KEY MANAGERIAL PERSON:

☞ Mr. Shripal Shah	(Chief Financial Officer)
☞ Mr. Deepesh Jain	(Company Secretary)

BANKER:

☞ Union Bank of India

STATUTORY AUDITOR:

M/s Thakur, Vaiyanath Aiyar & Co.,
Chartered Accountants
212, Deendayal Upadhyay Marg,
New Delhi – 110 002

REGISTRAR AND SHARE TRANSFER AGENT:

Bigshare Services Private Limited
1st Floor, Bharat Tin Works Building,
Opp. Vasant Oasis,
Makwana Road,
Marol, Andheri (East),
Mumbai-400059

REGISTERED OFFICE:

60, Khatau Building, Ground Floor,
Alkesh Dinesh Modi Marg,
Fort, Mumbai – 400 001

COPRORATE OFFICE:

718-A, P. J. Towers,
Dalal Street, Fort,
Mumbai – 400 001

In case of any Queries relating Annual Report, Contact:

Mr. Deepesh Jain (Company Secretary)
60, Khatau Building, Ground. Floor,
Alkesh Dinesh Modi Marg,
Fort, Mumbai – 400 001
Tel: 022 – 6216 6999
Fax: 022 – 2263 0434

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the **Sixth Annual General Meeting** of the Members of **Escorp Asset Management Limited** will be held on **Saturday, September 23, 2017** at **01:30 P.M.** at Registered Office of the Company at 60, Khatau Building, Ground Floor, Alkesh Dinesh Modi Marg, Opp. P.J. Tower (BSE Bldg.), Fort, Mumbai – 400 001 to transact the following business:

ORDINARY BUSINESS:

- 1) To receive, consider and adopt the audited financial statements of the company for the financial year ended March 31, 2017 and the Reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon.
- 2) To appoint a Director in place of Mr. Shripal Shah, (DIN: 01628855), who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment.

3) Appointment of Statutory Auditors of the Company:

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

“RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 139 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 (“Act”) and the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, as amended from time to time, M/s V. N. Purohit & Co., Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No. 304040E), be and are hereby appointed as Statutory Auditors of the Company in place of the retiring auditors M/s Thakur Vaidyanath Aiyar & Co., Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No. 000038N), to hold office from the conclusion of this Annual General Meeting (“AGM”) till the conclusion of the Eleventh AGM to be held in the year 2022 (subject to ratification of their appointment at every AGM if so required under the Act), at such remuneration, as may be mutually agreed between the Board of Directors of the Company and the Auditors.”

SPECIAL BUSINESS:

- 4) Appointment of Mr. Haresh Sanghvi as Independent Director

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

“RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149 (6), 152 of the Companies Act, 2013, and the rules framed there under, read with Schedule IV to the Companies Act, 2013, and other applicable provisions, if any, (including any amendment thereto or reenactment thereof), Mr. Haresh Sanghvi, (DIN: 00006301), be and is hereby appointed as an Independent Director of the Company to hold office for five consecutive years till January 15, 2022 and he is not liable to retire by rotation.”

- 5) Appointment of Ms. Supriya Tatkar as Independent Director

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

“RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149 (6), 152 of the Companies Act, 2013, and the rules framed there under, read with Schedule IV to the Companies Act, 2013, and other applicable provisions, if any, (including any amendment thereto or reenactment thereof), Ms. Supriya Tatkar, (DIN: 03340550), be and is hereby appointed as an Independent Director of the Company to hold office for five consecutive years till January 15, 2022 and he is not liable to retire by rotation.”

NOTES:

1. The Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 (Act) and Details of directors to be re-appointed, in respect of the business as set out in the Notice is annexed hereto.
2. This Notice is being to members of the Company as appearing in Register of Members.
3. **A MEMBER ENTITLED TO ATTEND AND VOTE AT ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM) IS ENTITLED TO APPOINT A PROXY TO ATTEND AND VOTE INSTEAD OF HIMSELF AND THE PROXY NEED NOT BE A MEMBER OF THE COMPANY. THE INSTRUMENT APPOINTING PROXY, IN ORDER TO BE EFFECTIVE, MUST BE DEPOSITED AT THE COMPANY'S CORPORATE OFFICE, DULY COMPLETED AND SIGNED, NOT LESS THAN FORTYEIGHT HOURS BEFORE THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE MEETING. PROXIES SUBMITTED ON BEHALF OF LIMITED COMPANIES, SOCIETIES, ETC., MUST BE SUPPORTED BY APPROPRIATE RESOLUTIONS / AUTHORITY, AS APPLICABLE. A PERSON CAN ACT AS PROXY ON BEHALF OF MEMBERS NOT EXCEEDING FIFTY (50) AND HOLDING IN THE AGGREGATE NOT MORE THAN 10% OF THE TOTAL SHARE CAPITAL OF THE COMPANY. IN CASE A PROXY IS PROPOSED TO BE APPOINTED BY A MEMBER HOLDING MORE THAN 10% OF TOTAL SHARE CAPITAL OF THE COMPANY CARRYING VOTING RIGHTS, THEN SUCH PROXY SHALL NOT ACT AS A PROXY FOR ANY OTHER PERSON OR SHAREHOLDER. THE BLANK PROXY FORM IS ENCLOSED.**
4. Members/Proxy holder/Authorised Representative are requested to bring duly filled Attendance Slip enclosed herewith along with their copy of the Notice to attend the Meeting.
5. Electronic copy of the Notice of the Annual General Meeting of the Company inter alia indicating the process and manner of e-voting along with the Attendance Slip and Proxy Form are 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 physical copy of the same. For members who have not registered their email address, physical copies of the aforesaid documents are being sent in the permitted mode.
6. In case of joint holders attending the Meeting, the first holder as per the Register of Members of the Company will be entitled to vote.
7. Corporate Members are requested to send a duly certified copy of the Board Resolution authorizing their representative(s) to attend and vote on their behalf at the Meeting.
8. Relevant documents referred to in the Notice, statutory registers and the Statement pursuant to Section 102(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 will be available for inspection by the members at the Registered Office of the Company during normal business hours on working days. Members desiring to seek information with respect to the businesses in this notice are requested to send their queries at least Seven days before the date of the meeting so that the information can be made available at the meeting.
9. A route map showing directions to reach the venue of the meeting is given in this Notice.
10. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the member, the member shall not allowed to change it subsequently. Further, members who have casted their vote electronically shall not vote by way of poll, if held at the meeting. To provide an opportunity to vote at the meeting to the shareholders, who have not exercised the remote e-voting facility, shall be provided ballot papers before the commencement of the meeting. Any person who is not a member as on the cut-off date should treat this notice for information purpose only.
11. Member holding shares in electronic form are requested to intimate immediately any change in their address or bank mandates to their Depository Participants with whom they are maintaining their Demat Accounts. Members holding shares in physical form are requested to advise any change in their address or bank mandates immediately to the Company / RTA viz. Bigshare Service Private Limited.
12. 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 their Depository Participants with whom they maintain their Demat Accounts. Members holding shares in physical form and submit their PAN to the Company/ RTA viz. Bigshare Services Private Limited.
13. Members who have not registered their e-mail addresses so far are requested to register their e-mail address for receiving all communication including annual report, notices, circulars, etc. from the Company electronically.
14. The Register of Members and Share Transfer Books of the Company will remain closed from Saturday, September 16, 2017 to Saturday, September 23, 2017 (both days inclusive).
15. **Voting through electronic means**

1. In compliance with provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013, Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 as amended by the Companies (Management and Administration) Amendment Rules, 2015 and Regulation 44 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015 (Listing Regulations), the Company is pleased to provide members facility to exercise their right to vote on resolutions proposed to be considered at Annual General Meeting by electronic means and the business may be transacted through e-Voting Services. The facility of casting the votes by the members using an electronic voting system from a place other than venue of the Annual General Meeting (“remote e-voting”) will be provided by National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL).
2. The facility for voting through ballot paper shall be made available at the AGM and the members attending the meeting who have not cast their vote by remote e-voting shall be able to exercise their right at the meeting through ballot paper.
3. The members who have cast their vote by remote e-voting prior to the AGM may also attend the AGM but shall not be entitled to cast their vote again.
4. The remote e-voting period commences on **Tuesday, September 19, 2017 (9:00 A.M.)** and ends on **Friday, September 22, 2017 (5:00 P.M.)**. During this period members’ of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date of **Saturday, September 16, 2017**, may cast their vote by remote e-voting. The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the member, the member shall not be allowed to change it subsequently.
5. **The process and manner for remote e-voting are as under:**
 - A. In case a Member receives an email from NSDL [for members whose email IDs are registered with the Company/Depository Participants(s)] :
 - (i) Open email and open PDF file viz; “remote e-voting.pdf” with your Client ID or Folio No. as password. The said PDF file contains your user ID and password/PIN for remote e-voting. Please note that the password is an initial password.
 - (ii) Launch internet browser by typing the following URL: <https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/>
 - (iii) Click on Shareholder - Login
 - (iv) Put user ID and password as initial password/PIN noted in step (i) above. Click Login.
 - (v) Password change menu appears. Change the password/PIN with new password of your choice with minimum 8 digits/characters or combination thereof. Note new password. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential.
 - (vi) Home page of remote e-voting opens. Click on remote e-voting: Active Voting Cycles.
 - (vii) Select “EVEN” of “Escorp Asset Management Limited”.
 - (viii) Now you are ready for remote e-voting as Cast Vote page opens.
 - (ix) Cast your vote by selecting appropriate option and click on “Submit” and also “Confirm” when prompted.
 - (x) Upon confirmation, the message “Vote cast successfully” will be displayed.
 - (xi) Once you have voted on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
 - (xii) Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are required to send scanned copy (PDF/JPG Format) of the relevant Board Resolution/ Authority letter etc. together with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory(ies) who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer through e-mail to jigar.gandhi@jngandco.in with a copy marked to evoting@nsdl.co.in
 - B. In case a Member receives physical copy of the Notice of AGM [for members whose email IDs are not registered with the Company/Depository Participants(s) or requesting physical copy] :
 - (i) Initial password is provided as below/at the bottom of the Attendance Slip for the AGM :

<u>EVEN (Remote e-voting Event Number)</u>	<u>USER ID</u>	<u>PASSWORD/PIN</u>
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 - (ii) Please follow all steps from Sl. No. (ii) to Sl. No. (xii) above, to cast vote.
6. In case of any queries, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Members and remote e-voting user manual for Members available at the downloads section of www.evoting.nsdl.com or call on toll free no.: 1800-222-990.
7. If you are already registered with NSDL for remote e-voting then you can use your existing user ID and password/PIN for casting your vote.

8. You can also update your mobile number and e-mail id in the user profile details of the folio which may be used for sending future communication(s).
9. The voting rights of members shall be in proportion to their shares of the paid up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date of **Saturday, September 16, 2017**.
10. Any person, who acquires shares of the Company and become member of the Company after dispatch of the notice and holding shares as of the cut-off date i.e. **Saturday, September 16, 2017**, may obtain the login ID and password by sending a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in.

However, if you are already registered with NSDL for remote e-voting then you can use your existing user ID and password for casting your vote. If you forgot your password, you can reset your password by using “Forgot User Details/Password” option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com or contact NSDL at the following toll free no.: 1800-222-990.

11. A person, whose name is recorded in the register of members or in the register of beneficial owners maintained by the depositories as on the cut-off date only shall be entitled to avail the facility of remote e-voting as well as voting at the AGM through ballot paper.
12. Mr. Jigarkumar Gandhi, Practicing Company Secretary (Membership No. F7569) has been appointed for as the Scrutinizer for providing facility to the members of the Company to scrutinize the voting and remote e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner.
13. The Chairman shall, at the AGM, at the end of discussion on the resolutions on which voting is to be held, allow voting with the assistance of scrutinizer, by use of “Ballot Paper” for all those members who are present at the AGM but have not cast their votes by availing the remote e-voting facility.
14. The Scrutinizer shall after the conclusion of voting at the general meeting, will first count the votes cast at the meeting and thereafter unblock the votes cast through remote e-voting in the presence of at least two witnesses not in the employment of the Company and shall make, not later than three days of the conclusion of the AGM, a consolidated scrutinizer’s report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, to the Chairman or a person authorized by him in writing, who shall countersign the same and declare the result of the voting forthwith.
15. The results declared alongwith the report of the Scrutinizer shall be placed on the website of the Company www.escorpamc.co.in and on the website of NSDL immediately after the declaration of result by the Chairman or a person authorized by him in writing. The results shall also be immediately forwarded to the BSE Limited, Mumbai.
16. **All queries relating to Share Transfer and allied subjects should be addressed to:**

Bigshare Services Private Limited
1st Floor, Bharat Tin Works Building,
Opp. Vasant Oasis,
Makwana Road,
Marol, Andheri (East),
Mumbai-400059

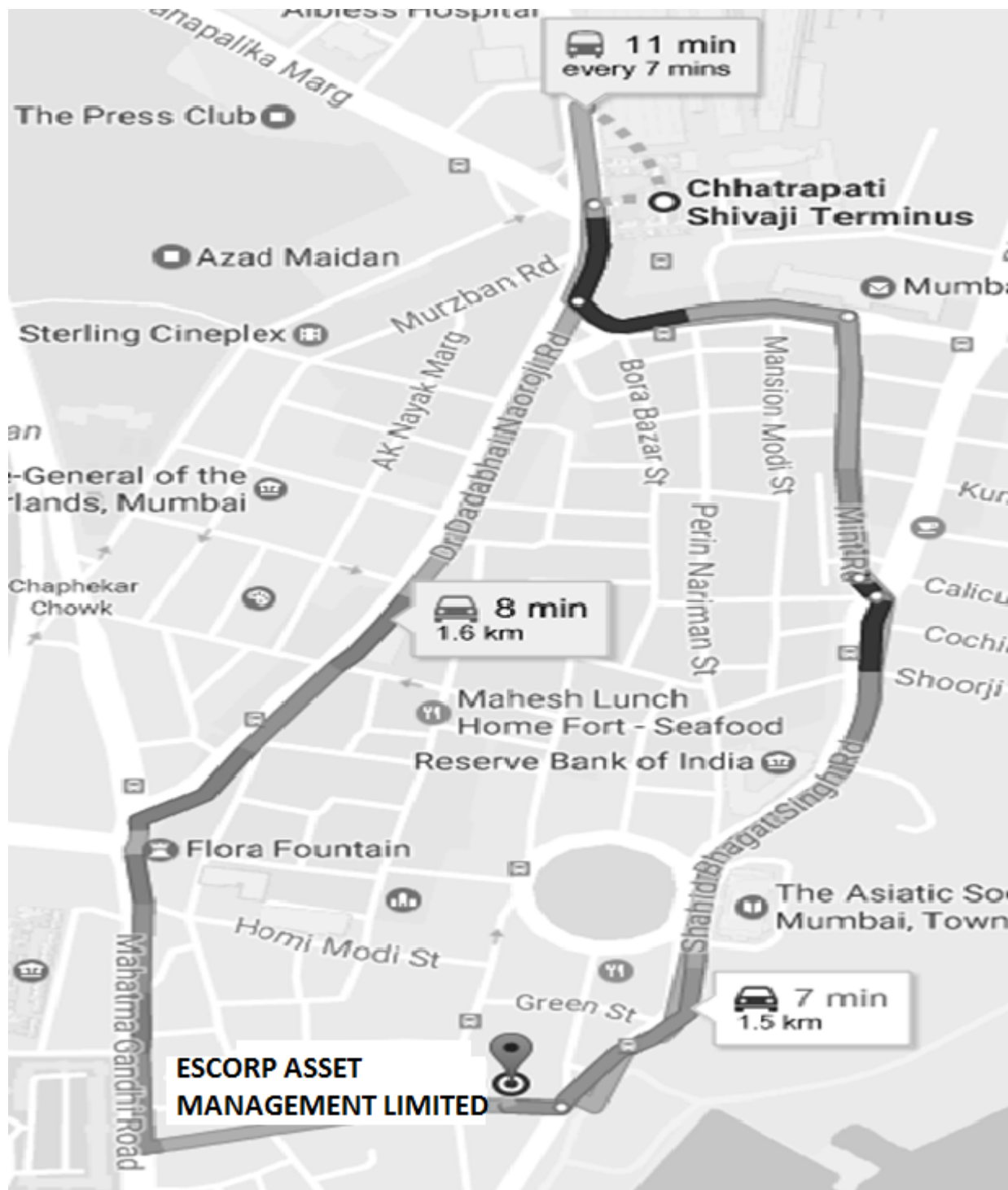
Registered Office:
60, Khatau Building, Ground Floor,
Alkesh Dinesh Modi Marg,
Fort, Mumbai – 400 001
Tel : 022 – 6216 6999
Fax: 022 – 2263 0434
CIN: U17121MH2011PLC213451
Website: www.escorpamc.co.in
Email: info@escorpamc.co.in

By Order Of The Board Of Directors
FOR ESCOP ASSET MANAGEMENT LIMITED

Sd/-
Deepesh Jain
(Company Secretary)
Mumbai, Monday, August 28, 2017

ROUTE MAP TO THE 6TH AGM VENUE

Venue Address: 60, Khatau Building, Ground Floor, Alkesh Dinesh Modi Marg, Fort, Mumbai – 400 001



EXPLANATORY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 102 (1) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013 SETTING OUT ALL MATERIAL FACTS RELATING TO THE SPECIAL BUSINESS:

Item No. 5:

The Board of Directors had appointed Mr. Haresh Sanghvi (DIN: 00006301) as an Additional Director at the meeting held on January 16, 2017 with immediate effect, pursuant to the Section 149 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013.

Mr. Sanghvi being eligible is proposed to be appointed as an Independent Director for a term of five years till January 15, 2022. The Company has received notice in writing under the provisions of Section 160 of the Companies Act, 2013, from a member along with a deposit of ₹ 1,00,000/- proposing the candidature of Mr. Haresh Sanghvi for the office of Independent Director, to be appointed as such under the provisions of Section 149 of the Companies Act, 2013.

The Company has received the following from Mr. Haresh Sanghvi:

- (a) Consent in writing to act as director
- (b) Intimation to the effect that he is not disqualified under sub-section (2) of Section 164 of the Companies Act, 2013, and;
- (c) A declaration to the effect that he meets the criteria of independence as provided in the Companies Act, 2013 and SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015.

He is a B.com, LLB, MBA and FCS by qualification. He has over 2 decades of industry experience having worked at senior executive positions at the Mariwala Group for a period of 7 years, Ajmera Group for a period of 5 years and the Khatau Group for a period of 7 years. After obtaining his Fellow Company Secretary registration in 2001, he has been a Practicing Company Secretary for the almost 15 years and has diversified experience servicing listed and unlisted Companies.

The resolution seeks the approval of members for the appointment of Mr. Haresh Sanghvi as an Independent Director of the Company pursuant to Section 149 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules made thereunder. He is not liable to retire by rotation.

The Board considers that his contribution would immensely benefit the Company and it is desirable to avail the services of Mr. Sanghvi as an Independent Director and accordingly the Board recommends the resolution for the approval of the members.

No Director, Key Managerial Personnel or their relatives, except Mr. Haresh Sanghvi, to whom the resolution relates, is interested or concerned in the resolution.

Item No. 6:

The Board of Directors had appointed Ms. Supriya Tatkar (DIN: 03340550) as an Additional Director at the meeting held on January 16, 2017 with immediate effect, pursuant to the Section 149 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013.

Ms. Tatkar being eligible is proposed to be appointed as an Independent Director for a term of five years till January 15, 2022. The Company has received notice in writing under the provisions of Section 160 of the Companies Act, 2013, from a member along with a deposit of ₹ 1,00,000/- proposing the candidature of Ms. Supriya Tatkar for the office of Independent Director, to be appointed as such under the provisions of Section 149 of the Companies Act, 2013.

The Company has received the following from Ms. Supriya Tatkar:

- (a) Consent in writing to act as director
- (b) Intimation to the effect that he is not disqualified under sub-section (2) of Section 164 of the Companies Act, 2013, and;
- (c) A declaration to the effect that he meets the criteria of independence as provided in the Companies Act, 2013 and SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015.

She holds a Bachelors degree in Commerce from Mumbai University and is an Associate Member of the Institute of Company Secretaries of India. She has diversified experience of around 7 years in handling secretarial matters and compliances. For further details of Ms. Tatkar as per SS-2, please refer the table below with this explanatory statement.

The resolution seeks the approval of members for the appointment of Ms. Supriya Tatkar as an Independent Director of the Company pursuant to Section 149 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules made thereunder. She is not liable to retire by rotation.

The Board considers that his contribution would immensely benefit the Company and it is desirable to avail the services of Ms. Tatkar as an Independent Director and accordingly the Board recommends the resolution for the approval of the members.

No Director, Key Managerial Personnel or their relatives, except Ms. Supriya Tatkar, to whom the resolution relates, is interested or concerned in the resolution.

DETAILS OF DIRECTORS SEEKING RE-APPOINTMENT:			
Particulars	Mr. Shripal Shah	Mr. Haresh Sanghvi	Ms. Supriya Tatkar
Current Position	Executive Director (Liable to retire by rotation)	Additional Independent Director	Additional Independent Director
Age	32 Years	63 Years	33 Years
Qualification	B.COM, CFA	B.COM, LLB, MBA & FCS	B.COM, C S
Experience	More than 10 Years	More than 20 years	More than 7 Years
Date of first Appointment	On Incorporation	January 16, 2017	January 16, 2017
Number of Board Meetings attended during the year	Attended all the Three meetings held till date in F.Y. 2017-18	Attended all the Three meetings held till date in F.Y. 2017-18	Attended all the Three meetings held till date in F.Y. 2017-18
Shareholding in the Company	5,05,000 Equity Shares	Nil	Nil
Relationship with Other Directors	Mr. Shreyas Shah (Brother)	None	None
Other Directorships	Mahshri Enterprises Pvt Ltd Aryaman Financial Services Ltd Aryaman Capital Markets Ltd	H P Sanghvi (OPC) Pvt Ltd Maxvridhhi Financial Services Pvt Ltd	Aryaman Capital Markets Ltd
Memberships / Chairmanship of Committees	Member in Audit Committee and Stakeholders Relationship Committee of Aryaman Financial Services Limited and Aryaman Capital Markets Limited	None	Chairman of Stakeholders Relationship Committee & Member of Audit Committee & Nomination and Remuneration Committee of Aryaman Capital Markets Limited

BOARD'S REPORT

To
The Members,

Your Directors take pleasure in presenting their Sixth Annual Report on the Business and Operations of the Company and the Accounts for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 2017 (period under review).

1. FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE OF THE COMPANY:

The summary of the financial performance for the financial year ended March 31, 2017 and the previous financial year ended March 31, 2016 is given below:

(₹ in lacs)		
Particulars	31-Mar-17	31-Mar-16
Total Income	51.21	0.26
Less: Expenditure	29.68	0.03
Profit before Depreciation	21.53	0.23
Less: Depreciation	0.12	-
Profit before Tax	21.41	0.23
Provision for Taxation	3.35	0.07
Profit after Tax	18.06	0.16

The Total Income of the Company stood at ₹ 51.21 lacs for the year ended March 31, 2016 as against ₹ 0.26 lacs in the previous year. The Company made a net profit (after tax) of ₹ 18.06 lacs for the year ended March 31, 2016 as compared to the net profit of ₹ 0.16 in the previous year.

2. DIVIDEND:

The dividend policy for the year under review has been formulated taking into consideration of growth of the company and to conserve resources, the Directors do not recommend any dividend for year ended March 31, 2017.

3. STATE OF AFFAIRS OF THE COMPANY:

Information on the operations and financial performance, among others for the period under review, is given in the Management Discussion and Analysis Report which is annexed to this Report and is in accordance with the SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

4. CHANGE IN NATURE OF BUSINESS:

Company's Main Object has been changed vide Special Resolution passed during EGM held on 03rd August 2016, and accordingly name changed from Escorp Industries Private Limited to Escorp Asset Management Private Limited. Thereon pursuant to aforesaid amendment in Main Objects of MoA, Your Company is engaged into business of providing portfolio management services. Further during EGM held on 29th September 2016, Company changed from Private Limited to Public Limited Company and accordingly from Escorp Asset Management Private Limited to Escorp Asset Management Limited.

5. EXTRACT OF ANNUAL RETURN:

As required pursuant to Section 92(3) of the Companies Act, 2013 and rule 12(1) of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, an extract of Annual Return in **MGT 9** as a part of this Annual Report as "*Annexure I*".

6. CHANGE IN SHARE CAPITAL: