

# **The Gaekwar Mills Limited**

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## **88<sup>th</sup> Annual Report**

**2016 – 2017**



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<b>HOMI F. MEHTA</b>	<b>Chairman</b>
<b>RATAN N. KARANJIA</b>	<b>Independent Director</b>
<b>GIRISHBHAI SHAH</b>	<b>Independent Director</b>
<b>SHWETA B. PAREKH</b>	<b>Woman Director</b>
<b>RAJEN DOSHI</b>	<b>Director</b>
<b>VAISHALI RATHOD</b>	<b>Company Secretary</b>

## **Auditors**

**Messrs M. D. Pandya & Associates**  
**Chartered Accountants**

## **Registrar & Transfer Agent**

**Link Intime India Private Limited**  
**C 101, 247 Park,**  
**L B S Marg, Vikhroli West,**  
**Mumbai 400 083**

## **Registered Office**

**2/2, Plot – 2, New Sion CHS,**  
**Swami Vallabhdas Marg, Road No. 24,**  
**Sindhi Colony, Sion, Mumbai – 400022.**

**THE GAEKWAR MILLS LIMITED**  
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**2/2, PLOT – 2, NEW SION CHS,**  
**SWAMI VALLABHDAS MARG, ROAD NO. 24,**  
**SINDHI COLONY, SION, MUMBAI – 400022.**

## NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the 88<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of M/s Gaekwar Mills Limited shall be held on Tuesday, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2017 at 11.00 a.m. at Café Ista, 12A/1, The New Sion CHS Ltd, Opp. SIES College, Sion West, Mumbai - 400022 to transact the following business:

### ORDINARY BUSINESS:

1. To consider and adopt the audited financial statements of the Company for the year ended March 31, 2017 together with the Reports of Directors and Auditors thereon.
2. To appoint a Director in place of Mr. Homi Mehta (DIN: 00105524) who retires by rotation and being eligible, seeks re - appointment.
3. 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 139, 142 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules framed thereunder, as amended from time to time, M/s. Mayur Mahesh Shah & Co., Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No. 117604W), be and is hereby appointed as Auditors of the Company for the term of 5 (Five) consecutive years to hold office from the conclusion of this Annual General Meeting (AGM) till the conclusion of the 93<sup>rd</sup> AGM of the Company to be held in the year 2022 (subject to ratification of their appointment at every AGM), at such remuneration plus applicable taxes, out-of-pocket, travelling and living expenses, etc., as may be mutually agreed between the Board of Directors of the Company and the Auditors.”

### SPECIAL BUSINESS:

4. **Sub-Division of Equity Shares from the Face Value of Rs. 100/- to Rs. 10/- per share:**

**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 61(1)(d) and all other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof, for time being in force) and the provisions of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company and subject to such approvals, consents, permission, and sanctions as may be necessary from the concerned authorities or bodies 2,00,000 (Two Lakhs) Equity Shares of the Company having a face value of Rs. 100/- (Rupees One Hundred) each in the Authorized Share Capital of the Company be sub-divided into 20,00,000 (Twenty Lakhs) Equity Shares having a face value of Rs. 10/- (Rupees Ten only) each.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** upon sub-division of the Equity Shares as aforesaid, the existing Share Certificate(s) in relation to the existing Equity Shares of the face value of Rs. 100/- each held in physical form shall be deemed to have been automatically cancelled and be of no effect on and from the Record Date and the Company may without requiring the surrender of the existing issued Share Certificate(s) directly issue and dispatch the new Share Certificate(s) of the Company, in lieu of such existing issued Share Certificate(s) of the Company, in the case of the Equity Shares held in the dematerialized form, the number of sub-divided Equity Shares be credited to the respective beneficiary accounts of the Shareholders with the Depository Participants, in lieu of the existing credits representing the Equity Shares of the Company before sub-division.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board of Directors of the Company (“the Board”), (which expression shall also include a Committee thereof) be and is hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds, matters and steps as may be necessary for obtaining such approvals in relation to the above and to execute all such documents, instruments and writings as may be required in this connection and to delegate all or any of the powers herein vested in the Board to any Committee thereof, to give effect to the aforesaid resolution.”

**5. Alteration of the Memorandum of Association of the Company:**

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

**“RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to the provisions of Section 13 and all other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013, (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof, for the time being in force), Clause 5 of the Memorandum of Association of the Company be and is hereby altered by substituting the following:

**“V. The Nominal Share Capital of the Company is Rs. 2,00,00,000/- (Rupees Two Crores) divided into 20,00,000 Equity Shares of Rs. 10/- (Rupees Ten) each.**

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board of Directors of the Company (“the Board”), (which expression shall also include a Committee thereof) be and is hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds, matters and steps as may be necessary for obtaining such approvals in relation to the above and to execute all such documents, instruments and writings as may be required in this connection and to delegate all or any of the powers herein vested in the Board to any Committee thereof, to give effect to the aforesaid resolution.”

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**Date: 14/08/2017**

**By order of the Board of Directors  
For GAEKWAR MILLS LIMITED**

**Sd/-  
VAISHALI RATHOD  
COMPANY SECRETARY**

## **Notes:**

1. Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102(1) and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rules made thereunder with respect to Special Business set out in the Notice is annexed hereto.
2. **A MEMBER ENTITLED TO ATTEND AND VOTE AT THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (THE 'MEETING') IS ENTITLED TO APPOINT PROXY/PROXIES TO ATTEND AND VOTE INSTEAD OF HIMSELF/HERSELF AND THE PROXY NEED NOT BE A MEMBER OF THE COMPANY.** THE INSTRUMENT APPOINTING THE PROXY IN ORDER TO BE EFFECTIVE SHOULD BE DULY STAMPED, COMPLETED, SIGNED AND DEPOSITED AT THE REGISTERED OFFICE OF THE COMPANY NOT LESS THAN FORTY-EIGHT (48) HOURS BEFORE THE TIME FOR HOLDING THE MEETING.

Proxy/Proxies submitted on behalf of limited Companies, etc., must be supported by appropriate resolutions / authority, as applicable. A person can act as proxy on behalf of Members not exceeding fifty (50) members and holding in the aggregate not more than ten (10) per cent of the total share capital of the Company. In case a proxy is proposed to be appointed by a Member holding more than ten (10) percent of the total share capital of the Company carrying voting rights, then such proxy shall not act as a proxy for any other person or shareholder.

3. Only registered Members of the Company or any proxy appointed by such registered Member may attend and vote at the Meeting as provided under the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013. In case any shareholder has voted electronically, then he/she can participate in the Meeting but shall not have a right to vote.
4. The Register of Members and Share Transfer Books of the Company shall remain closed from Thursday, 21<sup>st</sup> September, 2017 to Tuesday, 26<sup>th</sup> September, 2017 (both days inclusive) for the purpose of Annual General Meeting.
5. Duly executed and stamped transfer deeds, along with the share certificates, should be submitted to the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agents before the closure of the Register of Members for registration.
6. Corporate Members are requested to send a duly certified copy of the Board Resolution pursuant to Section 113 of the Companies Act, 2013/ Power of Attorney authorizing their representative(s) to attend and vote on their behalf at the Meeting.
7. Members holding shares in physical form and wishing to make / change in a nomination in respect of their shareholding in the Company, as permitted under Section 72 of the Companies Act, 2013 may submit the prescribed particulars in Form No. SH-13 (Nomination Form) or SH-14 (Cancellation or Variation of Nomination), to the Company.
8. The Company has entered into necessary arrangement with National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) and Central Depository Services Limited (CDSL) to enable the Shareholders to dematerialize their shareholding in the Company for which they may contact the Depository Participant.
9. Electronic copy of the Annual Report, Notice of the Meeting of the Company inter-alia indicating the process and manner of remote 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 Participants 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 Meeting of the Company inter alia indicating the process and manner of remote e-voting along with Attendance Slip and Proxy Form is being sent in the permitted mode.
10. In view of Go Green initiative being undertaken by the Company, Members who have not yet registered their e-mail address so far are requested to register/update their e-mail addresses with the Company's RTA or with the Company.
11. Members are requested to bring their copy of Annual Report to the Meeting. A member desirous of getting any information with regard to Accounts of the Company is requested to send the queries to the Company at least 10 days before the meeting to the Company Secretary at the Registered Office of the Company.

12. Members are requested to mention their Folio Number in all their correspondence with the Company in order to facilitate response to their queries promptly.
13. Members are requested to produce the enclosed attendance slip duly signed as per the specimen signature recorded with the Company for admission at the entrance to the place of the meeting.
14. Members who are holding shares of the Company in physical form through multiple folios in identical order of names are requested to write to the Company, enclosing their share certificates, to enable the Company to consolidate their holdings in one folio.
15. In case of joint holders attending the meeting, the Member whose name appears as the first holder in the order of names as per the Register of Members of the Company will be entitled to vote, whether in person or by proxy.
16. Members are requested to contact the Company's RTA for reply to their queries/redressal of complaints.

**17. Details of Director Seeking Re-Appointment/Appointment at the Annual General Meeting**

Shri Homi F Mehta retires by rotation and have not offered himself for reappointment hence details are not applicable.

18. The Register of Contracts or Arrangements in which Directors are interested, maintained under Section 189 of the Companies Act, 2013, the Register of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel and their shareholding, maintained under Section 170 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rules made thereunder will be available for inspection by the members at the Meeting.
19. The relevant documents referred to in this Notice and Explanatory Statement are open for inspection at the Meeting and such documents will also be available for inspection in physical or in electronic form at the registered office and copies thereof shall also be available for inspection in physical or electronic form at the registered office from the date of dispatch of the Notice till the date of the Meeting on all working days, from 10 a.m to 12:00 noon, except Saturdays.

**20. Voting through electronic means:**

- i. In compliance with the provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 as amended by the Companies (Management and Administration) Amendment Rules, 2015 w.e.f. 19<sup>th</sup> March, 2015 and Regulation 44 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements), 2015, and Secretarial Standard, on General Meetings (SS2) issued by Institute of Company Secretary of India, the Company is pleased to provide to the members, the facility of voting by electronic means in respect of business to be transacted at the Meeting which includes the facility of casting the votes by the Members using an electronic voting system from a place other than venue of the Meeting ("remote e-voting") and the same will be provided by Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL).
- ii. The facility of voting through ballot or polling paper shall also be made available for the members at the Meeting who have not been able to vote electronically and who are attending the Meeting. The members who have cast their vote electronically would be entitled to attend the Meeting but would not be permitted to cast their vote again at the Meeting. The facility to vote by electronic voting system will not be provided at the Meeting.
- iii. The remote e-voting period commences on Saturday, 23<sup>rd</sup> September, 2017 (9.00 A.M. IST) and ends on Monday, 25<sup>th</sup> September, 2017 (5.00 P.M. IST). During this period, Members of the Company, holding shares as on the close of working hours on Monday, 18<sup>th</sup> September, 2017 (cut-off date) may cast their vote electronically. The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting on Monday, 25<sup>th</sup> September 2017 after 5.00 P.M. IST. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the Member, he/she shall not be allowed to change it subsequently.
- iv. The company has appointed Mr. Anish Gupta, Company Secretary in whole time practice as Scrutinizer to scrutinize the e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner.

**The instructions for shareholders voting electronically are as under:**

- (i) The voting period begins on Saturday, 23<sup>rd</sup> September, 2017 (9.00 A.M. IST) and ends on Monday, 25<sup>th</sup> September, 2017 (5.00 P.M. IST). During these period shareholders of the Company, holding shares as on the cut-off date (record date) of Monday, 18<sup>th</sup> September, 2017 may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter.
- (ii) Shareholders who have already voted prior to the meeting date would not be entitled to vote at the meeting venue.
- (iii) The shareholders should log on to the e-voting website [www.evotingindia.com](http://www.evotingindia.com).
- (iv) Click on Shareholders.
- (v) 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
- (vi) Next enter the Image Verification as displayed and Click on Login.
- (vii) If you are holding shares in demat form and had logged on to [www.evotingindia.com](http://www.evotingindia.com) and voted on an earlier voting of any company, then your existing password is to be used.
- (viii) If you are a first time user follow the steps given below:

	For Members holding shares in Demat Form and Physical Form
PAN	<p>Enter your 10 digit alpha-numeric *PAN issued by Income Tax Department (Applicable for both demat shareholders as well as physical shareholders)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>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.</li><li>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.</li></ul>
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	<p>Enter the Dividend Bank Details as recorded in your demat account or in the company records for the said demat account or folio.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>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.</li></ul>

- (ix) After entering these details appropriately, click on "SUBMIT" tab.
- (x) Members holding shares in physical form will then directly reach the Company selection screen. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential.
- (xi) For Members holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for e-voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.
- (xii) Click on the EVSN for the relevant **GAEKWAR MILLS LIMITED** on which you choose to vote.



- (xiii) 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.
- (xiv) Click on the “RESOLUTIONS FILE LINK” if you wish to view the entire Resolution details.
- (xv) 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.
- (xvi) Once you “CONFIRM” your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
- (xvii) You can also take a print of the votes cast by clicking on “Click here to print” option on the Voting page.
- (xviii) **Note for Non – Individual Shareholders and Custodians**
- Non-Individual shareholders (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) and Custodian are required to log on to [www.evotingindia.com](http://www.evotingindia.com) and register themselves as Corporates.
  - A scanned copy of the Registration Form bearing the stamp and sign of the entity should be emailed to [helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com](mailto:helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com).
  - After receiving the login details a Compliance User should be created using the admin login and password. The Compliance User would be able to link the account(s) for which they wish to vote on.
  - The list of accounts linked in the login should be mailed to [helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com](mailto:helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com) and on approval of the accounts they would be able to cast their vote.
  - A scanned copy of the Board Resolution and Power of Attorney (POA) which they have issued in favor of the Custodian, if any, should be uploaded in PDF format in the system for the scrutinizer to verify the same.
- (xix) 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.com](http://www.evotingindia.com), under Help Section or write an email to [helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com](mailto:helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com).

## **EXPLANATORY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 102 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013**

### **ITEM No. 1**

#### **Sub-division of each Equity Share of Rs.100/- each into Equity Shares of Rs.10/- each**

The Equity shares of the Company are listed on BSE Limited. In order to facilitate the benefit of more liquidity and broad basing of small investors, the Board of Directors of the Company, in its meeting held on 14<sup>th</sup> August, 2017 have approved the Sub-division of the nominal value of Equity shares of the Company of Rs.100/- each into smaller denomination of Rs.10/- each, subject to the approval of Members.

Accordingly, each Equity share of the Company of the nominal value Rs.100/- each existing on the Record Date, shall stand subdivided into Equity shares of the nominal value of Rs.10/- each. The Record Date for the aforesaid Sub-division of Equity shares will be fixed after the approval of shareholders is obtained.

The Board recommends the Resolution as set out in Item No. 4 of the accompanying Notice for the approval of Members of the Company as a Special Resolution. None of the Directors or Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their relatives is concerned or interested in the Resolution except to the extent of their shareholding in the Company, if any.

## **ITEM No. 2**

### **Alteration of Memorandum of Association of the Company**

The proposed Sub-division of the Equity shares of the Company of Rs.100/- each into smaller denomination of Rs.10/- each requires amendment to the Memorandum of Association of the Company. Accordingly Clause 5 of the Memorandum of Association is proposed to be amended as set out in Item No. 5 of the accompanying Notice reflecting the corresponding changes in the Authorised Share Capital of the Company consequent to the proposed Sub-division i.e. from Rs.2,00,00,000/- (Rupees Two Crores only) divided into 2,00,000 (Two Lakh only) Equity Shares of Rs.100/- (Rupees Hundred only) each to Rs.2,00,00,000/- (Rupees Two Crores only) divided into 20,00,000 (Twenty Lakhs only) Equity Shares of Rs.10/- (Rupee Ten only) each.

The Board of Directors of your Company has approved this item in its Meeting held on 14<sup>th</sup> August, 2017 and recommends the Resolution as set out in Item No. 5 of the accompanying Notice for the approval of members of the Company as a Special Resolution. None of the Directors or Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their relatives is concerned or interested in the Resolution except to the extent of their shareholding in the Company, if any.

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Date: 14/8/2017

By order of the Board of Directors  
**For GAEKWAR MILLS LIMITED**

**Sd/-**  
**VAISHALI RATHOD**  
**COMPANY SECRETARY**