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TCP Sapthagiri Bhavan, II Floor, 4 (Old No.10), Karpagambal Nagar, Mylapore, Chennai - 600 004

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Shri SYED MEERAN Shri M.S. SETHURAMAN Shri M.J. SAIFUDEEN

BANKERS

CANARA BANK 154, Thambu Chetty Street

Chennai – 600 001

AUDITORS

M/s. NATRAJ ASSOCIATES

Chartered Accountants 288, T T K Road, Alwarpet Chennai – 600 018

REGISTERED OFFICE

T C P Sapthagiri Bhavan II Floor, 4 (Old No.10), Karpagambal Nagar, Mylapore, Chennai – 600 004

FACTORY

No.56-A, SIPCOT Industrial Complex, Ranipet – 632 403 North Arcot District Tamil Nadu

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NOTICE FOR THE TWENTY FIFTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE MEMBERS OF KAMAR CHEMICALS & INDUSTRIES LIMITED

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty Fifth Annual General Meeting of the members of the Company will be held on Friday the 28th September, 2007 at Narada Gana Sabha Trust (Sathguru Gnanananda Mini Hall), 314 (Old No.254) T T K Road, Chennai – 600 18 at 2.45 PM to transact the following business: -

ORDINARY BUSINESS

- To receive and consider and adopt the audited Balance Sheet of the Company as at 31.03.2007 the Profit & Loss Account for the year ended 31.03.2007 together with the Report of the Directors and Auditors thereon.
- 2. To elect a Director in place of Shri. M.S. Sethuraman who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for reelection as a Director.
- 3. To appoint the Auditors and fix their remuneration.

By Order of the Board,

Place: Chennai - 4 SYED MEERAN

Date : 30.08.2007 Director

NOTES

- 1) A member entitled to attend and vote at the meeting is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote instead of himself and the proxy need not be a member. The proxy form duly stamped and executed should be deposited at the Registered Office of the Company atleast 48 hours before the time for the commencement of the meeting.
- 2) Members are requested to notify any change in their address to the Registered Office of the Company quoting their Folio Nos.
- 3) Register of members and Share Transfer books of the company will remain closed from 21st day of September 2007 to 28th day of September 2007 (Both days inclusive)
- 4) Pursuant to Section 205(A) of the Companies Act, 1956 unclaimed dividends for the financial year ended 31.03.94, 31.03.95, 31.03.96 and 31.03.97 have been transferred to the General Revenue Account of the Central Government within the prescribed time as per details given below: -

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Year	% of Dividend	No.of equity Shares	No. of Holders	Amount (in Rs.)	Date of Transfer
31.03.97	22%	143136	435	130137	26.11.04
31.03.96	22%	26027	83	41275	27.01.03
31.03.95	22%	15359	93	33517	12.10.98
31.03.94	20%	13355	70	26610	21.11.97

Members who have not claimed or collected their dividend for the said financial years may claim their dividend from the Registrar of Companies (Tamil Nadu), Shastri Bhavan, Block No.6 II Floor, 26 Haddows Road, Chennai – 600 006 by submitting an application in the prescribed form.

Shareholders are hereby informed that the amendment of the Act with effect from 31.10.1998 the Company will be obliged to transfer any money lying in the Unpaid Dividend Account, which remains unpaid or unclaimed for a period of seven years from the date of such transfer to the Unpaid Dividend Account, to the credit of Investor Education and Protection Fund ("the Fund") established by the Central Government. In accordance with Section 205C of the Act, no claim shall against the Company or Fund in respect of individual amounts of dividends remaining unclaimed and for a period of seven years from the dates they became first due for payment and no payment shall be made in respect of any such claims.

5) Members are requested to bring the Annual Report to the meeting.

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REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

Your directors present their Twenty Fifth Annual Report with the audited statements of accounts for the year ended 31st March 2007.

FINANCIAL RESULTS

The results for the period under review as compared to the previous years are as follows: (Rs.in Lakhs)

	Year ended 31.03.2007	Year ended 31.03.2006
Profit/(loss) after Depreciation but before tax	(124.36)	(214.86)
Provision for taxation (Fringe Benefit Tax)	(0.30)	(0.27)
Provision for Income Tax (Earlier Years)	4.35	·
Profit/(Loss) after tax	(120.31)	(215.13)
Profit/(Loss) brought forward from last year	(1687.70)	(1472.57)
Amount transferred from Reserve		_
Balance Carried to Balance Sheet	(1808.01)	(1687.70)

OPERATIONS

The sales for the year-ended 31.03.2007 amounted to Rs.123.16 lakhs as against Rs.270.96 lakhs for the period 31.03.2006 Consequent to the significant fall in prices, the profitability of the company was affected adversely.

Comparative production figures for the year ended 31.03.2007 and for the year ended 31.03.2006 are given below:

(Qty in Mts)

	Year ended 31.03.2007	Year ended 31.03.2006
Sulphuric Acid	15,318	22,014
Oleum	_	
Alum'	2,517	4,170
Beta Napthol	-	_
Others		-

DIVIDEND

In view of the losses the Directors could not recommend any Dividend.

FIXED DEPOSIT

Your Company has not accepted Fixed Deposits, during the period under review.

AUDITORS

M/s. Natraj Associates, Chartered Accountants, Chennai – 600 018 retire at this Annual General Meeting and are eligible for reappointment.

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CONSERVATION OF ENERGY

Particulars Under Section 217(1)(e) of the Companies Act, 1956 is annexed.

PERSONNEL

Industrial relations remained congenial during the current year. The Directors thank the employees for their co-operation on the operational performances.

Details required under Section 217(2A) of the Companies Act, 1956 (read with Companies particulars of Employees Rules 1975) regarding particulars of Employees has not been given as no employee was in receipt of remuneration in excess of Rs.2,00,000 per month or Rs.24,00,000/- per annum.

DIRECTORS RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

As required under section 217 (2AA) of the Companies Act, 1956 the directors hereby confirm that:

- 1. In the preparation of the accounts for the year-ended 31.03.2007 the applicable accounting standards had been followed along with proper explanation relating to material departures.
- The directors had such accounting policies and applied them consistently and made judgements
 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 year ended 31.03.2007 and of the loss of the company for
 that period.
- The directors had taken proper and sufficient care for maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 1956 for safeguarding of assets of the company and for preventing and detecting fraud and other irregularities.
- 4. The directors had prepared the annual accounts on a going concern basis.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

Your Company is committed to include appropriate standards for Corporate Governance as per the guidelines recommended by Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) Adequate steps have been taken to ensure that all mandatory provisions of Clause 49 of the Listing Agreement are duly complied and forms part of the Annexure to Annual Report.

The Report on Corporate Governance is presented separately after the appendix to the Directors Report relating to conservation of energy and others.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Your Company and its Directors wish to sincerely thank various departments of the Central and state Governments for their excellent support and Co-operation. Your Directors are also grateful to SIPCOT, Canara Bank and other Institutions for all assistance rendered to the company.

Your Directors thank the Shareholders for their continued support and co-operation.

By order of the Board,

Place: Chennai – 4 Date: 30.08.2007 SYED MEERAN
Director

M.S. SETHURAMAN

Director

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REPORT ON CORPORATE GOVERNACE

Kamar Management is adhering to corporate Governance with focus on shareholders, consumers and employee.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The present strength of the Board is three. Shri Syed Meeran is in charge of affairs of the Company and Shri M S Sethuraman and Shri M J Saifudeen are other Directors.

The Directors do not have any pecuniary relationships or transactions with Company.

Five Board Meetings were held during the year 2006-2007. The dates on which the meetings were held are 02.05.06, 01.08.06, 31.10.06, 31.01.07 & 30.04.07

The information as required under Annexure 1 to Clause 49 of the Listing Agreement is made available to the Board. The agenda and the papers for consideration at the Board Meeting are circulated sufficiently in advance of the meeting to enable the Directors to have proper study and enable them to deliberate on the matters referred.

Attendance of each Directors at the Board Meeting and last Annual General Meeting (AGM)

Name	Category	No.of Board Meetings Attended	Last AGM Attended
Shri Syed Meeran	Director	5	Yes
Shri M S Sethuraman	Director	5	Yes
Shri M J Saifudeen	Director	5	Yes

CODE OF CONDUCT

Pursuant to requirement SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations 1992 as amended, the Company has adopted a code of conduct duly approved by the Board.

REMUNERATION TO DIRECTORS

As the Company is making loss no remuneration is paid to Directors.

AUDIT COMMITTEE

The Audit Committee was constituted by the Board on 1st April 2002 and comprises of the following and two of them are Independent Directors.

- Shri M S Sethuraman
- 2. Shri M J Saifudeen
- Shri Syed Meeran

The terms of reference of the committee covers broad spectrum of matters specified for Audit Committee under Clause 49 of the Listing Agreement as well as under Section 292A of the Companies Act, 1956 and broadly stated as follows: -

- 1. Review the results, announcement and the report and accounts/review at the end of a quarter, half year and the full year before submission to the Board, focusing particularly on:
 - a) any changes in accounting policies and practices.
 - b) major judgemental areas.
 - c) significant adjustments resulting from the audit.
 - d) the going concern assumption.
 - e) compliance with accepted accounting standards.
 - f) compliance with Stock Exchanges and legal requirements.

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- 2. Consider the appointment of the Statutory Auditors, Internal and Tax Auditors and fixation of the audit fees and any other matters of resignation or dismissal and approval for payment for any other services.
- Discuss about the statutory auditors scope and vis-à-vis internal audit scope of work Meetings and attendance during the year.
- 4. Review statutory auditors audit reports and presentations and managements response thereto.
- 5. Investigate any specific matters referred by the Board.
- Review internal audit programme and ensure co-ordination between the internal and statutory auditors and examine the adequacy of internal control commensurate with the size of the organization.
- 7. Any related party relationships (As per Clause 49)

There were 4 meetings of Audit committees during the year and were attended by all members of the committee. The dates on which the meetings were held are 31.07.06, 30.10.06, 30.01.07 and 28.04.07. No remuneration was paid to the committee members as the Company is incurring losses.

SHAREHOLDERS/INVESTORS GRIEVANCE COMMITTEES

As per the Clause 49 of the Listing Agreement the Company has Shareholders/Investors Grievance Committee with two Directors Viz.

Shri M S Sethuraman

Shri M J Saifudeen

Shri M S Sethuraman was appointed as Director for Shareholders Grievance Committee from 01.10.2003.

The committee functions under the chairmanship of Shri M J Saifudeen. During the year Meetings were held. The dates on which the meetings were held are 15.05.06, 25.08.06, 06.11.06, 01.12.06, 05.12.06 and 01.02.07 and were attended by all the members of the committee. No Remuneration is paid to Directors as the Company is incurring losses.

Share Transfer System And Shareholders Complaints.

The Company has been carrying out the functions of the Share Transfer Committee and all the Share Transfer applications and complaints, if any, received are disposed off within 10 days. The Committee meets periodically for approving share transfers and other related activities and looks into shareholders and investors complaints and grievances. During the financial year 2006-2007, the Company has not received any Shareholders complaints either from SEBI or Stock Exchanges/Dept. of Company Affairs.

There are no pending share transfers as on date.

Transfer Of Shares In Physical And Electronic Mode.

In view of the specific guidelines issued by Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) vide his Circular No.D&CC/FITIC/CIR 15/2002 dated 27.12.2002 the work of share transfers and related functions have been entrusted to SEBI approved R&D Agent namely M/s.Cameo Corporate Services, Chennai.

As on 31.03.2007 a total of 1296759 Shares of the Company, which constitutes 32.18% of the share capital of the Company, stand dematerialized and shareholders are holding shares in the dematerialized form.

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DISCLOSURES

There are no materially significant related party transactions with is considered to have potential conflict with the interests of the Company at large.

There has been no non compliance, penalties or strictures imposed on the Company by the Stock Exchanges, SEBI or any other statutory authority on matter relating to capital market during the last three years.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETINGS

Details of the last three Annual General Meetings are as follows: -

AGM for the Year ended	Date	Time	Venue of AGM
31.03.2006	27.09.2006	2.45 P.M.	Narada Gana Sabha Trust (Mini Hall) 314 T T K Road . Chennai – 600 018
31.03.2005	29.09.2005	2.45 P.M.	- do -
31.03.2004	29.09.2004	2.45 P.M.	- do -

QUATERLY RESULTS

The quarterly results (Unaudited financial results) are published in News Today and Malai Chudhar. These results are not sent individually to the shareholders

GENERAL SHAREHOLDERS INFORMATION

AGM: Date, Time and Venue

28.09.2007 at 2.45 P.M

Narada Gana Sabha Trust (Mini Hall)

314 (Old No.254) T T K Road

Chennai - 600 018

Financial Calendar

April to March

Date of Book Closure

21.09.2007 to 28.09.2007 (Both days Inclusive)

Dividend

Nil

Listing on Stock Exchanges

Madras Stock Exchange Limited

Post Box No.183.

11 Second Line Beach Chennai – 600 001

The Stock Exchange - Ahmedabad

Kamadhenu Complex Opp. Sahajanand College

Panjarapole

Ahmedabad - 380 015

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