

# ANNUAL REPORT 2009-10







#### LANDMARK PROPERTY DEVELOPMENT COMPANY LIMITED

(Formerly Konark Minerals Limited)

DIRECTORS Shri D N Davar

Chairman & Director

Shri Gaurav Dalmia

Vice Chairman, Managing Director & CEO

Shri Mayadhar Mishra Shri G P Gupta Shri B K Goswami Shri V K Chopra

BANKERS Axis Bank Ltd.

Statesman House Barakhamba Road New Delhi 110001

CORPORATE OFFICE 11th Floor, Narain Manzil

23, Barakhamba Road New Delhi - 110 001

REGISTRAR AND M/s. C.B. Management Services Pvt. Limited

SHARE TRANSFER AGENT P-22, Bondel Road, Kolkata-700019

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AUDITORS V. Sankar Aiyar & Co.

Chartered Accountants



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Registered Office: 11th Floor, Narain Manzil, 23, Barakhamba Road New Delhi-110001

#### NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that 34th Annual General Meeting of the Members of the Company will be held a Wednesday,11th August 2010, at 4.00 P.M. at Pearey Lal Bhawan, 2, Bhadhur Shah Zafar Mar New Delhi -1100 02 to transact the following business

#### **ORDINARY BUSINESS**

- To consider and adopt the Audited Balance Sheet as at 31st March, 2010 and the Profit & Loss Account f
  the year ended on that date together with the Reports of the Directors' and the Auditors' thereon.
- To appoint a Director in place of Shri B.K. Goswami who retires by rotation and being eligible offers himse for re-appointment.
- 3. To appoint a Director in place of Shri V.K. Chopra who retires by rotation and does not offer himself for r appointment.
- 4. To appoint M/s V.Sankar Aiyar & Co., Chartered Accountants, New Delhi, as the Statutory Auditors of the Company who shall hold office from the conclusion of this Annual General Meeting until the conclusion the next Annual General Meeting of the Company on a remuneration to be fixed by the Board of Directo of the Company in addition to reimbursement of all out-of-pocket expenses in connection with the audit the accounts of the Company.

By order of the Board of Directo S.K.Chaw Company Secreta

Place: New Delhi Date: 07.07.2010

#### Notes:

- 1. A MEMBER ENTITLED TO ATTEND AND VOTE AT THE MEETING IS ENTITLED TO APPOINT A PROX TO ATTEND AND VOTE ON A POLL ON HIS BEHALF AND SUCH PROXY NEED NOT BE A MEMBE OF COMPANY. A PROXY MAY BE SENT IN THE FORM ENCLOSED AND IN ORDER TO BE EFFECTIV MUST REACH THE REGISTERED OFFICE OF COMPANY AT LEAST 48 HOURS BEFORE TH COMMENCEMENT OF MEETING.
- Corporate Members intending to send their authorized representatives to attend the Meeting are requeste
  to send a certified copy of the Board Resolution authorizing their representative to attend and vote on the
  behalf at the Meeting.
- The Register of Members and the Share Transfer Books of the Company will remain closed from 04.08.201 to 11.08.2010 (both days inclusive)



- 4. The nomination facility is available to the Shareholders in respect of equity shares held by them. Shareholders holding shares in electronic mode, may obtain and submit duly filled Nomination Forms to their respective Depository Participants. Also shareholders holding shares in physical mode may send their request for nomination at the Office of the Share Transfer Agents of the Company, C B Management Services (P) Limited, P-22,Bondel Road, Kolkata 700 019
- 5. Members holding shares in the electronic mode are requested to intimate the change in their address, bank details etc. to their respective Depository Participants( DPs) and those holding shares in physical mode are requested to intimate the above details to the Share Transfer Agents of the Company, C B Management Services (P) Ltd, quoting their Folio Number(s).
- 6. Members desirous of obtaining any information concerning the accounts and operations of the Company are requested to address their questions to the Company Secretary so as to reach the Corporate Office of the Company, at least 10 days before the Meeting, to enable the information required to be made available at the Meeting, to the best extent possible.
- 7. The equity shares of the Company are available for trading in demat form both on National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) and Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL). Shareholders are requested to avail this facility and get their shareholding converted into dematerialized form by sending the Dematerialization Request Form (DRF) along with the share certificates through their Depository Participant to the Registrar and Transfer Agents of the Company.
- As per the requirement of Clause No.49 of the Listing Agreement on Corporate Governance particulars of the Director who is eligible and offers himself for re-appointment, are given below: Shri B.K. Goswami

Shri Basant Kumar Goswami Shri Basant Kumar Goswami, aged 75 years, an eminent professional, formerly Chairman of Ajeevika, an NGO and IAS (Retd), presently on the Board of number of reputed companies has vast, varied and wide experience. He is also a Director on the Board of few reputed non-governmental (social) organizations. He is Director in Jai Prakash Associates Ltd., Taj Kerala & Resorts Ltd., Quest Venture Co-ordinators Pvt. Ltd, Global Trust Capital Financé Ltd. Mata Securities Pvt. Ltd., New Kennilworth Hotels Ltd., L.H. Sugar Factories Ltd., J P Infratech Ltd., Nectar Life Sciences Ltd., Parsvnath Hotels Ltd., Parsvnath SEZ Ltd., Landmark Property Development company Ltd., Blue Coast Hotels Ltd., Conservation Corporation of India Ltd., B & A Ltd., Naturich Labs Pvt. Ltd., Seven Senses Ltd.and Jaypee Development Corporation Ltd.

His Membership of the Committees of the Board is as follows:

Name of the Corporate	Nature of the Committee	Designation		
		Chairman	Member	
Blue Coast Hotels Ltd.	Audit Committee	Chairman		
Blue Coast Hotels Ltd.	Shareholder's Grievance Committee		Member	
Jai Prakash Associates Ltd.	Audit Committee		Member	
Landmark Property Development Company Ltd	Audit Committee	Chairman		
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Parsynath SEZ Ltd	Audit Committee		Member	
J P Infratech Ltd	Audit Committee	T	Member	

He holds 1749 Equity Shares in the Company.



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#### **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

TO

THE MEMBERS

The Directors present their Thirty Fourth Annual Report for the Accounting Year ended the 31st March, 2010 together with the Statement of Accounts for that year.

#### FINANCIAL RESULTS

Particulars	Year ended	Year ended	
	31.03.2010	31.03.2009	
Profit/(Loss) Before Tax	74,37,502	2,22,19, 829	
Provision for Taxation			
Current	23,33,000	75,23,000	
Deferred Tax (Net Asset)	(7,300)	20,500	
Fringe Benefit Tax		1,60,000	
Income Tax / FBT earlier year	4,724		
Excess Provision Written back		(2,80,906)	
Profit after Tax	51,07,078	1,47,97,235	
Add : Surplus brought forward from previous year	5,81,50,042	4,33,52,807	
Surplus carried to Balance Sheet	6,32,57,120	5,81,50,042	

#### **ACTIVITIES**

Your Company is engaged in the business of real estate development, advisory and consultancy services. Your Company started providing advisory services to overseas investors since last year. The Company received Rs. 2,87,02,915/- as income from advisory services in the current year as against Rs. 2,18,45,037/- in the previous year. However, the real estate business with associated staff having been shifted to the Company during the year for fuller focus did add to the cost not accompanied by desired growth, resulted in lower profit before tax. The picture hopefully might witness some wholesome change in the current year.

#### DIVIDEND

In order to conserve resources, your Directors do not recommend payment of any dividend.

#### **FUTURE OUTLOOK**

The company is expecting a tumaround in the real estate sector in foreseeable future. Accordingly, the Company expects to perform better in the period ahead by building regular revenue streams.

#### **DIRECTORS**

Shri B.K. Goswami and Shri V.K.Chopra, Directors of the Company retire by rotation at the ensuing 34th Annual General Meeting.

Shri B.K. Goswami , the retiring Director, being eligible for re-appointment, has consented for the same. The Board recommends his re- appointment.



A brief resume of Shri B.K. Goswami ,nature of his expertise, names of the Companies in which he holds Directorship and Memberships of the Committees of the Board , his shareholding are provided in the Notice convening the 34th Annual General Meeting.

Shri V.K. Chopra, however, does not seek re-appointment at the ensuing 34th Annual General Meeting.

#### LISITING OF EQUITY SHARES OF THE COMPANY

The 13,41,43,160 Equity Share of Re. 1/- each of the Company continue to be listed on the Bombay Stock Exchange Limited and the National Stock Exchange Limited with effect from August 12, 2008

#### **AUDITORS**

Your Company's present Statutory Auditors, M/s V.Sankar Aiyar & Co., Chartered Accountants, retire at the conclusion of forthcoming 34<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting and your Directors, accordingly, recommend their re-appointment as the Statutory Auditors of the Company for the financial year 2010-11. The Company has received from them a certificate to the effect that their re-appointment, if made, would be in conformity with the limits prescribed under Section 224 (1B) of the Companies Act, 1956.

#### **AUDITOR'S REPORT**

The Notes on Accounts appearing in Schedule 16 and referred to in the Auditors Report are self explanatory and therefore, do not call for any comment or explanation from the Board.

### PARTICULARS REGARDING CONSERVATION OF ENERGY, RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT, TECHNOLOGY ABSORPTION, FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNINGS & OUTGO

Particulars required to be disclosed in terms of Companies (Disclosure of Particulars in the report of Board of Directors) Rules, 1988 are not applicable to the Company. Foreign Exchange Earned: Advisory Services: Rs. 287.03 lakh and Foreign Exchange Outgo: Travelling – Rs. 0.42 lakh.

#### PARTICULARS OF EMPLOYEES

The Statement giving particulars of the employee who was in receipt of remuneration in excess of the limits prescribed under Section 217(2A) of the Companies Act, 1956 read with rules and regulations made thereunder, is given in Annexure - I. However in terms of Section 219 (1) (b) (iv) of the Companies Act, 1956, the Report and the Accounts are being sent to the shareholders excluding the aforesald annexure. Any shareholder interested in obtaining the copy of the same may write to the Company Secretary at the Registered Office.

#### DIRECTORS RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

In terms of the provisions of Section 217 (2AA) of the Companies Act, 1956 the Board of Directors of your Company confirm:

- that in the preparation of the annual accounts, the applicable Accounting Standards have been followed and there has been no material departure;
- ii. that the selected accounting policies were applied consistently and the directors 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 as at the 31st March 2010 and of the profits of the Company for the year ended on that date.



- iii. that proper and sufficient care has been taken for the maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 1956 for safeguarding the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting fraud and other irregularities.
- iv. that the annual accounts have been prepared on a going concern basis.

#### **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE**

As per Clause No. 49 of the Listing Agreement, a Report on Corporate Governance is attached as Annexure – II, which forms part of this Report.

#### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

Your Directors wish to thank and express their gratitude for the support received from the Banks, Government Authorities, Institutions and Members.

Your Directors also wish to place on record their deep sense of appreciation for the committed services of the executives and staff of the Company.

For and on behalf of the Board (D.N. Davar)
Chairman

Place: New Delhi Dated: May 5, 2010



## ANNEXURE - II TO THE DIRECTORS' REPORT CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

#### I. PHILOSOPHY ON CODE OF GOVERNANCE

The Company firmly believes in and continues to adopt practices relative to Good Corporate Governance. Corporate Governance seeks to raise the standards of Corporate Management, strengthens the systems, significantly increase effectiveness and ultimately serve the objective of maximizing the shareholders value. The philosophy of the Company is in consonance with the accepted principles of Good Governance.

#### II. BOARD OF DIRECTORS

A) <u>Composition of Board of Directors</u> - The Company has a well knit Board with a majority of non-executive and independent Directors. The number of non - executive and independent Directors on the Board is in excess of the number stipulated in Clause 49 to the Listing Agreement.

S No	Name of the Director	Designation	Category of Director	No. of shares held (Equity Shares)	No. of Board Meetings Attended	No. of other Director ships	Total No. of Committees #	
							Member ships	Chairmanshi ps
1,	Shri D N Davar	Chairman	Non Executive and Independent	Nil	4	- 13	4	5
2.	Shri Gaurav Dalmia	Executive Vice Chairman, Managing Director & CEO	Promoter, Executive and Non Independent	174,999	4	4	3	<b>Ni</b> i
3.	Shri Mayadhar Mishra	Director	Non Executive and Non Independent	17,499	Nii	Nii	Nil	Nil
4.	Shri G P Gupta	Director	Non Executive and Independent	NII	3	10	4	4
5.	Shri B K Goswami	Director	Non Executive and Independent	1,749	4	15	4	3
6.	Shri V.K. Chopra	Director	Non Executive and independent	NIII	4	12	6	2

#### **Notes**

- Four Board meetings were held during the Financial Year 2009-10 on 08.05.2009, 31.07.2009, 26.10.2009 and 22.01.2010.
- The Non Executive Chairman has not sought an office at the Company's expense.
- c) # The number of Chairmanship / Membership of the Committees reported above includes the Chairmanship / Membership of the Committees of the Company.
- d) The 33rd Annual General Meeting was held on July 31, 2009 and was attended by D.N. Davar, Chairman of the Board of Directors, Shri Gaurav Dalmia Vice Chairman, Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer, Shri G.P. Gupta, Shri B.K. Goswami, Shri V.K.Chopra, and Shri S.K. Chawla, Company Secretary.
- B) <u>Board procedure</u> The time gap between any two meetings of the Board of Directors is not more than four months. The details about financial position, legal compliance, quarterly results, share transfer details and