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2022-2023

Linaks Microelectronics Limited

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LINAKS MICROELECTRONICS LTD. (CIN: L32101UP1986PLC007841)

Regd. Office:

12.6 Km. Barabanki Road, Chinhat,

Lucknow-227 105.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Mr. Anil K Singh (DIN:00225518)

Mrs. Meena Singh (DIN: 02775239)

Mr. Ram Chandra Gaur (DIN: 02317264)

Mr. Jai Ram Singh (DIN: 08356669)

Mr. Jay Kumar (DIN: 09030964)

Independent Director (Resigned) (w.e.f. 13.08.2022)

-Managing Director

Independent Director

Independent Director

- Director

AUDITORS

S.R. Gupta & Co. (Chartered Accountants)

Secretarial Auditors
Divya Matah & Associates
(Practicing Company Secretaries)

Company Secretary

Ms. Priya Gupta

Chief Financial Officer

Mr. Girish Chandra Jha

BANKERS

Bank of Baroda

SHARE HOLDERS' INFORMATION

SHARE TRANSFER ARRANGEMENT AND

DEMATERIALISATION STATUS OF SHARES

The Company appointed M/s Beetal Financial & Computer Services Pvt. Ltd. as RTA for Physical and Dematerialised shares of the Company. The shares of the Company are compulsorily traded in Dematerialised form w.e.f. 28.09.2000 under ISIN-INE028C01027 with NSDL & CDSL. The addresses of NSDL, CDSL & Beetal are given below:

1. National Securities Depository Ltd.

Trade World, 4th Floor, Kamala Mills Compound, Senapati Bapat Marg,

Lower Parel, Mumbai-400 013.

2. Central Depository Services (India) Ltd.

Marathon Futurex, A-Wing, 25th Floor,

N.M. Joshi Marg, Lower Parel,

Mumbai - 400013

3. Beetal Financial & Computer Services (P) Ltd.

Beetal House, 3rd Floor, 99 Madangir,

Nr. Dada Harsukhadas Mandir,

New Delhi-110 062.

STOCK EXCHANGE (WHERE COMPANY'S SHARES ARE

LISTED)

The Stock Exchange Mumbai

Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers,

Dalal Street, Fort, Mumbai-400 023.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING NOTICE 2023

Notice is hereby given that the 38thAnnual General Meeting of M/S LINAKS MICROELECTRONICS LIMITED will be held at the registered office of the Company at 12.6 km. Barabanki Road, Chinhat, Lucknow on Tuesday, the 29th September, 2023 at 11:30 AM to transact the following business:

ORDINARY BUSINESSES:

- To consider and adopt the Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the year ended 31st March, 2023 together with the Reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon and, to consider and pass, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:
 - "RESOLVED THAT the audited Balance Sheet, Statement of Profit & Loss and Cash Flow Statement along with the notes forming part of the audited financial statements for the financial year ended 31st March, 2023 along with the Auditors' Report and the Directors' Report thereon for the financial year ended 31st March, 2023, be and are hereby received, considered and adopted."
- To appoint a director in place of Mrs. Meena Singh, who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers herself for re-appointment and, to consider and pass, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:
 - "RESOLVED THAT, Mrs Meena Singh (DIN 002775239) who retires by rotation under Section 152 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 (hereinafter referred as 'the Act') and the Rules made thereunder read with the Articles of Association of the Company, at the conclusion of 38th Annual General Meeting of the members of the Company, and being eligible, has offered herself for reappointment, be and is hereby re-appointed as a Director on the Board of the Company, whose period of office shall be liable to retire by rotation."
- To ratify the appointment of M/s S.R. Gupta & Co. (Firm Registration No. 001939C), Chartered Accountants, Kanpur, as statutory auditors for the remaining term and, to consider and pass, 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 read with the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof, for the time being in force), the members of the company do hereby ratify the appointment of M/s S.R. Gupta & Co. (Firm Registration No. 001939C), Chartered Accountants, Kanpur, as the Statutory Auditors of the Company for remaining term, from the conclusion of 38thAnnual general meeting of the Company iill the conclusion of 39thAnnual general meeting of the Company, on such remuneration plus Goods and Service Tax, out-of-pocket, travelling and living expenses, etc., as may be mutually agreed between the Board of Directors of the Company and the said Auditors.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company (including its Committee thereof), be and is hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be considered necessary, desirable or expedient to give effect to this Resolution."

By order of the Board For Linaks Microelectronics Limited

> Priya Gupta Company Secretary

Place: Lucknow Dated: 12.08.2023 LINAKS MICROELECTRONICS LIMITED

Notes:

- A member entitled to attend and vote at the above meeting may appoint one or more proxies to attend and vote instead of himself. The proxy need not be member of the company. Proxy to be valid shall be deposited with company not later than 48 hours before the time for holding the meeting.
- 2. A person can act as proxy on behalf of members not exceeding fifty and holding in aggregate not more than ten percent of the total share capital of the Company carrying voting rights. A member holding more than ten percent of the total share capital of the Company carrying voting rights may appoint a single person as proxy and such person shall not act as proxy for any other person or shareholder. As per the Listing Agreement with stock Exchange, the brief resume, functional expertise of the directors proposed for reappointment is annexed as Appendix-A.
- The register of Members and share transfer books of the Company will remain closed from 23rd September, 2023 to 29th September, 2023 (both days inclusive).
- Shareholders are requested to intimate to the Company or to the Share Transfer Agent of the Company, M/s. Beetal Financial and Computer Services Pvt. Ltd., change if any, in their registered addresses and also to provide their mailing address for quick response.
- Members are requested to bring their copies of the Report and Accounts to the meeting.
- Members who require any information about the accounts to be explained in the meeting are requested to inform the Company about the intended query at least seven days in advance of the meeting.
- The copy of annual report, notice of general meeting, notice of e-voting, etc. are being sent to the members through e-mail who have registered their email IDs with their depository participant (DPs) / Company's Registrar and Transfer Agent (RTA).
- Members are requested to update their preferred e-mail ids with the Company / DPs / RTA, which will be used for the purpose of future communications.
- Annual Report will also be available on the website of the Company at www.linaks.in.
- Members are requested to opt for electronic mode of communication and support the Green initiatives of the Government.
- 11. Pursuant to Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013, the Company provides e-voting facility to the members to exercise their voting right. The process and manner of voting containing detailed instructions is given below:

THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR REMOTE E-VOTING ARE AS INDER:

The remote e-voting period begins on 26.09.2023 at 09:00 A.M. and ends on 28.09.2023 at 05:00 P.M. The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter. The Members, whose names appear in the Register of Members / Beneficial Owners as on the record date (cut-off date) i.e. 22.09.2023, may cast their vote electronically. The voting right of shareholders shall be in proportion to their share in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date, being 22.09.2023.

<u>How do I vote electronically using NSDL e-Voting system?</u> The way to vote electronically on NSDL e-Voting system consists of "Two

The way to vote electronically on NSDL e-Voting system consists of "Two Steps" which are mentioned below:

Step 1: Access to NSDL e-Voting system

A) Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode

In terms of SEBI circular 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.



Login method for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode is given below:

Type of shareholders

Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL.

Login Method

- Existing IDeAS user can visit the e-Services website of NSDL Viz. https:// eservices.nsdl.com either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. On the e-Services home page click on the "Beneficial Owner" icon under "Login" which is available under 'IDeAS' section , this will prompt you to enter your existing User ID and Password. After successful authentication, you will be able to see e-Voting services under Value added services. Click on "Access to e-Voting" under e-Voting services and you will be able to see e-Voting page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL and you will be re-directed to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting
- If you are not registered for IDeAS e-Services, option to register is available at https://eservices.nsdl.com. "Register Online for IDeAS Portal" or click at https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/ IdeasDirectReg.jsp
- Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/ either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder/Member' section. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID (i.e. your sixteen digit demat account number hold with NSDL), Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen. After successful authentication, you will be redirected to NSDL Depository site wherein you can see e-Voting page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.
- Shareholders/Members can also download NSDL Mobile App "NSDL Speede" facility by scanning the QR code mentioned below for seamless voting experience.

NSDL Mobile App is available on









Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL

- Users who have opted for CDSL Easi / Easiest facility, can login through their existing user id and password. Option will be made available to reach e-Voting page without any further authentication. The users to login Easi /Easiest are requested to visit CDSL website www.cdslindia.com and click on login icon & New System Myeasi Tab and then user your existing my easi username &
- After successful login the Easi / Easiest user will be able to see the e-Voting option for eligible companies where the evoting is in

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progress as per the information provided by company. On clicking the evoting option, the user will be able to see e-Voting page of the e-Voting service provider for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting. Additionally, there is also links provided to access the system of all e-Voting Service Providers, so that the user can visit the e-Voting service providers' website directly.

- If the user is not registered for Easi/Easiest, option to register is available at CDSL website www.cdslindia.com and click on login & New System Myeasi Tab and then click on registration option.
- Alternatively, the user can directly access e-Voting page by providing Demat Account Number and PAN No. from a e-Voting link available on www.cdslindia.com home page. The system will authenticate the user by sending OTP on registered Mobile & Email as recorded in the Demat Account. After successful authentication, user will be able to see the e-Voting option where the evoting is in progress and also able to directly access the system of all e-Voting Service Providers.

Individual Shareholders (holding securities in demat mode) login through their depository participants

You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your Depository Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for e-Voting facility, upon logging in, you will be able to see e-Voting option. Click on e-Voting option, you will be redirected to NSDL/CDSL Depository site after successful authentication, wherein you can see e-Voting feature. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.

Important note: Members who are unable to retrieve User ID/ Password are advised to use Forget User ID and Forget Password option available at above

Helpdesk for Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode for any technical issues related to login through Depository i.e. NSDL and CDSL.

Login type

Individual Shareholders holding Members facing any technical issue in

Helpdesk details

securities in demat mode with NSDL login can contact NSDL helpdesk by sending a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in or call at toll free no .: 022-4886 7000 and 022-2499 7000

securities in demat mode with CDSL

Individual Shareholders holding Members facing any technical issue in login can contact CDSL helpdesk by sending а request helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or contact at 022- 1800 225533

B) Login Method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for shareholders other than Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode and shareholders holding securities in physical mode.

How to Log-in to NSDL e-Voting website?

- Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/ either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile.
- Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder/Member' section
- A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID, your Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen. Alternatively, if you are registered for NSDL eservices i.e. IDEAS, you can log-in at https://eservices.nsdl.com/ with your existing IDEAS login. Once you log-in to NSDL eservices after using your log-in credentials, click on e-Voting and you can proceed to Step 2 i.e. Cast your vote electronically



Your User ID details are given below:

| Manner of holding shares i.e. Demat (NSDL or CDSL) or Physical | Your User ID is: |
|---|--|
| a) For Members who hold shares in demat account with NSDL. | 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client ID For example if your DP ID is IN300*** and Client ID is 12****** then your user ID is IN300***12****** |
| b) For Members who hold shares in demat account with CDSL. | 16 Digit Beneficiary ID For example if your Beneficiary ID is 12*********** then your user ID is 12************ |
| c) For Members holding shares in Physical Form. | EVEN Number followed by Folio Number registered with the company For example if folio number is 001*** and EVEN is 101456 then user ID is 101456001*** |

- Password details for shareholders other than Individual shareholders
- If you are already registered for e-Voting, then you can user your existing password to login and cast your vote.
- If you are using NSDL e-Voting system for the first time, you will need to retrieve the 'initial password' which was communicated to you. Once you retrieve your 'initial password', you need to enter the 'initial password' and the system will force you to change your password.
- How to retrieve your 'initial password'?
- If your email ID is registered in your demat account or with the company, your 'initial password' is communicated to you on your email ID. Trace the email sent to you from NSDL from your mailbox. Open the email and open the attachment i.e. a .pdf file. Open the .pdf file. The password to open the .pdf file is your 8 digit client ID for NSDL account, last 8 digits of client ID for CDSL account or folio number for shares held in physical form. The .pdf file contains your 'User ID' and your 'initial password'.
- If your email ID is not registered, please follow steps mentioned below in process for those shareholders whose email ids are not registered.
- If you are unable to retrieve or have not received the "Initial password" or have forgotten your password:
- Click on "Forgot User Details/Password?" (If you are holding shares in your demat account with NSDL or CDSL) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
- Physical User Reset Password?" (If you are holding shares in physical mode) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
- If you are still unable to get the password by aforesaid two options, you can send a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in mentioning your demat account number/folio number, your PAN, your name and your registered address
- Members can also use the OTP (One Time Password) based login for casting the votes on the e-Voting system of NSDL.
- After entering your password, tick on Agree to "Terms and Conditions" by selecting on the check box.
- Now, you will have to click on "Login" button.
- After you click on the "Login" button, Home page of e-Voting will open.

Step 2: Cast your vote electronically and join General Meeting on NSDL e-Voting system.

How to cast your vote electronically and join General Meeting on NSDL e-Voting system?

- After successful login at Step 1, you will be able to see all the companies 'EVEN" in which you are holding shares and whose voting cycle and General Meeting is in active status.
- Select "EVEN" of company for which you wish to cast your vote during the remote e-Voting period and casting your vote during the General Meeting. For joining virtual meeting, you need to click on "VC/OAVM" link placed under "Join Meeting".
- Now you are ready for e-Voting as the Voting page opens.
- Cast your vote by selecting appropriate options i.e. assent or dissent, verify/modify the number of shares for which you wish to cast your vote and click on "Submit" and also "Confirm" when prompted
- Upon confirmation, the message "Vote cast successfully" will be
- You can also take the printout of the votes cast by you by clicking on the print option on the confirmation page.

 Once you confirm your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to

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General Guidelines for shareholders

- 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. with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory(ies) who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer by e-mail to divya.matah@gmail.com with a copy marked to evoting@nsdl.co.in. Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) can also upload their Board Resolution / Power of Attorney / Authority Letter etc. by clicking on "Upload Board Resolution / Authority
- Letter" displayed under "e-Voting" tab in their login. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential. Login to the e-voting website will be disabled upon five unsuccessful attempts to key in the correct password. In such an event, you will need to go through the "Forgot User Details/Password?" or "Physical User Reset Password?" option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com to reset the
- In case of any queries, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Shareholders and e-voting user manual for Shareholders available at the download section of www.evoting.nsdl.com or call on.: 022 - 4886 7000 and 022 - 2499 7000or send a request at evotina@nsdl.co.in

Process for those shareholders whose email ids are not registered with the depositories for procuring user id and password and registration of e mail ids for e-voting for the resolutions set out in this notice:

- In case shares are held in physical mode please provide Folio No., Name of shareholder, scanned copy of the share certificate (front and back), PAN (self attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) by email to linakspcb@yahoo.com
- In case shares are held in demat mode, please provide DPID-CLID (16 digit DPID + CLID or 16 digit beneficiary ID), Name, client master or copy of Consolidated Account statement, PAN (self attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) to linakspcb@vahoo.com. If you are an Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode, you are requested to refer to the login method explained at step 1 (A) i.e.Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode.
- Alternatively shareholder/members may send a request to evoting@nsdl.co.in for procuring user id and password for e-voting by providing above mentioned documents.
- In terms of SEBI circular 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 required to update their mobile number and email ID correctly in their demat account in order to access e-Voting facility.

THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR e-VOTING ON THE DAY OF THE AGM ARE AS UNDER:-

- The procedure for e-Voting on the day of the AGM is same as the instructions mentioned above for remote e-voting.
 Only those Members/ shareholders, who will be present in the AGM and
- have not casted their vote on the Resolutions through remote e-Voting and are otherwise not barred from doing so, shall be eligible to vote through e-Voting system in the AGM.
- Members who have voted through Remote e-Voting will be eligible to attend the AGM. However, they will not be eligible to vote at the AGM.
- The details of the person who may be contacted for any grievances connected with the facility for e-Voting on the day of the AGM shall be the same person mentioned for Remote e-voting.

Appendix -A

The details of the Directors retire by rotation and seeking re-appointment and being appointed as Independent Director;

| Sr.No. | Name of the Director | Qualification | Directorship of | Committee position held | Professional / | Nos. of shares held |
|--------|------------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|-------------------------|--|---|
| | | | Other Companies | in other companies | expertise | Relationship between directors interse |
| 1. | Mrs. Meena Singh (DIN-02775239) | Graduate | NIL | NIL | Has experience in management and leadership skills for | 1420880 Nos. of Equity Shares |
| | | | | | heading the Company forward. | Related with Mr. Anil Kumar Singh (Managing Director) |

By the Order of the Board For Linaks Microelectronics Ltd

Date: 12.08.2023 Priya Gupta
Place: Lucknow Company Secretary

BOARDS' REPORT

To
The Members,
LINAKS MICROELECTRONICS LIMITED

Your Directors present the Thirty Seventh Boards' Report of the Company together with Audited Financial Statements of your company for the financial year ended 31st March, 2023.

1. FINANCIAL RESULTS

| | (Amount in T | 'housand Rs.) |
|--|-------------------|---------------|
| Financial Results | Year ended | Year ended |
| | 31.03.2023 | 31.03.2022 |
| (a) Turnover (including Other Income |) 1293 | 2663 |
| (b) Net Profit/Loss (before depreciation | on and tax) -1001 | -843 |
| Depreciation | 1359 | 7403 |
| (c) Net Profit/(Loss) before extraordin | ary items -2360 | -8235 |
| Extraordinary items | - | - |
| (d) Net Profit/(Loss) before tax | -2360 | -8235 |
| Provision for Tax (including for deferr | ed tax) 0 | 0 |
| (d) Net Profit/(Loss) after tax | -2360 | -8235 |
| | | |

1. BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE COMPANY'S WORKING DURING THE YEAR

Everything is in limbo on account of the continuing IBC proceedings under CIRP and our appeal disputing the Corporate Guarantee in the NCLAT. As a holding on measure the plant is being run on rental under leave and license arrangement with Green Line Electronics. The rental, though abysmally inadequate, does partly meet the skeletal overhead of Security, Company Secretary, the sole staff, RTA and other Regulatory Overheads. It does fall short of meeting the hefty BSE ALF which is liquidated over a prolonged period of 6 to 8 months in instalments.

Fettered by the IBC provisions our accomplishments fall far short of our intent. But like everything even this should pass.

SUBSIDIARIES, JOINT VENTURES AND ASSOCIATE COMPANIES

The Company does not have any Subsidiary, Joint venture or Associate Company.

2. <u>DIVIDEND & RESERVES</u>

In view of losses during the year under review, no dividend pay-out is being recommended and accordingly no question of appropriation of reserves arise.

3. SHARE CAPITAL

The paid up share capital of the company as at $31^{\rm st}$ March, 2023 remained at Rs. 4,95,35,300. During the period under report, your company has not issued any shares including Sweat Equity, ESOP, Bonus and/or Convertible Debentures.

4. DEPOSITS

The Company has neither accepted nor renewed any deposits during the year under review.

5. PARTICULARS OF LOANS, GUARANTEES OR INVESTMENTS MADE UNDER SECTION 186 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013

There were no loans, guarantees (except Corporate Guarantee given to Syndicate Bank (now Canara Bank) against the loan granted to the construction project Developer M/S Clarion Townships Pvt. Ltd.) or investments made by the Company under Section 186 of the Companies Act, 2013 during the year under review and hence the said provision is not applicable.

6. MATERIAL CHANGES & COMMITMENTS

Except the fall out of case against the Company by NCLT, there has been no material changes and Commitment affecting the financial position of the Company which have occurred between the end of the financial year of the Company to which the financial statements relate and date of the Report.

Z. RISK MANAGEMENT POLICY OF THE COMPANY

The Company does not have any Risk Management Policy as the Company is still in its rehabilitation. However, the Company has introduced several improvements to Integrated Enterprise Risk Management, Internal Controls Management and Assurance Frameworks and processes to drive a common integrated view of risks, optimal risk mitigation responses and efficient management of internal control and assurance activities.

8. HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

At LINAKS, human resource development is considered vital for effective implementation of business plans. Constant endeavours are being made to offer professional growth opportunities and recognition. Your Company treats its "human resources" as one of its most important assets. Your Company continuously invests in attraction, retention and development of talent on an ongoing basis. A number of programs that provide focused people attention are currently underway. Your Company thrust is on the promotion of talent internally through job rotation and job enlargement.

OBLIGATION OF COMPANY UNDER THE SEXUAL HARASSMENT OF WOMEN AT WORKPLACE (PREVENTION, PROHIBITION AND REDRESSAL) ACT. 2013

The Company is an equal opportunity employer and consciously strives to build a work culture that promotes dignity of all employees. As required under the provisions of the Sexual Harassment of Women at the Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013 and Rules framed thereunder, the Company has implemented a policy on Prevention of Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace. An Internal Committee has been set up to receive complaints, investigate the matter and report to the management. At the beginning of the year, there was no complaint pending. During the year, no complaint was received by the Committee and hence no complaint was pending at year end.

10. AUDITORS:

Statutory Auditors

At the 37th Annual General Meeting held on September 27, 2022, the members had appointed M/s S.R. Gupta & Co. (Firm Registration No. **001939C**), Chartered Accountants, Kanpur, as Statutory Auditors for a block period of 05 years beginning from the conclusion of the 37th AGM till the conclusion of the 42th AGM, subject to the ratifying the said appointment at every AGM. The Company had received confirmation



from M/s M/s S.R. Gupta & Co., to the effect that their appointment would be in terms of Section 139 and 141 of the Companies Act, 2013 and rules made thereunder.

The Statutory Auditors have audited the books of accounts of the Company for the Financial Year ended on March 31, 2023 and have issued the Auditors' Report thereon. The Statutory Auditors have not made any adverse comments or given any qualification, reservation or adverse remarks or disclaimer in their Audit Report.

Secretarial Auditors

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 204 of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules 2014, the Company has appointed M/S Divya Matah and Associates, a firm of Company Secretary in Practice to undertake the Secretarial Audit of the Company. The Report of the Secretarial Audit is annexed herewith as 'Annexure A 'to this report.

As required under Regulation 24A of SEBI (LODR) Regulations 2015, M/s. Divya Matah & Associates, Practicing Company Secretaries, Lucknow has reported on the Annual Secretarial Compliances of the Company for the year ended on 31st March, 2023. The report is uploaded to the Stock Exchange. The said report has been provided under 'Annexure-B' of the Directors' Report.

The Secretarial Auditor has not made any adverse comments or given any qualification, reservation or adverse remarks or disclaimer in their Audit Report and Compliance Report.

11. DIRECTORS AND KEY MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL

In accordance with provision of the Companies Act, 2013, Mrs. Meena Singh, Director of the Company, is liable to retire by rotation at the ensuing AGM and is eligible for her reappointment. Necessary resolution for the reappointment of the aforesaid director and the detailed profile has been included in the notice convening the annual general meeting. As reported in the previous report, Mr. Jay Kumar, one of the independent directors resigned from the Directorship of the Company w.e.f. 13.08.2022.

In order to comply with the mandatory requirement of recruiting a Company Secretary and Compliance Officer in a Listed company, the company appointed Ms. Priya Gupta, an Associate Member of The Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ACS No. A55368) as the Company Secretary and Compliance Officer of the Company pursuant to Section 203 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 8 of Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014 w.e.f. June10. 2020.

With respect to mandatory requirement for appointment of Chief Financial Officer in a Listed Company, Mr. Girish Chandra Jha, being a commerce graduate and holding around 32 years of working experience has been appointed as the CFO of the Company w.e.f. April 2, 2019.

12. MANAGERIAL/EMPLOYEES REMUNERATION

- A) Details of the ratio of the remuneration of each director to the median employee's remuneration and other details as required pursuant to Rule 5(1) of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014 cannot be worked out as the process of recruitment of staff has not yet completed. The skeletal staff with which the Company is presently working are mainly on part time basis.
- B) As required pursuant to Rule 5(2) of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014, the Company did not have any employee drawing a remuneration of Rs. 60.00 lacs p.a., if employed throughout the year or Rs.5.00 lacs p.m., if employed for a part of the said year under review. Moreover, there was no employee, employed throughout the financial year or part thereof, was in receipt of remuneration in that year which, in the aggregate, or as the case may be, at a rate which, in the aggregate, is in excess of that drawn by the managing director or whole-time director or manager and holds by himself or along with his spouse and dependent children, not less than two percent of the equity shares of the company.
- C) None of the Managing Director or Whole-time Director of the Company was in receipt of any commission from the Company. Moreover, as the Company did not have any holding or subsidiary Company, the question of receiving commission by them from such Company also does not arise.

13. DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

In accordance with the provisions of Section 134(5) of the Companies Act, 2013 the Board hereby submit its responsibility Statement:

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- (a) in the preparation of the annual accounts, the applicable accounting standards had been followed along with proper explanation relating to material departures;
- (b) the directors had selected such accounting policies and applied them consistently and 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 at the end of the financial year and of the profit and loss of the company for that period;
- (c) the directors had taken proper and sufficient care for the maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of this Act for safeguarding the assets of the company and for preventing and detecting fraud and other irregularities;
- (d) the directors had prepared the annual accounts on a going concern basis;
 and
- (e) the directors had laid down internal financial controls to be followed by the company and that such internal financial controls are adequate and were operating effectively.
- (f) the directors had devised proper systems to ensure compliance with the provisions of all applicable laws and that such systems were adequate and operating effectively.

14. CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY INITIATIVES

In view of losses, the Company has not developed and implemented any Corporate Social Responsibility initiatives as the said provisions are not applicable.

15. EXTRACT OF ANNUAL RETURN (FORM MGT-9)

As per the requirements of Section 92(3) and 134(3)(a) of the Act and Rules made thereunder, the extract of the Annual Return for the F.Y. 2022-23 is given in 'Annexure C' in the prescribed Form MGT-9, which is a part of this report.

16. MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS REPORT AND REPORT OF DIRECTORS ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

Your Company has already implemented the requirement of Regulation 27 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 i.e. Corporate Governance. As required a Management Discussion and Analysis Report and Directors' Report as well as Auditors' Certificate on Corporate Governance are given alongwith this report.

17. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Your Directors wish to place on record their appreciation for the cooperation and support extended by the Shareholders, various authorities, banks, dealers and vendors.

The Directors also acknowledge with gratitude the dedicated efforts and valuable contribution made by all the employees of the Company.

By order of the Board

 Date: 12.08.2023
 (ANIL KUMAR SINGH)
 (J.R. SINGH)

 Place: Lucknow
 Managing Director
 Director

 DIN: 00225518
 DIN: 08356669

DIRECTORS' REPORT ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

Philosophy

Linaks upholds its standing at the forefront of Corporate Governance best practices. Linaks envisages the attainment of the highest levels of transparency, accountability and ethics, in all facets of its operations. It has been committed to the principles of transparency, integrity, accountability and responsibility. The Company takes feedback into account, on its periodic reviews of the guidelines, to ensure their continuing relevance, effectiveness and responsiveness to the needs of its investors. Linaks considers that all its operations and actions must serve the underlying goal of increasing employee and customer satisfaction and enhancing overall Shareholder value.

Board of Directors

The Company has combination of executive and non-executive Directors with non-executive Directors constituting more than 50 per cent of the Board. As per the Listing Agreement, 'Independent' or Non-Executive Directors have been defined as directors who apart from receiving Directors remuneration do not have any other material pecuniary relationship or transactions with

the Company, its promoters, its management or its subsidiaries, which in the judgment of the Board may affect independence of judgment of the Directors. Independent Directors play an important role in deliberations at the Board Meetings and the Company benefits from their expertise in achieving its strategic direction. The Directors bring to the Board a wide range of experience and skills. The Board is constituted as under:

| S.No. | DIRECTORS | DIN | NO.OF DIRECTORSHIP | NO. OF COMMITTEES | CATEGORY OF DIRECTOR |
|-------|----------------------|----------|-----------------------|---------------------------|---|
| 1 | Mr. Anil Kumar Singh | 00225518 | 0 3 Member | | Managing Director |
| 2 | Mrs. Meena Singh | 02775239 | 0 | 1 Chairperson 2 Member | Non Executive Non-Independent Director |
| 3 | Mr. Ram Chandra Gaur | 02317264 | 2 | 2 Member | Independent Director |
| 4 | Mr. Jai Ram Singh | 08356669 | 0 | 3 Chairperson | Independent Director |
| 5 | Mr. Jay Kumar* | 09030964 | 0 | NIL | Independent Director |

^{*} Mr. Jay Kumar resigned from Directorship w.e.f. 13.08.2022.

Only Audit Committee, Investors' Grievance Committee, Nomination and Remuneration Committee and Committee for Prevention of Sexual Harassment of Women at workplace are considered for the purpose of Committee positions as per listing Agreement.

Responsibilities

The Board of Directors represent the interests of the Company's shareholders in optimising long-term value by providing the management with guidance and strategic direction on Shareholder's behalf. The Board's mandate is to oversee the Company's strategic decision, review corporate performance, authorise and monitor strategic investments, ensure regulatory compliance and safeguard interests of Shareholders. Board members ensure that their other responsibilities do not impinge on their responsibility as a Director of Linaks.

Role of Independent Directors

Independent Directors play an important role in deliberations at the board meetings and bring to the company their wide experience in the field of finance, accountancy, law etc. The wide knowledge of both, their field of knowledge and boardroom practices help foster unbiased, independent and experienced prospective.

Appointment of Independent Directors

The Company presently has 2 Independent directors on its Board

Mr. Ram Chandra Gaur, Mr. Jai Ram Singh and Mr. Jay Kumar (resigned w.e.f. 13.08.2022). None of the Independent directors are liable to retire by rotation.

All Independent Directors of the Company, at the time of their first appointment to the Board and thereafter at the first meeting of the Board in every Financial Year, give a declaration that they meet with the criteria of Independence as provided under Section 149 of the Companies Act, 2013 and SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015.

Board Evaluation

Pursuant to the provisions of the Companies Act 2013 and Regulation 17 of the Listing Regulations, the Board has carried out an annual performance evaluation of its Independent Directors and the Independent Directors also evaluated the performance of the Non- Independent Directors. The Board of Directors expressed their satisfaction with the evaluation process. The Board of Directors also evaluated the functioning/ performance of Audit Committee, Stakeholders Relationship Committee, Nomination & Remuneration Committee, CSR Committee and expressed satisfaction with their functioning performance.

Board Meetings

The meetings of the Board are generally held at the Registered office of the company. Meetings are generally scheduled well in advance. The Board meets atleast once a quarter to review the quarterly performance and the financial results of the company.

The Company Secretary, in consultation with the Managing Director prepares the detailed agenda of the Board Meetings. The Board papers are circulated to the directors in advance.

During the financial year 2022-23, the Board of Directors of the Company duly met **Five (5)** times. The intervening gap between the two meetings was within the period as prescribed under the Companies Act, 2013.

The attendance of each director at the Board Meetings and at last AGM is as

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| Directors | No. Of board meetings attended | Attendance At The 36th AGM | |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| Mr. Anil Kumar Singh | 5 | Yes | |
| Mrs. Meena Singh | 5 | Yes | |
| Mr. Ram Chandra Gaur | 4 | No | |
| Mr. Jai Ram Singh | 5 | Yes | |
| Mr. Jay Kumar | 2 | No | |

^{*} Mr. Jay Kumar resigned from Directorship w.e.f. 13.08.2022.

Board Committees

To enable better and more focused attention on the affairs of the Company, the Board delegates particular matters to Committees of the Board set up for the purpose. These Committees prepare the groundwork for decision-making and report at the subsequent Board Meeting.

The Board is assisted by various committees- Audit Committee, Nomination and Remuneration Committee, Stakeholders Relationship Committee AND Committee for Prevention of Sexual Harassment of Women at workplace.

Audit Committee

The Audit Committee is constituted in accordance with the provisions of Regulation 18 of SEBI (LODR) Regulations 2015 and Section 177 of the Companies Act, 2013. The Audit Committee comprises of:

- a. Mr. Ram Chandra Gaur Member (Independent Director)
- b. Mr. Jai Ram Singh Chairperson (Independent Director)
- c. Mr. Anil Kumar Singh Member (Managing Director)

The meetings of the audit committee are scheduled well in advance. The audit committee met 4 times during the year under review on 14.07.2022, 3.08.2022, 14.11.2022 and 14.02.2023. The Committee reviewed the quarterly/annual financial statements before submission to the Board for approval. The Committee reviews the report of the internal auditors and statutory auditors along with the comments and corrective actions taken by the Management. The committee also reviews the Asset-liability management system.

Nomination & Remuneration Committee

The Company's Nomination & Remuneration Committee consists of following Directors namely:

- a) Mr. R.C. Gaur Member (Independent Director)
- b) Mr. Jai Ram Singh Chairperson (Independent director)
- Mr. Meena Singh Member (Non Executive non-independent director)

The salary of the Managing/Whole-time Directors is recommended by the Remuneration Committee and approved by the Board. No remuneration is paid to the Non-Executive Directors. The powers, role and terms of reference of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee covers the areas as contemplated under SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015, Section 178 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rules made there under. The role of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee inter alia, includes formulation of criteria of determining qualifications, positive attributes and independence of a director and recommendation to the Board of the remuneration policy, formulation of criteria for evaluation of the Independent Directors and the Board, devising a policy on Board Diversity, and identification of persons who are qualified to become directors and who may be appointed in senior management in accordance with criteria laid down, and recommend to the Board their appointment and removal. During the year, the Nomination and Remuneration Committee met 1 Time on 14.02.2023.

Remuneration Policy

The Company has, on the recommendation of the Nomination & Remuneration Committee framed and adopted a policy for selection and appointment of Directors, Senior Management and their remuneration. This policy enables to attract and maintain talented and motivated executives so as to encourage enhanced performance of the Company. The remuneration policy envisages a clear relationship between performance and remuneration, including the remuneration paid and overall corporate performance.

Remuneration paid to Directors

Managing/Whole-time Directors of the Company have been appointed on a contractual basis on the approval of the Shareholders. Remuneration package of Executive Directors is determined by the Remuneration Committee of Directors within the permissible limits under the applicable provisions of law and is approved by Shareholders. It comprises salary and other allowances, perquisites as approved by Shareholders. Non-Executive Directors have so



far not been paid any remuneration/commission apart from sitting fees. Details of remuneration to Directors are as follows:

| Director | Relation with | | Remuneration paid during 01.04.2022 - 31.03.2023 | | |
|------------------|-------------------|--------------|---|-----|-------|
| | Linaks | Sitting fees | Salary & Commission | | Total |
| | | | Perquisites | | |
| Mr. Anil K Singh | Managing Director | NIL | NIL | NIL | NIL |

Stakeholders Relationship Committee

The stakeholders relationship committee comprises of:

- a) Mr. Jai Ram Singh Chairperson (Independent Director)
- b) Mr. Anil Kumar Singh Member (Managing Director)
- c) Mrs. Meena Singh Member (Non Executive non-independent director)

The Committee looks into the redressal of shareholders, investors, depositors and Customer complaints. The stakeholders relationship committee met 1 time in the year on 14.02.2023.

Committee for prevention of Sexual Harassment of Women at workplace

The Members of the Committee for prevention of Sexual Harassment of Women at workplace of the Company are:

- a) Mrs. Meena Singh- Chairperson (Non Executive non-independent director)
- b) Mr. A.K. Singh Member (Managing Director)
- c) Mr. J.R. Singh- Member (Independent Director)

The Committee is authorised to strictly implement Company's policy for prevention of Sexual Harassment of Women at workplace and take suitable disciplinary action against erring employee, if any. The committee met 1 time in the year on 14.02.2023. However, no complaint of sexual harassment was received during the year.

Certificate under Regulation 34(3) of SEBI Listing Regulations

The Company has obtained a certificate pursuant to the Regulation 34(3) read with Schedule V of the Listing Regulations, from M/S Divya Matah and Associates, a firm of Company Secretary in practice, confirming that none of the Directors are debarred or disqualified from being appointed or continuing as Directors of the Company either by Securities and Exchange Board of India or the Ministry of Corporate Affairs or any other Statutory Authority. The said certificate forms part of this repot as 'Annexure D'

Shareholding of Directors

The Shareholding details of the directors as at March 31, 2023 are included in Form MGT-9 forming part of the Directors' Report .

Vigil Mechanism/ Whistle Blower Policy

The Company believes to conduct its affairs in a fair and transparent manner by adopting highest standards of professionalism, honesty, integrity and ethical behavior. The Company is committed in developing a culture where it is safe for all the employees to raise concerns about any wrongful conduct.

The Board has approved the vigil mechanism/ Whistle Blower policy of the Company which provides a framework to promote a responsible and secure whistle blowing. The Audit Committee oversees the Vigil Mechanism.

Particulars of Related Party Transactions

There are no material related party transactions which are not in ordinary course of business or which are not on arm's length basis and hence there is no information to be provided as required under Section 134(3)(h) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 8(2) of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014.

Annual General Meetings

Following are details of the Annual General Meetings for the previous three years held.

| S.No. | Particulars of Meeting | Day and Date | Number of SR Passed | Nature of SR |
|---------|--|--|------------------------|--|
| 2021-22 | 37 th Annual General Meeting | Tuesday, 27 th September, 2022 | 1 | None |
| 2020-21 | 36 th Annual General Meeting | Monday, 27 th September, 2021 | 1 | Appointment of Mr. Jay Kumar as Independent Director |
| 2019-20 | 35 th Annual General Meeting | Monday, 30 th November, 2020 | 1 | Appointment of Anil Kumar Singh as Managing Director |

As required by MCA & SEBI, the AGMs of 2020 and 2021 were held through AV/OAVM due to ongoing COVID-19 pandemic. The AGM for 2022 was held at the registered office of the Company at 12.6 kms, Barabanki Road, Chinhut, Lucknow. Moreover, as required the Company made necessary arrangements of e-voting with NSDL on the occasion of the Annual General Meeting.

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Generally, all the resolutions in the AGM are passed through show of hands. None of the Special Resolutions passed at the above Annual General Meetings were required to be put to vote through Postal Ballot.

Market price data

| Month | Open | High | Low | Close | No. of Shares |
|--------|------|------|------|-------|---------------|
| Apr-22 | 1.05 | 1.05 | 1.05 | 1.05 | 12,136 |
| May-22 | 1.05 | 1.10 | 1.05 | 1.10 | 1,425 |
| Jun-22 | 1.15 | 1.15 | 1.10 | 1.15 | 24,525 |
| Aug-22 | 1.15 | 1.15 | 1.15 | 1.15 | 1,410 |
| Sep-22 | 1.15 | 1.19 | 1.15 | 1.19 | 1,077 |
| Oct-22 | 1.19 | 1.19 | 1.19 | 1.19 | 10,914 |
| Nov-22 | 1.24 | 1.24 | 1.24 | 1.24 | 3,920 |
| Dec-22 | 1.24 | 1.30 | 1.24 | 1.30 | 4,000 |
| Jan-23 | 1.30 | 1.30 | 1.19 | 1.19 | 38,001 |
| Feb-23 | 1.19 | 1.20 | 1.19 | 1.20 | 7,993 |
| Mar-23 | 1.14 | 1.14 | 1.14 | 1.14 | 1,000 |

Depository Services

For guidance on Depository services, Shareholders may write to the Registrar and Share Transfer Agent or National Securities Depository Limited, Trade World, 4th Floor, Kamala Mills Compound, Senapati Bapat Marg, Lower Parel, Mumbai-400013, email: info@nsdl.co.in, website: www.nsdl.com or Central Depository Services (India) Limited, Marathon Futurex, A-Wing, 25th Floor, N.M. Joshi Marg, Lower Parel, Mumbai-400013, email: investors@cdslindia.com, website: www.cdslindia.com.

Share Transfer System

As per the directions of SEBI, the Company has appointed M/s Beetal Financial & Computer Services (P) Ltd. as Common Agency for Share transfer, both in physical and demat form w.e.f. 01.04.2003. The Registrar and Share Transfer Agents register share transfers in physical form within 15-20 days of the receipt of the completed documents. Invalid share transfers were returned within 15 days of receipt. All requests for dematerialisation of Shares were processed and confirmations were given to the respective Depositories i.e. National Securities Depository Limited and Central Depository Services (India) Ltd. The company also offers transfer cum Demat facility, simultaneously.

Registrar & Share Transfer Agent

M/s Beetal Financial & Computer Services (P) Ltd.
Beetal House, 3rd Floor, 99, Madangir,
Behind Local Shopping Centre,
Nr. Dada Harsukhdas Mandir,
New Delhi-110 062.

Ph: 011-29961281 E-mail: beetalrta@gmail.com

Distribution Schedule as on March 31, 2023

| Shareholding of nominal value of Re1 /- held | Share | eholders | Total Shares | % to Total Shares |
|--|--------|------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| | Number | % of Total | | |
| 1-5000 | 4809 | 95.03 | 3357876 | 19.3702 |
| 5001-10000 | 105 | 2.09 | 760134 | 4.3849 |
| 10001-50000 | 67 | 1.34 | 1284974 | 7.4125 |
| 50001-100000 | 16 | 0.32 | 1214524 | 7.0060 |
| 100001 & above | 16 | 0.32 | 10717792 | 61.8264 |
| TOTAL | 5013 | 100.00 | 17335300 | 100.00 |

Dematerialisation of Shares & Liquidity

The Company has entered into agreements with National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) & Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL). As at March 31, 2023, 77.259 percent (13393160 Shares) of the Company's total shares were held in dematerialised form while 22.741 percent (3942140 Shares) were held in physical form.

Outstanding GDRs/ADRs/Warrants or any Convertible instruments, conversion



Date impact on Equity N.A.

Address for Correspondence: Linaks Microelectronics Ltd. 12.6 km. Barabanki Road.

Chinhat, Lucknow-227 105. Email: linakspcb@yahoo.com

Nomination Facility

Individual Shareholders of physical shares can nominate any person for the shares held by them. This will save the nominee from going through the lengthy process of getting the shares lateron transmitted to his name. Members are requested to write to the Registrar & Share Transfer Agents to avail the facility.

Phone: 0522-6549493

Means of Communication

The financial results were published in the Hindustan Times in English and Hindustan or Sahara in Hindi, the vernacular newspaper. All material information about the Company is promptly uploaded online to the BSE's designated portalhttp://listing.bseindia.com, the Stock Exchange where the Company's Shares are listed and released for dissemination to the public at

Unclaimed Dividends

The Company has no unclaimed dividend.

Transfer Of Amounts To Investor Education And Protection Fund

Your Company did not have any funds lying unpaid or unclaimed for a period of seven years. Therefore, there were no funds which were required to be transferred to Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF).

Orders Passed By Regulators/Courts/Tribunals

There is no such order passed by the Regulators/Courts/Tribunals in respect to the Company during the financial year. However, on April 22, 2022, the Hon'ble Bench of NCLT has admitted the petition of Syndicate Bank (now Canara Bank) and we await the directions of IRP to steer the future course of

Disclosure

The Company entered into no transaction of material nature with the promoters, Directors, the management or their relatives that could have had a potential conflict with the interest of the Company. The Register of contracts containing the transactions in which the Directors are interested is regularly placed before the Board. There were no pecuniary transactions with the independent/nonexecutive Directors, other than payment for expenses/fee for attending Board Meetinas.

By order of the Board

Date: 12.08.2023

Place: Lucknow (ANIL KUMAR SINGH) (J.R. SINGH) Managing Director Director DIN: 00225518 DIN: 08356669

MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS REPORT

Industry structure & Development

PCB industry consists of a handful of medium sized units and a number of small-scale units which are mostly independent i.e. they are not part of any large conglomerate excepting a couple of units

The units were historically promoted by technocrat entrepreneurs who in the old days received bank finance easily to promote industrial growth. Most of these units were set up in mid 80's and some of them have ceased to operate.

The survivors are those, which from time to time have been investing in technology and capacity. Initially the units were manufacturing simple single sided and double sided PCBs, but now there are units like AT&S who are making PCBs with 24 layers, buried vias, 4 mil line and spaces, etc. In the area of single sided PCBs we have some units that are now manufacturing flexible circuits.

Still on the whole industry is small because the actual demand for PCBs for manufacturing various types of Electronic equipment is still not very large in India. largely due to screw-driver-kit-assembly nature of the Indian equipment

Opportunities & Threats: The industry has a domestic market, which initially was driven by telecommunication, but thanks to the lopsided custom tariff structure telecom manufacturing has shallowed out resulting in steep decline in PCB demand. Although the telecom infrastructure has grown by leaps and bounds but the downstream electronic component demand has not seen any growth since all fresh demand for equipment has been met largely through imports. Thus, now the domestic requirement is dependent on diverse segments like automation, control, instrumentation, metering and automotive. Automotive electronics, though a massive growth engine, can be volatile as it is subject to global business swings in this connected world of automotive

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business with only a handful of players. The gradual easing of custom duties is happening on account of India being a signatory to ITA. But this threat is also an opportunity because it applies to the developed countries too who are still levying duty on Indian imports.

In fact India with a low cost technical manpower enjoys tremendous advantage as an export-manufacturing base and especially to the high cost developed countries of Europe and the US. The industry and moreover Linaks should leverage this advantage. The company is already working towards it as they have a clutch of regular and reliable customers in Europe and they are also in the process of developing new ones in Eastern Europe and Americas.

Risks and Concerns: Apart from ongoing impact of COVID-19 pandemic and fall out of case against the Company by NCLT major risk the industry faces is of over dependence on one market segment and the industry in India, Linaks included has faced this prospect because many a times their fortunes have fluctuated with those of the telecommunication sector. Then there is always the overriding concern of fast technological obsolescence, which entails constant drain on resources at times impeding ones capability to service one's

Overview: On the whole the industry has a lot of promise provided one is able to keep up with the demands of the market place.

Financial performance: The financial performance is directly related to the company's ability to remain competitive.

Resource & Liquidity: Resource position would remain comfortable if the company is able to trade profitably and liquidity is the direct function of the above.

The company has not been able to meet its financial goals because due to extraneous circumstances it went into losses and the rehabilitation package drawn under BIFR has also been buffeted by the uncertainty of the market

Outlook: The outlook is positive as market-wise we do not see any major impediment in re-establishing ourselves. Our initial feelers in the PCB market and also to our old customers has met with encouraging results

Internal Control System: Your Company's management continuously reviews the internal control system and procedures to ensure orderly and efficient conduct of business. Your Company adheres to its written corporate policies with respect to all transactions, financial reporting and budgeting to ensure that all assets are safeguarded and protected against loss from unauthorised use or disposition, and that transactions are authorised, recorded and reported

The Company regularly conducts internal audits either through external or internal resources to monitor the effectiveness of internal control in the organisation.

Audits are finalised and conducted based on internal risk assessment. Significant findings are brought to the notice of the Audit Committee of the Board and corrective measures recommended for implementation. Reports of the internal auditor are also regularly reviewed by the Management and corrective action initiated to strengthen the controls and enhance the effectiveness of the existing systems.

Human Resources: The Company gives full and fair consideration to all employees with regard to their particular aptitudes and abilities. Training, career development and promotion are, as far as practicable, considered for all employees according to their skills and abilities. The Company consistently seeks to recruit, develop and employ throughout the organisation suitably qualified, capable and experienced people, irrespective of race, religion or sex. All decisions relating to employment practices are objective, free from bias and based solely upon work criteria and individual merit.

Our development, performance and rewards system is linked to organisation performance. The Company strives to provide excellent staff welfare measures to promote employee satisfaction and thereby attract and retain efficient manpower. Training needs are regularly identified and imparted with the help of both internal trainers and external professional faculties of repute. We have built team driven organisation where all employees work together to create our future.

Cautionary Statement: The statement made in this Report describing the Company's projections, expectations and estimations may be a forward looking statement within the meaning of applicable securities laws and regulations. These statements are based on certain assumptions and expectations of future events. Actual results may differ from those expressed or implied in this Report due to the influence of external and internal factors, which are beyond the control of the Company.

By order of the Board

Date: 12.08.2023

Place: Lucknow

(ANIL KUMAR SINGH) Managing Director DIN: 00225518

(J.R. SINGH) Director DIN: 08356669