

**LINEAR INDUSTRIES LIMITED**  
**29th Annual Report**  
**and accounts 2015-2016**



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**Board of Directors:**

Mr. Shashank Shah	Din : 0604038	Chairman and Managing Director
Mr. Aditya Shah	Din : 00605956	Director & CFO
Mr. Jaswant Kumar Gupta	Din : 03080846	Independent Director
Mrs. Garjana Rathore	Din : 06588818	Independent Woman Director

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**Auditors:**

M/s. Jain Bafna and Co.  
5, Ganesh Wadi, 4th Floor, Room No. 55, Mumbai - 400 002.  
Tel. : 2240 3848 E-mail : jainandbafna@gmail.com

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**Regd. Office:**

116, Maker Chambers-III, Nariman Point, Mumbai 400 021.  
Tel. : 2204 4701  
E-mail : syntex@vsnl.com  
Website : www.linearindustries.in  
ISIN Code No. : INE808D01012  
CIN : L24300MH1987PLC042352

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**Registrar & Share Transfer Agent**

Sharex Dynamic (India) Pvt. Ltd.  
Unit No. 1, Luthra Industrial Premises, Andheri Kurla Road,  
Andheri (E), Mumbai-400 072.  
Tel. : 2851 5606 / 2851 5644  
Email : sharexindia@vsnl.com

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**Bankers:**

HDFC Bank Ltd.  
Canara Bank

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**Solicitor**

Gandhi & Gandhi

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### NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty Ninth Annual General Meeting of the members of LINEAR INDUSTRIES LIMITED will be held on Saturday, 24th September 2016 at 1.30 P.M. at 116, 11th Floor, Plot-223, Maker Chambers-III, Jamnalal Bajaj Marg, Nariman Point, Mumbai-400021 to transact the following business:

#### Ordinary Business:

1. To receive, consider and adopt the audited financial statement of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2016, the reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon; and
2. To appoint a Director in place of Mr. Aditya Ashok Shah (DIN 00605956) who retires by rotation at this Annual General Meeting and being eligible, offers himself for 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 Section 139 and other applicable provisions of the of the Companies Act, 2013 (“Act”), read with the Companies (Audit & Auditors) Rules, 2014 framed there under, (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof for the time being in force), pursuant to the recommendations of the audit committee of the board of direct and pursuant to the resolution passed by the members at the AGM held on 25th September 2014, the appointment of M/s. Jain Bafna and Co., (ICAI Firm Registration No.127905W) Chartered Accountants as the Statutory Auditors of the Company to hold office till the conclusion of the 30TH AGM to be held in the calendar year 2017 be and is hereby ratified and that the board of directors be and is hereby authorised to fix the remuneration plus service tax, out-of pocket travelling and living expenses payable to them for the financial year ending March 31, 2017 as may be determined by the audit committee in consultation with the auditors and such remuneration as may be agreed between the auditors and Board of Directors.”

#### Special Business:

4. **Appointment of Mr. Jaswant Kumar Gupta (DIN: 03080846) as an Independent Director of the Company**

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

**“RESOLVED THAT** Mr. Jaswant Kumar Gupta (DIN 03080846), who was appointed as an Additional Director cum Independent Director of the Company by the Board of Directors with effect from 29th March, 2016, in terms of Section 161 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Article of Association of the Company and whose term of office expires at the Annual General meeting and in respect of whom the Company has received notice in writing from a member proposing his candidature for office of Director, be and hereby appointed as a Non-executive Independent Director of the Company and to hold office for a term up to 28.03.2021 pursuant to Section 149, 152, 160 and other applicable provisions if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules thereunder, who shall not be liable to retire by rotation at the Annual General Meeting.”

5. **Appointment of Mr. Shashank Ashok Shah (DIN: 00604038) as Managing Director of the Company.**

To consider and, if thought fit to pass with or without modification(s) the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

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**“RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to the provisions of Sections 196, 197 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013, (“Act”), as amended or re-enacted from time to time, read with Schedule V to the Act and the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force approval of the Company be and is hereby accorded to the appointment of Mr. Shashank Ashok Shah (DIN: 00604038) as Managing Director of the Company for a period of five years with effect from March 29, 2016 upon the terms and conditions set out in the Explanatory Statement annexed to the Notice convening this Annual General Meeting, (including the remuneration to be paid in the event of loss or inadequacy of profits in any financial year during the tenure of his appointment) with authority to the Board of Directors to alter and vary the terms and conditions of the said appointment in such manner as may be agreed to between the Board of Directors and Mr. Shashank Ashok Shah.”

**“RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board or a Committee thereof be and is hereby authorised to take all such steps as may be necessary, proper and expedient to give effect to this resolution.”

Place: Mumbai

By order of the Board of Directors

Date: July 15, 2016

CIN: L24300MH1987PLC042352

Website: [www.linearindustries.in](http://www.linearindustries.in)

Shashank Ashok Shah

E-mail: [syntex@vsnl.com](mailto:syntex@vsnl.com)

Chairman

Reg. Office: 116, 11th Floor, Plot-223,  
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Nariman Point, Mumbai - 400021

Notes:

1. **A member entitled to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting (the “Meeting”) is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote on a poll instead of himself and the proxy need not be a member of the Company.** The instrument appointing the proxy should, however, be deposited at the registered office of the Company not less than forty-eight hours before the commencement of the Meeting.

A person can act as a proxy on behalf of members not exceeding fifty and holding in the 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 a proxy for any other person or shareholder.

2. The business set out in the Notice will be transacted through electronic voting system and the Company is providing facility for voting by electronic means. Instructions and other information relating to e-voting are given in this Notice under Note No. 14. The Company will also send communication relating to remote e-voting which inter alia would contain details about User ID and password along with a copy of this Notice to the members, separately.
3. Corporate members intending to send their authorised representatives to attend the Meeting are requested to send to the Company a certified true copy of the Board Resolution authorising their representative to attend and vote on their behalf at the Meeting.
4. In terms of Section 152 of the Companies Act, 2013, Mr. Aditya Ashok Shah (DIN 00605956), Director, retire by rotation at the Meeting and being eligible, offer himself for reappointment. The Board of Directors of the Company commend his re-appointment. Brief resume of Director is given here under:

<b>Sr. No</b>	<b>Particular</b>	<b>Details</b>
1	Name of Director	Mr. Aditya Ashok Shah
2	DIN	00605956
3	Date of Appointment	25/06/2003
4	No of Shares Held of Company as on 31.03.2016	68,108
5	Directorship in other Company	1. Empyrean Financial Services Private Limited. 2. Syntex Securities Private Limited. 3. Syntex Corporation Private Limited 4. Linear Ventures Private Limited
6	Chairman/Member of Committees of Companies	Member of - Audit Committee - Stakeholder Relationship Committee - Nomination and Remuneration Committee of Linear Industries Limited
7	Qualification	MBA
8	Functional Area	Director

5. A Statement pursuant to Section 102(1) of the Companies Act, 2013, relating to the Special Business to be transacted at the Meeting is annexed hereto.
6. Members who hold shares in physical form in multiple folios in identical names or joint holding in the same order of names are requested to send the share certificate to RTA for consideration into single folio.
7. In case of joint holders attending the Meeting, only such joint holder who is higher in the order of names will be entitled to vote.
8. Relevant documents referred to in the accompanying Notice and the Statement are open for inspection by the members at the Registered Office of the Company on all working days, except Saturdays, during business hours up to the date of the Meeting.
9. The Company has notified closure of Register of Members and Share Transfer Books from Saturday, September 17, 2016 to Saturday, September 24, 2016 (both days inclusive).
10. The members holding shares in the dematerialized mode are requested to intimate all changes with respect to their address, bank details, mandate, nomination, power of attorney, etc. to their depository participant (DP). These changes will be automatically reflected in the Company's records, which will help the Company to provide efficient and better service to members.
11. The Ministry of Corporate Affairs (vide circular nos. 17/2011 and 18/2011 dated April 21, 2011 and April 29, 2011 respectively) has undertaken a Green Initiative in Corporate Governance and allowed Companies to share documents with its shareholders through an electronic mode. A recent amendment to the Listing Agreement with the Stock Exchanges permits companies to send soft copies of the Annual Report to all those shareholders who have registered their email addresses for the said purpose. Hence Members are requested to register their e-mail addresses with the Company by sending their details relating to name, folio no./DP Id/Client Id to the company's email ID.
12. Members are requested to address all correspondence, to the registrar and share transfer agents, Sharex Dynamic (India) Private Limited, Unit No.1, Luthra Industrial Premises, Safed Pool, Andheri Kurla Road, Andheri (East), Mumbai- 400072.
13. Members/Proxies/authorised representatives are requested to bring their attendance slip along with their copy of annual report at the meeting.
14. Information and other instructions relating to e-voting are as under:
  - (i) The e-voting period begins on Wednesday the 21st September, 2016 (9.00 a.m. Indian Standard Time) and ends on Friday the 23rd September, 2016 (5.00 p.m. Indian Standard Time). During this period, the members of the company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date (record date) of 17th September, 2016, may cast their vote electronically.
  - (ii) The e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the member, he shall not be allowed to change it subsequently.
  - (iii) The voting rights of members shall be in proportion to their shares of the paid-up equity share capital of the company as on the cut-off date (record date) of 17th September, 2016.
  - (iv) Since the company is required to provide members the facility to cast their vote by electronic means, shareholders of the company, holding shares either in physical form or in

dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date and not casting their vote electronically, may cast their vote at the AGM venue. Facility will be available at the venue.

- (v) The company has appointed Shri. Shiv Hari Jalan, a whole time practicing Company Secretary as the scrutinizer for conducting the e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner. E-voting is optional. The e-voting rights of the shareholders/beneficial owners shall be reckoned on the equity shares held by them as on 17th September, 2016.
- (vi) The scrutinizer shall, immediately after the conclusion of voting at the annual general meeting, first count the votes at the meeting, thereafter unblock the votes cast through remote e-voting in the presence of at least two witnesses not in the employment of the company and make, not later than three days of conclusion of the meeting, a consolidated scrutinizer's report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, to the chairman.
- (vii) The chairman shall declare the result of the voting forthwith. The results declared along with the scrutinizer's report shall be placed on the company's website [www.linearindustries.in](http://www.linearindustries.in) and on the website of CDSL and shall simultaneously forward the results to stock exchange i.e. BSE Limited.
- (viii) Voting will be provided to the members through e-voting and/or at the AGM venue. A member can opt for only one mode of voting i.e. either through e-voting or voting at the AGM. If a member casts votes by both modes, then voting done through e-voting shall prevail and the voting at AGM shall be treated as invalid.
- (ix) The shareholders should log on to the e-voting website [www.evotingindia.com](http://www.evotingindia.com).
- (x) Click on Shareholders.
- (xi) 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.
- (xii) Next enter the Image Verification as displayed and Click on Login.
- (xiii) 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.

- (xiv) 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 8 digits of the sequence number in the PAN field.</li> <li>• In case the sequence 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 sequence number 1 then enter RA00000001 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 number of shares held by you as on the cut-off date in the Dividend Bank details.</li> </ul>

- (xv) After entering these details appropriately, click on “SUBMIT” tab.
- (xvi) Members holding shares in physical form will then directly reach the Company selection screen. However, members holding shares in demat form will now reach ‘Password Creation’ menu wherein they are required to mandatorily enter their login password in the new password field. Kindly note that this password is to be also used by the demat holders for voting for resolutions of any other company on which they are eligible to vote, provided that company opts for e-voting through CDSL platform. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential.
- (xvii) For Members holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for e-voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.
- (xviii) Click on the EVSN for the relevant LINEAR INDUSTRIES LIMITED on which you choose to vote.
- (xix) 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.
- (xx) Click on the “RESOLUTIONS FILE LINK” if you wish to view the entire Resolution details.
- (xxi) 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.
- (xxii) Once you “CONFIRM” your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.

(xxiii) You can also take out print of the voting done by you by clicking on “Click here to print” option on the Voting page.

(xxiv) If Demat account holder has forgotten the same password then Enter the User ID and the image verification code and click on Forgot Password & enter the details as prompted by the system.

(xxv) 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 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 favour of the Custodian, if any, should be uploaded in PDF format in the system for the scrutinizer to verify the same.

(xxvi) 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).

15. The route map showing directions to reach the venue of the twenty ninth AGM is annexed.

Place: Mumbai

By order of the Board of Directors

Date: July 15, 2016

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