

# *37th Annual Report 2015 - 2016*

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**M A R I S**  
**SPINNERS**  
**LIMITED**



# MARIS SPINNERS LIMITED

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## MANAGING DIRECTOR

Sri. Anandkumar Rengaswamy

## DIRECTORS

Sri. M.Rengaswamy  
Sri. T.Jayaraman  
Sri. T.Raghuraman  
Smt. T.Kamala  
Sri. S.Venkataramani  
Sri. S.Srivatsan  
Sri. Premal H Udani

## REGISTERED & ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

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Chennai - 600 086  
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CIN : L93090TN1979PLC032618

## MILLS

**UNIT I** : Kattemalalavadi Village  
Hunsur Taluk  
Mysore District – 571 134  
Karnataka.

**UNIT II** : Sevalur Village  
Manapparai Taluk  
Trichy District – 621 306  
Tamilnadu.

## SHARE TRANSFER AGENTS:

M/s. Cameo Corporate Services Limited  
Subramanian Building  
No.1, Club House Road  
Chennai – 600 002.

## AUDITORS

**STATUTORY:** M/s. N.C.S. Raghavan & Co.  
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS  
No.27, Sri Venkateswara Krupa  
1st Main Road  
Vyalikaval  
Bangalore – 560 003.

**INTERNAL :** M/s. S.N.S. Associates  
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS  
25, 11th Cross Street, Adyar  
Chennai – 600 020.

**BANKERS :** Indian Overseas Bank  
Cathedral Branch  
Chennai – 600 002.

The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd.  
Whites Road Branch  
Chennai – 600 014.

The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd.  
Cantonment Branch  
Trichy – 620 001.

Indian Bank  
Thousand Lights Branch  
Chennai – 600 006.

## COMPANY SECRETARY

Mr. K V S Raghavan

## SHARES LISTED AT :

Bombay Stock Exchange  
Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers  
Dalal Street  
Mumbai - 400 001.



## NOTICE TO THE SHAREHOLDERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE 37TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE MEMBERS OF MARIS SPINNERS LIMITED WILL BE HELD ON FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2016 AT 9.30 A.M. AT THE REGISTERED OFFICE OF THE COMPANY AT HOTEL MARIS, I FLOOR, NO. 11, CATHEDRAL ROAD, CHENNAI - 600 086, TO TRANSACT THE FOLLOWING BUSINESS:

### ORDINARY BUSINESS

1. To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modifications, the following resolutions as an Ordinary Resolutions;  
"**RESOLVED** that the Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2016, the Reports of the Board of Directors and the Auditors thereon, be and are hereby approved and adopted".
2. To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modifications, the following resolutions as an Ordinary Resolutions;  
To declare dividend for the year 2015-16
3. To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modifications, the following resolutions as an Ordinary Resolutions;  
"**RESOLVED** that Sri M Rengaswamy (holding DIN:00075326), the retiring Director, be and is hereby re-elected as Director of the Company, liable for retirement by rotation.
4. To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modifications, the following resolutions as an Ordinary Resolutions;  
"**RESOLVED** that Smt. T. Kamala (holding DIN: 07145031), the retiring Director, be and is hereby re-elected as Director of the Company, liable for retirement by rotation.
5. To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modifications, the following resolutions as an Ordinary Resolutions;  
"**RESOLVED** that M/s N.C. S. Raghavan & Co., Chartered Accountants, Bangalore, (Reg.No. 007335S), the retiring auditors, be and are hereby re-appointed as Auditors of the Company, to hold office from the conclusion of this meeting until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting.

### SPECIAL BUSINESS

6. To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s) the following a Special Resolution:  
"**RESOLVED** THAT, pursuant to Section 148(3) of the Companies Act, 2013 and rule 6(2) of the Companies (Cost records and Audit Rules) 2014, M/s A.Gopala Iyengar, Cost Accountants (Registration No. 4915) be and are hereby appointed as the Cost Auditors of the Company to conduct audit of cost records made and maintained by the Company pertaining to manufacture of( product/services) for financial year commencing on 1st April 2015 and ending on 31st March 2016, to hold office from conclusion of this meeting until conclusion of next Annual General Meeting.

By Order of the Board

Place: Chennai  
Date : 30.05.2016

**ANANDKUMAR RENGASWAMY**  
Managing Director

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## NOTES :

1. A member who is entitled to attend and vote at the meeting, is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote on his behalf and the proxy need not be a member and proxies in order to be valid should be complete in all respects and be deposited at the Registered Office of the Company before 48 hours time fixed for holding the meeting.
2. The Register of Members and share transfer books of the Company shall remain closed from **09.09.2016 to 16.09.2016** (both the days inclusive) for the purpose of Annual General Meeting.
3. The members are requested to communicate the change of address if any to the Registered Office of the Company or to the Share Transfer Agents M/s. Cameo Corporate Services Limited at Subramanian Building, No. 1, Club House Road, Chennai - 600 002.
4. The members are requested to bring their copy of the Annual Report as the same will not be provided at the meeting.
5. As part of green initiative, members are requested to update your e-mail address to "investor@maris.co.in" in order to send information and Annual Report to the registered e-mail ID's.
6. The Company has declared Dividend for the financial years as below:

S.No.	Financial Year	Dividend Amount in Rs.	Unclaimed Amount in Rs.	Date of payment of dividend	Due date for into IEPF
1	2010-11	80,17,060.00	2,37,748.00	21.10.2011	20.10.2018
2	2012-13	80,17,060.00	3,46,772.00	07.10.2013	06.10.2020
3	2013-14	80,17,060.00	3,27,033.00	01.10.2014	30.09.2021
4	2014-15	80,17,060.00	3,50,953.00	05.10.2015	04.10.2022

The Shareholders are requested to claim the unclaimed amounts. The un-claimed amounts has not been transferred to Investor Education and Protection Fund under Section 205 A of the Companies Act, since seven years have not been completed.

## 7. Voting through Electronic means

Pursuant to the provisions of Sec 108 of the a Companies Act, 2013, Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Amendment Rules, 2015 and Rule 21, of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 and the provisions of clause 35B of the Listing Agreement entered into with the Stock Exchange, the Company shall provide members, the facility to exercise their vote at the 37th Annual General Meeting (AGM) by electronic means and the business may be transacted through E-Voting services provided by Central Depository Services Limited (CDSL)

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR EXERCISE OF VOTING RIGHTS BY ELECTRONIC MEANS

- i. The voting period begins on 13th September 2016 at 9.00 AM and ends on 15th September 2016 at 5 PM, during this period shareholders of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date (record date) Friday, 9th September 2016 may cast vote electronically. The E-Voting module disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter. The E-Voting system will be available at all time except between 00.00 hrs to 01.00 hrs (IST).
- ii. Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than Individual, HUF, NRI, etc.) are required to register themselves as Corporates by logging on to <http://www.evotingindia.co.in>. A scanned copy of the Registration Form

duly signed and seal affixed should be e-mailed to [helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com](mailto:helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com). The login details will be sent by CDSL by reply mail. After receiving the login details they have to create a compliance user who would be able link the account(s) 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 can cast their vote. They should upload a scanned copy of the Board Resolution and Power of Attorney (POA) which they have issued in favour of the Custodian, if any, in PDF format in the system for the scrutinizer to verify the same.

iii. The following are the instructions for participating in the e-voting on the resolutions contained in the notice of the Annual General Meeting. These apply to all the Members of the Company and who receive the notice either by e-mail or physical copy.

- a. Log on to the e-voting website [www.evotingindia.com](http://www.evotingindia.com) during the voting period.
- b. Click in "Shareholders" tab to cast your votes
- c. Select the "COMPANY NAME" from the drop down Menu and click on "SUBMIT"
- d. Enter User ID as shown below

Members holding shares in demat form with CDSL	Sixteen digits beneficiary ID
Members holding shares in demat form with NSDL	Eight Character DP ID followed eight digit Client ID
Members holding shares in Physical form	Folio No.

- e. Enter the image verification as displayed and click on "Login"
- f. Enter the Password:

Members holding shares in Demat form and who have already exercised e-voting on an earlier occasion through [www.evotingindia.com](http://www.evotingindia.com) in respect of their holding in any other Company shall use their existing password. If the password has been forgotten they will have to enter the User ID and Image Verification Code and then click on "Forgot Password" to enter the details as prompted by the system for retrieving the password. Password entry for members who are holding shares in demat form and are exercising e-voting for the first time and for Members holding shares in Physical form shall be as below:

PAN	10 digit PAN issued by the Income Tax Department, if the same has been registered with the DP or as the case may be with the Company. For Members who have not registered their PAN, the first two letters of their name followed by the eight digit Serial Number printed on the address slip shall be entered in the PAN field.
Date of Birth ##	Date of Birth as registered with the DP or as the case may be with Company in DD/MM/YYYY format
Dividend Bank Details	As registered with the DP or as the case may be with the Company. If both the above details have not been registered with the DP or as the case may be with the Company, the demat account number or the Folio number is to be entered in this field.

\* Members who have not updated their PAN with the Company / RTA / Depository Participant, are requested to use first 2 letter of their name and the sequence number in the PAN field. In case the sequence number is less than 8 digit, enter the applicable number of "0"(Zeros) before the

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number of the first two characters in CAPITAL LETTERS. Eg if your name is Anand with sequence number 1 then enter AN00000001 in the PAN field (serial number mentioned in your address can be used as sequence number for this purpose).

- ## Please enter any one of the details in order to login. In case both the details are not recorded with the depository or the Company, please enter the member ID/Folio number in the divided bank field.

To avoid this problem of filling a default number in future, members are strongly advised to update their PAN details and dividend bank details immediately with the Depository Participants / RTA - Cameo Corporate Services Limited/Company.

- g. Click Submit for further processing. If the password entered is incorrect, system will not allow the login and you will have repeat the process under (e) above the until the proper password entered.
  - h. Members holding shares in physical form will be directed to the "Company Selection" menu.
  - i. Members holding shares in demat form and participating in e-voting through [www.evotingindia.com](http://www.evotingindia.com) for the first time will be required mandatorily to create their own password to proceed with the e-voting process. The new password shall be used by them for any future e-voting on CDSL platform. After completion of the new password creation, they will be directed to the Company Selection Menu.
  - j. Click on the EVSN for Maris Spinners Limited and you will be directed to the E-Voting Screen.
  - k. The description of the Resolutions as set out in the Notice of the Meeting and the voting options "YES/NO" will be displayed for each of the resolutions on this screen for voting.
  - l. Click on the "Resolutions File Link" if you wish to view the full description of the resolutions.
  - m. Select the option YES or No for each of the item as desired by you. The option YES implies that you assent to the Resolution and option No implies that you dissent to the Resolution.
  - n. After selection click on SUBMIT and a confirmation box will be displayed. If you wish to confirm and complete the vote process OK, else press CANCEL to change your vote.
  - o. Once you CONFIRM your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
  - p. You can also take print of the voting done by you by clicking on "Click here to print" option on the voting page.
- iv. Voting through electronic means would be on the basis of proportion of shares held by the members viz., on "one share one-vote" basis as on the "Cut off date" ie. 9th September 2016.
- v. For any queries or issues regarding e-voting, please refer to the Frequently Asked Questions ("FAQ") and e-voting manual available at [www.evotingindia.co.in](http://www.evotingindia.co.in) under help section or write an email to [helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com](mailto:helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com) or contact Phone No. 022-22723333.
- vi. Voting At AGM:

The facility for voting through ballot paper shall be made available at the AGM and the members attending the meeting who have not cast their vote by remote e Voting, shall be able to exercise their right at the meeting through ballot paper.

The members who have cast their vote by remote e voting prior to the AGM, may also attend the AGM but shall not be entitled to cast their vote again.

- vii. Mr.N.Sridharan, Practicing Company Secretary (membership No. PCS 7469) has been appointed as the Scrutinizer to Scrutinize the e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner. The Scrutinizer shall immediately after the conclusion of the voting at the general meeting will first count the votes cast at the meeting and thereafter unlock the vote cast in the remote e voting in the presence of atleast 2 witnesses not in the employment of the Company and shall make, note later than 3 days after the conclusion of the AGM, a consolidated Scrutinizer report of the votes cast in favour or against, if any, to the Chairman or a Person authorized by him in writing who shall counter sign the same and declare the result of the voting forthwith.
- viii. The result declared along with the scrutinizer report shall be placed on the Company's web site [www.maris.co.in](http://www.maris.co.in) and the web site of CDSL and also forward the same to BSE where the shares are listed.
- ix. Statement pursuant to section 102 (1) of the Companies Act, 2013 relating to special business to be transacted at the meeting is annexed hereto.
8. Brief resume of Directors proposed to be appointed, re-appointed, nature of their expertise etc, as stipulated under Clause 49 of the Listing Agreement with the Stock Exchanges provided as per the Corporate Governance forming part of Annual Report.

## 9. PARTLY PAID SHARE HOLDERS WILL NOT HAVE VOTING RIGHTS

### Explanatory statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act 2013.

#### PARTICULARS OF DIRECTORS RETIRING BY ROTATION

Pursuant to Clause 49 of the Listing Agreement with the Stock Exchange following information are furnished about the Director's proposed to be appointed/ reappointed, vide item no.3 & 4 of notice dated 30.05.2016.

S.No.	PARTICULARS	DIRECTOR	DIRECTOR
a	Name of the Director	M. RENGASWAMY	T. KAMALA
b	Date of Birth	15/08/1929	10/03/1936
c	Date of appointment of the Board as the Director	08/10/1979	31/03/2015
d	Expertise in specific function areas	Business	Business
e	Qualification	Graduate	Matriculation
f	Number of equity shares held in the Company by the Director or other persons on a beneficial basis	643720	152250
g	List of outside Directorships held in public Companies	NONE	NONE

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## Item No.6

In pursuance of Sec 148 of the Companies Act 2013 and the Companies (Audit and auditors) Rules, 2014, the Board shall appoint a cost auditor on the recommendation of the Audit Committee. Remuneration recommended by the Audit Committee shall be considered and approved by the Board of Directors and ratified by the shareholders. On recommendation of the audit committee at its meeting held on 30th May 2016, the Board of Directors has considered and approved appointment of M/s A. Gopal Iyengar, Cost Accountant, for the conduct and approved appointment of M/s A.Gopal Iyengar, Cost Accountants, for the conduct of the Cost Audit of the Company's various manufacturing units at a remuneration as fixed. The resolution at item No.6 of the notice is set out as an special resolution for approval and ratification by the members in terms of Section 148 of the Companies Act, 2013. None of the directors, Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their relatives is in any way, concerned or interested, financially or otherwise in the said resolution.

By Order of the Board

Place: Chennai  
Date : 30.05.2016

**ANANDKUMAR RENGASWAMY**  
Managing Director





## DIRECTOR'S REPORT & MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Dear Members,

Your Directors are pleased to present the Thirty seventh Report together with the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended March 31, 2016. The Management Discussion and Analysis is also included in this Report.

Rs. in lakh

S.NO.	PARTICULARS	2015-16	2014-15
i	Profit/Loss before interest and depreciation	1,430.12	1,677.61
ii	Interest	542.08	639.94
iii	Depreciation	493.25	541.00
iv	Profit/Loss before tax	394.79	496.66
v	Tax adjustments including deferred tax	76.03	165.42
vi	Profit/Loss after tax	318.76	331.25
vii	Profit brought forward from previous year	524.22	289.95
viii	Profit available for appropriation	842.98	621.19
ix	Proposed dividend	80.30	80.30
x	Dividend distribution tax	16.35	16.67
xi	Profit/Loss after appropriation	746.33	524.22

### 1. CORPORATE OVERVIEW

Maris Spinners Limited (Your Company) is a leading spinning mill manufacturing high quality yarn for the domestic market with interests in Wind Energy Generation for captive use. The company has its headquarters at Chennai.

### 2. FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

Amid optimism and rising business sentiments, your Company reported a top line growth of over the previous year. The Gross Revenue from operations stood at Rs. 10740.58 lakh compared with Rs. 12274.49 lakh during the Previous Year. The Operating Profit before tax stood at Rs.394.78 lakh as against Rs. 496.66 lakh during the Previous Year. The Net Profit for the year stood at Rs.318.75 lakh against Rs. 331.25 lakh reported during the Previous Year.

### 3. DIVIDEND AND RESERVES

Your Directors recommending a dividend of Rs. 1/- per share , subject to approval of the members at the ensuing Annual General Meeting.

### 4. ANALYSIS AND REVIEW

#### Industry conditions and Review of operations

The Indian textile industry witnessed reasonable improvement during the course of the year. During the year under review your company was able to maintain its performance due to stable cotton prices, remunerative yarn price through dedicated efforts aimed at improving operational efficiency, focus on

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optimal product mix and effective cost saving practices. Power situation was cause of concern for most part of the financial year.

## **Company Outlook**

The Company expect the cotton price to remain stable as this is evident from the trend during the last quarter of the financial year 2015-16.

Demand for yarn has also seen an increase and indicates a good year ahead as so the prices for yarn and the overall global economic outlook is good .

The Company is making all efforts to reduce costs and rationalize operations to have a positive effect. The Company expects to make profit during the current year.

## **Opportunities and Risks**

The cotton price is subject to climatic conditions and market volatility. The probable impact of climatic conditions in current year is expected to have a bearing on the cotton prices.

Exports may partly get affected since European Markets are yet to improve. Power shortage and Labour shortage are major concerns, which could have impact on operations of the Company. Higher inflation and increase in interest rates would have adverse impact on profit margins of the company.

## **Raw Material**

The cost of raw material viz. cotton was stable during the year.

## **5. FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS**

Your Company prepares its financial statements in compliance with the requirements of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) in India. The financial statements have been prepared on historical cost basis.

The estimates and judgments relating to the financial statements are made on a prudent basis, so as to reflect in a true and fair manner, the form and substance of transactions and reasonably present the Company's state of affairs, profits and cash flows for the year ended March 31, 2016.

There is no auditor's qualification in the financial statements for the year under review.

## **6. CORPORATE GOVERNANCE**

As per Regulation 17 of the Listing Regulation with the Stock Exchanges, a separate section on corporate governance practices followed by the company, together with a certificate from the Company's Auditors confirming compliance forms an integral part of this Report.

## **7. EXTRACT OF ANNUAL RETURN**

The details forming part of the extract of the Annual Return in form MGT-9, as required under Section 92 of the Companies Act, 2013, is included in this Report as Annexure - A and forms an integral part of this Report.

## **8. DIRECTORS**

All Independent Directors have given declarations that they meet the criteria of independence as laid down under Section 149(6) of the Companies Act, 2013 and Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing obligations and disclosure regulation) 2015 of the Listing Regulation.