



### ANNUAL REPORT 2011-12 Diverse structures. Uniform success.



Chere is an old maritime saying, 'No wind blows fair for the ship that has no destination'. At Destige we are very much alive to where we want to be as a company. Our goal is to be the preferred choice for customers across asset classes, through dint of strategic planning, proven quality and timely delivery.

Sn 2011-12, we have navigated ourselves to our destination with complete focus, demonstrating signal success and performing beyond what we promised on every parameter. Our sales, revenues, collections and lease rentals have grown at healthy rates, continuing the trend of previous years. We realise that success is a ongoing journey and every port we dock at in our voyage signals the commencement of a new one. This year we embarked into new markets and plotted out several new projects to address specific audience needs. Every step we have taken has been the result of carefully considered thought and planning. The result is there for everyone

to see as the falcon continues to scale greater heights and expand its reach to wider geographies.

# In a Challenging 2011–12, compared to its previous year, Prestige reported:

Record sales of Rs. 21,127 mn, a growth of  $53^{\circ}/_{0}$ Area sold - 4.91 mn sft, an increase by  $164^{\circ}/_{0}$ Leased 3.12 mn sft, a growth of  $61^{\circ}/_{0}$ 

Cash Collections of Rs. 13,354 mn, an increase of  $85^{0/0}$ 

### Reclaimed the prestigious DA1- the Highest Developer Rating by

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Reinforcing what our stakeholders have always believed ... if it is Prestige, it must be different

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## Plotting more projects

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In 2011-12 we launched 7 new projects, spanning over 12.89 million sft of developable area. That's a growth of 55% over last year! This includes Prestige Bella Vista our first residential development in Chennai, which saw phenomenal sales. The foreseeable future thus presents a picture of uninhibited growth.

#### **Burgeoning collections**

In 2011-12, our collection figures totalled Rs.13,354 million. Compare this to the previous year when we collected Rs.7,225 million, and you'll see a growth of 85%. That's also 11% more than our guidance value of Rs.12,000 million. All of which paints a picture of increasing customer confidence and a promise of sustained growth.



#### Consistently ascending sales

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We have registered a 53% growth in sales at Rs. 21,127 million compared to Rs. 13,850 million during the previous year. That's well above our guidance value of Rs. 15,000 million. This is not a flash in the phenomenon either. Our sales has grown consistently at a similar rate over the last three years.

#### Increased lease rentals

On the leasing front we continue to show consistent growth. We have leased out 3.12 mn sft of commercial and retail space and our lease rental income has grown by 13% to Rs.1,693 million in 2011-12 (previous year Rs. 1,497 million) What's more, the outlook for the next three years is extremely positive. Our total annualised (exit) rentals for the current year has been Rs. 1,870 million and we expect to raise this to Rs. 2,250 million by the end of the next fiscal. Going forward we are looking to touch incomes of Rs. 5,000 million from this business on an annualised basis by 2014-15.

#### Constantly venturing into new markets

Continuing with our policy of always exploring new territory, we have already made an entry into Hyderabad, Kochi, Mysore, Mangalore and now we have entered the residential arena in Chennai with Prestige Bella Vista. The development was a first of its kind in Chennai and evoked unprecedented response registering sales of over 35% in just three months!

# Cresting the revenue wave

Accounting policy demands that revenues be booked only in proportion commensurate to the progress of construction. Therefore, while our recognised revenue is Rs. 6,083 million, the unrecognised revenue of Rs. 32,809 million will provide a clearer picture of what is in store for the coming years.

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