

THIRTY NINTH ANNUAL REPORT 2020-2021



VBC FERRO ALLOYS LIMITED

(AN ISO 9001 - 2008 COMPANY)

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THIRTY NINTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Day : Tuesday
Date : 30.11.2021
Time : 11.30 A.M.
Venue : Through Audio/Videos(AV) Means,

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MEETING THROUGH AUDIO/VIDEO(AV) MODE



BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Shri K V ANJANEYULU	Chairman
Shri INDOORI NARSING RAO	Director
Smt DESHRAJU REKHA	Director
Shri VIJAY GOVIND GEJJI	Director
Shri M SIDDARTHA	Director (upto 13-09-2021)
Shri M.V. ANANTHAKRISHNA	Whole-Time Director

MANAGEMENT TEAM

Shri VVVS N MURTY	Group Company Secretary
Shri K. SRINIVAS	General Manager
Shri R. DHARMENDER	CFO
Ms. SONALI SOLANKI	Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

AUDITORS:

M/s. PAVULURI & CO.,
Chartered Accountants,
Hyderabad.

BANKERS:

BANK OF INDIA
Nampally Station Road,
Hyderabad.

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NOTICE OF 39TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the 39th Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of VBC Ferro Alloys Limited will be held on Tuesday, 30th November 2021 at 11.30 A.M. through Video Conferencing ("VC")/ Other Audio- Visual Means ("OAVM"), to transact the following business:

ORDINARY BUSINESS:

1. To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Balance Sheet as at March 31st, 2021, the Statement of Profit & Loss and Cash Flow Statement for the year ended on that date together with the Notes attached thereto, along with the Reports of Auditors and Directors thereon.
2. To appoint a Director in place of Shri Vijay Govind Gejji (DIN:07781207) who retires by rotation and being eligible offers himself for re-appointment.

By Order of the Board for VBC Ferro Alloys Limited

Place: Hyderabad
Date: 30.10.2021

Sd/-
Sonali Solanki
Company Secretary

NOTES:

1. In view of the continuing COVID-19 pandemic, the Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") has vide its circular nos. 14/2020 and 17/2020 dated April 8, 2020 and April 13, 2020 respectively, in relation to "Clarification on passing of ordinary and special resolutions by companies under the Companies Act, 2013 and the rules made thereunder on account of the threat posed by Covid-19", circular no. 20/2020 dated May 5, 2020 in relation to "Clarification on holding of annual general meeting (AGM) through video conferencing (VC) or other audio visual means (OAVM)" and Circular no. 02/2021 dated January 13, 2021 in relation to "Clarification on holding of annual general meeting (AGM) through video conferencing (VC) or other audio visual means (OAVM)" collectively referred to as "MCA Circulars" and Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI") vide its circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD1/CIR/P/2020/79 dated May 12, 2020 in relation to "Additional relaxation in relation to compliance with certain provisions of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015 – Covid-19 pandemic" and circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/P/2021/11 dated January 15, 2021 in relation to "Relaxation from compliance with certain provisions of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 due to the COVID -19 pandemic" (collectively referred to as "SEBI Circulars") permitted the holding of the Annual General Meeting ("AGM") through VC / OAVM, without the physical presence of the Members at a common venue. In compliance with the MCA Circulars and SEBI Circulars, the AGM of the members of the Company is being held through VC / OAVM. The registered office of the Company shall be deemed to be the venue for the AGM
2. A MEMBER ENTITLED TO ATTEND AND VOTE AT THE AGM IS ENTITLED TO APPOINT A PROXY TO ATTEND AND VOTE ON HIS / HER BEHALF AND THE PROXY NEED NOT BE



A MEMBER OF THE COMPANY. PURSUANT TO THE MCA CIRCULARS, PROVISION FOR APPOINTMENT OF PROXIES BY THE MEMBERS ARE NOT AVAILABLE FOR THE AGM HELD THROUGH VC. ACCORDINGLY, THE FACILITY FOR APPOINTMENT OF PROXY FOR THIS AGM HAS NOT BEEN PROVIDED TO THE MEMBERS AND THE PROXY FORM IS NOT ANNEXED TO THIS NOTICE.

3. Members attending the AGM through VC shall only be counted for the purpose of quorum under Section 103 of the Act and the attendance of the members shall be reckoned accordingly. No separate attendance form is being enclosed with the notice.
4. The place of the AGM for the statutory purposes shall be the registered office of the Company.
5. In compliance with the aforesaid MCA Circulars and SEBI Circular dated 12 May 2020, Notice of the AGM along with the Annual Report 2021 is being sent only through electronic mode to those Members whose e-mail address are registered with the Company/ Depositories. Members may note that the Notice and Annual Report 2021 will also be available on the Company's Website i.e., www.vbcfal.in and website of the BSE Limited, bseindia.com.
6. The Register of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel and their shareholding, maintained under Section 170 of the Act, the Register of Contracts or Arrangements in which the Directors are interested, maintained under Section 189 of the Act and the certificate from the Auditors under Regulation 13 of SEBI (Share Based Employee Benefits) Regulations, 2014 will be available electronically for inspection by members during the AGM.
7. The Institutional and Corporate Investors (i.e. other than individuals, HUF, NRI, etc.) are encouraged to attend the AGM through VC by sending a scanned copy (PDF / JPG Format) of its Board / Governing body resolution / Authorization etc., authorizing its representative to attend the AGM through VC on its behalf and to vote through remote e-voting. The said resolution / authorization shall be sent to the Scrutinizer by email to info@vbcindia.in/anath.vbcfal@gmail.com
8. The members present at the AGM who have not cast their votes by availing the remote e-voting facility may cast their votes during the AGM.
9. The Scrutinizer shall after the conclusion of voting at the AGM, will first count the votes cast at the meeting and 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 shall make, a consolidated scrutinizer's report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, to the Chairman or a person authorized by him, who shall countersign the same and declare the results of the voting forthwith.
10. The results declared along with the report of the Scrutinizer will be placed on the website of the Company, www.vbcfal.in after the declaration of the results by the Chairman or a person authorized by him. The results will also be immediately forwarded to the stock exchanges where the shares of the Company are listed. In addition, the results will also be displayed on the Notice Board of the Registered Office of the Company.
11. Pursuant to provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and applicable provisions of the Listing Agreement, Register of Members and Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from November 23, 2021 to November 30, 2021(both days inclusive) in connection with the Annual General Meeting.
12. Members who wish to seek any further information / clarification at the meeting, on the annual accounts of the Company are requested to send their queries at least one week in advance from



the date of the Meeting to the Whole-Time Director at the Registered Office of the Company to his mail ID ananth.vbcfal@gmail.com

13. Members are requested to quote Folio No. / DP ID and Client ID in all correspondence and intimate any change in their address to the Company's Share Transfer Agents promptly.
14. Members who have multiple folios in identical names or joint holding in the same order are requested to intimate the Company's Registrars and Share Transfer Agents about the Ledger Folios of such holdings to enable them to consolidate all such shareholdings into a single folio.
15. Members are requested to avail the facility of converting their physical shareholdings into electronic mode of holding for their own convenience coupled with increased flexibility in dealing with such shares.
16. 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 during business hours up to the date of the Meeting.
17. Voting through electronic means;
 - a. In compliance with provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, the Company is pleased to provide to members the facility to exercise their right to vote at the Annual General Meeting (AGM) by electronic means and the business may be transacted through e-Voting Services provided by Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL).
 - b. The instructions for e-voting are as under:
 The instructions for members for voting electronically are as under. In case of members receiving e-mail:
 - (i) Log on to the e-voting website www.evotingindia.com during the voting period.
 - (ii) Click on "Shareholders" tab.
 - (iii) Now, select the "COMPANY NAME" from the dropdown menu and click on "SUBMIT"
 - (iv) Now enter your User ID (For CDSL: 16 digits beneficiary ID, For NSDL: 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digits Client ID, Members holding shares in Physical Form should enter Folio Number registered with the Company and then enter the Captcha Code as displayed and Click on Login.
 - (v) If you are holding shares in Demat form and had logged on to www.evotingindia.com and voted on an earlier voting of any company, then your existing password is to be used. If you are a first-time user follow the steps given below.
 - (vi) Now, fill up the following details in the appropriate boxes:
 - * Members who have not updated their PAN with the Company/Depository Participant are requested to use the first two letters of your name and the Folio Number in the PAN field.
 Eg. If your name is Ramesh Kumar with Folio Number 1 then enter RA00000001 in the PAN field.
 - # Please enter any one of the details in order to login. In case both the details are not recorded with the depository or company please enter the member id / folio number in the Dividend Bank details field.
 - (vii) After entering these details appropriately, click on "SUBMIT" tab.



- (viii) Members holding shares in physical form will then reach directly 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.
- (ix) For Members holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for e-voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.
- (x) Click on <Company Name> on which you choose to vote.
- (xi) 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.
- (xii) Click on the "Resolutions File Link" if you wish to view the entire Resolutions.
- (xiii) 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.
- (xiv) Once you "CONFIRM" your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
- (xv) You can also take out print of the voting done by you by clicking on "Click here to print" option on the Voting page.
- (xvi) If Demat account holder has forgotten the changed password, then Enter the User ID and Captcha Code click on Forgot Password & enter the details as prompted by the system.
- (xvii) Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are required to log on to <https://www.evotingindia.co.in> and register themselves as Corporates. After receiving the login details, they have to link the account(s) which they wish to vote on and then 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.

In case of members receiving the physical copy:

- (A) Please follow all steps from sl. no. (i) to sl. no. (xvii) above to cast vote.
- (B) The voting period begins on 27.11.2021 (9.00 a.m.) and ends on 29.11.2021 (5.00 p.m.). During this period shareholders of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cutoff date (Record Date) of 24.11.2021, may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter.
- (C) 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.co.in under help section or write an email to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com. The e-voting period commences on 27.11.2021 (9.00 a.m.) and ends on 29.11.2021 (5.00 p.m.).



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) of 24th November 2021, may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the shareholder, the shareholder shall not be allowed to change it subsequently.

The voting rights of shareholders 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 24th November 2021.

Mr. A.J. Sharma, Practicing Company Secretary (Membership No. 2120) has been appointed as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner.

The Chairman shall formally propose to the members participating through VC/OAVM facility to vote on the resolutions as set out in the Notice of the thirteenth e-AGM and announce the start of the casting of vote through the e-voting system of CDSL.

The Scrutinizer shall, immediately after the conclusion of voting at the e-AGM, first count the votes cast at the meeting, thereafter unblock the votes through e-voting in the presence of at least two witnesses, not in the employment of the Company and make a consolidated Scrutinizer's report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, to the Chairman of the Company, who shall countersign the same.

The Scrutinizer shall submit his report to the Chairman or in his absence Whole-Time Director of the Company, who shall declare the result of the voting. The voting results declared along with the Scrutinizer's Report will be placed on the company's website www.vbcfal.in immediately after the declaration of the result by the Chairman or a person authorized by the Chairman. The results will also be immediately forwarded to the BSE Ltd.

Shareholders with physical shares please update your PAN and Bank details by filling the updation form and submit the same along with original cancelled cheque leaf and self attested copy of the first page of Bank Passbook. The updating form is available for download in our website www.vbcfal.in.

By Order of the Board for VBC Ferro Alloys Limited

Place: Hyderabad
Date: 30.10.2021

Sd/-
Sonali Solanki
Company Secretary



DIRECTORS' REPORT

Your Directors have pleasure in presenting the 39th Director's Report of the Company together with the Audited Statements of Accounts for the Financial Year ended March 31, 2021.

FINANCIAL RESULTS:

(Rs. Lakhs)

PARTICULARS	Current Year 2020-21	Previous Year 2019-20
Gross Revenue from operations	176.42	4245.95
Profit/(Loss) Before Interest, Depreciation & Tax(PBIDT)	(3844.49)	(1450.69)
Finance Charges	54.82	78.24
Profit/(Loss) before Depreciation and Tax(PBDT)	(3899.31)	(1528.93)
Depreciation	661.33	695.86
Profit/(Loss) Before Tax(PBT)	(4560.64)	(2224.80)
Provision for Tax	-	17.24
Profit/(Loss) After Tax (PAT)	(4560.64)	(2242.04)
Profit/(Loss) brought forward from previous year	(18009.79)	(17295.50)
Adjustment in Depreciation	3278.60	1527.75
Profit/(Loss) carried to Balance Sheet	(19291.83)	(18009.79)

Industry Overview:

The Government of India had announced a vibrant steel policy recently in which the need for growth of the domestic steel industry to strengthen the Make-in-India concept was recognized. The domestic steel production is now improving and consequently the demand for Ferro Alloy Products has also improved.

It is expected that at the current rate of GDP growth, the steel demand will grow threefold in next 15 years to reach a demand of 230 Million MT by 2030-31. It is anticipated that a crude steel capacity of 300 Million MT will be required by 2030-31, based on the demand projections as mentioned above. The expected demand for Ferro Alloys is 4 Million Tons per annum in 2030-31 based on the demand for steel.

Performance of your Company:

During the financial year under review, the total revenue for the Company was Rs.2175.63 Lakhs against Rs.4384.13 Lakhs in the previous year. The Company incurred an operational loss of Rs.4560.64 Lakhs compared to Rs.2224.80 Lakhs in the previous year.

**Prospects:**

The medium to long-term economic outlook in India continues to look promising and though there is slowdown in economy due to COVID-19, it is important to note that the Government's initiative to continue to liberalize the economy and focus on social sector spending in building both hard and soft infrastructure. Steel is the most crucial ingredient in industrial development, infrastructure and construction industry and is, therefore, of strategic importance for national transformation. The progress in domestic steel industry is a pre-requisite for India to succeed in its industrial vision for 'Make-in India'. This presents good potential growth of Ferro Alloys industry in the Country as it solely depends on steel industry hence Ferro Alloy Industry can run its industry profitably subject to other market driven factors.

Outlook of your Company:

Your Company suspended its manufacturing operations from 10th October 2019 due to unfavorable market and other conditions. However, keeping in view of the increasing trend in metal prices and also encouragement given by the Telangana Government by way of giving uninterrupted and quality power supply along with reasonable power tariff to Ferro Alloy Industry, we hope that your company will resume its manufacturing operations shortly.

Projects under Implementation- Thermal Power Plant -120 MW (2x60MW):

You are aware that your Company is setting up 120MW (2x60MW) Coal Based Captive Power Plant at Bodepalli (Village & Gram Panchayat), Sirpur Kagaznagar Mandal, Asifabad, Komaram Bhim District, Telangana State. The Company has obtained most of the clearances such as Environmental Clearance (EC), Consent for Establishment (CFE), NoC from Forest Department, Permission for water drawal and Airport Authority. Your Company has decided to setup the Captive power Project on priority basis through VBC Power Company Limited, a Special Purpose Vehicle Company and initiated the steps to hive off the power project division and demerge the said power division into VBC Power Company Limited. The construction period of Thermal Power Plant is about 36-48 months. Keeping in view of long gestation period for our own power plant, your Directors are exploring the possibilities to invest in existing Captive Power Plants to get early captive power supply.

Dividend & Reserves:

As the Company incurred losses during the year under review, the Directors could not recommend dividend for the Financial Year 2020-21, also due to inadequate profits and no amount has been transferred to Reserves.

Share Capital:

The Paid-up Share Capital as on 31st March, 2021 was Rs.16.39 Cr. During the year under review, the Company did not issue any Shares.

Deposits:

Your Company has not accepted any deposits within the meaning of Section 73 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Companies (Acceptance of Deposits) Rules, 2014 and as such, no amount of principal and interest was outstanding as on 31st March, 2021.