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# 39th Annual Report 2018-19

## VALLABH STEELS LIMITED



Annual Report 2018-2019

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Mr. Kapil Kumar Jain Mr. Vijay Kumar Sharma Mr. Suman Jain Mrs. Sunita Maggu Chairman & Managing Director Independent Director Independent Director Independent Director

#### CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

Mr. Suresh Gupta

#### STATUTORY AUDITORS

KR Aggarwal & Associates Chartered Accountants SCO 549/10, (Ist Floor), Satluj Tower, Opp. Petrol Pump, Cemetery Road, Near Fountain Chowk, Ludhiana -141001 (Punjab)

#### BANKERS

Punjab National Bank Large Corporate Branch Bhagwati Tower, R.K. Road Ludhiana-141003 Oriental Bank of Commernce Overseas Branch Jandu Tower, Ludhiana-141003

#### **REGISTERED OFFICE**

G.T.Road, Pawa, Sahnewal Ludhiana - 141120 (Punjab) (CIN: L27109PB1980PLC004327) E-mail ID: fin.ho@vallabhgroup.com Website: www.vallabhsteelsltd.in

#### WORKS

G.T. Road, Nandpur, Sahnewal, Ludhiana - 141120 (Punjab)

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#### NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the 39th Annual General Meeting of the members of Vallabh Steels Limited will be held at Registered Office of the company at G.T. Road, Village Pawa, Sahnewal, Ludhiana on Saturday, the 28th September, 2019 at 10.00 A.M. to transact the following business:-

#### AS ORDINARY BUSINESS

#### 1. ADOPTION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS:

To receive, consider and adopt the audited Balance Sheet as at 31st March, 2019, the Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the financial year ended on that date and the Reports of Auditors and Board of Directors thereon.

#### 2. APPOINTMENT OF MR. KAPIL KUMAR JAIN AS A DIRECTOR LIABLE TO RETIRE BY ROTATION:

To appoint a Director in place of Mr. Kapil Kumar Jain (DIN: 00755228), who retires by rotation and, being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment.

#### AS SPECIAL BUSINESS

#### 3. APPROVAL OF REMUNERATION OF COST AUDITOR:

#### TO APPROVE AND TO RATIFY THE REMUNERATION OF COST AUDITOR AND IN THIS REGARD TO CONSIDER AND, IF THOUGHT FIT, TO PASS WITH OR WITHOUT MODIFICATIONS, IF ANY, THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION AS AN ORDINARY RESOLUTION:

"**RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to the provisions of Section 148 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof, for the time being in force), payment of remuneration to M/s. Meenu & Associates, Cost Accountants (having Firm Registration No. 100729), appointed by the Board of Directors of the Company, to conduct the audit of the cost records of the Company for the financial year ending March 31, 2020, of Rs. 30,000/- (Rupees Thirty Thousand Only) plus taxes and reimbursement of actual out of pocket expenses in connection with the aforesaid audit be and is hereby approved."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company be and is hereby authorised to do all acts, deeds and things and to take all such steps as may be necessary, proper or expedient to give effect to this resolution."

#### 4. APPOINTMENT OF SECRETARIAL AUDITOR:

TO APPROVE THE APPOINTMENT OF THE SECRETARIAL AUDITOR FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDING MARCH 31, 2020 AND IN THIS REGARD TO CONSIDER AND, IF THOUGHT FIT, TO PASS WITH OR WITHOUT MODIFICATION(S), IF ANY, THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION AS AN ORDINARY RESOLUTION:

"**RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to the provisions of Section 204 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with rule 9 of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules 2014, the consent of the Company be and is hereby accorded to the Board of Directors ("the Board") for appointment of M/s. RCS & Company, Company Secretaries, as the Secretarial Auditors of the Company for the financial year 2019-20 on such remuneration as may be mutually decided by the Board and the Secretarial Auditors plus taxes and actual out of pocket expenses incurred by them in connection with aforesaid audit."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company be and is hereby authorised to do all acts and take all such steps as may be necessary, proper or expedient to give effect to this resolution."

## 5. TO CONSIDER AND, IF THOUGHT FIT, TO PASS WITH OR WITHOUT MODIFICATION(S), IF ANY, THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION AS A SPECIAL RESOLUTION:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section(s) 196,197,198 and 203 read with Schedule V and all other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014, including any statutory modification or re-enactment thereof and subject to such approvals as may be deemed necessary, including the approval of the Central Government, consent of the Company be and is hereby accorded for the re-appointment of Mr. Kapil Kumar Jain as Chairman & Managing Director for a further period of Five years w.e.f. 28.08.2019 and for payment of remuneration to Mr. Kapil Kumar Jain, Chairman & Managing Director of the Company by way of a salary (inclusive of perquisites) upto Rs.3,00,000/- (Rs. Three Lac only) per month plus perquisites and allowances as detailed in explanatory statement."



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"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT Board of Directors/Remuneration Committee be and is hereby authorised to alter or increase or vary the terms and conditions of the said remuneration and/or agreement in such form and manner or with such modifications as the board may deem fit or as may be prescribed by the Central Government while granting necessary approvals, if any required, in this regard and as may be acceptable to Mr. Kapil Kumar Jain, without again referring the same to the General meeting."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT where in any financial year, the company has no profits or its profits are inadequate during the tenure of proposed remuneration of Mr. Kapil Kumar Jain, the remuneration aforesaid shall be the minimum remuneration provided that it does not exceed the limits as prescribed in Section II of Part II of Schedule V of the Companies Act, 2013."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board be and is hereby authorised to do all such acts, deeds and things and to execute all such documents, instruments and writings as any be required to give effect to the aforesaid resolutions."

PLACE : LUDHIANA DATED : 27.08.2019 BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS Sd/-(KAPIL KUMAR JAIN) CHAIRMAN & MANAGING DIRECTOR DIN: 00755228

#### NOTES:

- 1. The Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 (1) of the Companies Act, 2013, which sets out details relating to Special Business at the meeting is annexed herewith and forms part of this notice.
- 2. A MEMBER ENTITLED TO ATTEND AND VOTE AT THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING IS ENTITLED TO APPOINT A PROXY TO ATTEND AND VOTE ON A POLL INSTEAD OF HIMSELF/HERSELF AND THE PROXY NEED NOT TO BE A MEMBER OF THE COMPANY. PROXY FORM, IN ORDER TO BE EFFECTIVE, DULY COMPLETED, STAMPED AND SIGNED, MUST BE DELIVERED AT THE REGISTERED OFFICE OF THE COMPANY AT LEAST 48 HOURS BEFORE THE SCHEDULED TIME OF THE MEETING. THE BLANK PROXY FORM IS ENCLOSED.

A PERSON CAN ACT AS A PROXY ON BEHALF OF THE 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 A PROXY FOR ANY OTHER PERSON OR SHAREHOLDER.

- 3. Corporate Members intending to send their authorized representative(s) to attend the Annual General Meeting, pursuant to Section 113 of the Companies Act, 2013, are requested to send to the Company, a certified copy of the Board Resolution together with the respective specimen signature(s) of those representative(s) authorized under the said resolution to attend and vote on their behalf at the Meeting.
- 4. The Register of Members and Share Transfer Books of the company will remain closed from Monday, the 23rd September, 2019 to Saturday, the 28th September, 2019 (both days inclusive) on account of Annual General Meeting.
- 5. Members, Proxies and Authorised representatives are requested to bring to the meeting, the attendance slips enclosed herewith duly completed and signed mentioning therein details of their DP Id and Client ID/Folio No. (as the case may be).
- 6. Members holding shares in physical mode are requested to notify the change in their address, if any, at the earliest to the Registrar & Share Transfer Agents of the company. However, members holding shares in electronic mode may notify the change in their address, if any, to their respective Depository Participants (DPs).
- 7. As Amended by SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) (Fourth Amendment) Regulations, 2018 dated June 08, 2018 members holding shares in physical form are mandatorily required to dematerialize their holding in order to eliminate all risks associated with physical shares. Members can contact the Company or Mas Services Limited for further assistance.
- 8. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) vide circular dated April 20, 2018 as modified by circular dated July 16, 2018 has mandated the submission of Permanent Account Number (PAN) and Bank Account details by every participant in securities market. Members of the company holding shares in physical form can submit their PAN and Bank Account details to the Company/Registrar and Share Transfer Agent (RTA). Members please note that with effect from 31st March, 2019 SEBI has prescribed that transfer of securities would be carried out in dematerialized form only. Members holding shares in physical form are requested to get the same dematerialized at the earliest.
- Pursuant to the provisions of Section 124 of the Companies Act, 2013, no amount is pending or lying unpaid or unclaimed for a period of 7 (Seven) years to be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF) constituted by Central Government.

10. Members are requested to send their queries on the accounts, if any, so as to reach the Registered Office of the Company at



least seven days before the meeting to enable the company to have relevant information ready at the meeting.

- 11. A brief resume of Directors to be re-appointed, nature of their expertise in specific functional areas, disclosure of relationship between directors inter-se, names of Companies in which the person holds the directorship and the membership of Committees of the board and shareholding of non-executive directors as stipulated under Regulation 36 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 are given in the explanatory statement and annexure to this notice.
- 12. Copy of the Annual Report including notice of the 39th Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Company, inter alia, indicating the process and manner of e-voting is being sent to all the members whose email IDs are registered with the Company/Depository Participants(s) for communication purposes through electronic mode unless any member has requested for a physical copy of the same. For members who have not registered their email address, physical copies of the same is being sent through the permitted mode.
- 13. Members are requested to bring their copy of Annual Report along with them to the AGM.
- 14. The Registers maintained under Section 170, 189 of the Companies Act, 2013 will be available for inspection by the members at the AGM.
- 15. The facility for voting through ballot or polling paper will also be available at the meeting and members attending the meeting who have not already cast their vote by remote e-voting will be able to exercise their right at the meeting. The members who have cast their vote by remote e-voting prior to the meeting may also attend the meeting but shall not be entitled to cast their vote again.
- 16. Members may also note that the Notice of the 39th AGM and the Annual Report for the financial year 2018-19 is also available on the Company's website at www.vallabhsteelsltd.in
- 17. Members may also note that the equity shares of the company have been included in the list of securities for compulsory trading in dematerialized form under ISIN No. INE457E01016. Shareholders are, therefore, advised to dematerialize their shareholding to avoid inconvenience in future. After 31st March, 2019 the shares held in physical form will not be transferred. They are requested to send their Dematerialisation Request Form (DRF) through their Depository Participant (DP).

#### **VOTING THROUGH ELECTRONIC MEANS:**

In compliance with the provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Amendment Rules, 2015 and Regulation 44 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the Company is pleased to provide to the members facility to exercise their right to vote on resolutions proposed to be considered at the 39th Annual General Meeting (AGM) by electronic means and the business may be transacted through e-voting service. The facility of casting of votes by the members using an electronic voting system will be provided by National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL).

#### PROCESS AND MANNER FOR E-VOTING:

The instructions for e-voting are as under:

- A. In case of members receiving e-mail from RTA/NSDL (for Members whose e-mail ids are registered with the Company/Depositories):
- i. Open e-mail and open PDF file viz. "VSL-remote e-Voting.pdf" with your client ID or Folio No. as password containing your user ID and password for remote e-voting. Please note that the password is an initial password.
- ii. Launch internet browser by typing the following URL: https://www.evoting.nsdl.com.
- iii. Click on "Shareholders" Login.
- iv. Put User Id and password as initial password noted in step (i) above. Click Login.
- v. Password change menu appears. Change the password with new password of your choice with minimum 8 digits/characters or combination thereof. Note new password. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential.
- vi. Home page of remote e-voting opens. Click on remote e-voting: Active Voting Cycles.
- vii. Select "EVEN" of "Vallabh Steels Limited" which is 111879
- viii. Now you are ready for remote e-voting as Cast Vote page opens.
- ix. Cast your vote by selecting appropriate option and click on "Submit" and also "Confirm" when prompted.
- x. Upon confirmation, the message "Vote cast successfully" will be displayed.
- xi. Once you have voted on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
- xii. 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. together with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory(ies) who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer through e-mail to jatinsingal@gmail.com with a copy marked to evoting@nsdl.co.in.



### B. In case Members receiving the physical copy of Notice of 39th Annual General Meeting (for Members whose e-mail ids are not registered with the Company/Depositories or requesting physical copy):

- a. Initial password is provided in the attendance slip.
- b. Please follow all steps from SI. No. (ii) to SI. No. (xii) of 'A' above to cast vote.
- c. In case of any queries, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Members and remote e-voting user manual for Members available at the downloads section of www.evoting.nsdl.com or call on toll free no.: 1800-222-990.
- d. If you are already registered with NSDL for remote e-voting then you can use your existing user ID and password/PIN for casting your vote.
- e. You can also update your mobile number and e-mail id in the user profile details of the folio which may be used for sending future communication(s).
- f. Any person, who acquires shares and becomes member of the Company after dispatch of the notice and holding shares as on the cut-off date i.e. 22nd September, 2019, may also obtain the login ID and password by sending a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in or RTA, Mas Services Limited.

However, if you are already registered with NSDL for remote e-voting then you can use your existing user ID and password for casting your vote. If you forgot your password, you can reset your password by using "Forgot User Details/Password" option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com or contact NSDL at the following toll free no.: 1800-222-990.

g. A person, whose name is recorded in the register of members or in the register of beneficial owners maintained by the depositories as on the cut-off date only shall be entitled to avail the facility of remote e-voting as well as voting at the AGM.

#### C. General Instructions:

- i) The e-voting period shall commence at 9.00 a.m. on Wednesday, 25th September, 2019 and shall end at 5.00 p.m. on Friday, 27th September, 2019. During this period members of the Company, holding shares either in physical or in dematerialized form, as on the record date i.e. 22nd September, 2019, may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the member, the member shall not be allowed to change it subsequently.
- ii) The Company has appointed Mr. Jatin Singal, Practicing Company Secretary (Membership No. FCS 9716 & C.P. No. 11976) to act as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the voting at AGM and for e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner.
- iii) The Scrutinizer shall after the conclusion of voting at the AGM, 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 in writing, who shall countersign the same and declare the result of the voting forthwith.
- iv) The results declared alongwith the report of Scrutinizer shall be placed on the website of the Company at www.vallabhsteelsltd.in and on the website of NSDL immediately after the declaration of result by the Chairman or a person authorized by him and the same shall be communicated to Stock Exchange.
- v) Members are requested to support the "Green Initiative" by registering their E-mail address with the Company, if not already registered. Those members who have changed their E-mail ID are requested to register their new E-mail ID with the Depositary Participant where shares are held in Demat mode and in case the shares are held in physical form, may register the E-mail ID with the Registrar & Share Transfer Agent of the Company by sending a letter under their Registered Signature at the below mentioned address:

#### **Mas Services Limited**

T-34, 2nd Floor, Okhla Industrial Area, Phase- II, New Delhi- 110020, Phone: 011-26387281-83, Fax: 011- 26387384, E-mail: info@masserv.com

#### BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

PLACE : LUDHIANA DATED : 27.08.2019 Sd/-(KAPIL KUMAR JAIN) CHAIRMAN & MANAGING DIRECTOR DIN: 00755228





#### EXPLANATORY STATEMENT OF MATERIAL FACTS PURSUANT TO SECTION 102 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013 CONCERNING ITEM NOS. 3 TO 5 OF SPECIAL BUSINESS (AS PART OF NOTICE):

FOR ITEM NO. 3

The Board, on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, has approved the appointment and remuneration of M/s. Meenu & Associates, Cost Accountants as the Auditors to conduct the audit of the cost records of the Company for the financial year ending March 31, 2020.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 148 of the Act read with the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors as recommended by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors, has to be ratified by the members of the Company.

Accordingly, the Board has recommended and seeks consent of the members for passing an Ordinary Resolution as set out at Item No. 3 of the Notice for ratification of the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors for the financial year ending March 31, 2020.

None of the Directors/Key Managerial Personnel of the Company/their relatives are, in any way, concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the resolution set out at Item No. 3 of the Notice.

#### FOR ITEM NO. 4

The Board, on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, has approved the appointment and remuneration of M/s. RCS & Company, Company Secretaries as Secretarial Auditors to conduct the audit of the Company for the financial year 2019-20 pursuant to the provisions of Section 204 of the Act read with rule 9 of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014.

Accordingly, the Board recommended and seeks consent of the members for passing an Ordinary Resolution as set out at Item No. 4 of the Notice for appointment of the Secretarial Auditors for the financial year ending March 31, 2020.

None of the Directors/Key Managerial Personnel of the Company/their relatives are, in any way, concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the resolution set out at Item No. 4 of the Notice.

#### FOR ITEM NO. 5

Mr. Kapil Kumar Jain has been reappointed as Chairman & Managing Director of the company by the Board in its meeting held on 27th August, 2019 for a further period of five years with effect from 28.08.2019. As per the amendments in Schedule V (Section II) of the Companies Act, 2013 consent of the members of the Company by way of passing a Special Resolution is required for payment of remuneration to a Managerial person for a period not exceeding five years in case of Companies having no profits or inadequate profits.

The principal terms of remuneration of Mr. Kapil Kumar Jain as approved by the Remuneration Committee and by the Board of Directors of the Company w.e.f. 28.08.2019 for a further period of five years i.e. up to 27.08.2024 is given as under:

#### Salary:

The Chairman & Managing Director shall be paid a salary of upto Rs.3,00,000/- (Rs. Three Lacs only) per month.

#### Perquisites & Allowances:

Perquisites and Allowances have been allowed in addition to above salary and have been restricted to an amount of Rs.12,00,000/- (Rs. Twelve Lacs only) in a year as under:

#### i) Housing:

Free furnished accommodation or house rent allowance equal to 50% of the basic salary. Free furnishing shall also be provided by the company alongwith other amenities. The said facility shall, however, be subject to the policy framed by the company in this respect. The expenditure incurred by the company on the gas, electricity, water and furnishing shall be valued as per the Income Tax Rules, 1962.

#### ii) Medical Reimbursement:

Expenses incurred for self and the family (including Mediclaim Insurance Premium) subject to a ceiling of one month's salary in a year or three months salary over a period of three years.

iii) Leave:

Leave with full pay or encashment thereof as per the Rules of the Company.

#### iv) Leave Travel Concession:

For self and family, once in a year incurred in accordance with Rules specified by the company.

#### v) Club fees:

Fees of Clubs subject to a maximum of two clubs, excluding admission or life membership fees.

#### vi) Personal Accident Insurance:

Premium not to exceed Rs. 5,000/- per annum.



#### vii) Provident Fund:

Contribution to Provident fund, Superannuation Fund or Annuity Fund will not be included in the computation of the ceiling on perquisities to the extent either these singly or put together are not taxable under the Income Tax Act.

#### viii) Gratuity:

Gratuity payable shall not exceed half a month's salary for each completed year of service. This will, however, be subject to ceiling prescribed by the Central Government from time to time.

ix) Car:

Provision of car alongwith driver for use for company's business and telephone at residence will not be considered as perquisites. Personal long distance calls on telephone and use of car for private purpose shall be billed by the company to the appointee."

The Board recommend this resolution for your approvel.

#### MEMORANDUM OF INTEREST:

None of the Directors/Key Managerial personnel or their relatives except Mr. Kapil Kumar Jain, the appointee, is interested in the resolution.

The above may be treated as an abstract of the terms and conditions of appointment and notice of Interest under Section 190 of the Companies Act, 2013.

#### BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

PLACE : LUDHIANA DATED : 27.08.2019 Sd/-(KAPIL KUMAR JAIN) CHAIRMAN & MANAGING DIRECTOR DIN: 00755228

#### ANNEXURE TO THE NOTICE

DETAILS OF DIRECTOR SEEKING RE-APPOINTMENT AT THE FORTHCOMING ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING [Pursuant to Regulation 36(3) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and Clause 1.2.5 of the Secretarial Standard]

Name of Director	Mr. Kapil Kumar Jain	
Date of Birth and Age	12.08.1950, 69 Years	
Qualification and Experience	Graduate, 46 Years	
Date of Appointment on the Board	15.03.1992	
Relationship with other Directors, Manager and other Key	Not Related to any Director/ Key Managerial Personnel	
Managerial Personnel of the Company		
Expertise in Specific Functional Area	Mr. Kapil Kumar Jain has vast experience in Business	
	Management	
Names of other public entities in which the person hold the Directorship	None	
Names of other public entities in which the person holds	None	
Membership/Chairmanship of the Committees of the Board		
Shareholding in the Company as on March 31st, 2018	2,32,000 shares	
Number of the Meetings of the Board attended during the year	10/10 meetings attended	



#### DIRECTORS' REPORT

То

The Members,

Vallabh Steels Limited

We have pleasure in presenting the 39th Annual Report of the Company alongwith the Audited Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st March, 2019:

FINANCIAL RESULTS:

	(Rupees i			upees in Lakhs)
		Current Year		<b>Previous Year</b>
Revenue from Operations and Other Income		11689.13		14277.41
Profit before Interest, Depreciation and Tax		599.58		671.43
Less:				
Financial Costs	343.98		333.82	
Provision for Depreciation	235.17		270.60	
Taxes: Current Tax	4.92		12.83	
MAT Credit Entitlement	(4.92)		(12.83)	
Deferred Tax/Earlier year tax adjustment	(3.90)	575.25	(26.84)	577.58
Profit after Tax		24.33		93.85

#### **PERFORMANCE REVIEW:**

During the year under review, your Company has achieved a total revenue of Rs. 11689.13 lakhs as compared to Rs. 14277.41 lakhs of previous year. The net profit is placed at Rs. 24.33 lakhs as against Rs. 93.85 lakhs of previous year. The Company has registered profit before interest, depreciation and tax of Rs. 599.58 lakhs as compared to Rs. 671.43 lakhs of the previous year.

The management of the Company is seized of the matter and taking all out effective steps to face the various challenges and your company expects to register better performance in the years to come.

#### INDUSTRY AND ECONOMIC SCENARIO:

India is Third largest producer of steel in the world after China and Japan. Steel demand in India is expected to grow in 2019-20 based on expected growth in different sectors particularly construction and Real Estate and government spending on infrastructure. Recovery in Automotive Sector and Capital Goods Sectors is likely to lead to stronger growth in the coming years.

#### EVENTS SUBSEQUENT TO THE DATE OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS:

There are no material changes or commitments or events affecting the financial position of the Company which have occurred after March 31, 2019 till the date of this report.

#### CHANGE IN THE NATURE OF BUSINESS, IF ANY:

During the year under review, there are no changes in the nature of the business of the Company.

#### SHARE CAPITAL:

The Company's paid up equity share capital as at March 31, 2019 stood at Rs. 4,95,00,000/- comprising of 49,50,000 equity shares of Rs. 10/- each. During the year under review, the Company has not issued any fresh shares.

#### **EXPORTS**:

Despite all efforts made by the management for exports of its products, the company could not register any exports during the year under report.

#### **DIVIDEND AND RESERVES:**

With a view to conserve resources for Company's future requirements, your directors have not recommended any dividend for the year under consideration. The Board of Directors has decided to retain all the profits in statement of profits and loss.

#### LISTING OF SHARES:

The Equity Shares of the Company are listed at BSE Limited, Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street, Mumbai. The Company has duly paid the listing fee to BSE Limited, Mumbai upto the Financial Year 2019-20.



#### PUBLIC DEPOSITS:

Your Company has not accepted any deposits from the Public during the year within the ambit of Section 73 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Companies (Acceptance of Deposits) Rules, 2014.

#### DIRECTORS AND KEY MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL (KMP):

In accordance with the provisions of Section 152 of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Company's Articles of Association, Sh. Kapil Kumar Jain, Chairman and Managing Director of the Company (having DIN No. 00755228), retires by rotation at the forthcoming Annual General Meeting of the Company and being eligible offers himself for reappointment. The Board of Directors recommends his re-appointment.

The Company has received declaration of independence from all the Independent Directors of the Company that they meet the criteria of independence as prescribed both under the Companies Act, 2013 and SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

During the year under review, The Board of Directors on recommendation of Nomination and Remuneration Committee appointed Mrs. Chandni Jain as Company Secretary of the Company w.e.f. December 12, 2018. Subsequently Mrs. Chandni Jain has resigned on 1st August, 2019 and the Company is in the process of appointing a new Company Secretary.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 203 of the Act, the Key Managerial Personnel of the Company are Mr. Kapil Kumar Jain, Managing Director and Mr. Suresh Gupta, Chief Financial Officer.

#### INTERNAL FINANCIAL CONTROLS:

Your Company has an adequate system of internal control in place which has been designed to provide a reasonable assurance with regard to maintenance of proper accounting controls, monitoring of operations, protecting assets from unauthorized use or losses, compliance with regulations and for ensuring reliability of financial reporting as detailed in Management Discussions and Analysis.

#### POLICY ON DIRECTORS' APPOINTMENT AND REMUNERATION AND OTHER DETAILS:

The Company's policy on directors' appointment and remuneration and other matters provided in Section 178 of the Companies Act, 2013 has been disclosed in the Corporate Governance Report, which forms part of this report. **MEETINGS:** 

A draft calendar of Meetings is prepared and circulated in advance to the Directors. During the year 10 (Ten) Board Meetings and 5 (Five) Audit Committee Meetings were convened and held. The details of which are given in the Corporate Governance Report. The intervening gap between two meetings was within the stipulated period prescribed under the Companies Act, 2013.

#### MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS:

Your Directors are pleased to present the Management's Discussion and Analysis of operations for the year ended March 31, 2019 attached as **Annexure-I** which forms part of this Annual Report.

#### **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE:**

Your Company is committed to maintain highest standards of Corporate Governance and adheres to the corporate governance requirements as set out by Securities and Exchange Board of India ('SEBI'). Pursuant to the provision of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. A detailed report on Corporate Governance is attached as **Annexure-II** and forms part of this Annual Report. The Company is in compliance with the various requirements and disclosures that have to be made in this regard. A certificate from the Auditors confirming compliance of the conditions of Corporate Governance as stipulated under the Listing Regulations is attached and forms part of this Annual Report.

#### VIGIL MECHANISM / WHISTLE BLOWER POLICY:

The Company has a Vigil Mechanism named Fraud and Risk Management Policy to deal with instances of fraud and mismanagement, if any. In staying true to our values of Strength, Performance and Passion and in line with our vision of being one of the respected companies in India, the Company is committed to the high standards of corporate governance and stakeholder's responsibility.

The Company has established a Whistle Blower Policy and the same has been uploaded on the Company's website www.vallabhsteelsltd.in The said policy has also been made available at the offices/ manufacturing units to enable the employees to report their concerns, if any, directly to the Chairman of the Board and to the Chairman of the Audit Committee. The new employees are also given details of Whistle Blower Policy at the time of joining the Company. There were no occasions during the year under review where any concerns were reported under the said policy.