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ZODIAC - JRD - MKJ - LIMITED

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FOURTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT 2000-2001



BOARD OF DIRECTORS

- 1. Mr. Jayantilal Jhaveri (Chairman)
- 2. Mr. Jayesh Jhaveri (Managing Director)
- 3. Mr. Devang Jhaveri
- 4. Mr. Ramesh Jhaveri
- 5. Mr. Rajnikant Jhaveri
- 6. Mr. Rajnikant Chokshi

AUDITORS

M/s. Arun Ganatra & Co. Chartered Accountants

BANKERS

ABN- AMRO BANK N.V BANK OF INDIA

REGISTRARS & TRANSFER AGENT

INTIME SPECTRUM REGISTRY PVT. LTD. 260-A, Shanti Industrial Estate, Sarojini Naidu Marg, Mulund (West), Mumbai - 400 080. Tel.: 564 7731, 568 4590, 568 4591

REGISTRERED OFFICE

910, Parekh Market, 39 J.S.S. Road, Opera House, Mumbai 400 004.

FACTORY

VARDHAMAN INDUSTRIAL PREMISES CO-OP. SOCIETY LTD. Gala NO. 202-206 S.V. Road, Dahisar (E) Mumbai - 400 068.



NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourteen Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of ZODIAC-JRD-MKJ LIMITED will be held on Thursday, 27th September, 2001 at 11.30 A.M. at Thackers Caterers, Birla Krida Kendra Restaurant, Chowpatty, Mumbai-400 007 to transact the following business:

ORDINARY BUSINESS:

- To consider and adopt the Audited Balance Sheet as at 31st March, 2001 and Profit and Loss Account for the year ended on that date and the Report of the Directors and Auditors thereon.
- 2. To declare a dividend.
- 3. To appoint a Director in place of Mr. Rajnikant Jhaveri who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment.
- To appoint a Director in place of Mr. Rameshchandra Jhaveri who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for reappointment.
- To appoint Auditors and to fix their remuneration from the conclusion this Annual General Meeting until the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting.
- Notes:
- A member entitled to attend and vote is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote instead of himself/hereself and the proxy need not be a member. Proxies in order to be effective must be received at the Registered office of the Company, not less than 48 hours before the commencement of the meeting.
- The Register of Members and the Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from

- Thursday, 20th September, 2001 to Thursday, 27th September, 2001 (both days inclusive).
- Members are requested to inform the changes, if any, in their registered addresses to the Company's Registrars and Share Transfer Agents M/s Intime Spectrum Registry Private Limited, 260-A, Shanti Industrial Estate, Sarojini Naidu Marg, Mulund (West), Mumbai-400 080.
- 4. For convenience of members, an attendance slip is annexed to the proxy form. Members are requested to affix their signature at the space provided and handover the attendance slip at the place of the meeting.
- Queries on accounts and operations of the Company, if any, may please be sent to the Company seven days in advance of the meeting so that the answers may be readily available at the meeting.
- Members are requested to kindly bring their copies of the Report and Accounts to the meeting.
- Your Company is under Compulsary Demat list by SEBI AND Stock Exchange from August, 2000.

By order of the Board of Directors
For ZODIAC-JRD-MKJ LIMITED

JAYESH JHAVERI Managing Director

Register Office:
910, Parekh Market,
39, J.S.S.Road,
Mumbai-400 004

Date : 31st July, 2001

Place: Mumbai



DIRECTOR'S REPORT

The Members. ZODIAC-JRD-MKJ LIMITED.

The Directors have pleasure in presenting the Annual Report together with the Audited Accounts for the year ended 31st March, 2001.

(1) FINANCIAL RESULTS:

Ye	ear ended	Year ended
3:	1-03-2001	31-03-2000
(Rs.	In Lakhs)	(Rs.In Lakhs)
TOTAL INCOME	1587.12	2,352.10
Net Profit before Depreciation and Interest	161.47	253.30
Less: Depreciation	7.31	7.24
Interest	1.06	0.08
Profit Before Tax	153.10	245.98
Less: Provision for Tax	16.00	<u> 15.00</u>
Profit After Tax	137.10	230.98
Balance Profit brought forward	3048.71	2,840.42
Tax Adjustments of previous year	ar (2.51)	0.00
Amount available for appropriations	3,183.30	3,071.40
Less: Appropriations		
Proposed Dividend	20.26	0.00
Interim Dividend	0.00	20.26
Tax on distributed Profit	2.03	2.43
BALANCE CARRIED TO	3,161.01	3,048.71
BALANCE SHEET		

DIVIDEND: 2.

Your Directors are please to recommend a Final dividend @ 5% i.e Rs.0.50 per share for the year ended 31st March, 2001. We are sure that the shareholders will approve the cautious approach.

DIRECTORS:

In accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 1956 and the Company's Articles of Association, Mr. Rajnikant Jhaveri and Mr. Ramesh Jhaveri Directors of the Company retire by rotation, and are eligible for re-appointment.

DEPOSITORY:

The company has signed an agreement with National Depository Services Limited as well Central Depository Services (India) Limited facilitating the equity shareholder of the Company to hold their equity holding in Company in electronic form.

FIXED DEPOSITS:

The Company has not accepted any fixed deposits from the public during the year under review.

AUDITORS:

The Auditors M/s. Arun Ganatra & Co., Chartered Accountants, retire at the ensuing Annual General Meeting and they being eligible offer themselves for re-appointment.

CONSERVATION OF ENERGY, TECHNOLOGY **ABSORPTION & FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNINGS/**

The Company does not have any activities related to conservation of Energy and Technology absorption. During the year foreign exchange outgo was Rs.17.82 Lacs. The foreign exchange earned during the year was Rs.1485.68 Lacs. Net foreign exchange earned by the company during the financial year is Rs.1467.86 lacs.

PARTICULARS OF EMPLOYEES:

The Company has no employee in the category specified under Section 217 (2A) of the Companies Act, 1956.

DIRECTORS RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT Directors hereby confirm:

- That in the preparation of the annual accounts, the applicable accounting standards have been followed along with proper explanation relating to material departures;
- That the Directors have selected such accounting policies and applied them consistently and made judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent so as to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company at the end of the financial year and of the profit or loss of the company for that period;
- That the Directors have taken proper and sufficient care for the maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provision of the Companies Act 1956, for safeguarding the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting fraud and other irregularities;
- That the Directors have prepared the annual accounts on a going concern basis.

10. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:

Your Directors take this opportunity of thanking the shareholders, Bankers, Auditors, Registrars, Business Associates and all Employees of the Company for their co-operation received during the

> By order of the Board of Directors For ZODIAC-JRD-MKJ LIMITED

JAYESH JHAVERI Rajnikant Jhaveri Managing Director Director

Register Office:

910, Parekh Market,

39, J.S.S.Road, Opera house,

Mumbai-400 004

Date: 31st July, 2001 Place: Mumbai



AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Members Of ZODIAC-JRD-MKJ LIMITED.

We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of ZODIAC-JRD-MKJ LIMITED as at 31" March, 2001 and also the Profit & Loss Account for the year ended on that date annexed thereto, and report that:

- As required by the Manufacturing and Other Companies (Auditors Report) Order, 1988, issued by Company Law Board in terms of Section 227 (4A) of the Companies Act, 1956, as per information & explanation given to us, we give in the Annexure, a statement on the matters specified in Paragraph 4 & 5 of the said Order.
- Further to our comments in the Annexure referred to in Paragraph 1 above:
 - We have obtained all the information and explanation which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit.
 - (b) In our opinion, proper books of accounts as required by law have been kept by the Company so far as it appears from our examination of the books of the Company.
 - (c) The Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Account referred to in this report are in agreement with the books of accounts, are in compliance with the accounting standards referred to in Sec.211 (3C) of the Companies Act, 1956.
 - (d) On the basis of written representations received from the directors as on 31stMarch, 2001 and taken on record by the Board of Directors, we report that none of the directors is disqualified as on 31st March, 2001 from being appointed as a director in terms of section 274(1) (g) of the Companies Act, 1956.
 - (e) In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us and other notes forming part of the report the information required by the Companies Act, 1956 in the manner so required and give true and fair view:
 - (i) In the case of the Balance Sheet of the state of the Company's affairs as at 31st March, 2001 and
 - (ii) In the case of Profit and Loss Account of the profit for the year ended on that date.

For ARUN GANATRA & CO., **Chartered Accountants**

Mumbai.

(A. L. GANATRA)

Dated: this 31st day of July, 2001.

Proprietor

ANNEXURE TO THE AUDITOR'S REPORT

(Referred to in paragraph 1 of our report of even date on the accounts for the year ended 31st March, 2001 of ZODIAC - JRD - MKJ LIMITED.)

- The Company has maintained proper records showing full particulars including quantitative details and situation of fixed assets. We have been informed that the fixed assets have been physically verified by the management during the year. In our opinion, the frequency of verification is reasonable with the available records. No material discrepancies were found on such verification.
- None of the fixed assets have been revalued during the year.
- As explained to us, the stock of stores, spare parts, raw materials and finished goods have been physically verified by the management at reasonable intervals during the year and at the close of the year. In our opinion, considering the size of the operations and nature of business of the company, the frequency of such verification is considered to be reasonable.
- According to the information and explanations given to us, in our opinion the procedures of physical verification of stocks followed by the management are reasonable and adequate in relation to the size of the company and the nature of its business.
- The discrepancies noticed on verification between the physical stocks and book records were not material and the same have been properly dealt with in books of accounts.
- The valuation of finished goods (polished diamonds & diamonds studded in gold jewellery in the current year has been made "at Average Cost Price", which is in confirmity with the requirement of AS - 2 prescribad by ICAL. In the previous year the valuation of the finished goods (polished diamonds & diamonds studded in gold jewellery) had been made at "Estimated Market Value" which was not in confirmity with requirement of AS-2 prescribed by ICAI. On the basis of the stock record of the company and subject to the above remarks and after considering the explantion offered by the company in our opinion, the Valuation of stock is fair and proper in accordance with the normally accounting principles.
- The Company has paid advance for purchase of office premises DW561 at Bharat Diamond Bourse, Bandra, in previous years out of its own funds as advance