

## AGARWAL INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION LIMITED

Petrochemicals (Manufacturers & Traders of Bitumen & Bituminous Products) ● Logistics for Bitumen & LPG ● Wind Mills.

CIN NO.: L99999MH1995PLC084618

August 23, 2023

To,

#### **BSE** Limited

Corporate Relationship Department P.J. Towers, Dalal Street, Mumbai - 400 001 Scrip Code - 531921

#### National Stock Exchange of India Limited

'Exchange Plaza' C-1, Block G, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E),

Mumbai - 400 051

Symbol: AGARIND; Series: EQ

Sub: Submission of 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Report (F.Y. 2022-23) including Notice of the Twenty Ninth Annual General Meeting (F.Y. 2022-23) under Regulation 34 & Regulation 36 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

#### Dear Sir/Madam,

We are pleased to attach herewith, 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Report (F.Y. 2022-23) including Notice of the Twenty Ninth Annual General Meeting (F.Y. 2022-23) under Regulation 34 & Regulation 36 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 which has been dispatched to all the Members of the Company today i.e. August 23, 2023, in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules made thereunder (as amended) and the SEBI (LODR), Regulations 2015.

The Annual Report including Notice is also uploaded on the Company's website www.aicltd.in.

This is for your kind information and records.

Thanking You,

For Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited

Dipali Pitale
Company Secretary

Encl: a/a





### AGARWAL INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION LIMITED

- We value relationships





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# Highest ever numbers reported in FY 2022-23



25+ **Manufacturing Facilities Sales Network Locations Countries Served Bulk Storage Terminals Satisfied Customers** Fleet size count relates to entire Agarwal Group \*TeamSizeincludescontractworkers

#### **Consolidated Financial Highlights FY23**

₹2024.08 Crs

**1** 26%

₹144.57 Crs

**1** 32%

₹92.25 Crs

**1** 45%

#### Consolidated Financial Highlights Q4FY23

₹660.18 Crs

₹43.20 Crs

**15%** 

₹28.30 Crs

**12**%

## Management Perspective

We are happy to report that AICL has continued to demonstrate phenomenal results in the FY23. We have reported a 26.35% year-on-year (YoY) jump in consolidated revenue from operations at Rs 2024.08 crores. Our EBIDTA has increased by 32.03 % at Rs. 144.57 crore and we reported PAT of Rs. 92.25 crore with an increase of 44.87%. We are committed to serve our nation by being an integral part of Indian Infrastructure development. We function as an Infraancillary for the transport & logistics segments because of our powerful logistical assets & infrastructure. We continue our stand of being the largest bitumen player in the private sector in India.

Our performance has seen a steady growth journey year on year and this has led us to have continual strategic expansion plans to grow our capacities. We now own a fleet of 8 large vessels having total capacity of around 48550 MT which are used in importing raw bitumen from oil producing countries. In Budget 2023 Road ministry got a 36% hike in allocation at Rs 2.7 lakh cr for 2023-24, to help the ministry meet the 25,000-km road development target announced in the 2022-23 Budget. This development pace is creating a huge demand for road materials, thereby our responsibilities of catering Bitumen has further increased. The market opportunity is tremendous and we have captured almost 20%-30% of the bulk market share in Bitumen in the private sector.

Expecting strong growth in infrastructure activity and based on the current market trend and order pipeline, we have a strong guidance of sustainable long-term growth.

Mr. Lalit Agarwal Whole Time Director In Budget 2023 Road ministry got a 36% hike in allocation at ₹2.7 lakh cr for 2023-24, to help the ministry meet the 25,000-km road development target announced in the 2022-23 Budget.



## **Financial** Highlights

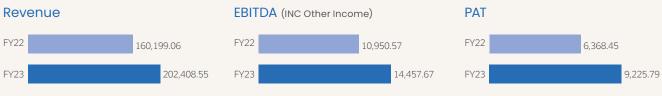
Highest ever Revenue & EBITDA posted in FY23

#### **Consolidated FY23 Highlights**

- ₹1601.99 Crs in FY22.
- ₹109.50 Crs in FY22.
- Rise in revenue by 26.35% in FY23 at ₹2024.08 Crs. v/s Increase in PBT by 41.56 % to ₹109.76 Crs. in FY23 v/s ₹77.53 Crs in FY22.
- EBIDTA growth of 32.03% to ₹144.57 Crs. in FY23 v/s PAT growth by 44.87% to Rs. 92.25 Crs. in FY23 v/s ₹63.68 Crs. in FY22.

#### **FY22 V/S FY23**



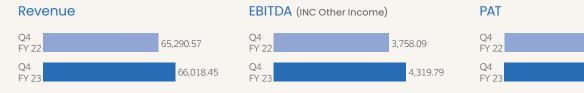


#### **CONSOLIDATED Q4FY23 HIGHLIGHTS**

- Rise in revenue by 1.11% in Q4FY23 at ₹660.18 Crs. v/s Increase in PBT by 16.12% to ₹33.30 Crs. in Q4FY23 v/s ₹652.90 Crs in Q4FY22.
- ₹37.58 Crs in Q4FY22
- ₹28.68 Crs in Q4FY22.
- EBIDTA growth of 14.95% to ₹43.19 Crs. in Q4FY23 v/s PAT growth by 19.26% to ₹28.29 Crs. in Q4FY23 v/s ₹23.72 Crs. in Q4FY22.

#### Q4 FY22 V/S Q4 FY23

(₹ in lakhs)



2,829.64

<sup>\*</sup>EBITDA is inclusive of other income

## Growth in every segment

#### Segment wise revenue (Consolidated)

(₹ in Lakhs)

FY21-22	FY22-23	Growth YOY %
134926.2	170490.5	26.36%
12981.37	17702.74	36.37%
6512.24	7508.77	15.30%
6664.23	7557.55	13.40%
123.72	99.12	-19.88%
836.88	1339.33	60.04%
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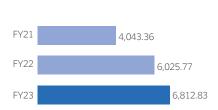
#### **CONTRIBUTION TO REVENUE**

Particulars	FY21-22	FY22-23
Bitumen & Allied Products	84.22%	84.23%
Bitumen Vessel Logistics	8.10%	8.75%
Petroleum Products	4.07%	3.71%
Road Logistics	4.16%	3.73%
Wind Mill	0.08%	0.05%
Other (Unallocable)	0.52%	0.66%

Intersegment Revenue For FY 21-22 was (1845.58) Lacs & FY 22-23 was (2289.49) Lacs

#### **Robust Financial Snapshot**

EBITDA (Bitumen & Allied Products) (₹ in lakhs)

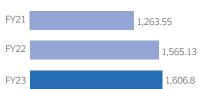


## Volume of Bitumen (in MT Tones)

FY21 3,20,000 FY22 3,85,000

#### EBITDA Per MT Ton

(Bitumen & Allied Products) (₹ in lakhs)



#### Volume of Bitumen Vessel

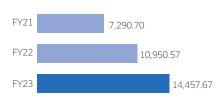
(in MT Tones)

FY21 12,150 FY22 28,650

#### PAT Margin



#### EBITDA (₹ in lakhs)



# Continuous strengthening of Vessel to Support core Bitumen business

- The economies we achieve with own fleet of bitumen logistic vessels and road transport vehicles enable us to outbid competitors, secure tenders and ensure high standards of supply and service to our customers.
- Eight large bitumen logistic vessels having total capacity of 48550 MT, through our Wholly Owned Subsidiary, AICL Overseas FZ LLC, which are used in importing raw bitumen from Oil Producing Countries.
- Continuous addition of vessels to support Core business FY 2020 1 Vessel with capacity 4750 tons FY 2021 2 Vessels with total Capacity 7400 tons FY 2022 addition of 2 Vessels with total Capacity to 16500 tons FY 2023 addition of 3 Vessels with total Capacity 19900 tons.

#### **Cumilative Capacity**

(Tons)

#### 2019-20

4,750



#### 2020-21

12,150



#### 2021-22

28,650



#### 2022-23

48,550



#### **Vessel Utilization**

#### Total Volume Bitumen

(Lakh MT Tone)



#### Total Bitumen transported through own vessels

(Lakh MT Tone)



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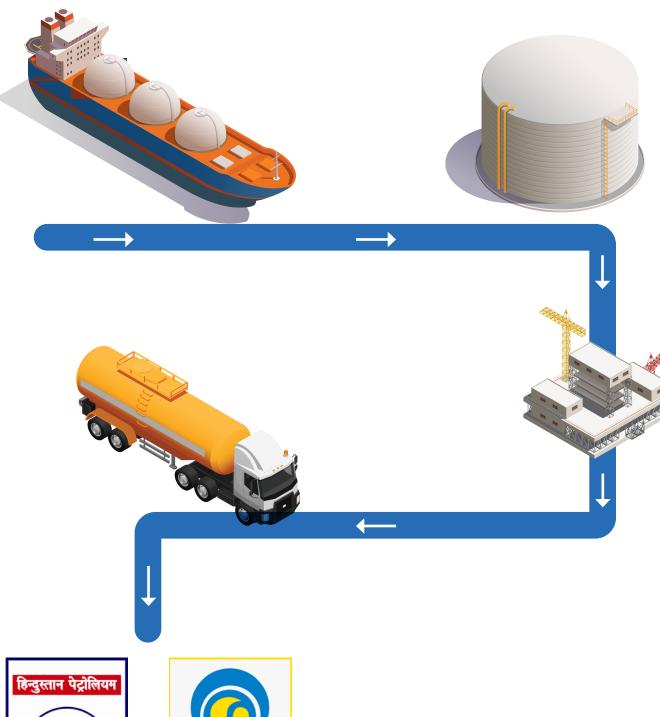
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# INDIA'S LARGEST INTEGRATED PLAYER IN TRANSPORTING BITUMEN

Integrated infra-ancillary company focused on bitumen. Market-leading position in bitumen built on presence throughout the supply chain with 8 Bitumen logistcs vessel of 48550 MT. ton of Capacity 650+ Fleet Size Consisting of 350+ Bitumen Tankers & 300+ LPG Tankers.

Strong liquidity and risk management discipline, providing a robust financial base and the capacity to participate in financing and investments.

#### LAST MILE CONNECTIVITY







# Continuing Market Leadership in Bitumen in India

## India's largest **Bitumen company** In private sector

Financial year Revenue (Lakh MT Tone)





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## **Large Entry Barriers**

# Agarwal building capacity y-o-y across India in manufacturing and terminal storage

- 8 bitumen vessels
- 6 Manufacturing facilities
- 7 Sales network location
- 7 Bulk storage terminals.



## Efficiently utilizing 30000Mt of Storage Capacity

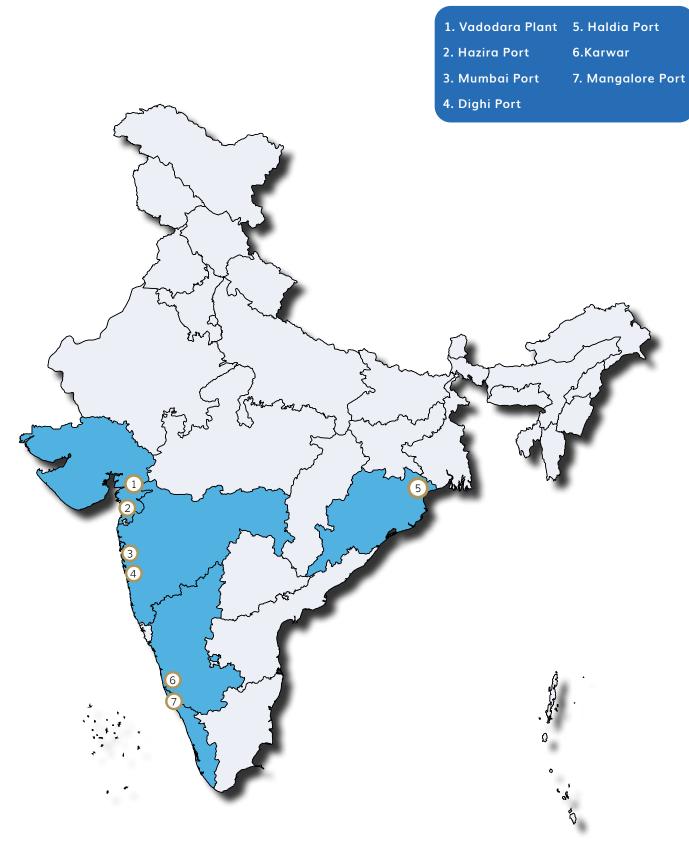
• Large utilization of storage capacity leading to reduced throughput rate for additional metric ton stored



## Bitumen will continue to outperform Cement roads.

- Safety concerns in concrete roads higher as vehicles likely to slip or slide owning to rain and snow.
- Cement roads have high initial cost of construction
- Greater maintenance issue as whole slab has to be replaced when roads rupture.
- Paving cost for cement roads are higher compared to bitumen roads.





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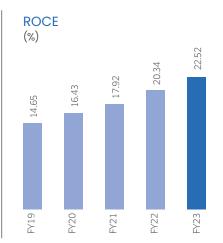
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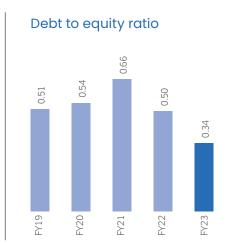
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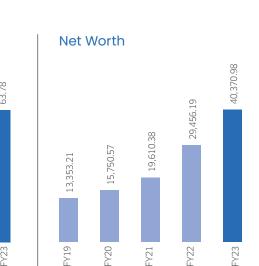
## Story through charts



**EPS Growth** 









## We are among Asia-Pacific High Growth Companies

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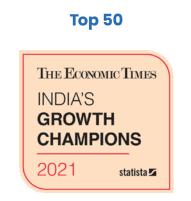


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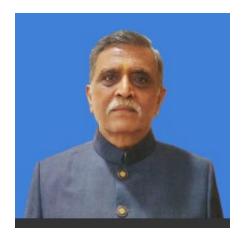
# Top 100 Asia-Pacific SMEs in India 2017





Agarwal Industrial Corporation Ltd

## Our pillars of strength



Shri Jaiprakash Agarwal Managing Director (Executive, Non Independent Director)



Shri Ramchandra Agarwal Whole Time Director (Executive, Non Independent Director)



Shri Mahendra Agarwal Director (Non Executive, Non Independent Director)



**Shri Lalit Agarwal** Whole Time Director (Executive, Non Independent Director)



**Vipin Agarwal** 

## Balanced board with experience & expertise

#### **Board Demographics**

**Highly Engaged Board** 

- Actively involved in AICL's
- Strategic transformation.

#### **Meetings During FY 2023**



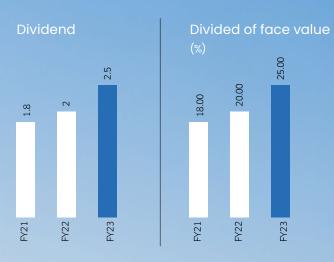
#### **Board Independence**

- 4/10 Independent directors.
- 5/10Non-Executive directors.
- 1 Women director.



## Consistent Dividend Yield Creating **Shareholders Wealth**

The company has consistently paid out dividend creating wealth maximization for shareholders



## Synopsis

**Investing For Growth** 

#### **Incremental Bitumen Vessel Addition**

ROCE through investments and operational efficiencies.

#### **Enter in the new markets**

Company has plans to enter into the Bitumen market in North **P/E:** 9.69

#### Rapid Infrastructure growth in India to boost revenue.

Well positioned to accelerate growth with Capabilities & Solid

#### **Highest Ever Operating Revenue & Profit**

RoCE with a **2 Enterprise** value to Capital Employed

Market Cap: ₹895 Cr

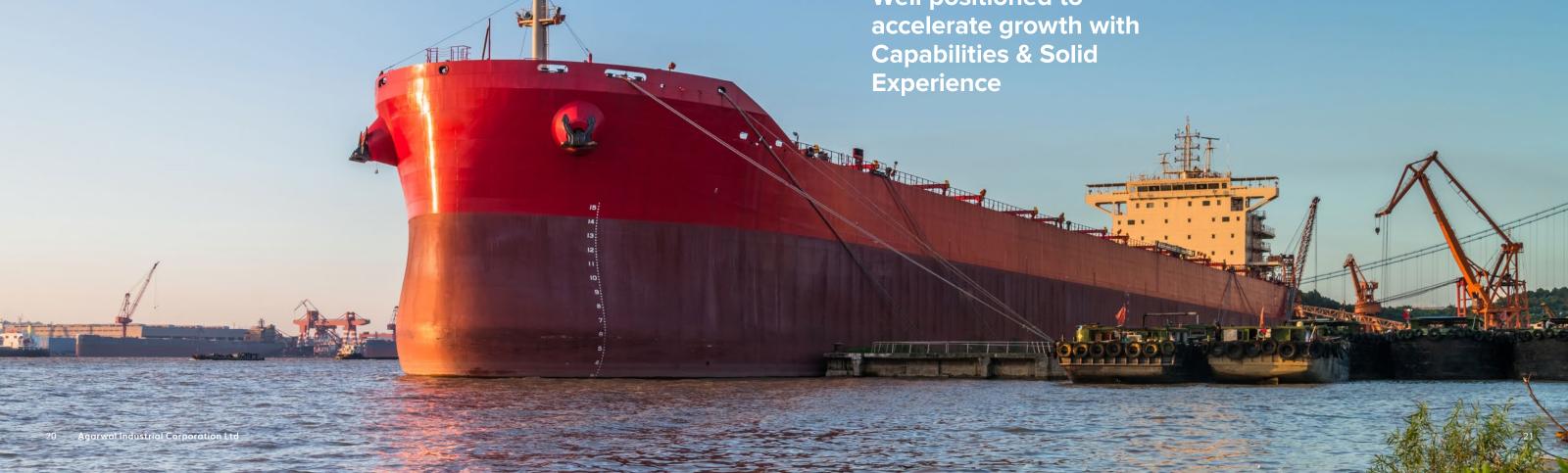
Stock Price: 598

**ROE:** 22.85%

**RoCE:** 22.52%

Debt to Equity: 0.34

Working Capital Days: 25



#### CORPORATE INFORMATION

#### TWENTY NINTH ANNUAL REPORT F.Y. 2022-2023

BOARD OF Mr. Jaiprakash Agarwal Mr. Harikrishna Patni DIRECTORS Managing Director Independent Director

Mr. Ramchandra AgarwalMr. Rajkumar MehtaWhole Time DirectorIndependent DirectorMr. Mahendra AgarwalMr. Alok BhararaNon Independent, Non-Executive DirectorIndependent Director

Mr. Lalit Agarwal Ms. Priti Lodha

Whole Time Director Independent Woman Director

KEY MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER COMPANY SECRETARY

Mr. Vipin Agarwal Ms. Dipali Pitale

AUDITORS M/S LADHA SINGHAL & ASSOCIATES

Chartered Accountants, Mumbai – 400 093

REGISTERED OFFICE Eastern Court, Unit No. 201-202, Plot No. 12, V. N. Purav Marg,

S.T. Road, Chembur, Mumbai – 400071

Phone Nos: +91-22-5291149/50 Fax: +91-22-25291147 Website: www.aicltd.in E-mail: contact@aicltd.in

REGISTRARS & SHARE UNIVERSAL CAPITAL SECURITIES PVT LTD.

TRANSFER AGENTS C 101, 247 Park, LBS Road, Vikhroli West, Mumbai – 400083

Tel Nos.: 022-49186178-79 Fax No.: 022-49186060

Contact Person: Mr. Ravindra Utekar

**BSE SCRIP ID AND CODE** ID –AGARIND Code – 531921

NSE SCRIP ID AND CODE Scrip ID and Code: Symbol – AGARIND Series – EQ

PLANTS Taloja - Plot No. 36 -37, New Chemical Zone, Near PCI, MIDC, Taloja, Dist. Raigad,

Maharashtra

Baroda - Plot No. 49, Ranoli Industrial Area, GDIC, Ranoli, Vadodra, Gujarat
 Belgaum - Plot No. 40, KIADB, Honga Industrial Area, Honga, Belgaum, Karnataka
 Hyderabad - Survey No. 196/P, Elikatta Village, Shad Nagar- Pargi Road, Farooq Nagar

Mandal, Telangana- 509216

\*Cochin - Building No. II 1,2,3, Ambalamugal P.O. Ernakulam KL 682302

(Wholly Owned Subsidiary)

Guwahati - Village Sotsil and Borsil, Rangia Revenue Circle, Kamrup - 781354

Pachpadra - District Balotra, Rajsthan

BULK BITUMEN IMPORT &

STORAGE FACILITIES

Karwar (Karnataka), Haldia Port, Dighi Port, Hazira Port (Gujarat), Mangalore

(Karnataka), Mumbai (Maharashtra)

WORKSHOP Shahapur, Asangaon (Maharashtra)

BANKERS Kotak Mahindra Bank Citi Bank

IDFC First Bank Ltd HDFC Bank Ltd

WHOLLY OWNED SUBSIDIARIES Bituminex Cochin Private Limited, Kochi

AICL OVERSEAS - FZ LLC

Agarwal Translink Private Limited AICL Finance Private Limited

#### AGARWAL INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN: L99999MH1995PLC084618)

Registered Office: Eastern Court, Unit No. 201 -202, Plot No. 12, V. N. Purav Marg, S. T. Road, Chembur, Mumbai

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Tel. Nos: +91-22-25291149/50; Fax No.: +91-22-25291147: Website: www.aicltd.in; E-mail: contact@aicltd.in

#### **NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

Notice is hereby given that the Twenty Ninth Annual General Meeting of the Members of Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited to be held through Video Conferencing on **Friday, September 15, 2023 at 12.00 Noon** in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 read with MCA General Circular No. 10/2022 dated 28th December, 2022, to transact the following business:

#### **ORDINARY BUSINESS**

- 1. To receive, consider and adopt:
  - (a) the Audited Standalone Financial Statements of the Company for the Financial Year ended March 31, 2023 along with the Reports of the Board of Directors and Independent Auditors thereon: and
  - (b) the Audited Consolidated Financial Statements of the Company for the Financial Year ended March 31, 2023 along with the Report of the Independent Auditors thereon.
- 2. To declare Dividend on Equity Shares for the Financial Year 2022-2023.
- **3.** To appoint a Director in place of Mr. Lalit Agarwal (DIN- 01335107), who retires by rotation, and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment.
- 4. To ratify appointment of Statutory Auditors under the second term: in this regard, to consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following Resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT, pursuant to the provisions of Section 139 and 142 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 ("Rules") (including any statutory modification or re-enactment thereof, for the time being in force), the Company hereby ratifies the appointment of M/s Ladha Singhal & Associates, Chartered Accountants, 202, Metro Avenue, Parera Hill Road, Near WEH Metro Station, Off. Andheri Kurla Road, Andheri East, Mumbai -400 099, as the Auditors of the Company (under the second term of 5 years), to hold office from the conclusion of this Annual General Meeting (AGM) till the conclusion of the next AGM of the Company."

#### **SPECIAL BUSINESS**

#### 5. Related Party Transactions:

To consider and, if thought fit to pass, with or without modification(s), the following Resolution as a **Special Resolution:** 

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to Section 188 of the Companies Act, 2013 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the rules made thereunder, as amended (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force), and as per the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and further pursuant to the approval of Board of Directors and the Audit Committee with regard to omnibus approval for related party transactions on annual basis for the F.Y. 2023-2024, in their respective meetings held on 23rd May, 2023, the consent of the Company be and is hereby accorded for omnibus approval for entering into contract or arrangement with the related parties on annual basis for the financial year 2023-2024, as defined under the said Act and the Rules made thereunder, as amended, as set out under Item No. 05 of the Explanatory Statement annexed to this Notice."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors be and is hereby severally authorized to perform and execute all such acts, deeds, matters and things including delegate such authority, as may be deemed necessary, proper or expedient to give effect to this resolution and for the matters connected herewith or incidental hereto."

#### 6. Appointment of Cost Auditors:

To consider and, if thought fit to pass, with or without modification(s), 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 (Cost Records and Audit) Rules, 2014 as amended from time to time (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactments thereof, for the time being in force), Mr. Vinayak Kulkarni, Cost Accountant (Membership No - 28559), the Cost Auditors appointed by the Board of Directors of the Company and the Audit Committee

of the Board to conduct the cost records of the Company for relevant segments for the financial year ending March 31, 2024, be paid the remuneration as set out under **Item No.06** of the Explanatory Statement annexed to the Notice convening this meeting."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors be and is hereby severally authorized to perform and execute all such acts, deeds, matters and things including delegate such authority, as may be deemed necessary, proper or expedient to give effect to this resolution and for the matters connected herewith or incidental hereto."

By Order of the Board of Directors **Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited** 

Dipali Pitale (A36192)

Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Place: Mumbai

Dated: August 14, 2023

#### Registered Office:

Eastern Court, Unit No. 201-202, Plot No. 12, V. N. Purav Marg, S. T. Road, Chembur, Mumbai - 400071.

#### **NOTES:**

- 1. The Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") has vide its circular dated 28th December 2022 have permitted convening the Annual General Meeting ("AGM" / "Meeting") through Video Conferencing ("VC") or Other Audio Visual Means, without the physical presence of the members at a common venue. In accordance with the MCA Circulars, provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act') and the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations"), the AGM of the Company is being held through VC. The deemed venue for the AGM shall be the Registered Office of the Company.
- 2. A statement pursuant to Section 102(1) of the Act, relating to the Special Business to be transacted at the AGM is annexed hereto.
- 3. Generally, a member entitled to attend and vote at the meeting is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote on a poll instead of himself and the proxy need not be a member of the Company. Since this AGM is being held through VC pursuant to the MCA Circulars, physical attendance of members has been dispensed with. Accordingly, the facility for appointment of proxies by the members will not be available for the AGM and hence the Proxy Form and Attendance Slip are not annexed hereto.
- 4. Since the AGM will be held through VC, the route map of the venue of the Meeting is not annexed hereto.

- 5. In terms of Section 152 of the Companies Act, 2013, Mr. Lalit Agarwal (DIN- 01335107) retires by rotation at the Meeting and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment. The Board of Directors of the Company recommends his reappointment. A brief resume of Mr. Lalit Agarwal is provided herewith, as stipulated under Regulation 36 (3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 interest, if any, in the Company.
- 6. Member who wants to seek any information or clarification on the Accounts are requested to send in written queries to the Company on its email id at cs@aicltd.in at least one week before the date of the Annual General Meeting.
- 7. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 91 of the Companies Act, 2013, the Share Transfer Books and the Register of Members shall remain closed from **September 09, 2023 to September 15, 2023,** both days inclusive.
- The Board of Directors have recommended a dividend of ₹2.50 per Equity Share of the Face Value of ₹10/-each fully paid-up for the Financial Year ended March 31, 2023. If declared at the Annual General Meeting, the same will be paid to the shareholders, whose names are on the Register of Members as on September 08, 2023 (Cut off Date) and shall be paid in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rules made thereunder, as amended.
- 9. Pursuant to the amendments introduced by the Finance Act, 2020 the Company will be required to

withhold taxes at the prescribed rates on the dividend paid to its shareholders w.e.f. 1st April 2020. No tax will be deducted on payment of dividend to the resident individual shareholders if the total dividend paid does not exceed ₹5,000/-. The withholding tax rate would vary depending on the residential status of the shareholder and documents registered with the Company.

10. The Company's Registrar and Transfer Agents for its Share Registry Work (Physical and Electronic) are:

#### Universal Capital Securities Pvt. Ltd.

#### (Formerly known as Mondkar Computers Pvt. Ltd.)

C 101, 247 Park, LBS Road, Vikhroli (West), Mumbai- 400083.

T:+91 (022) 49186178-79 F: +91 (022) 49186060 E:info@ unisec.in; W:www.unisec.in

## Name of Scrutinizer for 29th Annual General Meeting: P. M. Vala & Associates (Company Secretaries)

Shop No.1, Laxmi Sadan CHS. Ltd., Opp. New Rose Villa, Daji Ramchandra Road, Charai, Thane (West) - 400 601

Ph: 022-2538 0966

#### 12. Members are requested to:

- a) intimate to the Depository Participant, changes if any, in their registered addresses/ bank account details/ email ids/mandates/ nominations/ power of attorney/ contact numbers, if the shares are held in dematerialized form.
- b) intimate to the Company's RTA, at the address given in point no. 10, changes if any, registered addresses/ bank account details/ email ids/ mandates/ nominations/ power of attorney/ contact numbers, if the shares are held in physical form (having share certificates)
- c) consolidate their holdings into one folio in case they hold shares under multiple folios in the identical order of names.
- d) dematerialize their Physical Shares to Electronic Form (Demat) to eliminate all risks associated with Physical Shares.
- 13. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has mandated the submission of Permanent Account Number (PAN) by every participant in securities market. Members holding shares in electronic form who have not done so are requested to submit the PAN to their Depository Participant with whom they are maintaining their demat accounts. Members holding shares in physical form can submit their PAN details to the Company / RTA.
- 14. All documents, transfers, dematerialization requests and other communications in relation thereto should be addressed directly to the Company's Registrar & Transfer Agents.

- 15. In view of the circular issued by SEBI, the National Electronic Clearing Services (NECS) facility should mandatorily be used by the companies for the distribution of dividend to its members. In order to avail the facility of NECS, Members holding shares in physical form are requested to provide Bank Account details to the Company or its Registrar and Share Transfer Agents. Members holding shares in electronic form are hereby informed that the Bank particulars registered against their respective Depository Accounts will be used by the Company for payment of dividend. Any changes in such Bank mandate must be advised only to the Depository Participant of the Members.
- 16. In compliance with the SEBI Circular dated January 05, 2023 and MCA Circular and December 28, 2022, May 05, 2022, January 13, 2021 and January 15, 2021 respectively, Notice of the AGM along with the Annual Report 2022-2023 is being sent only through electronic mode to those Members whose email addresses are registered with the Company/ Depositories. Members may note that the Notice and Annual Report 2022-2023 will also be available on the Company's website www.aicltd.in.
- 17. As per the provisions of Section 72 of the Companies Act, 2013, facility for making nomination is available for the Members in respect of the shares held by them. Members holding shares in single name and who have not yet registered their nomination are requested to register the same by submitting Form No. SH-13. If a Member desires to cancel the earlier nomination and record fresh nomination, he / she may submit the same in Form No. SH-14. Members holding shares in physical form are requested to submit the forms to the Company. Members holding shares in electronic form must submit the forms to their respective Depository Participants. Members holding shares in physical form are requested to consider converting their holdings to dematerialized form to eliminate risks associated with physical shares and for ease in portfolio management.
- 18. The format of the Register of Members prescribed by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs under the Act, requires the Company to record additional details of Members, including their PAN details, email address, Bank details for payment of dividend, etc. Members holding shares in physical form are requested to submit details to the Company and Members holding shares in electronic form are requested to submit the details to their respective Depository Participants.
- 19. In case of joint holders attending the Meeting, the Member whose name appears as the first holder in the order of the names as per the Register of Members of the Company will be entitled to vote.
- 20. 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

relevant documents referred to in the Notice will be available electronically for inspection by the members during the AGM. All documents referred to in the Notice will also be available electronically for inspection without any fee by the members from the date of circulation of this Notice up to the date of AGM. Members seeking to inspect such documents can send an email to cs@aicltd.in.

- 21. Members seeking any information with regard to the accounts or any matter to be placed at the AGM, are requested to write to the Company on or before Friday, September 08, 2023 through email on cs@aicltd.in. The same will be replied by the Company suitably.
- 22. As you are aware, as per MCA Circular dated 28th December 2022, the Annual General Meetings of the companies allowed to be conducted through OAVM. The forthcoming AGM will thus be held through Video Conferencing (VC) or other Audio Visual Means (OAVM). Hence, Members can attend and participate in the ensuing AGM through VC/OAVM.
- 23. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 (as amended) and Regulation 44 of SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015 (as amended), and MCA Circulars dated May 05, 2020 the Company is providing facility of remote e-voting to its Members in respect of the business to be transacted at the AGM. For this purpose, the Company has entered into an agreement with National Security Depository Limited (NSDL) for facilitating voting through electronic means, as the authorized e-Voting's agency. The facility of casting votes by a member using remote e-voting as well as the e-voting system on the date of the AGM will be provided by NSDL.
- 24. The Members can join the AGM in the VC/OAVM mode 15 minutes before and after the scheduled time of the commencement of the Meeting by following the procedure mentioned in the Notice. The facility of participation at the AGM through VC/OAVM will be made available to at least 1000 members on first come first served basis. This will not include large Shareholders (Shareholders holding 2% or more shareholding), Promoters, Institutional Investors, Directors, Key Managerial Personnel, the Chairpersons of the Audit Committee, Nomination and Remuneration Committee and Stakeholders Relationship Committee, Auditors etc. who are allowed to attend the AGM without restriction on account of first come first served basis.
- 25. The attendance of the Members attending the AGM through VC/OAVM will be counted for the purpose of ascertaining the quorum under Section 103 of the Companies Act, 2013.
- 26. Pursuant to MCA Circular No. 14/2020 dated April 08, 2020, the facility to appoint proxy to attend and cast

- vote for the members is not available for this AGM However, in pursuance of Section 112 and Section 113 of the Companies Act, 2013, representatives of the members such as the President of India or the Governor of a State or body corporate can attend the AGM through VC/OAVM and cast their votes through e-voting.
- 27. In line with the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) Circular No. 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020, the Notice calling the AGM has been uploaded on the website of the Company at www.aicltd.in. The Notice can also be accessed from the websites of the Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com respectively. The AGM Notice is also disseminated on the website of NSDL (agency for providing the Remote e-Voting facility and e-voting system during the AGM) i.e. https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/
- 28. The AGM has been convened through VC/OAVM in compliance with applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 read with MCA Circular No. 10/2022 dated December 28, 2022, 02/2022 dated May 05, 2022, MCA Circular 14/2020 dated April 8, 2020 and MCA Circular No. 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020 and MCA Circular No. 20/2020 dated May 05, 2020.
- 29. INSTRUCTIONS OF SHAREHOLDERS FOR REMOTE E-VOTING AND E-VOTING DURING AGM AND JOINING MEETING THROUGH VC/OAVM ARE AS UNDER:

The remote e-voting period begins on September 12, 2023 at 09:00 A.M. and ends on September 14, 2023 at 05:00 P.M. The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter. The Members, whose names appear in the Register of Members / Beneficial Owners as on the record date (cut-off date) i.e. September 08, 2023, may cast their vote electronically. The voting right of shareholders shall be in proportion to their share in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date, being September 08, 2023.

#### $How \,do\,I\,vote\,electronically\,using\,NSDL\,e\text{-}Voting\,system?$

The way to vote electronically on NSDL e-Voting system consists of "Two Steps" which are mentioned below:

#### Step 1: Access to NSDL e-Voting system

 A) Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode

In terms of SEBI circular dated December 9, 2020 on e-Voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode are allowed to vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants. Shareholders are advised to update their mobile number and email Id in their demat accounts in order to access e-Voting facility.

Login method for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode is given below:

Type of shareholders	Login Method		
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL.	1. Existing IDeAS user can visit the e-Services website of NSDL Viz. https://eservices.nsdl.com either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. On the e-Services home page click on the "Beneficial Owner" icon under "Login" which is available under 'IDeAS' section , this will prompt you to enter your existing User ID and Password. After successful authentication, you will be able to see e-Voting services under Value added services. Click on "Access to e-Voting" under e-Voting services and you will be able to see e-Voting page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL and you will be re-directed to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.		
	2. If you are not registered for IDeAS e-Services, option to register is available at https://eservices.nsdl.com. Select "Register Online for IDeAS Portal" or click at https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp		
	3. Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder/ Member' section. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID (i.e. your sixteen digit demat account number hold with NSDL), Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen. After successful authentication, you will be redirected to NSDL Depository site wherein you can see e-Voting page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.		
	4. Shareholders/Members can also download NSDL Mobile App "NSDL Speede" facility by scanning the QR code mentioned below for seamless voting experience.		
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL	1. Users who have opted for CDSL Easi / Easiest facility, can login through their existing user id and password. Option will be made available to reach e-Voting page without any further authentication. The users to login Easi /Easiest are requested to visit CDSL website www. cdslindia.com and click on login icon & New System Myeasi Tab and then user your existing my easi username & password.		
	2. After successful login the Easi / Easiest user will be able to see the e-Voting option for eligible companies where the evoting is in progress as per the information provided by company. On clicking the evoting option, the user will be able to see e-Voting page of the e-Voting service provider for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting. Additionally, there is also links provided to access the system of all e-Voting Service Providers, so that the user can visit the e-Voting service providers' website directly.		
	3. If the user is not registered for Easi/Easiest, option to register is available at CDSL website www.cdslindia.com and click on login & New System Myeasi Tab and then click on registration option.		
	4. Alternatively, the user can directly access e-Voting page by providing Demat Account Number and PAN No. from a e-Voting link available on www.cdslindia.com home page. The system will authenticate the user by sending OTP on registered Mobile & Email as recorded in the Demat Account. After successful authentication, user will be able to see the e-Voting option where the evoting is in progress and also able to directly access the system of all e-Voting Service Providers.		
securities in demat mode) login	You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your Depository Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for e-Voting facility, upon logging in, you will be able to see e-Voting option. Click on e-Voting option, you will be redirected to NSDL/CDSL Depository site after successful authentication, wherein you can see e-Voting feature. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.		

**Important note:** Members who are unable to retrieve User ID/ Password are advised to use Forget User ID and Forget Password option available at abovementioned website.

Helpdesk for Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode for any technical issues related to login through Depository i.e. NSDL and CDSL.

Login type	Helpdesk details
<u> </u>	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact NSDL helpdesk by sending a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in or call at 022 - 4886 7000 and 022 - 2499 7000
	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact CDSL helpdesk by sending a request at helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or contact at toll free no. 1800 22 55 33

#### B) Login Method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for shareholders other than Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode and shareholders holding securities in physical mode. How to Log-in to NSDL e-Voting website?

- 1. Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: https://www.evoting.nsdl. com/ either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile.
- 2. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder/Member' section.
- 3. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID, your Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen.

Alternatively, if you are registered for NSDL eservices i.e. IDEAS, you can log-in at https://eservices.nsdl.com/with your existing IDEAS login. Once you log-in to NSDL eservices after using your log-in credentials, click on e-Voting and you can proceed to Step 2 i.e. Cast your vote electronically.

4. Your User ID details are given below:

Manner of holding shares i.e. Demat (NSDL or CDSL) or Physical	Your User ID is:
a) For Members who hold shares in demat account with NSDL	8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client ID
	For example if your DP ID is IN300*** and Client ID is 12***** then your user ID is IN300***12*****.
b) For Members who hold shares in demat account with CDSL.	16 Digit Beneficiary ID
	For example if your Beneficiary ID is 12******** then your user ID is 12********
c) For Members holding shares in Physical Form.	EVEN Number followed by Folio Number registered with the company
	For example if folio number is 001*** and EVEN is 101456 then user ID is 101456001***

- 5. Password details for shareholders other than 6. Individual shareholders are given below:
  - a) If you are already registered for e-Voting, then you can user your existing password to login and cast your vote.
  - b) If you are using NSDL e-Voting system for the first time, you will need to retrieve the 'initial password' which was communicated to you. Once you retrieve your 'initial password', you need to enter the 'initial password' and the system will force you to change your password.
  - c) How to retrieve your 'initial password'?
    - (i) If your email ID is registered in your demat account or with the company, your 'initial password' is communicated to you on your email ID. Trace the email sent to you from NSDL from your mailbox. Open the email and open the attachment i.e. a .pdf file. Open the .pdf file. The password to open the .pdf file is your 8 digit client ID for NSDL account, last 8 digits of client ID for CDSL account or folio number for shares held in physical form. The .pdf file contains your 'User ID' and your 'initial password'.
    - (ii) If your email ID is not registered, please follow steps mentioned below in process for those shareholders whose email ids are not registered.

- 6. If you are unable to retrieve or have not received the "
  Initial password" or have forgotten your password:
  - a) Click on "Forgot User Details/Password?" (If you are holding shares in your demat account with NSDL or CDSL) option available on www.evoting. nsdl.com.
  - Physical User Reset Password?" (If you are holding shares in physical mode) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
  - c) If you are still unable to get the password by aforesaid two options, you can send a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in mentioning your demat account number/folio number, your PAN, your name and your registered address etc.
  - d) Members can also use the OTP (One Time Password) based login for casting the votes on the e-Voting system of NSDL.
- 7. After entering your password, tick on Agree to "Terms and Conditions" by selecting on the check box.
- 8. Now, you will have to click on "Login" button.
- 9. After you click on the "Login" button, Home page of e-Voting will open.

#### Step 2: Cast your vote electronically and join General Meeting on NSDL e-Voting system. How to cast your vote electronically and join General Meeting on NSDL e-Voting system?

- 1. After successful login at Step 1, you will be able to see all the companies "EVEN" in which you are holding shares and whose voting cycle and General Meeting is in active status.
- 2. Select "EVEN" of company for which you wish to cast your vote during the remote e-Voting period and casting your vote during the General Meeting. For joining virtual meeting, you need to click on "VC/OAVM" link placed under "Join Meeting".
- 3. Now you are ready for e-Voting as the Voting page opens.
- 4. Cast your vote by selecting appropriate options i.e. assent or dissent, verify/modify the number of shares for which you wish to cast your vote and click on "Submit" and also "Confirm" when prompted.
- 5. Upon confirmation, the message "Vote cast successfully" will be displayed.
- You can also take the printout of the votes cast by you by clicking on the print option on the confirmation page.
- 7. Once you confirm your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.

#### General Guidelines for shareholders

- 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. with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory(ies) who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer by e-mail to pmvala@yahoo. co.in the e-mail ID of Scrutinizer with a copy marked to evoting@nsdl.co.in. Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) can also upload their Board Resolution / Power of Attorney / Authority Letter etc. by clicking on "Upload Board Resolution / Authority Letter" displayed under "e-Voting" tab in their login.
- 2. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential. Login to the e-voting website will be disabled upon five unsuccessful attempts to key in the correct password. In such an event, you will need to go through the "Forgot User Details/Password?" or "Physical User Reset Password?" option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com to reset the password.
- 3. In case of any queries, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Shareholders and e-voting user manual for Shareholders available at the download section of www.evoting.nsdl.com or call on.: 022 4886 7000 and 022 2499 7000 or send a request to Ms. Pallavi Mhatre at evoting@nsdl.co.in.

Process for those shareholders whose email ids are not registered with the depositories for procuring user id and password and registration of e mail ids for e-voting for the resolutions set out in this notice:

- In case shares are held in physical mode please provide Folio No., Name of shareholder, scanned copy of the share certificate (front and back), PAN (self attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) by email to cs@aicltd.in
- 2. In case shares are held in demat mode, please provide DPID-CLID (16 digit DPID + CLID or 16 digit beneficiary ID), Name, client master or copy of Consolidated Account statement, PAN (self attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) to cs@aicltd.in. If you are an Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode, you are requested to refer to the login method explained at Step 1 (A) i.e. Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode.
- Alternatively shareholder/members may send a request to evoting@nsdl.co.in for procuring user id and password for e-voting by providing above mentioned documents.
- 4. In terms of SEBI circular dated December 9, 2020 on e-Voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode are allowed to vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants. Shareholders are required to update their mobile number and email ID correctly in their demat account in order to access e-Voting facility.

## 30. THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR e-VOTING ON THE DAY OF THE AGM ARE AS UNDER:-

- 1. The procedure for e-Voting on the day of the AGM is same as the instructions mentioned above for remote e-voting.
- 2. Only those Members/ shareholders, who will be present in the AGM through VC/OAVM facility and have not casted their vote on the Resolutions through remote e-Voting and are otherwise not barred from doing so, shall be eligible to vote through e-Voting system in the AGM.
- 3. Members who have voted through Remote e-Voting will be eligible to attend the AGM. However, they will not be eligible to vote at the AGM.
- 4. The details of the person who may be contacted for any grievances connected with the facility for e-Voting on the day of the AGM shall be the same person mentioned for Remote e-voting.

## 31. INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR ATTENDING THE AGM THROUGH

#### VC/OAVM ARE AS UNDER:

- 1. Member will be provided with a facility to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM through the NSDL e-Voting system. Members may access by following the steps mentioned above for Access to NSDL e-Voting system. After successful login, you can see link of "VC/OAVM" placed under "Join meeting" menu against company name. You are requested to click on VC/OAVM link placed under Join Meeting menu. The link for VC/OAVM will be available in Shareholder/ Member login where the EVEN of Company will be displayed. Please note that the members who do not have the User ID and Password for e-Voting or have forgotten the User ID and Password may retrieve the same by following the remote e-Voting instructions mentioned in the notice to avoid last minute rush.
- 2. Members are encouraged to join the Meeting through Laptops for better experience.
- 3. Further Members will be required to allow Camera and use Internet with a good speed to avoid any disturbance during the meeting.
- 4. Please note that Participants Connecting from Mobile Devices or Tablets or through Laptop connecting via Mobile Hotspot may experience Audio/Video loss due to Fluctuation in their respective network. It is therefore recommended to use Stable Wi-Fi or LAN Connection to mitigate any kind of aforesaid glitches.

Shareholders who would like to express their views/ have questions may send their questions in advance mentioning their name demat account number/folio number, email id, mobile number at cs@aicltd.in. The same will be replied by the company suitably.

Shareholders who would like to express their views/ask questions during the meeting may register themselves as a speaker by sending their request in advance atleast 7 days prior to meeting mentioning their name, demat account number/folio number, email id, mobile

number at cs@aicltd.in. The shareholders who do not wish to speak during the AGM but have queries may send their queries in advance 7 days prior to meeting mentioning their name, demat account number/folio number, email id, mobile number at cs@aicltd. in. These queries will be replied to by the company suitably by email.

Those shareholders who have registered themselves as a speaker will only be allowed to express their views/ask questions during the meeting.

Only those shareholders, who are present in the AGM through VC/OAVM facility and have not casted their vote on the Resolutions through remote e-Voting and are otherwise not barred from doing so, shall be eligible to vote through e-Voting system available during the AGM.

If any Votes are cast by the shareholders through the e-voting available during the AGM and if the same shareholders have not participated in the meeting through VC/OAVM facility, then the votes cast by such shareholders shall be considered invalid as the facility of e-voting during the meeting is available only to the shareholders attending the meeting.

- 32. PROCESS FOR THOSE SHAREHOLDERS WHOSE EMAIL/MOBILE NO. ARE NOT REGISTERED WITH THE COMPANY/DEPOSITORIES.
- For Physical shareholders- please provide necessary details like Folio No., Name of shareholder, scanned copy of the share certificate (front and back), PAN (self-attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self-attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) by email to Company/RTA email Id).
- For Demat shareholders -Please update your email id & mobile no. with your respective **Depository Participant (DP)**
- For Individual Demat shareholders Please update your email id & mobile no. with your respective Depository Participant (DP) which is mandatory while e-Voting & joining virtual meetings through Depository.

#### **Explanatory Statement**

(Pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rules made thereunder, as amended)

As required by Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 (Act), the following Explanatory Statement sets out all material facts relating to the business mentioned under Item Nos. 5 to 6 (Both Inclusive) of the accompanying Notice.

#### ITEM NO 5: OMNIBUS APPROVAL FOR RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS.

As per Section 188 of the Companies Act, 2013 and any other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the rules made thereunder, as amended (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force), and as per the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and further pursuant to the approval of Board of Directors and the Audit Committee with regard to omnibus approval for related party transactions on annual basis for the financial year 2023-2024, in their respective meeting held on May 23, 2023, the consent of the Company is required for omnibus approval for entering into contract or arrangement with the related parties already in existence and which are proposed to be entered into by the Company on annual basis for the F.Y. 2023-24, as set out here under:

Omnibus Approval for Related Party Transactions as approved by the Board of Directors and Audit Committee in their respective meetings held on May 23, 2023 for the F.Y 2023-24:

#### i) Names of the Related Parties and Description of relationship

Key Managerial Personnel	Mr. Jaiprakash Agarwal, Managing Director
	Mr. Ramchandra Agarwal, Whole Time Director
	Mr. Mahendra Agarwal, Director
	Mr. Lalit Agarwal, Whole Time Director
	Mr. Vipin Agarwal, Chief Financial Officer
	Ms. Dipali Pitale, Company Secretary
Wholly Owned Subsidiary	Bituminex Cochin Private Limited (Indian Subsidiary)
	AICL Overseas FZ-LLC, UAE (Overseas Subsidiary)
	Agarwal Translink Private Limited (Indian Subsidiary)
	AICL Finance Private Limited (Indian Subsidiary)
Relatives of KMP	Mr. Nilesh Agarwal
	Mr. Mukul Agarwal
	Mr. Virel Agarwal
	Jai Prakash Agarwal HUF
	Mr. Jugalkishore Agarwal
	Jugalkishore Agarwal HUF
	Mr. Kishan Agarwal
	Kishan Agarwal HUF
	Mr. Lakshya Agarwal
	Lalit Agarwal HUF
	Mahendra Agarwal HUF
	Mangilal Agarwal HUF
	Ms. Namrata Agarwal
	Nilesh Agarwal HUF
	Mr. Yash Agarwal
	Mrs. Padma Agarwal
	Mrs. Pooja V.Agarwal
	Mrs. Pooja N.Agarwal
	Ramchandra Agarwal HUF
	Mrs. Rekha Agarwal
	Mr. Shailesh Agarwal
	Mrs. Sudha Agarwal
	Mrs. Sushiladevi Agarwal
	Mrs. Uma Agarwal
	Mrs. Usha Agarwal
Concerns in which Directors are interested	ANZ Transporters
	Agarwal Gas Carriers
	Agarwal Motor Repairs
	Bright Bitumen Private Limited
Concerns in which Relatives of KMP are interested	Balaji Tyre
	Shree Balaji Engineering Work
	Murlidhar Ishwardas

#### ii) Omnibus limit of Related Party Transactions as follows:

				₹ in Lakhs
Nature of Transaction	Subsidiary (Amount not exceeding)	KMPs & Relatives of KMPs (Amount not exceeding Consolidated)	Concerns in which KMP & their Relatives are interested Amount not exceeding Consolidated)	Total for F.Y. 2023-24
Remuneration	-	800	-	800
Mr. Jaiprakash Agarwal,				
Mr. Lalit Agarwal,				
Mr. Ramchandra Agarwal				
Mr. Vipin Agarwal,				
Ms. Dipali Pitale				
Relatives of KMPs				
Rent Payable	-	200	-	200
Sub-Contract Payment	-	-	2,500	2,500
Sub-Contract Receipt	-	-	2,000	2,000
Labour Charges Received	-	-	50	50
Sales of Spare Parts & Oil	-	-	50	50
Spare Parts, HSD & Oil Purchase	-	-	1,250	1,250
Purchase of Fixed Asset and Repairing Charges	-	-	75	75
Loan to Wholly Owned Subsidiary	10,000	-	-	10,000
Bituminex Cochin Pvt Ltd				
AICL OVERSEAS FZ – LLC				
Agarwal Translink Private Limited				
AICL Finance Pvt Ltd				
Guarantee to Wholly Owned Subsidiary	15,000	-	-	15,000
Bituminex Cochin Pvt Ltd				
AICL OVERSEAS FZ – LLC				
Agarwal Translink Private Limited				
AICL Finance Private Limited				
Interest & Guarantee Commission from	1,500	-	-	1,500
AICL Overseas FZ – LLC				
Bitumen Purchase From	200	-	-	200
Bituminex Cochin Pvt Ltd				
Bitumen Sale to Bituminex Cochin Pvt Ltd	500	-	-	500
Payment of Security Commission to Bituminex Cochin Pvt Ltd	5	-	-	5
Bright Bitumen Pvt Ltd	-	-	2,000	2,000
Advance to Bright Bitument Pvt Ltd	-	-	700	700
AICL Finance Pvt Ltd	100	-	-	100
Investment				
AICL Finance Pvt Ltd	250	-	-	250
Loan				
Purchase of Tyres & Spare Parts	-	-	250	250
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Note: Individuals limits of related parties and their relatives as approved by the Board have been submitted to the Audit Committee and the same have also been approved by the Audit Committee.

None of the Directors or Key Managerial Personnel(s) of the Company or their relatives, other than Mr. Jaiprakash Agarwal, Managing Director, Mr. Lalit Agarwal, Whole Time Director, Mr. Ramchandra Agarwal, Whole Time Director and Mr. Mahendra Agarwal, Non-Executive Non Independent Director, being Promoters and Directors & Brothers & Mr. Vipin Agarwal, Chief Financial Officer (KMP) are concerned or interested financially or otherwise in the resolution except to the extent of their shareholding in the Company, if any, in the Special Resolution set out at **Item No. 5** of the Notice.

The Board recommends the **Special Resolution** as set out in **Item No. 5** of the Notice for approval of the members.

## ITEM NO 6: TO APPROVE APPOINTMENT OF COST AUDITORS FOR F.Y 2023-2024.

The Board, on the recommendations of the Audit Committee, has approved the appointment and remuneration of the Cost Auditors, Mr. Vinayak Kulkarni, Cost Accountant (Membership No - 28559) at a remuneration (Cost Audit Fee) of ₹75,000 (consolidated) plus taxes, as applicable, to conduct the audit of the cost records of the Company for relevant business segments of the Company covered under the Companies (Cost Records and Audit) Amendment Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or reenactments thereof, for the time being in force) for the

Financial Year 2023-24. Section 148 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the relevant rules mentioned herein above, require ratification of the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors by the members of the Company.

Accordingly, the consent of the members is sought for passing an Ordinary Resolution as set out at **Item No. 6** of the Notice for ratification of the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors for the Financial Year ending March 31, 2024.

None of the Directors or Key Managerial Personnel or their relatives, are in any way directly or indirectly concerned or interested, in the resolution.

The Board recommends the **Ordinary Resolution** as set out in **Item No. 6** of the Notice for approval of the members.

#### (ANNEXURE TO NOTICE DATED AUGUST 14, 2023)

#### DETAILS OF DIRECTORS SEEKING APPOINTMENT/RE-APPOINTMENT AT THE FORTHCOMING ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (DIRECTOR RETIRING BY ROTATION)

[Pursuant to Regulation 36(3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and Secretarial Standard 2 on General Meetings]:

Name of the Director	Mr. Lalit Agarwal (Whole Time Director)
Date of Birth	12.09.1968
Date of Re-appointment	30.09.2023
(Proposed)	
Qualifications	M. Com
Expertise	Finance, Management, Operations & Human Resources
Directorships held in other Public Companies including Private Companies which are subsidiaries of Public Companies (excluding foreign companies)	
Memberships/ Chairmanships of committees across all companies	Chairperson:
	CSR Committee of Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited
	Member:
	Risk Management Committee of Agarwal Industrial Corporation Ltd.
Number of Meetings attended during the year	Board Meetings: 9
Shareholding	527283
Relationships between Directors inter-se	Brothers

(\*Mr. Lalit Agarwal, Director retiring by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment at the ensuing Annual General Meeting of the Company)

> By Order of the Board of Directors **Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited**

Place: Mumbai Dipali Pitale Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Dated: August 14, 2023

#### Registered Office:

Eastern Court, Unit No. 201-202, Plot No. 12, V. N. Purav Marg, S. T. Road, Chembur, Mumbai - 400071

#### **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

To,

The Members,

The Directors have pleasure in presenting the Twenty Ninth Annual Report of the Company together with its Audited Statement of Profit and Loss for the Financial Year ended March 31, 2023 and the Balance Sheet as on that date:

#### **FINANCIAL RESULTS**

		₹ in Lakhs	
Particulars	Stando	Standalone	
Financial Year Ended on	2022-23 Audited	2021-22 Audited	
Total Revenue	177685.67	141486.17	
Profit before Depreciation, Finance Costs and Tax	8920.01	7717.17	
Less: Depreciation	1277.26	1350.15	
Less: Finance Costs	1005.84	1154.04	
Profit before Tax	6636.91	5212.97	
Less: Provision for Tax			
(a) Current Tax	1750	1381	
(b) Deferred Tax (Assets)/ Liability	-76.17	-24.55	
(c) Short Provision for Tax for earlier years	28.44	-	
Profit after Tax	4934.64	3856.52	
Other Comprehensive Income/ (Loss)	-2.89	1.3	
Total Comprehensive Income For The Year	4931.75	3857.82	
Dividend Paid	289.15	224.38	
Tax on Dividend Paid	-	-	
Balance carried to Other Equity	28275.1	22427.44	

#### **RESULTS OF OPERATIONS (Standalone)**

The total Revenue of the Company for the Financial Year ended March 31, 2023, is ₹177685.67 Lakhs as compared previous year's total Revenue of ₹141486.17 Lakhs thus indicating an increase of 25.59% over the previous year. Further, Profit before Tax and Profit after Tax were ₹6636.91 Lakhs and ₹4934.64 Lakhs respectively during the year under review as against ₹5212.97 Lakhs and ₹3856.52 Lakhs in the corresponding previous year, reporting an increase of about 27.32% and 27.96% over the previous financial year.

## STATE OF AFFAIRS & BUSINESS OVERVIEW

The Company primarily belongs to Ancillary Infra Industry and is engaged in the business of (i) manufacturing and trading of Bitumen and Allied products used heavily in infrastructure projects (ii) providing Logistics for Bulk Bitumen and LPG through its own Specialized Tankers and (iii) also generates power through Wind Mills. These businesses are of seasonal nature due to which revenue gets varied.

## MANUFACTURING & BULK BITUMEN STORAGE FACILITIES

The Company has its manufacturing and storage units at Taloja, Belgaum, Baroda, Hyderabad, Cochin (through its wholly owned subsidiary – Bituminex Cochin Private Limited) and at recently added unit at Pachpadra City, Dist. Barmer, (Rajasthan). Further, the Company has started full fledged operations at its recently established manufacturing and storage facilities of Bitumen and other value added Bituminous products at Guwahati, Assam and which would endeavor to expand and develop Bitumen trade in Eastern states as Bitumen is extensively used in infrastructure projects more specifically in road construction projects initiated by the State Government.

## BULK BITUMEN STORAGE FACILITIES TO FACILITATE IMPORTS

The Company has Bulk Bitumen Storage facilities to effectively handle and market bitumen imports at Mumbai, Maharashtra , Vadodara, Gujarat, Karwar, Haldia, West Bengal, Dighi ( Company Owned), Maharashtra , Hazira ( Loading ) and Mangalore.

#### **BULK BITUMEN TRANSPOTATION**

We are the pioneers of logistics in Bitumen, which is predominantly used in road construction business. It can be procured either in bulk or in packed form. In either case the product has to be dispatched to the construction site or to the storage facilities of our industrial consumers. The bulk bitumen is transported via specially designed tankers that are insulated and have pumping facility for loading and unloading the bitumen. Most of our Bitumen tankers are under contract with major oil companies in India like HPCL, BPCL and IOCL and by other major consumers of the product.

#### **BULK LPG TRANSPOTATION**

We are amongst the leading transporters of LPG in India, which is the most widely used fuel for domestic as well as industrial purposes. While we already own a large fleet of tankers, we also hire tankers on long term contracts to cater to the demand from customers LPG is mainly sourced from domestic refineries and via bulk imports. Bulk LPG is mainly transported from the source to the industrial user or to their bottling plants through specially designed tankers LPG, being highly inflammable, require tankers that take care of all safety aspects while loading, transporting and unloading. Most of the LPG tankers are under contract with major oil companies like HPCL, BPCL and IOCL.

## POWER GENERATION THROUGH WIND MILLS

The Company has diversified into Non-Conventional energy generation by installing wind mills at Rajasthan and Maharashtra, keeping in view of the likely shortage of energy resources in future. Your Company has one Windmill at Dhulia, Maharashtra and one in Jaisalmer, Rajasthan.

## AUTHORIZED SERVICE CENTRE OF ASHOK LEYLAND

We own a large fleet of tankers which necessarily calls for regular periodic checks and maintenance. As also, our entire fleet of tankers comes from the Ashok Leyland stable. Both these factors influenced our decision to set up an authorized service center, for Ashok Leyland vehicles, within the company. Not only does this ensure a timely turnaround of the fleet serviced but is an economically beneficial proposition for the company. We have our own workshop and maintenance facilities at strategic locations like Mumbai. Baroda and Jodhpur.

#### **SHARE CAPITAL**

Issued and Paid up Capital of the Company is comprised of 1,49,57,789 Equity Shares of Face Value of ₹10/ each amounting to ₹14,95,77,890 /- as on date.

During the year under review, the Company has converted last and final tranche of 17,49,000 Warrants (including both promoter group and public) into equal number of fully paid up Equity Shares viz. 17,49,000 Equity Shares of the F.V of ₹10/- each at an Issue Price of ₹105.20/- (including premium) aggregating to ₹13,79,96,100/- (remaining 75%

of ₹105.20/-) out of total 35,11,000 Warrants allotted under the Public and Promoter Category earlier in accordance with Chapter V of the SEBI (ICDR) Regulations, 2009 as amended, the Board Resolution dated January 15, 2021 and Special Resolution dated February 10, 2021. These newly allotted Equity Shares have been listed on BSE and NSE. With this final tranche of conversion, the Company has completed its Preferential Issue of Warrants in accordance with Chapter V of the SEBI (ICDR) Regulations, 2009 as amended. The entire Equity Shares allotted post conversion are listed on BSE & NSE. Further, entire funds raised under the said Preferential Issue have been utilized strictly in accordance with the objects of the issue which inter alia, included: repayment of debt, capital expenditure, investments and meeting working capital requirements.

#### DIVIDEND

Your Directors have recommended a dividend of ₹2.50 per equity share of the face value of ₹10/- each fully paid up for the financial year ended March 31, 2023. The dividend distribution is subject to approval of the members of the Company at the ensuing Annual General Meeting.

Pursuant to the amendments introduced by the Finance Act, 2020 the Company will be required to withhold taxes at the prescribed rates on the dividend paid to its shareholders w.e.f. 1st April 2020. No tax will be deducted on payment of dividend to the resident individual shareholders if the total dividend paid does not exceed ₹5,000/-. The withholding tax rate would vary depending on the residential status of the shareholder and documents registered with the Company.

## DIVIDEND DISTRIBUTION POLICY WEB LINK

As per Regulation 43 A of LODR the Dividend Distribution Policy is uploaded on website of the Company viz.www. aicltd.in and the weblink is:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/152nNLN2aR2SVI\_9pVSn4 EZNT146pBkXs/view

#### **AMOUNT CARRIED TO OTHER EQUITY**

The Company has transferred ₹28275.10 Lakhs to the Other Equity for the F.Y. March 31, 2023 after appropriating ₹289.15 Lakhs towards dividend paid for the F.Y. ended March 31, 2022.

#### **CAPITAL EXPENDITURE**

As at March 31, 2023, the Capital Expenditure during the year under review amounted to ₹1021.39 Lakhs including Work in Progress (WIP) amounting to ₹408.32 Lakhs.

#### CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Consolidated Financial Results for the F.Y. ended on March 31, 2023 have been prepared in accordance with Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) notified under the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015 as amended by the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) (Amendments) Rules, 2016.

FOR DETAILS PLEASE REFER TO "UNDER MANAGEMENTS' DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS REPORT' DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS REPORT as **ANNEXURE -V** FORMING PART OF THIS REPORT.

## SUBSIDIARIES, JOINT VENTURES AND ASSOCIATE COMPANIES

Bituminex Cochin Private Limited (BCPL), Agarwal Translink Private Limited and AICL OVERSEAS FZ-LLC in UAE are all Wholly Owned Subsidiary (W.O.S) Companies of the Company and are doing their respective business steadily. Further, the Company during the year under reference, also incorporated an NBFC (Non Deposit) Company as WOS of the Company, which is yet to commence its business due to some pending regulatory permissions / Licenses.

The Company's Indian Wholly Owned Subsidiary Company - Bituminex Cochin Private Limited is also in the business of manufacturing and trading of Bitumen and Bituminous products whereas its Overseas Wholly Owned Subsidiary Company - AICL Overseas FZ- LLC, RAS AL KHAIMAH, UAE is in the business activity of ship chartering and is in possession of specialized Bitumen Vessels and is carrying its commercial operations in accordance with the guidelines / notifications with regard to Overseas Direct Investments (ODI) issued by the Reserve Bank of India from time to time. This Overseas WOS presently has its own 8 Specialized Bitumen Vessels which together have ferrying capacity of about 48,550 Mts of Bulk Bitumen / Bulk Liquid Cargo. Agarwal Translink Private Limited is another Indian Wholly Own Subsidiary of the Company which is engaged in the business of transportation of Bitumen, LPG, LSHS and owns large fleet of specialized Bitumen Tankers and also operates a BPCL Petrol Pump in Shahpur, Asangaon, Maharashtra.

The Company's Wholly Owned Subsidiary (W.O.S) in UAE under the name "AICL OVERSEAS" in Ras AI Khaimah Economic Zone (RAKEZ) in United Arab Emirates (UAE) for undertaking various ship/vessel /ocean related activities has been reporting good financial performance since its inception and continuous to grow and develop strategically. The Company has inducted 2 recently acquired Specialized Bitumen Vessels namely "DURGA" and "RUDRA" having capacities of 6690 MTs & 5884 MTs each respectively thus adding these two vessels into its already existing enriched Vessel Family of 6 vessels, thereby making it proud owner of total 8 vessels with aggregated carrying capacity of 48,550 Mts.(\*through its wholly owned subsidiary). The economies we achieve with our own fleet of marine vessels and road transport vehicles enable your Company to outbid competitors, secure tenders and ensure high standards of supply and services to its valued customers.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 129(3) of the Act, a statement containing salient features of the financial Statements of the Company's Subsidiaries in Form AOC-1 is attached to the financial statements of the Company. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 136 of the Act, the financial statements of the Company, consolidated financial statements along with relevant documents and separate audited accounts in respect of subsidiary are

available on the website of the Company: www.aicltd.in. There are no joint ventures or associate companies as defined under the Companies Act, 2013 and Rules made thereunder, as amended.

MATERIAL CHANGES AND COMMITMENTS AFFECTING THE FINANCIAL POSITION OF THE COMPANY, BETWEEN THE END OF THE FINANCIAL YEAR AND THE DATE OF THE REPORT

Previous Matters:

Since the previous Directors' Report, there has been no material changes and commitments affecting the financial position of the Company between the end of the financial year and the date of this Report except as stated hereinafter.

- (i) As reported in the previous year's Annual Report, the Company received two Property Tax related Bills from Panvel Municipal Corporation with regard to its two Industrial Plots No.36 & 37 situated at MIDC Industrial Estate, at Taloja, Dist. Raigad, amounting to ₹2,39,225/- & ₹12,31,501/- respectively, calculated from retrospective years without giving adequate information and details. The similar Bills were issued to other units also. Accordingly, in this regard, a Civil Writ Petition has been filed by Taloja Manufacturers' Association (TMA) and its Members (our Company being a Member of TMA) jointly in the H'ble High Court of Judicature at Bombay against the State of Maharashtra & Others on 16/04/2022, which is still pending for disposal.
- (ii) It may be recalled that in the previous Report, we had mentioned that Panvel Municipal Corporation (PMC) had raised LBT demand on erstwhile merged Company, Agarwal Petrochem Private Limited for the period Jan-Jun 2017, which in line with others Petitioners, had filed a Writ Petition in the Hon'ble Bombay High Court, which as an interim relief has directed the PMC not to initiate any coercive action against the petitioners till the further orders. Accordingly, the actual financial impact of such demand are not known due to pending assessments and the status of the case remains the same. Till date, the matter is still pending for adjudication in the said H'ble Bombay High Court.
- (iii) The Asst. Commissioner of Customs, Kakinada had filed three Appeals with The Commissioner (Appeals), Customs, Central Excise and Service Tax, Guntur, after the Review Orders were passed by the Commissioner of Customs (Preventive), to set aside three Orders-in-Original, two dated 08.11.2017 and one dated 30.11.2017 respectively, passed by the Asst. Commissioner of Customs, Kakinada sanctioning thereby Special Additional Duty refunds aggregating to ₹86.55 Lakhs to the Company. The Commissioner (Appeals), Customs, Central Excise and Service Tax, Guntur vide its three Orders dated 29.06.2018, set aside all three Orders-in-Original passed by the Asst. Commissioner of Customs, Kakinada as stated herein above and allowed all three Applications filed by the Asst. Commissioner of Customs, Kakinada. In this regard, against the aforesaid three Orders passed by

the Commissioner (Appeals), Customs, Central Excise and Service Tax, Guntur, your Company has already filed respective Appeals with the Customs, Excise & Service Tax Appellate Tribunal at Hyderabad and the matter is still pending.

## INTERNAL FINANCIAL CONTROLS AND THEIR ADEQUACY

The Company has in place adequate internal financial controls commensurate with the size, scale and nature of its operations. The Internal Auditor monitors and evaluates the efficacy and adequacy of internal control systems in the Company, its compliance with operating systems, accounting procedures and policies at all locations of the Company.

## VIGIL MECHANISM / WHISTLE BLOWER POLICY

The Company has adopted a Whistle Blower Policy to provide a mechanism for the Directors and employees to report genuine concerns about any unethical behavior, actual or suspected fraud or violation of the Company's Code of Conduct. The provisions of this policy are in line with the provisions of Section 177 (9) of the Act and as per Regulation 22(1) of the SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirements), Regulations 2015. The Whistle Blower Policy can be accessed on the Company's website - www.aicltd.in.

#### **AUDIT COMMITTEE**

The Company has in place an Audit Committee in terms of the requirements of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the rules made thereunder and Regulation 18 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 as amended. The details relating to the same are given in Report on Corporate Governance forming part of this Board Report.

#### Constitution of the Audit Committee:

Mr. Alok Bharara – Independent Director – Chairman

Mr. Rajkumar Mehta - Independent Director

Mr. Mahendra Agarwal - Non Independent – Non Executive Director.

# PARTICULARS OF LOANS, GUARANTEES OR INVESTMENTS UNDER SECTION 186 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013, ("THE ACT")

Particulars of loans given, investments made and securities provided are mentioned in the financial statement under Notes 46 respectively of the said statement. Your Company has not provided any guarantee or given security in connection with loan to any other body corporate or person.

#### **RISK MANAGEMENT**

The Company has constituted a Risk Management Committee, details of which are set out in the Corporate Governance Report. The Company has adopted a Risk Management Policy, pursuant to the provisions of Section 134 of the Act, which has a Risk Management framework to identify and evaluate business risks and opportunities. This framework seeks to create transparency, minimize adverse impact on business objective and enhance the Company's competitive advantage. The risk framework defines the risk management approach across the enterprise at various levels including documentation and reporting.

## DIRECTORS AND KEY MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL (KMP)

In terms of Section 149 of the Act and pursuant to the Regulation 17 of SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended, the Board of the Company has optimum combination of Executive, Non-Executive and Independent Directors. The Board also comprises of an Independent Woman Director. For details, please refer to Corporate Governance Report attached hereinafter.

Re-appointments of Mr. Jaiprakash Agarwal, Mr. Lalit Agarwal and Mr. Ramchandra Agarwal:

Mr. Jaiprakash Agarwal, Mr. Lalit Agarwal and Mr. Ramchandra Agarwal, Promoter Directors and were re-appointed as the Managing Director and Whole Time Directors of the Company for a period of 3 years with effect from April 01, 2022 to March 31, 2025 by the members of the Company in the Annual General Meeting of the Company held on September 30, 2021.

Independent Directors:

Mr. Rajkumar Mehta, Mr. Alok Bharara, Mr. Harikrishna Patni & Mrs. Priti Lodha were appointed as Independent Directors by the Members of the Company for the second term of 5 years w.e.f. September 30, 2019.

Ms. Dipali Pitale is appointed as Company Secretary and Compliance Officer of the Company w.e.f. March 10, 2021.

In terms of Section 203 of the Act the following were designated as KMP of your Company by the Board:

Mr. Jaiprakash Agarwal - Managing Director

Mr. Lalit Agarwal - Whole Time Director

Mr. Ramchandra Agarwal - Whole Time Director

Mr. Vipin Agarwal - Chief Financial Officer

Ms. Dipali Pitale - Company Secretary

## DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE BY INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS

The Company has received declarations from all the Independent Directors confirming that they meet the criteria of independence as stipulated under Section 149(7) of the Companies Act, 2013 and as per Regulation 17 SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

#### **BOARD MEETINGS**

During the year under review, 10 (Ten) Board Meetings (including Exclusive Meeting of Independent Directors) were held and the intervening gap between the meetings did not exceed the period prescribed under the Act, the details of which are given in the Corporate Governance Report.

#### **BOARD EFFECTIVENESS**

The Company once again emphasize that it has adopted the Governance guidelines which, inter alia, cover aspects related to composition and role of the Board, Directors, Board diversity, definition of independence and mandates of Board Committees. It also covers aspects relating to nomination, appointment, induction and development of Directors, Directors remuneration, Code of Conduct and Board Effectiveness Review.

#### A. Board Evaluation

During the year under review, the Board of Directors has carried out an annual evaluation of its own performance, Board Committees and individual Directors pursuant to the provisions of the Act and the corporate governance requirement as prescribed by Securities Exchange Board of India (SEBI) under Regulation 17(10) of SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

The performance of the Board was evaluated by the Board after seeking inputs from the Directors on the basis of the criteria such as the Board Composition and structures, effectiveness of board processes, information and functioning, etc. The Board evaluates performance of the committees after seeking inputs from the committee members on the basis of the criteria such as the composition of committees, effectiveness of committee meetings, etc. The Board and the Nomination and Remuneration Committee (NRC) reviewed the performance of the individual Directors on the basis of the criteria such as the contribution of the individual Director to the Board and Committee Meetings like preparedness on the issues to be discussed, meaningful and constructive contribution and inputs in meetings, etc.

In a separate meeting of Independent Directors, performance of Non-Independent Directors, performance of the board as a whole was evaluated, taking into account the views of the Executive Directors and Non-Executive Directors. The same was discussed in the Board meeting that followed the meeting of the Independent Directors, at which the performance of the Board, its committees and individual Directors was also discussed.

## B. Appointment of Directors and Criteria for determining qualifications, positive attributes, independence of a Director

As per Company's Policy, the NRC is responsible for developing competency requirements for the Board

based on the industry and strategy of the Company. The NRC reviews and meets potential candidates, prior to recommending their nomination to the Board. At the time of appointment, specific requirements for the position, including expert knowledge expected, is communicated to the appointee.

The NRC has formulated the criteria for determining qualifications, positive attributes and independence of Directors in terms of provisions of Section 178 (3) of the Act and Regulation 19 of SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirements), Regulations 2015. Independence: A Director will be considered as an 'Independent Director' if he/ she meets with the criteria for 'Independence' as laid down in the Act and Regulation 16(1)(b) SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

Competency: A transparent Board nomination process is in place that encourages diversity of thought, experience, knowledge, perspective, age and gender. It is ensured that the Board has a mix of members with different educational qualifications, knowledge and with adequate experience in banking and finance, accounting and taxation, economics, legal and regulatory matters.

#### **Additional Positive Attributes:**

- The Directors should not have any other pecuniary relationship with the Company, its subsidiaries,
  - associates or joint ventures and the Company's promoters, except as provided under law.
- The Directors should maintain an arm's length relationship between themselves and the employees of the Company, as also with the Directors and employees of its subsidiaries, associates, joint ventures, promoters and stakeholders for whom the relationship with these entities is material.
- The Directors should not be the subject of proved allegations of illegal or unethical behavior, in their Private
  - or professional lives.
- The Directors should have the ability to devote sufficient time to the affairs of the Company.

#### C. Remuneration Policy

The Company had adopted a Remuneration Policy, subject to review from time to time for the Directors, KMP and other employees, pursuant to the provisions of the Companies Act 2013 and Regulation 19(4) read with Part B of Schedule II of SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. The key principles governing the Company's Remuneration Policy are as follows:

Remuneration for Independent Directors and Non-Independent Non-Executive Directors:

- Independent Directors (ID) and Non-Independent Non-Executive Directors (NINED) may be paid sitting fees for
  - attending the meetings of the Board and of Committees of which they may be members.
  - (Presently, all Independent Directors and one Non-Independent Non-Executive Director have voluntarily foregone sitting fee for attending Board and Committee Meetings.)
- Overall remuneration should be reasonable and sufficient to attract, retain and motivate Directors aligned to the requirements of the Company, taking into consideration the challenges faced by the Company and its future growth imperatives.
- Remuneration paid should be reflective of the size of the Company, complexity of the sector/ industry/

Company's operations and the Company's capacity to pay the remuneration and be consistent with recognized best practices.

- The remuneration payable to Directors shall be inclusive of any remuneration payable for services rendered in any other capacity, unless the services rendered are of a professional nature and the NRC is of the opinion that the Director possesses requisite qualification for the practice of the profession. It may be noted that the Independent Directors of the Company have voluntarily foregone remuneration of any type and kind including sitting fee and accordingly no payment is made to them in this regard. Remuneration for Managing Director (MD)/ Executive Directors (ED)/ Key Managerial Personnel (KMP)/ rest of the Employees is paid.
- The extent of overall remuneration should be sufficient to attract and retain talented and qualified individuals suitable for every role. Hence remuneration should be market competitive, driven by the role played by the individual, reflective of the size of the Company, complexity of the sector/ industry/ Company's operations and the Company's capacity to pay, consistent with recognized best practices and aligned to any regulatory requirements.
- Basic/ fixed salary is provided to all employees to ensure that there is a steady income in line with their skills and experience. It is affirmed that the remuneration paid to Managing Director, Whole Time Directors and KMP is as per the Remuneration Policy of the Company. Presently no remuneration or sitting fee, of whatsoever kind and nature, is paid to any Independent Director.

#### PROTECTION OF WOMEN AT WORKPLACE

The Company has formulated a policy on 'Protection of Women's Rights at Workplace' as per the provisions of the

Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition & Redressal) Act, 2013. This has been widely disseminated. There were no cases of sexual harassment received by the Company during the F.Y. 2022-23 & between the end of the financial year and the date of this Report.

Mrs. Harshada Patil is the External Member of Internal Complaints Committee.

## SIGNIFICANT AND MATERIAL ORDERS PASSED BY THE REGULATORS

During the year under review, no significant material orders were passed by the regulators or courts or tribunals impacting the going concern status and the Company's operations.

## CHANGE IN THE NATURE OF BUSINESS, IF ANY

There was no change in the nature of business of the Company during the year under review.

## COMPLIANCE WITH SECRETARIAL STANDARDS ON BOARD AND ANNUAL GENERAL MEETINGS

The Company has complied with Secretarial Standards issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India on Board Meetings and Annual General Meetings.

#### STATUTORY AUDITORS

At the ensuing Twenty Ninth Annual General Meeting of the Company, the Members will be requested to ratify the appointment of M/s. Ladha Singhal & Associates, Chartered Accountants, Mumbai as the Auditors of the Company to hold office from the conclusion of this Annual General Meeting till the conclusion of the next Annual General Meeting at such remuneration as may be mutually agreed upon between the Board of Directors of the Company and the Auditors. They have confirmed their eligibility to the effect would be within the prescribed limits under the Act and they are not disqualified for re-appointment.

The notes on financial statements referred to in the Auditors' Report are self-explanatory and do not call for any further comments.

The Auditors' Report does not contain any qualification, reservation or adverse remark.

#### EXTRACT OF ANNUAL RETURN

The details forming part of the extract of the Annual Return in Form MGT-9 is annexed herewith as **ANNEXURE - I.** 

#### SECRETARIAL AUDIT

The Board of Directors of your Company had appointed Mr. P. M. Vala, Practicing Company Secretary (Membership No. FCS - 5193, CP No. - 4237) to undertake the Secretarial Audit of the Company for the financial year 2022-23. The

Secretarial Audit Report in Form No. MR-3 for the financial year ended March 31, 2023 is annexed herewith as **ANNEXURE - II.** 

Secretarial Auditors' observations: The report does not contain any qualifications, reservation or adverse remarks.

#### **COST AUDITOR**

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 148 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Companies (Cost Records and Audit) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactments thereof, for the time being in force), the Board of Directors of the Company have appointed Mr. Vinayak Kulkarni, Cost Accountant (Membership No. – 28559) as the Cost Auditors to conduct the Cost Audit of the Company for relevant segments for the financial year ending March 31, 2023.

## CONSERVATION OF ENERGY, TECHNOLOGY ABSORPTION, FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNINGS AND OUTGO

As required under Section 134(3)(m) of the Act, read with Rule 8 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014, the information relating to Conservation of Energy, Technology Absorption and Foreign Exchange Earnings and Outgo, during the financial year ended March 31, 2023 is given as below:

#### (A) Conservation of Energy:

As stated in the Director's Report, conservation of energy is an ongoing process and, in this regard, your Company ensures optimal use of energy, avoid wastages and attempts to conserve energy as best as possible. However, no significant investments were made in this regard during the year under review.

#### (B) Technology Absorption:

Your Company continues to adopt technology absorption techniques which are effective and have been successfully carried out for many years now. In its endeavor to improve constantly, your Company ensures regular monitoring and reviewing of the existing technology and always attempts if the same can be modified, upgraded or improved upon for increased and better operations. However, no specific research and development activities were carried out during the year under review.

#### C) Foreign Exchange Earnings and Outgo:

Particulars	F.Y. 2022-23(Audited)
Earnings	1545.76
Outgo	146974.83

#### DISCLOSURE PURSUANT TO SECTION 197(12) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013 READ WITH COMPANIES (APPOINTMENT AND REMUNERATION OF MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL) AMENDMENT RULES, 2016

Disclosure pursuant to the Companies Act, 2013 read with Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Amendment Rules, 2016 is attached herewith as per **ANNEXURE-III**.

However, since there were no employees drawing remuneration in excess of the limit set out in the aforesaid amended rules, the particulars of employees required to be furnished pursuant to Section 197 (12) read with Rule 5(2) and Rule 5 (3) of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personal) Amendment Rules, 2016 does not form part of this annual report.

#### FIXED DEPOSITS

The Company did not accept any Fixed Deposits from the public during the year and no fixed deposits were outstanding or unclaimed as on March 31, 2023.

## STATUS OF UNCLAIMED/ UNPAID DIVIDEND AMOUNTS

The status of unclaimed/ unpaid Dividend amounts as on March 31, 2023: ₹5.96 Lakhs

#### **BORROWINGS AND DEBT SERVICING**

During the year under review, your Company has met all its obligations towards repayment of principal and interest on loans availed.

#### LISTING OF SHARES

The equity shares of your Company have been listed on the BSE Limited and the National Stock Exchange of India Limited. The listing fees for the year 2022-23 have been duly paid.

#### **DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT**

Your Directors state and confirm that:

- (i) in the preparation of the annual accounts for the financial year ended March 31, 2023, the applicable accounting standards read with requirements set out under Schedule III to the Act, have been followed and that there are no material departures from the same;
- (ii) the Directors have selected such accounting policies and applied them consistently and made judgments and estimates that were reasonable and prudent so as to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company as at March 31, 2023 and of the profits of the Company for the year ended on that date;

- (iii) the Directors have taken proper and sufficient care for the maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act, for safeguarding the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting fraud and other irregularities;
- (iv) the Directors have prepared the accounts for the financial year ended March 31, 2023 on a 'going concern' basis;
- the Directors have laid down internal financial controls to be followed by the Company and that such financial controls are adequate and are operating effectively;
- (vi) the Directors have devised proper systems to ensure compliance with the provisions of all applicable laws and that such systems are adequate and are operating effectively.

#### **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE**

Your Company ensures maintaining highest standards of corporate governance as per corporate governance requirements formulated by SEBI. The report on Corporate Governance as per SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 forms an integral part of the Annual Report. (ANNEXURE – IV). The requisite certificate from the Auditors of the Company confirming compliance with the conditions of Corporate Governance is attached to report on Corporate Governance.

## MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS REPORT

Management's Discussion and Analysis Report for the year under review, as stipulated under Regulation 34(2) of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015. (ANNEXURE – V).

#### RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

All related party transactions to be entered into during the F. Y. 2022-23 on omnibus basis were approved by the Board of Directors and the Audit Committee and were also consented by the members in the Annual General Meeting of the Company held on September 30, 2022 in accordance with Section 188 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rules made thereunder (as amended) and as per earlier Listing Agreements and subsequently on the basis of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

Details of related party transactions entered during the F.Y. 2022-23 are placed under **ANNEXURE -VI** as per Form AOC-2 attached with this Directors' Report. The

Policy on materiality of related party transactions may be accessed on the Company's website- www.aicltd.in.

#### CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

The Corporate Social Responsibility Committee comprises of Mr. Jaiprakash Agarwal, Managing Director, Mr. Lalit Agarwal, Whole Time Director and Mr. Alok Bharara, an Independent Director. Mr. Jaiprakash Agarwal, Managing Director, is the Chairman of the Committee.

The details of the various projects and programs which can be undertaken by the Company as a part of its CSR Policy framework is available on its website www.aicltd.in.

The disclosures required to be given under Section 135 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 8(1) of the Companies (Corporate Social Responsibility Policy) Rules, 2014 are given in **ANNEXURE- VII** forming part of this Board Report.

## BUSINESS RESPONCIBILITY AND SUSTAINABILITY REPORT (BRSR)

According to Top Companies' list of Stock Exchanges dated 31st March 2022 and 31st March 2023, our Company falls under top 1000 Companies and therefore as per the SEBI's relevant circulars indicating the applicability of BRSR Reporting. The said BRSR for FY 2022-23 attached as **ANNEXURE-VIII.** 

## APPLICATIONS MADE OR ANY PROCEEDING PENDING UNDER THE IBC CODE, 2016

No application made or any proceeding is pending under the IBC Code, 2016 during the year under review and thereafter till the date of this report.

#### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

Your Directors place on record their deep sense of appreciation for the contribution made by employees towards the success and growth of your Company. Your Directors also thank all the shareholders, investors, customers, vendors, bankers, business partners, government and regulatory authorities for their continued co-operation and support.

On behalf of the Board of Directors **Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited** 

Ramchandra Agarwal (DIN:02064854) Whole Time Director Jaiprakash Agarwal (DIN: 01379868) Managing Director

Place:Mumbai Date: August 14, 2023

#### **ANNEXURE I**

#### Form No. MGT- 9

#### EXTRACT OF ANNUAL RETURN AS ON THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2023

[Pursuant to section 92(3) of the Companies Act, 2013 and rule 12(1) of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014]

#### I. REGISTRATION AND OTHER DETAILS:

CIN

ii) Registration Date

iii) Name of the Company

iv) Category

v) Sub-Category of the Company

vi) Address of the Registered Office

vii) Whether listed company

viii) Name, Address and Contact details of Registrar and: Transfer Agent, if any Registrar & Share Transfer Agent

(w.e.f. June 30, 2018)

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: January 13, 1995

: Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited

: Company Limited by Shares

: Indian Non-Government Company

Eastern Court, Unit No. 201-202,

Plot No. 12, V.N. Purav Marg,

S. T. Road, Chembur, Mumbai 400 071

: Yes

Universal Capital Securities Pvt Ltd. (SEBI REG. NO. INR000004082)

CIN NO – U74200MH1991PTC062536

C 101, 247 Park, LBS Road, Vikhroli West, Mumbai – 400083.

Tel.022-49186178-79 , Fax No.022-49186060; W:www.unisec.in; E- mail:info@unisec.in

#### II. PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES OF THE COMPANY

All the business activities contributing 10% or more of the total turnover of the Company shall be stated:-

Sr. No.	Name and Description of main products / service	NIC Code of the Product/ service	% to total turnover of the company
1	Manufacturing & Trading of Petrochemical Products (Bitumen & Bituminous Products) ANCILLIARY INFRA	19209	96.62
2	Transportation, Windmill	60231	3.38

#### III. PARTICULARS OF HOLDING, SUBSIDIARY AND ASSOCIATE COMPANIES:

Sr. No.	NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE COMPANY	CIN/GLN	HOLDING/ SUBSIDIARY/ ASSOCIATE	% of shares Held	Applicable Section	
1	Bituminex Cochin Pvt.Ltd.* (Building No: II, 1, 2, 3, Ambalamugal, P.O. Ernakulam, Kerala- 682302) (Wholly Owned Subsidiary)	U10300KL1980PTC003141	Subsidiary	100%	2(87)	
2	AICL Overseas FZ – LLC (T1-FF-3C, ** RAKEZ Amenity Center, Al Hamra Industrial Zone –FZ RAK, United Arab Emirates) ( Wholly Owned Subsidiary)	47002075	Subsidiary	100%	2(87)	
3	Agarwal Translink Private Limited  ***  D-5/2 MIDCTTC Industrial Area Turbhe Navi Mumbai 400705 (Wholly Owned Subsidiary)	U60210MH1977PTC019562	Subsidiary	100%	2(87)	
4	AICL Finance Private Limited **** Eastern Court, Unit No. 201-202,, Plot No.12, V N Purav Marg, S T Road, Chembur, Mumbai City, Maharashtra, India, 400071	U65999MH2023PTC398084	Subsidiary	100%	2(87)	

(\*Bituminex Cochin Private Limited - One Equity Share held by Sh. Lalit Agarwal as Nominee of the Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited, Holding Company and to further comply with the requirement of minimum two members in a private limited company)

(\*\*AICL Overseas FZ-LLC's Share Capital comprises of 1000 Shares of AED 1000 each.

(\*\*\*Agarwal Translink Private Limited has become Wholly Owned Subsidiary of the Company with effect from 9th April 2021 and One Equity Share held by Sh. Vipin Agarwal as Nominee of the Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited, Holding Company and to further comply with the requirement of minimum two members in a private limited company)

(\*\*\*\*AICL Finance Private Limited has become Wholly Owned Subsidiary of the Company with effect from 20th January 2023 and One Equity Share held by Sh. Vipin Agarwal as Nominee of the Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited, Holding Company and to further comply with the requirement of minimum two members in a private limited company)

## IV. SHARE HOLDING PATTERN (Equity Share Capital Breakup as percentage of Total Equity):

#### i) Category-wise Share Holding

Sr. No.	Category of Shareholders	Shareholding at the beginning of the year - 2022 Shareholding at the end of the year - 2023								%
		Demat	Physical	Total	% of Total Shares	Demat	Physical	Total	% of Total Shares	Change During the year
(A)	Shareholding of Promoter and Promoter Group									
[1]	Indian									
(a)	Individuals / Hindu Undivided Family	7736434	0	7736434	'58.5704	8555434	0	8555434	'57.1972	'-1.3732
(b)	Central Government /State Government(s)	0	0	0	'0.0000	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(c)	Financial Institutions/ Banks	0	0	0	'0.0000	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(d)	Any Other (Specify)									
	Sub Total (A)(1)	7736434	0	7736434	'58.5704	8555434	0	8555434	'57.1972	'-1.3732
[2]	Foreign									
(a)	Individuals (Non-Resident Individuals / Foreign Individuals)	0	0	0	'0.0000	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(b)	Government	0	0	0	'0.0000	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(c)	Institutions	0	0	0	'0.0000	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(d)	Foreign Portfolio Investor	0	0	0	'0.0000	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(e)	Any Other (Specify)									
	Sub Total (A)(2)	0	0	0	'0.0000	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
	Total Shareholding of Promoter and Promoter Group(A)=(A)(1)+(A)(2)	7736434	0	7736434	'58.5704	8555434	0	8555434	'57.1972	'-1.3732
(B)	Public Shareholding									
[1]	Institutions									
(a)	Mutual Funds / UTI	0	0	0	'0.0000	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(b)	Venture Capital Funds	0	0	0	'0.0000	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(c)	Alternate Investment Funds	0	0	0	'0.0000	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(d)	Foreign Venture Capital Investors	0	0	0	'0.0000	0	0	0		'0.0000
(e)	Foreign Portfolio Investor	528417	0	528417	'4.0005	951400	0	951400	'6.3606	'2.3601
(f)	Financial Institutions / Banks	0	0	0	'0.0000	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000

Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited										
	Category of Shareholders	Shareholding at the beginning of the year - 2022 Shareholding at the end of the year - 2023								%
Sr. No.		Demat	Physical	Total	% of Total Shares	Demat	Physical	Total	% of Total Shares	Change During the year
(g)	Insurance Companies	0	0	0	'0.0000	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(h)	Provident Funds/ Pension Funds	0	0	0	'0.0000	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(i)	Any Other (Specify)									
	Sub Total (B)(1)	528417	0	528417	'4.0005	951400	0	951400	'6.3606	'2.3601
[2]	Central Government/ State Government(s)/ President of India									
	Sub Total (B)(2)	0	0	0	'0.0000	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
[3]	Non-Institutions									
(a)	Individuals									
(i)	Individual shareholders holding nominal share capital upto Rs. 1 lakh.	1890473	9805	1900278	'14.3865	2258274	4300	2262574	'15.1264	'0.7399
(ii)	Individual shareholders holding nominal share capital in excess of Rs. 1 lakh	1806410	0	1806410	'13.6758	2078541	0	2078541	'13.8960	'0.2202
(b)	NBFCs registered with RBI	0	0	0	'0.0000	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(d)	Overseas Depositories(holding DRs) (balancing figure)	0	0	0	'0.0000	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(c)	Any Other (Specify)									
	IEPF	18979	0	18979	'0.1437	18984	0	18984	'0.1269	'-0.0168
	Hindu Undivided Family	238313	0	238313	'1.8042	253167	0	253167	'1.6925	'-0.1117
	Non Resident Indians (Non Repat)	38795	0	38795	'0.2937	54638	0	54638	'0.3653	'0.0716
	Non Resident Indians (Repat)	75084	0	75084	'0.5684	126774	0	126774	'0.8475	'0.2791
	Body Corp-Ltd Liability Partnership	347400	0	347400	'2.6301	238521	0	238521	'1.5946	'-1.0355
	Clearing Member	47749	0	47749	'0.3615	12089	0	12089	'0.0808	'-0.2807
	Bodies Corporate	470930	0	470930	'3.5653	405667	0	405667	'2.7121	'-0.8532
	Sub Total (B)(3)	4934133	9805	4943938	'37.4292	5446655	4300	5450955	'36.4423	'-0.9869
	Total Public Shareholding(B)=(B)(1)+(B) (2)+(B)(3)	5462550	9805	5472355	'41.4296	6398055	4300	6402355	'42.8028	'1.3732
	Total (A)+(B)	13198984	9805	13208789	'100.0000	14953489	4300	14957789	'100.0000	'0.0000
(C)	Non Promoter - Non Public									
	(C1) Shares Underlying DRs									
[1]	Custodian/DR Holder	0	0	0	'0.0000	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
	(C2) Shares Held By Employee Trust									
[2]	Employee Benefit Trust (under SEBI (Share based Employee Benefit) Regulations, 2014)	0	0	0	'0.0000	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
	Total (A)+(B)+(C)	13198984	9805	13208789	'100.0000	14953489	4300	14957789	'100.0000	

# ii) Shareholding of Promoters:

		Shareholding a	t the beginning of	the year - 2022	Shareholding	at the end of t	he year - 2023	
Sr. No.	Shareholder's Name	NO. OF SHARES HELD	% of total Shares of the company	%of Shares Pledged / encumbered to total shares	NO. OF SHARES HELD	% of total Shares of the company	%of Shares Pledged/ encumbered to total shares	% change in shareholding during the
1	JAI PRAKASH AGARWAL	875453	'6.6278	'0.0000	875453	'5.8528	'0.0000	'-0.7750
2	RAMCHANDRA AGARWAL	561668	'4.2522	'0.0000	561668	'3.7550	'0.0000	'-0.4972
3	USHA AGARWAL .	533509	'4.0390	'0.0000	533509	'3.5668	'0.0000	'-0.4722
4	KISHAN AGARWAL.	527311	'3.9921	'0.0000	736311	'4.9226	'0.0000	'0.9305
5	MAHENDRA AGARWAL	509762	'3.8593	'0.0000	827762	'5.5340	'0.0000	'1.6747
6	LALIT AGARWAL	446283	'3.3787	'0.0000	527283	'3.5251	'0.0000	'0.1464
7	JUGAL KISHORE AGARWAL	432495	'3.2743	'0.0000	574495	'3.8408	'0.0000	'0.5665
8	REKHA AGARWAL	400929	'3.0353	'0.0000	400929	'2.6804	'0.0000	'-0.3549
9	PADMAAGARWAL	392842	'2.9741	'0.0000	392842	'2.6263	'0.0000	'-0.3478
10	NILESH AGARWAL	360425	'2.7287	'0.0000	334425	'2.2358	'0.0000	'-0.4929
11	UMA AGARWAL .	345208	'2.6135	'0.0000	345208	'2.3079	'0.0000	'-0.3056
12	SUSHILA AGARWAL	327968	'2.4830	'0.0000	327968	'2.1926	'0.0000	'-0.2904
13	SHAILESH RAMESHCHANDRA AGARWAL	296220	'2.2426	'0.0000	391220	'2.6155	'0.0000	'0.3729
14	VIPIN AGARWAL	284635	'2.1549	'0.0000	284635	'1.9029	'0.0000	'-0.2520
15	SUDHA AGARWAL .	246380	'1.8653	'0.0000	246380	'1.6472	'0.0000	'-0.2181
16	JAIPRAKASH RAHULKUMAR HUF .	184297	'1.3953	'0.0000	184297	'1.2321	'0.0000	'-0.1632
17	RAMCHANDRA AGARWAL HUF .	142998	'1.0826	'0.0000	142998	'0.9560	'0.0000	'-0.1266
18	MANGILAL AGARWAL HUF .	131768	'0.9976	'0.0000	131768	'0.8809	'0.0000	'-0.1167
19	LALIT AGARWAL HUF .	125225	'0.9480	'0.0000	125225	'0.8372	'0.0000	'-0.1108
20	KISHAN AGARWAL HUF .	107817	'0.8163	'0.0000	107817	'0.7208	'0.0000	'-0.0955
21	MUKUL AGARWAL .	91114	'0.6898	'0.0000	91114	'0.6091	'0.0000	'-0.0807
22	VIREL AGARWAL	79942	'0.6052	'0.0000	79942	'0.5345	'0.0000	'-0.0707
23	POOJA AGARWAL	73005	'0.5527	'0.0000	73005	'0.4881	'0.0000	'-0.0646
24	MAHENDRA AGARWAL HUF .	64852	'0.4910	'0.0000	64852	'0.4336	'0.0000	'-0.0574
25	YASH AGARWAL	61828	'0.4681	'0.0000	61828	'0.4133	'0.0000	'-0.0548
26	JUGALKISHORE AGARWAL HUF	55424	'0.4196	'0.0000	55424	'0.3705	'0.0000	'-0.0491
27	LAKSHYA AGARWAL	48114	'0.3643	'0.0000	48114	'0.3217	'0.0000	'-0.0426
28	NILESH AGARWAL HUF .	14998	'0.1135	'0.0000	14998	'0.1003	'0.0000	'-0.0132
29	NAMRATA SHAILESH AGRAWAL	6964	'0.0527	'0.0000	6964	'0.0466	'0.0000	'-0.0061
30	SANCHI AGARWAL .	4500	'0.0341	'0.0000	4500	'0.0301	'0.0000	'-0.0040
31	AAYUSHI AGARWAL .	2500	'0.0189	'0.0000	2500	'0.0167	'0.0000	'-0.0022
	Total	7736434	'58.5704	'0.0000	8555434	'57.1972	'0.0000	'-1.3732

# iii) Change in Promoters' Shareholding (specify if there is no change):

Sr.	Name & Type of	Shareholding at the yea	the beginning of ir – 2022	Transa during t		Cumu Shareho the end year -	olding at I of the
No.	Transaction	NO.OF SHARES HELD	% OF TOTAL SHARES OF THE COMPANY	DATE OF TRANSACTION	NO. OF SHARES	NO OF SHARES HELD	% OF TOTAL SHARES OF THE COMPANY
1	JAI PRAKASH AGARWAL	875453	5.8528			875453	5.8528
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					875453	5.8528
2	MAHENDRA AGARWAL	509762	3.408			509762	3.408
	Transfer			15-Jul-22	318000	827762	5.534
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					827762	5.534
3	KISHAN AGARWAL	527311	3.5253			527311	3.5253
	Transfer			15-Jul-22	344000	871311	5.8251
	Transfer			26-Aug-22	-70000	801311	5.3571
	Transfer			30-Sep-22	-65000	736311	4.9226
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR			·		736311	4.9226
4	JUGAL KISHORE AGARWAL	432495	2.8914			432495	2.8914
	Transfer			15-Jul-22	302000	734495	4.9105
	Transfer			26-Aug-22	-90000	644495	4.3088
	Transfer			30-Sep-22	-70000	574495	3.8408
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					574495	3.8408
5	RAMCHANDRA AGARWAL	561668	3.755			561668	3.755
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					561668	3.755
6	USHA AGARWAL .	533509	3.5668			533509	3.5668
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					533509	3.5668
7	LALIT AGARWAL	446283	2.9836			446283	2.9836
	Transfer			15-Jul-22	81000	527283	3.5251
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					527283	3.5251
8	REKHA AGARWAL	400929	2.6804			400929	2.6804
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					400929	2.6804
9	PADMA AGARWAL	392842	2.6263			392842	2.6263
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					392842	2.6263
10	SHAILESH RAMESHCHANDRA AGARWAL	296220	1.9804			296220	1.9804
	Transfer			15-Jul-22	95000	391220	2.6155
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					391220	2.6155

Sr.	Name & Type of			Transa during t		Cumulative Shareholding at the end of the year - 2023	
No.	Transaction	NO.OF SHARES HELD	% OF TOTAL SHARES OF THE COMPANY	DATE OF TRANSACTION	NO. OF SHARES	NO OF SHARES HELD	% OF TOTAL SHARES OF THE COMPANY
11	UMA AGARWAL.	345208	2.3079			345208	2.3079
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					345208	2.3079
12	NILESH AGARWAL	360425	2.4096			360425	2.4096
	Transfer			15-Jul-22	109000	469425	3.1383
	Transfer			26-Aug-22	-70000	399425	2.6703
	Transfer			30-Sep-22	-65000	334425	2.2358
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					334425	2.2358
13	SUSHILA AGARWAL	327968	2.1926			327968	2.1926
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					327968	2.1926

# (iv) Shareholding Pattern of top ten Shareholders (other than Directors, Promoters and Holders of GDRs and ADRs):

Sr. No.		Shareholding at t		Transactions during the year		Cumulative Shareholding at the end of the year - 2023	
	Name & Type of Transaction	NO.OF SHARES HELD	% OF TOTAL SHARES OF THE COMPANY	DATE OF TRANSACTION	NO. OF SHARES	NO OF SHARES HELD	% OF TOTAL SHARES OF THE COMPANY
1	NEXPACT LIMITED	500000	3.3427			500000	3.3427
	Transfer			24-Mar-23	482700	982700	6.5698
	Transfer			31-Mar-23	-34250	948450	6.3408
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					948450	6.3408
2	ASHISH KACHOLIA	0	0			0	0
	Transfer			05-Aug-22	372128	372128	2.4879
	Transfer			07-Oct-22	200000	572128	3.825
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					572128	3.825
3	VALUEWORTH ADVISORS LLP	200000	1.3371			200000	1.3371
	Transfer			14-Oct-22	-15000	185000	1.2368
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					185000	1.2368
4	PRATEEK JAIN	146794	0.9814			146794	0.9814
	Transfer			30-Jun-22	-10701	136093	0.9098
	Transfer			01-Jul-22	-1765	134328	0.898
	Transfer			08-Jul-22	-22834	111494	0.7454
	Transfer			15-Jul-22	-4700	106794	0.714
	Transfer			29-Jul-22	840	107634	0.7196
	Transfer			05-Aug-22	-70000	37634	0.2516
	Transfer			26-Aug-22	79201	116835	0.7811
	Transfer			09-Sep-22	-4750	112085	0.7493

Sr. No.		Shareholding at t the year		Transac during the		Cumulative Shareholding at the end of the year - 2023	
	Name & Type of Transaction	NO.OF SHARES HELD	% OF TOTAL SHARES OF THE COMPANY	DATE OF TRANSACTION	NO. OF SHARES	NO OF SHARES HELD	% OF TOTAL SHARES OF THE COMPANY
	Transfer			30-Sep-22	-20000	92085	0.6156
	Transfer			18-Nov-22	-27250	64835	0.4335
	Transfer			06-Jan-23	127	64962	0.4343
	Transfer			03-Feb-23	25000	89962	0.6014
	Transfer			10-Feb-23	17505	107467	0.7185
	Transfer			17-Feb-23	44495	151962	1.0159
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					151962	1.0159
5	HEM CHAND JAIN	46356	0.3099			46356	0.3099
	Transfer			17-Jun-22	-12558	33798	0.226
	Transfer			24-Jun-22	-12442	21356	0.1428
	Transfer			05-Aug-22	-20000	1356	0.0091
	Transfer			26-Aug-22	89607	90963	0.6081
	Transfer			18-Nov-22	60000	150963	1.0093
	Transfer			06-Jan-23	184	151147	1.0105
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					151147	1.0105
6	INDU JAIN	151356	1.0119			151356	1.0119
	Transfer			15-Jul-22	-542	150814	1.0083
	Transfer			22-Jul-22	-8130	142684	0.9539
	Transfer			29-Jul-22	-5661	137023	0.9161
	Transfer			05-Aug-22	-34500	102523	0.6854
	Transfer			12-Aug-22	-67	102456	0.685
	Transfer			26-Aug-22	-747	101709	0.68
	Transfer			23-Dec-22	825	102534	0.6855
	Transfer			30-Dec-22	1175	103709	0.6933
	Transfer			20-Jan-23	-12000	91709	0.6131
	Transfer			10-Feb-23	10000	101709	0.68
	Transfer			17-Mar-23	1000	102709	0.6867
	Transfer			24-Mar-23	1750	104459	0.6984
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					104459	0.6984
7	MANJU JAIN	100000	0.6685			100000	0.6685
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					100000	0.6685
8	SAPNA BERRY	85000	0.5683			85000	0.5683
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					85000	0.5683
9	NEHA BHANDARI	85000	0.5683			85000	0.5683
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					85000	0.5683
10	GAURAV JAIN	100000	0.6685			100000	0.6685
	Transfer			05-Aug-22	-70000	30000	0.2006
	Transfer			12-Aug-22	45000	75000	0.5014
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					75785	0.5067

Sr. No.		Shareholding at t		Transactions during the year		Cumulative Shareholding at the end of the year - 2023	
	Name & Type of Transaction	NO.OF SHARES HELD	% OF TOTAL SHARES OF THE COMPANY	DATE OF TRANSACTION	NO. OF SHARES	NO OF SHARES HELD	% OF TOTAL SHARES OF THE COMPANY
11	SUNITA MADHUSUDAN SARDA	85000	0.5683			85000	0.5683
	Transfer			06-May-22	-14000	71000	0.4747
	Transfer			05-Aug-22	-10000	61000	0.4078
	Transfer			12-Aug-22	-2881	58119	0.3886
	Transfer			19-Aug-22	-2119	56000	0.3744
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					56000	0.3744
12	AAVYANA ADVISORS LLP	145000	0.9694			145000	0.9694
	Transfer			12-Aug-22	-145000	0	0
	AT THE END OF THE YEAR					0	0

Note: The above mentioned details regarding Shareholding Pattern of top ten shareholders (other than Directors, Promoters and Holders of GDRs and ADRs) are based upon the top ten shareholders during financial year 2022-23 derived from the Benpos received from Depositories & furnished to us by the Registrar & Share Transfer Agent of the Company)

# (v) Shareholding of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel:

		Shareholding at the beginning of the F.Y - 01/04/2022		nolding at the end 31/03/2023
Name	No. of shares	% of total shares of the Company	No. of shares	% of total shares of the Company
Jaiprakash Agarwal At the beginning of the year Date wise Increase /Decrease in Shareholding during the year specifying the reasons for increase/decrease (e.g. allotment /transfer /bonus/sweat equity etc):	875453 Nil	6.63 Nil	875453 Nil	5.85 Nil
At the end of the year	875453	6.63	875453	5.85
Ramchandra Agarwal At the beginning of the year Date wise Increase /Decrease in Share holding during the year specifying the reasons for increase/decrease (e.g. allotment /transfer /bonus/sweat equity etc):	561668 Nil	4.25 Nil	561668 Nil	3.76 Nil
At the end of the year	561668	4.25	561668	3.76
Mahendra Agarwal At the beginning of the year Date wise Increase /Decrease in Share holding during the year specifying the reasons for increase/decrease (e.g. allotment /transfer /bonus/sweat equity etc):	509762 Nil	3.86 Nil	827762 Nil	5.53 Nil
At the end of the year	509762	3.86	827762	5.53
Lalit Agarwal At the beginning of the year Date wise Increase /Decrease in Share holding during the year specifying the reasons for increase/decrease (e.g. allotment /transfer /bonus/sweat equity etc):	446283 Nil	3.38 Nil	527283 Nil	3.53 Nil
At the end of the year	446283	3.38	527283	3.53
Vipin Agarwal At the beginning of the year Date wise Increase /Decrease in Shareholding during the year specifying the reasons for increase/decrease (e.g. allotment /transfer /bonus/sweat equity etc):	284635 Nil	2.15 Nil	284635 Nil	1.9 Nil
At the end of the year	284635	2.15	284635	1.9

### **VI. INDEBTEDNESS**

Indebtedness of the Company including interest outstanding/accrued but not due for payment:

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	Secured Loans Excluding deposits	Unsecured Loans	Deposits	Total Indebtedness
Indebtedness at the beginning of the financial year				
i) Principal Amount	12374.4	Nil	Nil	12374.4
ii) Interest due but not paid	-	Nil	Nil	-
iii) Interest accrued but not due	-	Nil	Nil	-
Total (i+ii+iii)	12374.4	Nil	Nil	12374.4
Change in Indebtedness during the financial year				
Addition	186.66	Nil	Nil	186.66
Reduction	-6587.07	Nil	Nil	-6587.07
Net Change	-6400.4	Nil	Nil	-6400.4
Indebtedness at the				
end of the financial year	5974	Nil	Nil	5974
i) Principal Amount	-	-	-	-
ii) Interest due but not paid		-	-	
iii) Interest accrued but not due				
Total (i+ii+iii)	5974	Nil	Nil	5974

# VII. REMUNERATION OF DIRECTORS AND KEY MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL:

(For the F.Y ended on March 31, 2023)

A. Remuneration to Managing Director, Whole-time Directors and/or Manager:

₹ in Lakhs

Sr. No.	Particulars of Remuneration	Jaiprakash Agarwal	Ramchandra Agarwal	Lalit Agarwal
1)	Gross Salary:-			
	(a) Salary as per provisions contained in Section 17(1) of the Income-Tax Act, 1961	75	75	75
	(b) Value of perquisites u/s 17(2) Income-Tax Act, 1961	-	-	-
	(c) Profits in lieu of salary under section 17(3) Income-Tax Act, 1961	Nil	Nil	Nil
2)	Stock Options	Nil	Nil	Nil
3)	Sweat Equity	Nil	Nil	Nil
4)	Commission paid - as % of Profit	Nil	Nil	Nil
5)	Others	Nil	Nil	Nil
	Total	75	75	75

### Remuneration to other Directors:

Independent Directors: NII

Sr. no.	Particulars of Remuneration	Total Amount
		NIL

### Non- Executive Directors: NIL

Sr. no.	Particulars of Remuneration	Total Amount
		NIL

#### B. REMUNERATION PAID TO KEY MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL OTHER THAN MD/MANAGER/WTD:

₹ in Lakhs

Sr. no.	Particulars of Remuneration	Vipin Agarwal	Dipali Pitale
1	Gross salary		
	(a) Salary as per provisions contained in Section 17(1) of the Income-Tax Act, 1961	30	5.39
	(b) Value of perquisites u/s 17(2) Income-Tax Act, 1961	-	-
	(c) Profits in lieu of salary under section 17(3) Income Tax Act, 1961	-	-
2	Stock Option		
	Sweat Equity	NIL	NIL
	Commission		
	- as % of Profit		
	- Others, specify		
	Others		
	Total	30	5.39

# VIII. PENALTIES / PUNISHMENT/ COMPOUNDING OF OFFENCES:

(For the F.Y ended on March 31, 2023)

Туре	Section of the Companies Act	Brief Description	Details of Penalty /Punishment/ Compounding fees imposed	Authority [RD / NCLT/ COURT]	Appeal made, if any (give Details)		
A. COMPANY							
(Penalty / Punishment / Compounding)							
B. DIRECTORS		NIL.					
(Penalty / Punishment / Compounding)							
C. OTHER OFFICERS IN DEFAULT							
(Penalty / Punishment / Compounding)							

RAMCHANDRA AGARWAL WHOLE TIME DIRECTOR (DIN: 02064854) (VIPIN AGARWAL)
CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

(DIPALI PITALE) COMPANY SECRETARY Mem. No.A36192

#### **ANNEXURE - II**

# Form No. MR-3 SECRETARIAL AUDIT REPORT

FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH' 2023

[Pursuant to Section 204(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule No. 9 of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014]

To,
The Members **Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited** 

CIN: L99999MH1995PLC084618 Eastern Court, Unit No. 201-202 Plot No.12, V. N. Purav Marg, S. T. Road, Chembur, Mumbai - 400 071

I have conducted the Secretarial Audit of the compliance of applicable statutory provisions and the adherence to good corporate practices by Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited (CIN: L99999MH1995PLC084618) (hereinafter called the Company). Secretarial Audit was conducted in a manner that provided me a reasonable basis for evaluating the corporate conducts/statutory compliances and expressing my opinion thereon.

Based on my verification of the Company's books, papers, minutes books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the Company and also the information provided by the Company, its officers, agents and authorized representatives during the conduct of secretarial audit, I hereby report that in my opinion, the Company has, during the audit period covering the financial year ended on 31st March' 2023 ("Audit Period") complied with the statutory provisions listed hereunder and also that the Company has proper Board-processes and compliance-mechanism in place to the extent, in the manner and subject to the reporting made hereinafter:

I have examined the books, papers, minute books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the company for the financial year ended on 31st March'2023 according to the provisions of:

- (i) The Companies Act, 2013 (the Act) and the Rules made thereunder;
- (ii) The Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956 ('SCRA') and the Rules made thereunder;
- (iii) The Depositories Act, 1996 and the Regulations and Bye-laws framed thereunder;
- (iv) Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 and the Rules and Regulations made thereunder to the extent of Foreign Direct Investment, Overseas Direct Investment and External Commercial Borrowings.
- (v) The following Regulations and Guidelines prescribed under the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992 ('SEBI Act') to the extent applicable to the Company:-

- (a) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011;
- (b) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;
- (c) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018; -
- (d) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits) Regulations, 2014; - (Not Applicable to the Company during the Audit Period)
- (e) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Debt Securities) Regulations, 2008; – (Not Applicable to the Company during the Audit Period)
- (f) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Registrars to an Issue and Share Transfer Agents) Regulations, 1993 regarding the Companies Act and dealing with client; (Not Applicable to the Company during the Audit Period)
- (g) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Delisting of Equity Shares) Regulations, 2009; -(Not Applicable to the Company during the Audit Period)
- (h) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 2018; - (Not Applicable to the Company during the Audit Period); and
  - (i) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('SEBI LODR'):
- (vi) The Management has identified and confirmed the following laws as specifically applicable to the Company;
  - (a) Petroleum Act, 1934 and Rules made thereunder;
  - (b) Carriage by Road Act, 2007
  - (c) Motor Vehicles Act, 1988
  - (d) Electricity Act, 2003
  - (e) Merchant Shipping Act, 1983
  - (f) Motor Vehicles Act, 1988
  - (g) The Indian Carriage of Goods by Sea Act, 1925;

I have also examined compliance with the applicable clauses of the following:

- (i) Secretarial Standards issued by The Institute of Company Secretaries of India.
- (ii) The Listing Agreements entered into by the Company with the BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited ('NSE') and The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015;

During the period under review the Company has complied with the provisions of the Act, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Standards, etc. mentioned hereinabove above.

# I further report that:

The Board of Directors of the Company is duly constituted with proper balance of Executive Directors, Non-Executive Directors and Independent Directors and Woman Director.

Adequate notice is given to all directors to schedule the Board/Committee Meetings, agenda and detailed notes on agenda were sent generally seven days in advance and a system exists for seeking and obtaining further information and clarifications on the agenda items before the meeting and for meaningful participation at the meeting.

All decisions at Board Meetings and Committee Meetings were carried with requisite majority as recorded in the minutes of the meetings of the Board of Directors or Committees of the Board, as may be, while the dissenting members' views, if any, were captured and recorded as part of the minutes.

I further report that there are adequate systems and processes in the company commensurate with the size and operations of the Company to monitor and ensure compliance with applicable laws, rules, regulations and guidelines.

I further report that during the audit period there were following specific events/actions having a major bearing on Company's affairs in pursuance of the above-referred laws, rules, regulations, guidelines, standards, etc.

 During the year under review, the Company has made allotment of 12,49,000 Equity Shares of Face Value of Rs. 10 each at a premium of Rs.95.20 upon conversion of 12,49,000 Fully Convertible Warrants aggregating to Rs.13,13,94,800/- (Rupees Thirteen Crores Thirteen Lakhs and Ninety Four Thousand and Eight Hundred Only)) on June 09,2022 out of total 17,11,000 Warrants allotted to Promoters/Promoters Group on April 09, 2021.Consequently, post conversion, the Issued and paid up capital of the Company was increased from Rs.13,20,87,890 to Rs.14,45,77,890. These newly converted equity shares are at par with the existing equity shares and are listed on BSE and NSE with effect from July 11, 2022.

- During the year under review, the Company has made allotment of 5,00,000 Equity Shares of Face Value of Rs.10 each at a premium of Rs.95.20 upon conversion of 5,00,000 Fully Convertible Warrants aggregating to Rs.5,26,00,000 (Rupees Five Crore Twenty Six Lakhs only) on October 06,2022 out of total 18,00,000 Warrants allotted under Public Category on April 09, 2021. Consequently, post conversion, the Issued and paid up capital of the Company was increased from Rs.14,45,77,890 to Rs.14,95,77,890. These newly converted equity shares are at par with the existing equity shares and are listed on BSE and NSE with effect from November 18, 2022.
- During the year, the Company promoted its Wholly Owned Subsidiary (WOS) under the name "AICL FINANCE PRIVATE LIMITED".

For **P. M. Vala & Associates,** Company Secretaries **P. M. Vala** (Proprietor)

FCS No. 5193, COP No. 4237 ICSI Unique Code: I2001MH250600 Peer Review No.1884/2022 UDIN: F005193E000770243

Place: Thane

Date: 09th August'2023

Note: This report is to be read with our letter of even date which is annexed as Annexure A and forms an integral part of this report.

# **Annexure A to Secretarial Audit Report**

To,
The Members
Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited

CIN: L99999MH1995PLC084618 Eastern Court, Unit No.201-202 Plot No.12, V. N. Purav Marg, S. T. Road, Chembur, Mumbai - 400 071

My Secretarial Audit Report for the financial year 31st March'2023 is to be read along with this letter.

# **Management Responsibility**

1. It is the responsibility of the Management of the Company to maintain Secretarial records, devise proper systems to ensure compliance with the provisions of all applicable laws and regulations and to ensure that the systems are adequate and operate effectively. My examination was limited to the verification of records and procedures on test check basis for the purpose of issue of the Secretarial Audit Report.

# **Auditor's Responsibility**

- Maintenance of secretarial and other records of applicable laws is the responsibility of the management of the Company. My responsibility is to express an opinion on these secretarial records based on my audit.
- I have followed the audit practices and processes as were appropriate to obtain reasonable assurance about the correctness of the contents of the secretarial and other legal records, legal compliance

mechanism and corporate conduct. The verification was done on test check basis to ensure that correct facts as reflected in secretarial and other records produced to me. I believe that the processes and practices I followed, provides a reasonable basis for my opinion for the purpose of issue of the Secretarial Audit Report.

 Wherever required, I have obtained the management representation about the compliance of laws, rules and regulations and major events during the audit period.

# **Disclaimer**

- 5. The Secretarial Audit Report is neither an assurance as to the future viability of the Company nor of the efficacy or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the Company.
- 6. I have not verified the correctness and appropriateness of financial records and Books of Accounts of the Company.

For **P. M. Vala & Associates,** Company Secretaries **P. M. Vala** (Proprietor) FCS No. 5193, COP No. 4237 ICSI Unique Code: I2001MH250600

Peer Review No.1884/2022 UDIN: F005193E000770243

Place: Thane

Date: 09th August'2023

### **ANNEXURE - III**

#### THIS REPORT FORMS PART OF DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2022-2023

# DISCLOSURE IN DIRECTORS' REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 197(12) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013 READWITH COMPANIES (APPOINTMENT AND REMUNERATION OF MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL) AMENDMENT RULES, 2016 AS AMENDED.

1. The ratio of the remuneration of each Director to the median remuneration of the employees of the Company for the Financial Year 2022-23 & percentage increase in remuneration of each Director, Chief Financial Officer, Company Secretary in the Financial Year 2022-23.

Sr. No.	Name of the Director	Designation	remuneration of each Director to the median remuneration of the employees	ratio of the percentage increase in remuneration
1	Mr. Jaiprakash Agarwal	Managing Director	31.89	25
2	Mr. Ramchandra Agarwal	Whole Time Director	31.89	38.89
3	Mr. Lalit Agarwal	Whole Time Director	31.89	38.89
4	Mr. Vipin Agarwal	Chief Financial Officer	-	-
5	Mr. Sachin Ghanghas	Company Secretary	-	-
6	Mr. Satish Deshmukh	Company Secretary	-	-
7	Ms. Dipali Pitale	Company Secretary	-	-

- 1. The median remuneration of employees of the Company in the financial year 2022-23 is ₹2.35 lakhs Percentage increase in the median remuneration of all employees in the Financial Year 2022-23 is 14.62%
- 2. Number of permanent employees on the rolls of the Company as on March 31, 2023: 81
- 3. Average percentile increase already made in salaries of employees other than the Managerial Personnel in the last Financial Year and its comparison with the percentile increase in the Managerial Remuneration and justification thereof and point out if there are any exceptional circumstances for increase in the managerial Remuneration: Average increase in remuneration for Employees other than Managerial Personnel is 2.99% and Average increase for Managerial Personnel Remuneration is 36.48%.
- 4. Affirmation that the remuneration is as per the Remuneration Policy of the Company.
  - It is confirmed that the remuneration paid to the Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and Senior Management is as per the Remuneration Policy of the Company.

#### **ANNEXURE - IV**

### REPORT ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

### Philosophy on Code of Corporate Governance

Company's this report on Corporate Governance entails and focusses on systems and processes which are used in Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited (hereinafter referred to as "AICL" or "the Company") to ensure overall statutory and regulatory compliances in accordance with the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulation, 2015 ("Listing Regulations") as amended.

Company's Philosophy on Code of Corporate Governance continues to be committed about values and ethical business conduct. We look upon good Corporate Governance practices as a key driver of sustainable corporate growth and long-term shareholders' value creation. Good Corporate Governance is about enhancing value for all our stakeholders. The Company is committed to adopt best practices in Corporate Governance and disclosures thereunder. This includes its corporate and other structures, culture, policies and the manner in which it deals with various stakeholders. Timely and accurate disclosures of information regarding the financial situation, performance, ownership and governance of the Company are an important part of Corporate Governance.

Corporate Governance signifies blend of laws, rules, regulations, guidelines, procedures and profound corporate practices which ensure attainment of the highest standards of accountability and equity in all facets of its operations and its accurate and timely disclosures to its shareholders regarding its financial and operational state of affairs. Over the years, your Company has practiced such good governance practices which have not only enjoyed investors respect and trust but also build up strong inter and intra relationships across all segments of its everflourishing business and ensures that it would continue to do so in the years to come.

#### The Board of Directors

The Board of Directors comprises Executive, Non-Executive as well as Independent Directors in accordance with provisions of the Companies Act' 2013 and the rules made thereunder and is in conformity with SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015. Presently, the Board of Directors comprises of total 8 (Eight) Directors out of which 3 (Three) are Executive Non-Independent Directors and 1 (One) is Non-Executive Non-Independent Director, and 4 (Four) are Non- Executive Independent Directors of which one is a Woman Director. The Directors possesses experience in fields as varied as finance, marketing, production, imports and logistics industry. The skill and knowledge of the Directors have proved to be of immense value to the Company. The details of Director retiring by rotation and seeking re-appointment have been attached along with the Notice of the Annual General Meeting.

- 2. "Independent Directors" do not have any material pecuniary relationships or transactions with the Company, its Promoters, its Directors, its Senior Management or its Subsidiary which may affect the independence of the Director. All the Independent Directors have confirmed that they meet the criteria of independence as mentioned under Regulation 16(1)(b) of SEBI (LODR) Regulation, 2015 and Section 149 of the Companies Act 2013.
- 3. During the year under review, the Board of Directors of the Company met Ten (10) times (including Exclusive Meeting of Independent Directors) and the period between any two meetings did not exceed 120 days. The Board Meeting dates were: 18th May 2022, 9th June 2022, 8th August 2022, 30th August 2022, 6th October 2022, 14th November 2022, 20th December 2022, 9th February 2023 (additionally exclusive Meeting of Independent Directors held on 9th February 2023) and 18th February 2023. A detailed explanation, in the form of a table illustrating the above matters is given under this report for ready reference.
- 4. None of the Directors are related to each other, except Mr. Jaiprakash Agarwal, Mr. Ramchandra Agarwal, Mr. Mahendra Agarwal and Mr. Lalit Agarwal who are related to each other, being brothers.
- 5. During the year, a separate meeting of Independent Directors was held on 9th February, 2023 inter-alia to review the performance of Non-Independent Directors and the Board as a whole. The process for evaluation of Board performance, Non-Independent and Non-Executive Directors is detailed in the Board's Report.
- 6. The Company had put in place a programme to familiarize the Independent Directors with the Company, their roles, rights, responsibilities in the Company, nature of the industry in which the Company operates, business model of the Company, etc. The details of the familiarization programme are disclosed on the Company's website: www.aicltd.in.
- 7. The Non-Executive Director and Independent Directors have voluntarily decided not to take any sitting fee or remuneration of whatsoever kind and nature during the year under review.
- 8. The Company has adopted a Code of Conduct for all its Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and Senior Management Personnel. All Non-Executive Directors and Independent Directors have affirmed compliance with the said Code for the financial year ended March 31, 2023. All Senior Management of the Company have affirmed compliance with the Company Code of Conduct. The Code of Conduct is also displayed on the Company's web site. The Annual Report of the Company contains a Certificate duly signed by the Managing Director in this regard.

Name of Committee

### **Committees of the Board**

AUDIT COMMITTEE

The Company has five Committees of the Board as on March 31, 2023. The details of the Committee along with the extract of terms of reference, category and composition are as follows:

Name of Committee	AUDIT COMMITTEE						
Composition of Committee	Name	Category					
	Mr. Alok Bharara (Independent Director)	Chairman					
	Mr. Rajkumar Mehta (Independent Director)	Member					
	Mr. Mahendra Agarwal (Non Independent – Non Executive Director)	Member					
Name of Committee	AUDIT COMMITTEE						
Terms of reference	The terms of reference of Audit Committee are as follows:						
	i. Oversight of the Company's financial reporting process and the disclosure ensure that the financial statement is correct, sufficient and credible.	e of its financial information t					
	ii. The recommendation for appointment, remuneration and terms of appointment of statutory auditors of the Company.						
	iii. Approval of payment to statutory auditors for any other services rendered iv. Reviewing, with the management, the annual financial statements and a submission to the Board for approval, with particular reference to:						
	<ul> <li>Matters required to be included in the Director's Responsibility Star Board's Report in terms of clause (c) of sub-section 3 of section 134 of</li> </ul>	f the Companies Act, 2013.					
	Changes, if any, in accounting policies and practices and reasons for the company of the co						
	Major accounting entries involving estimates based on the exercise of						
	Significant adjustments made in the financial statements arising out of the statements are statements arising out of the statements are statements are statements are statements are statements.    The statement						
	Compliance with listing and other legal requirements relating to financial statements.						
	Disclosure of any related party transactions.						
	Qualifications in the draft audit report.  Pariauling with the management the guarterly financial statements before submission to the Regard for						
	v. Reviewing, with the management, the quarterly financial statements before submission to the Board for approval.						
	vi. Reviewing, with the management, the statement of uses / application of (public issue, rights issue, preferential issue, etc.), the statement of funds u those stated in the offer document / prospectus / notice and the report agency monitoring the utilization of proceeds of a public or rights issue, recommendations to the Board to take up steps in this matter.	tilized for purposes other that submitted by the monitorin					
	vii. Review and monitor the auditor's independence and performance, and effectiveness of audit process.						
	viii. Approval or any subsequent modification of transactions of the Company with related parties.						
	ix. Scrutiny of inter-corporate loans and investments.						
	x. Valuation of undertakings or assets of the Company, wherever it is necessary.						
	xi. Evaluation of internal financial controls and risk management systems.						
	xii. Examination of the financial statement and the Auditors' Report thereon.						
	xiii. Reviewing, with the management, performance of statutory and internal auditors, and adequacy of the internal control systems.						
	xiv. Reviewing the adequacy of internal audit function, if any, including the structure of the internal audit department, staffing and seniority of the official heading the department, reporting structure coverage and frequency of internal audit.						
	xv. Discussion with internal auditors of any significant findings and follow up	there on.					
	xvi. Reviewing the findings of any internal investigations by the internal audito suspected fraud or irregularity or a failure of internal control systems of a the matter to the Board.						
	xvii.Discussion with Statutory Auditors before the audit commences, about the nature and scope of audit as well as post audit discussion to ascertain any area of concern.						
	xviii.To look into the reasons for substantial defaults in the payment to the depositors, debenture holders shareholders (in case of non-payment of declared dividends) and creditors.						
	xix. To review the functioning of the Whistle Blower mechanism.						
	xx. Approval of appointment of CFO (i.e., the whole-time Finance Director the finance function or discharging that function) after assessing the abackground, etc. of the candidate.						
Other Details	The Committee met <b>Four (4)</b> times during the period under review, the detagiven below. Audit Committee meetings are attended by invitation by the Statutory Auditors as deem necessary from time to time. The Company Secreta Audit Committee. The Chairman of the Audit Committee was present at the la	CFO, Internal Auditor and th ary acts as the Secretary to th					



#### STATUTORY REPORTS

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Name of the Committee	OMINATION & REMUNERATION COMMITTEE				
Composition	Name	Category			
	Mr. Alok Bharara (Independent Director)	Chairman			
	Mr. Rajkumar Mehta (Independent Director)	Member			
	Mr. Harikrishna Patni (Independent Director)	Member			

Name of the Committee	NOMINATION & REMUNERATION COMMITTEE
Terms of Reference	The terms of reference of Nomination and Remuneration Committee are as follows:
	i. Recommend to the Board the set up and composition of the Board and its Committees including the formulation of the criteria for determining qualifications, positive attributes and independence of a Director. The Committee will consider periodically reviewing the composition of the Board with the objective of achieving an optimum balance of size, skills, independence, knowledge, age, gender and experience.
	ii. Recommend to the Board the appointment or re-appointment of Directors.
	iii. Devise a policy on Board diversity.
	iv. Recommend to the Board appointment of Key Managerial Personnel (KMP as defined by the Act) and executive team members of the Company (as defined by this Committee).
	v. Carry out evaluation of every Director's performance and support the Board and Independent Directors in evaluation of the performance of the Board, its committees and individual directors. This shall include formulation of criteria for evaluation of Independent Directors and the Board.
	vi. Recommend to the Board the remuneration policy for Directors, Executive team or Key Managerial Personnel as well as the rest of the employees.
	vii. On an annual basis, recommend to the Board the remuneration payable to the Directors and oversee the remuneration to Executive team or Key Managerial Personnel of the Company.
	viii. Oversee familiarization programs for Directors.
	ix. Oversee the human resource philosophy, human resource and people strategy and human resource practices including those for leadership development, rewards and recognition, talent management and succession planning (specifically for the Board, Key Managerial Personnel and executive team).
	x. Provide guidelines for remuneration of Directors on material subsidiaries.
	xi. Recommend to the Board on voting pattern for appointment and remuneration of Directors on the Boards of its material subsidiary companies.
	xii. Performing such other duties and responsibilities as may be consistent with the provisions of the Committee charter.
Other Details	During the year, the Committee met <b>Two (2)</b> times, the details of attendance whereat are given under this report in tabular format.
	Remuneration Policy:
	As recommended by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee (NRC), the Board has adopted a Remuneration Policy for Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and other Employees. The Policy envisages payment of remuneration according to qualification, experience and performance and is based on the commitment of fostering a culture of leadership with Trust. The remuneration of the Whole-time Director(s), is recommended by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee based on factors such as industry benchmarks, the Company's performance vis-à-vis the industry, performance/ track record of the Whole Time Director(s) which is decided by the Board of Directors Remuneration comprises a fixed component viz. salary, benefits, perquisites and allowances in accordance with the relevant laws, rules and regulations in force from time to time. The NRC also recommends the annual increments within the salary scale approved by the Members.

#### NOTE:

During the financial year under review, all Independent Directors (IDs) and Non-Independent Non-Executive Directors (NINEDs) have voluntarily decided not to receive any sitting fee for the Board/Committee meeting attended during the financial year 2022-2023.

Name of Committee	STAKEHOLDERS' RELASHONSHIP COMMITTEE			
	Name	Category		
	Mr. Harikrishna Patni (Independent Director)	Chairman		
Composition	Mr. Rajkumar Mehta (Independent Director)			
	Mr. Alok Bharara (Independent Director)	Member		
Terms of Reference	The brief terms of reference of the Committee include resolving grievances of all the security holders of the Company including complaints related to transfer of shares, non-receipt of Balance Sheet, non-receipt of declared dividend etc.			
Other Details	The Committee met Thirteen (13) times during the period under review.			

Name of Committee	CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONCIBILITY (CSR) COMMITTEE					
	Name	Category				
Composition	Mr. Jaiprakash Agarwal (Managing Director)	Chairman				
	Mr. Lalit Agarwal (Whole Time Director)	Member				
	Mr. Alok Bharara (Independent Director)	Member				
Terms of Reference	The broad terms of reference of the CSR Committee are as under:					
		<ul> <li>Formulating and recommending to the Board, the CSR Policy which aid Section, shall indicate the activities to be undertaken by the Company.</li> </ul>				
	<ul> <li>Recommending the amount of expenditure to be incurred on the aforesaid activities and;</li> </ul>					
	Reviewing and Monitoring the CSR Policy of the company from time to time.					
Other Details	During the year, the Committee met Thrice during the year.					

Name of Committee	RISK MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE					
	Name	Category				
Camanasitian	Mr. Lalit Agarwal (Whole Time Director)	Chairman				
Composition	Mr. Rajkumar Mehta (Independent Director)	Member				
	Mr. Alok Bharara (Independent Director)	Member				
Terms of Reference	The terms of reference of the Risk Management Commit	tee inter alia, include the following:				
	To review the Risk Management Plan / Policy and its deployment within the C					
	<ul> <li>To monitor the effectiveness of the Risk Manageme</li> </ul>	ent Plan /Policy.				
	<ul> <li>To decide the maximum risk-taking ability of the making new investments.</li> </ul>	Company to guide the Board in				
	To review the major risks of the Company and advi-	se on its mitigation to the Board.				
	• Such other functions as may be delegated by the B	oard from time to time.				
Other Details	During the year, the Committee met Three (3) times du	ring the year.				

# Details of Directors, Remuneration, Directorship and Meetings of Board & Committees during the F.Y. 2022-23

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Names	Category	₹ in Lakhs		Directorships as at March 31, 2023		Committee Positions Held		No of Board Meetings	No. of Audit Committee	No. of NRC Committee Meetings	at the last	
		Salary & Perks 2022-23	Sitting Fees 2022-23	Commission 2022-23	Indian	Foreign	As Member	As Chairman	Attended	Meetings attended	attended	AGM
Jaiprakash Agarwal	Managing Director	75	Nil	Nil	1	Nil	-	-	9	-	-	Yes
Ramchandra Agarwal	Director	75	Nil	Nil	1	Nil	-	-	9	-	-	Yes
Lalit Agarwal	Director	75	Nil	Nil	3	Nil	-	-	9	-	-	Yes
Mahendra	Director	Nil	Nil	Nil	1	Nil	-	-	9	4	-	Yes
Agarwal												
Harikrishna Patni	Director	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	-	-	10*	-	2	Yes
Rajkumar Mehta	Director	Nil	Nil	Nil	1	Nil	-	-	10*	4	2	Yes
Alok Bharara	Director	Nil	Nil	Nil	1	Nil	-	-	10*	4	2	Yes
Priti Lodha	Woman	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	-	-	10*	-	-	No

<sup>\*</sup>Includes Exclusive meeting of the Independent Directors held on February 09, 2023.

#### **Details on General Meetings**

Location, date, time and Special Resolutions passed at the Annual General Meetings held in the last 3 years are as under:

Location	Date	Time	Special Resolutions passed
Through Video Conferencing	September 30, 2022	11.00 A.M.	<ul> <li>Related Party Transactions</li> <li>Authorization to the Board of Directors to borrow moneys on behalf of the Company</li> <li>Authorization to the Board of Directors to create mortgage/ pledge/hypothecation/ charge on all or any of the movable/immovable properties.</li> </ul>
Through Video Conferencing	September 30, 2021	11.00 A.M.	<ul> <li>Loan and Investment by Company</li> <li>Re- Appointment of Mr. Jaiprakash Agarwal as Managing Director of the Company</li> <li>Re- Appointment of Mr. Lalit Agarwal as Whole Time Director of the Company</li> <li>Re- Appointment of Mr. Ramchandra Agarwal as Whole Time Director of the Company</li> <li>Related Party Transactions</li> <li>Loan and Investment by Company</li> </ul>
Through Video Conferencing	September 30, 2020	11.00 A.M.	- Related party transactions.

- All Ordinary & Special Resolutions passed in the previous three Annual General Meetings of the Company were passed with requisite majority.
- One Extra-Ordinary General Meetings were held during the last three years viz on 10.02.2021.

In respect of all the above General Meetings, the Board of Directors had appointed Mr. P. M. Vala, Practicing Company Secretary, Thane (C.P. No. 4237), as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the voting process, in a fair and transparent manner.

### **Disclosures**

- i. All related party transactions entered during the F. Y. 2022-23 were approved by the Board of Directors and the Audit Committee and were also consented by the members in the Annual General Meeting of the Company held on September 30, 2022 in accordance with Section 188 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rules made thereunder (as amended) and as per earlier Listing Agreements and subsequently on the basis of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. Details of related party transactions entered during the F. Y. 2022-23 are placed under Form AOC-2 mentioned herewith.
- ii. There were no materially significant transactions with Related Parties during the financial year which were in conflict with the interest of the Company. Suitable disclosure as required by the Ind AS 24 has been made in the notes to the Financial Statements.
- iii. The Board of Directors receives, from time to time, disclosures relating to financial and commercial transactions from Key Managerial Personnel of the Company, where they and / or their relatives have personal interest.

- iv. The Company has complied with the requirements of the Stock Exchanges / Securities and Exchange Board of India / Statutory Authorities on all matters relating to capital markets, during the last 3 financial years.
- v. In accordance with requirement of the Companies Act as well as the Listing Agreement, the Company has adopted the Whistle Blower Policy pursuant to which employees can raise their concerns relating to fraud, malpractice or any other activity or event which is against the Company's interest by approaching the Chairman of the Audit Committee. The policy has been disclosed on the website of the Company under http://www.aicltd.in.
- vi. The Company has adopted a Code of Conduct for Prevention of Insider Trading with a view to regulate trading in securities by the Directors and Designated Employees of the Company.
- vii. Pursuant to the provisions of Regulation 17(8) of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015, the Managing Director and CFO have issued a certificate to the Board, for the year ended March 31, 2023.

#### **Subsidiary Companies:**

Wholly Owned Subsidiary (AICL Finance Private Limited)
The Company during the year under reference has incorporated an NBFC (Non Deposit) Company as W.O.S of the Company viz. AICL Finance Private Limited, which is yet to commence its business due to pending regulatory permissions / Licenses.

Wholly Owned Subsidiary (Agarwal Translink Private Limited)

Agarwal Translink Private Limited is another Indian Wholly Own Subsidiary of the Company which is engaged in the business of transportation of Bitumen, LPG , LSHS and owns large fleet of specialized Bitumen Tankers and also operates a BPCL Petrol Pump in Shahpur, Asangaon, Maharashtra.

Wholly Owned Subsidiary (Bituminex Cochin Private Limited (BCPL))

Bituminex Cochin Private Limited (BCPL), is the first Wholly Owned Indian Subsidiary (W.O.S) and doing steady business of manufacturing and trading of bitumen and bituminous AICL OVERSEAS products.

# Wholly Owned Subsidiary in UAE ( AICL OVERSEAS FZ-LLC )

The Company's Wholly Owned Subsidiary (W.O.S) in UAE under the name "AICL OVERSEAS" in Ras AI Khaimah Economic Zone (RAKEZ) in United Arab Emirates (UAE) for undertaking various ship/vessel /ocean related activities, has been reporting good financial performance since its inception and continuous to grow and develop strategically.

Our above overseas WOS owns fleet of 8 large Vessels having total capacity of 48,550 MT which are used in importing raw bitumen from oil producing countries. The economies we achieve with our own fleet of marine vessels and road transport vehicles enable your Company to outbid competitors, secure tenders and ensure high standards of supply and services to its valued customers.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 129(3) of the Act, a statement containing salient features of the financial statements of the Company's subsidiaries for the Financial Year ended March 31, 2023 in Form AOC-1 is attached to the financial statements of the Company.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 136 of the Act, the financial statement of the Company consolidated financial statements along with relevant documents and separate audited accounts in respect of subsidiary are available on the website of the Company.

### **Material Subsidiary**

Pursuant to Regulation 16(1)(c) of the Listing Regulations AICL Overseas FZ-LLC has become material subsidiary.

Further, in terms of Regulation 24 of the Listing Regulations, Mrs. Priti Lodha (an independent Woman Director of the Company) is appointed on the Board of captioned material subsidiary.

During the year under review, the Company has not disposed of any shares in its material subsidiaries or disposed or leased the assets amounting to more than twenty percent of the assets of the material subsidiary.

There are no Joint Ventures or Associate Companies related to your Company.

#### **Consolidated Financial Statements**

The Consolidated Financial Results for the F.Y ended on March 31, 2023 have been prepared in accordance with

Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) notified under the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015 as amended by the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) (Amendments) Rules, 2016.

# Issuance and Allotment of Warrants /Conversion of Warrants

During the year under review, the Company has converted last and final tranche of 17,49,000 Warrants

(including both promoter group and public ) into equal number of fully paid up Equity Shares viz. 17,49,000 Equity Shares of the F.V of ₹10/- each at an Issue Price of ₹105.20/- (including premium) aggregating to ₹13,79,96,100/- (remaining 75% of ₹105.20/-) out of total 35,11,000 Warrants allotted under the Public and Promoter Category earlier in accordance with Chapter V of the SEBI (ICDR) Regulations , 2009 as amended, the Board Resolution dated January 15, 2021 and Special Resolution dated February 10, 2021. These newly allotted Equity Shares have been listed on BSE and NSE. With this final tranche of conversion, the Company has completed its Preferential Issue of Warrants in accordance with Chapter V of the SEBI (ICDR) Regulations, 2009 as amended. The entire Equity Shares allotted post conversion are listed on BSE & NSE. Further, entire funds raised under the said Preferential Issue have been utilized strictly in accordance with the objects of the issue which inter alia, included: repayment of debt, capital expenditure, investments and meeting working capital requirements.

#### Issued and Paid up Capital of the Company

As on date, the Issued and Paid up Capital of the Company is comprised of 1,49,57,789 Equity Shares of Face Value of ₹10/ each amounting to ₹14,95,77,890 /- as on date.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 129(3) of the Act, a statement containing salient features of the financial statements of the Company's subsidiaries for the Financial Year ended March 31, 2023 in Form AOC-1 is attached to the financial statements of the Company.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 136 of the Act, the financial statement of the Company consolidated financial statements along with relevant documents and separate audited accounts in respect of subsidiary are available on the website of the Company.

During the year under review, the Company has not disposed of any shares in its material subsidiaries or disposed or leased the assets amounting to more than twenty percent of the assets of the material subsidiary.

### **Means of Communication**

Quarterly, half-yearly and annual results of the Company were published in leading English and vernacular newspapers viz. Business Standard – All editions and Mumbai Lakshadweep or Prattakaal. Additionally, the results and other important information/disclosures are also periodically updated on the Company's website viz. www.aicltd.in which also contains a separate dedicated section "Investor Relations".

Telephone No.

# Online Portal - BSE Corporate Compliance & Listing Centre (the "Listing Centre")

BSE Limited has launched an Online Portal - BSE Corporate Compliance & Listing Centre (the "Listing Centre") for submission of various filings by listed companies. All disclosures and periodic filings submitted to the BSE are also uploaded on the Listing Centre.

# NSE Electronic Application Processing System (NEAPS)

The Company also files information through NEAPS – a web based application provided by NSE which facilitates online filing of Corporate Governance Report, the Shareholding Pattern by companies, Results and other disclosures.

### Extensive Business Reporting Language (XBRL)

XBRL is a language for electronic communication of business and financial data. It offers major benefits to all those who have to create, transmit, use or analyze such information which aids better analysis and decision making. Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) vide its circular No. 37/2011 dated June 7, 2011, had mandated certain companies to file their Annual Accounts vide this mode. The Company has filed its Annual Accounts on MCA through XBRL.

# Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA)

The Company has periodically filed all the necessary documents with the MCA.

### **SEBI Complaints Redress System (SCORES)**

A centralized web based complaints redress system which serves as a centralized database of all complaints received, enables uploading of Action Taken Reports (ATRs) by the concerned companies and online viewing by the investors of actions taken on the complaint and its current status.

#### **Annual Report**

In compliance with the SEBI Circular dated January 05, 2023 and MCA Circular dated December 28, 2022, May 05, 2022, January 13, 2021 and January 15, 2021 respectively, Notice of the AGM along with the 29th Annual Report 2022-2023 is being sent only through electronic mode to those Members whose email addresses are registered with the Company/ Depositories. Members may note that the Notice and Annual Report 2022-2023 will also be available on the Company's website www.aicltd.in.

# General Shareholders Information 29th Annual General Meeting For F.Y Ended on March 31, 2023

Date and Time : September 15, 2023 at 12.00 Noon

Venue : Through Video Conferencing.

Registered Office : Eastern Court, Unit- 201-202, Plot

No. 12,

V. N. Purav Marg, S. T. Road,

Chembur,

Mumbai – 400071 022-25251149/50

Fax: 022-25291147

Website : www.aicltd.in
E mail : contact@aicltd.in

BOOK CLOSURE : SEPTEMBER 09, 2023 TO

PERIOD INCLUSIVE). SEPTEMBER 15, 2023 (BOTH DAYS

CUT - OFF DATE FOR DIVIDEND ENTITLEMENT IF DECLARED BY MEMBERS AT THE ENSUING 29TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE COMPANY IS SEPTEMBER 08, 2023.

# Facility of remote e-voting to its Members in respect of the business to be transacted at the ensuing 29th Annual General Meeting of the Company.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 (as amended) and Regulation 44 of SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015 (as amended), MCA Circulars dated December 28, 2022, May 05, 2022, January 13, 2021 and January 15, 2021 and SEBI Circular dated January 05, 2023, the Company is providing facility of remote e-voting to its Members in respect of the business to be transacted at the AGM. For this purpose, the Company has entered into an agreement with National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) for facilitating voting through electronic means, as the authorized e-Voting's agency. The facility of casting votes by a member using remote e-voting as well as the e-voting system on the date of the AGM will be provided by NSDL.

The voting period begins on Tuesday, September 12, 2023 (9.00 A.M IST) and ends on Thursday, September 14, 2023 (5.00 P.M IST). 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 September 08 2023 may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter.

For details of the entire remote e-voting as well as the e-voting system, please refer to Note No: 29 of the Notice of the ensuing AGM attached here in above.

#### Financial reporting for F.Y. 2023-2024:

• Quarter ending June 30, 2023 : Held on August 14, 2023

Quarter ending September 30, 2023
Quarter ending December 31, 2023
Quarter ending March 31, 2024
On or before November 14, 2023
On or before February 14, 2024
On or before May 30, 2024

#### LISTING OF EQUITY SHARES

Ordinary Shares : Bombay Stock Exchange Limited

National Stock Exchange of India Limited

Compulsorily Convertible Debentures : N.A.

Global Depository Receipt : N.A.

Registrars & Share Transfer Agent

(w.e.f. June 30, 2018)

Universal Capital Securities Pvt Ltd. (SEBI REG. NO. INR000004082)

CIN NO – U74200MH1991PTC062536 C 101, 247 Park, LBS Road, Vikhroli (West),

Mumbai – 400083. T:+91 (022) 49186178-79 F: +91 (022) 49186060;

Website: www.unisec.in; E-mail: info@unisec.in

Share Transfer System : In accordance with Companies Act, 2013 and rules made

thereunder & SEBI (LODR) Regulation, 2015, as amended

#### LISTING FEE FOR F.Y. 2022- 23 & F.Y. 2023- 24

The Company had paid annual listing fees to the Stock Exchanges in respect of the financial year 2022-23. The Company has also paid annual listing fees to the Stock Exchanges in respect of the financial year 2023-24.

#### STOCK EXCHANGE CODES

Bombay Stock Exchange Limited (BSE) 531921

ISIN: INE204E01012

National Stock Exchange of India Limited (NSE) AGARIND Series: EQ

# MARKET PRICE DATA OF EQUITY SHARES OF AGARWAL INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION LIMITED: HIGH, LOW, DURING THE EACH MONTH OF THE F.Y 2022-2023.

Months	BSE High (₹)	BSE Low (₹)	No. of Shares traded (in Lakhs)	NSE High (₹)	NSE Low (₹)	No. of Shares Traded (in lakhs)
April'22	730.00	612.80	3.00	730.95	612.45	14.37
May' 22	715.00	488.00	16.00	716.50	487.45	23.16
June' 22	565.05	405.30	4.00	570.00	405.00	8.62
July' 22	500.30	424.85	1.00	500.00	424.00	5.66
August'22	684.65	488.55	4.00	685.15	492.00	31.56
September' 22	713.45	544.60	9.00	713.00	544.10	18.17
October' 22	745.70	618.90	4.00	746.20	618.15	18.91
November' 22	715.05	606.50	3.00	708.00	610.00	10.53
December' 22	666.75	565.00	3.00	666.70	563.45	7.95
January' 23	648.75	570.00	1.00	643.30	570.30	7.17
February' 23	705.35	594.00	1.00	707.45	596.10	10.08
March' 23	645.90	530.85	1.00	643.55	531.15	4.92

Source: www.bseindia.com and www.nse-india.com

# Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited - Distribution of Shareholding as on March 31, 2023

	Category of	Share		% Change		
Sr No	Shareholders	Demat	Physical	Total	% of Total Shares	during the year
(A)	Shareholding of Promoter and Promoter Group					
[1]	Indian					
(a)	Individuals / Hindu Undivided Family	8555434	0	8555434	'57.1972	'-1.3732
(b)	Central Government / State Government(s)	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(c)	Financial Institutions / Banks	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(d)	Any Other (Specify)					
	Sub Total (A)(1)	8555434	0	8555434	'57.1972	'-1.3732
[2]	Foreign					
(a)	Individuals (Non-Resident Individuals / Foreign Individuals)	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(b)	Government	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(c)	Institutions	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(d)	Foreign Portfolio Investor	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(e)	Any Other (Specify)					
	Sub Total (A)(2)	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
	Total Shareholding of Promoter and Promoter Group(A)=(A)(1)+(A) (2)	8555434	0	8555434	'57.1972	'-1.3732
(B)	Public Shareholding					
[1]	Institutions					
(a)	Mutual Funds / UTI	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(b)	Venture Capital Funds	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(c)	Alternate Investment Funds	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(d)	Foreign Venture Capital Investors	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(e)	Foreign Portfolio Investor	951400	0	951400	'6.3606	'2.3601
(f)	Financial Institutions / Banks	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(g)	Insurance Companies	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(h)	Provident Funds/ Pension Funds	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(i)	Any Other (Specify)					
	Sub Total (B)(1)	951400	0	951400	'6.3606	'2.3601
[2]	Central Government/ State Government(s)/ President of India					
	Sub Total (B)(2)	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
[3]	Non-Institutions					
(a)	Individuals					
(i)	Individual shareholders holding nominal share capital upto ₹1 lakh.	2258274	4300	2262574	'15.1264	'0.7399
(ii)	Individual shareholders holding nominal share capital in excess of ₹1 lakh	2078541	0	2078541	'13.8960	'0.2202
(b)	NBFCs registered with RBI	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
(d)	Overseas Depositories(holding DRs) (balancing figure)	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000

		Shareholding at the end of the year - 2023				% Change
Sr No	Category of Shareholders	Demat	Physical	Total	% of Total Shares	during the year
(c)	Any Other (Specify)					
	IEPF	18984	0	18984	'0.1269	'-0.0168
	Hindu Undivided Family	253167	0	253167	'1.6925	'-0.1117
	Non Resident Indians (Non Repat)	54638	0	54638	'0.3653	'0.0716
	Non Resident Indians (Repat)	126774	0	126774	'0.8475	'0.2791
	Body Corp-Ltd Liability Partnership	238521	0	238521	'1.5946	'-1.0355
	Clearing Member	12089	0	12089	'0.0808	'-0.2807
	Bodies Corporate	405667	0	405667	'2.7121	'-0.8532
	Sub Total (B)(3)	5446655	4300	5450955	'36.4423	'-0.9869
	Total Public Shareholding(B)=(B) (1)+(B)(2)+(B)(3)	6398055	4300	6402355	'42.8028	'1.3732
	Total (A)+(B)	14953489	4300	14957789	'100.0000	'0.0000
(C)	Non Promoter - Non Public					
	(C1) Shares Underlying DRs					
[1]	Custodian/DR Holder	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
	(C2) Shares Held By Employee Trust					
[2]	Employee Benefit Trust (under SEBI (Share based Employee Benefit) wwRegulations, 2014)	0	0	0	'0.0000	'0.0000
	Total (A)+(B)+(C)	14953489	4300	14957789	'100.0000	

### Distribution of Equity Shareholding of Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited as on March 31, 2023

No. of Shares held in range	Total Shareholders	% of Shareholders	Total Shares Holding for the range	% of issued capital
Upto 500	13026	91.81	880321	5.89
501 - 1000	527	3.7144	417684	2.79
1001 - 2000	291	2.051	426912	2.85
2001 - 3000	113	0.7964	287452	1.92
3001 - 4000	40	0.2819	145291	0.97
4001 - 5000	36	0.2537	168781	1.13
50001 - 10000	68	0.4793	476973	3.19
10001 and above	87	0.6132	12154375	81.26
Total	14188	100	14957789	100

### **Reconciliation of Share Capital Audit**

In keeping with the requirements of the SEBI and the Stock Exchanges, a Reconciliation of Share Capital Audit by a Practicing Company Secretary is carried out at the end of every quarter to reconcile the total admitted capital with National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) and Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL) and the total issued and listed capital. The said audit confirms that the total issued / paid – up capital tallies with the total number of shares in physical form and the total number of dematerialized shares held with NSDL and CDSL.

# Reports on Corporate Governance

The Company regularly submits to the Stock Exchanges, within the prescribed period, quarterly reports on Corporate Governance through XBRL mode as mandated by BSE through its BSE Listing Centre and to NSE through NEAPS application of NSE. A certificate from a practicing Chartered Accountant on Corporate Governance is attached as an annexure to this Report.

# **Dematerialization of Shares & Liquidity**

As at the end of March 31, 2023, shares comprising approximately 99.97% of the Company's Equity Share Capital have been dematerialized.

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# Status on Dematerialized shares (Equity ISIN No. INE204E01012) Shares held through Percentage of Holding

NSDL	22.13
CDSL	77.84
Physical	0.03
Physical	100.00

# **Investor Correspondence**

For any queries, investors are requested to get in touch with the Company's Registrar & Transfer Agent at Universal Capital Securities Pvt. Ltd., C 101, 247 Park, LBS Road, Vikhroli (West), Mumbai - 83. A dedicated e-mail ld. info@unisec. in has been set up for investor complaints.

# **DECLARATION BY THE MANAGING DIRECTOR**

As Managing Director of Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited and as required under the provisions of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended, I, Jaiprakash Agarwal, hereby declare that all the members of the Board of Directors and senior management personnel have affirmed compliance with the Code of Business Conduct and Ethics of the Company for the Financial Year 2022-23.

For Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited

# Jaiprakash Agarwal

Managing Director (DIN:01379868)

Place: Mumbai

Date: August 14, 2023

#### **ANNEXURE - V**

# MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Please note that disclosures given in this Annexure - Management Discussion and Analysis' (MD&A) are meant to ensure that there is transparency in Company's financial performance. They enable our investors to evaluate the Company and make informed investment decisions. Financial statements alone are not sufficient to judge a Company's current performance and predict the future performance. The ordinary investor needs narrative explanations to have a better understanding of the performance and the environment in which the firm operates. MD & A fulfills this objective. It gives the investor an opportunity to look at the Company through the eyes of management by providing both a short and long-term analysis of the business of the Company.

Some statements in this discussion describing the projections, estimates, expectations or outlook may be forward looking. Actual results may, however, differ materially from those stated, on account of various factors such as changes in government regulations, tax regimes, economic developments within India and the countries within which your Company conducts its business, exchange rates and interest rates fluctuations, impact of competition, demand and supply constraints, etc.

# **BITUMEN INDUSTRY SCENARIO**

#### Indian Bitumen Market Outlook - 2026

The India bitumen market was valued at \$2.8 billion in 2018, and is projected to reach \$3.6 billion by 2026, growing at a CAGR of 2.8% from 2019 to 2026.

Bitumen is a black to dark brown sticky material, composed principally of high molecular weight hydrocarbons. It is a semi-solid hydrocarbon product of crude oil distillation, which is produced by removing the lighter fractions (such as liquid petroleum gas, petrol, and diesel) from heavy crude oil during the refining process. The physical properties of bitumen include adhesion, resistance to water, hardness and higher softening point.

The growth of Indian bitumen market is majorly driven by increase in road and building construction activities. Construction of various national highways, expressways, and airport runways boosts the demand for bitumen across the country. Bitumen is processed into asphalt for road construction. In addition, rise in investments by the government for the development of national highways and expressways, which include projects relating two-laning of highways, the National Highways Development Project, sixlaning of crowded stretches of the Golden Quadrilateral, a special program for the development of road connectivity in naxal affected areas, development of Vijayawada-Ranchi road, and for providing last mile connectivity, is anticipated to drive the growth of the market. Furthermore, bitumen is widely used in the construction industry for roofs, owing to its physical properties such as adhesion, resistance to water, hardness, ductility, and higher softening point. Therefore, growth in the construction industry due to growth in

population across the cities and demand for new houses led to increase in demand for bitumen across the country. In addition, government initiatives such as Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana (PMAY) that includes construction of houses for poor people living in both rural and urban areas is likely to increase the demand for bitumen; thereby, driving the growth of the India bitumen market.

However, human health & environmental issues associated with bitumen, fluctuating international crude oil prices, and increase in use of alternative of bitumen such as concrete in roadway construction applications are expected to restrain the growth of the market. Moreover, development of biobased bitumen and EME (Enrobés á Module Elevé) binder is anticipated to provide lucrative opportunities for further development of the market.

The Indian bitumen market size is segmented on the basis of type, end-use industry, and region. Depending on type, the market is classified into paving grade bitumen, oxidized bitumen, polymer modified bitumen, and bitumen emulsions. By end-use industry, it is classified into road construction, waterproofing, and others. Region wise, it is analyzed across North India, East India, Northeast India, South India, and West India.

The major key players operating in the Indian bitumen market besides **Agarwal Industries Corporation Ltd.**, include Indian Oil Corporation Ltd., Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited, Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd., Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd., Total India, Tiki Tar Industries India Ltd, Juno Bitumix Pvt Ltd., Universal Bituminous Industries Pvt. Ltd., and Swastik Tar Industries. Other players operating in this market include Hincol, Jalnidhi Bitumen Specialities Pvt. Ltd., OOMS Polymer Modified Bitumen Pvt Ltd., Sapco, and UFTI. These major key players are adopting different strategies such as joint venture, agreement, and business expansion to stay competitive in the Indian market.

Indian Bitumen Market, By Region – 2026

# North India, East India, Northern India, West India & South India

North India would exhibit an CAGR of 3.4% during 2019-2026.

North India accounted for the major India bitumen market share in 2018, owing to major road network development initiatives undertaken by the Government of India (GoI) in the North India Region, which include national highways projects in Uttar Pradesh and Punjab. In addition, maintenance and repair of rural roads constructed under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) in Haryana, Rajasthan, Uttarakhand, and Himachal Pradesh is anticipated to increase the demand for bitumen across these states; thereby, driving the growth of the bitumen market across North India.

Indian Bitumen Market, By Type

# Paving Grade Bitumen is projected as the most lucrative segment.

Paving grade bitumen segment accounted for the major share in 2018, owing to growth in road construction development activities across the country. Government projects such as Bharatmala, various national highway projects, and construction of various economic corridors in different states fuel the demand for bitumen emulsion across the country. In addition, initiatives launched by Government of India for construction of roads in rural areas such as Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) and upgradation, maintenance, and repair work of existing rural roads, national highways, and expressways are likely to boost the demand for bitumen across India; thereby, driving the India bitumen market growth.

India Bitumen Market, By End-Use Industry

# Road Construction is projected as the most lucrative segment.

Depending on end-use industry, the road construction segment accounted for the major market share .The road construction segment includes national highway, state highway, rural roads, and airport runways. Government has initiated various road projects that include construction of various national and state highways, expressways, and airports to boost the infrastructural activities. In addition, to connect the rural areas of the country to the cities the government has launched initiatives like Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana that provide good all-weather roads. This factor is anticipated to drive the growth of the market.

#### **Key Benefits for Indian Bitumen Market:**

- The India bitumen market analysis covers in-depth information of major industry participants.
- Porter's five forces analysis helps analyze the potential of buyers & suppliers and the competitive scenario of the industry for strategy building.
- Major countries have been mapped according to their individual revenue contribution to the regional market.
- The report provides an in-depth analysis of the India bitumen market forecast for the period 2019-2026.
- The report outlines the current India bitumen market trend and future estimations of the market from 2018 to 2026 to understand the prevailing opportunities and potential investment pockets.
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(\*Adopted from Allied Market Research reports)

# **OUR OPERATIONS – BUSINES SEGMENTS**

The Company primarily belongs to Ancillary Infra Industry and is engaged in the business of (i) manufacturing and trading of Bitumen and Allied products used heavily in infrastructure projects (ii) providing Logistics for Bulk Bitumen and LPG through its own Specialized Tankers and (iii) also generates power through Wind Mills. These businesses are of seasonal nature due to which revenue aets varied

# MANUFACTURING OF BITUMEN 8 BITUMINOUS PRODUCTS

The Company has its manufacturing and storage units at Taloja, Belgaum, Baroda, Hyderabad, Cochin (through its wholly owned subsidiary – Bituminex Cochin Private Limited) and at recently added unit at Pachpadra City, Dist. Barmer, (Rajasthan). Further, the Company has started full fledged operations at its recently established manufacturing and storage facilities of Bitumen and other value added Bituminous products at Guwahati, Assam and which would endeavor to expand and develop Bitumen trade in Eastern states as Bitumen is extensively used in infrastructure projects more specifically in road construction projects initiated by the State Government.

# **BULK BITUMEN STORAGE FACILITIES**

The Company has Bulk Bitumen Storage facilities to effectively handle and market bitumen imports at Mumbai, Maharashtra , Vadodara, Gujarat, Karwar, Haldia, West Bengal, Dighi ( Company Owned), Maharashtra , Hazira ( Loading ) and Mangalore.

#### **BULK BITUMEN TRANSPOTATION**

We are the pioneers of logistics in Bitumen, which is predominantly used in road construction business. It can be procured either in bulk or in packed form. In either case the product has to be dispatched to the construction site or to the storage facilities of our industrial consumers. The bulk bitumen is transported via specially designed tankers that are insulated and have pumping facility for loading and unloading the bitumen. Most of our Bitumen tankers are under contract with major oil companies in India like HPCL, BPCL and IOCL and by other major consumers of the product.

# **BULK LPG TRANSPOTATION**

We are amongst the leading transporters of LPG in India, which is the most widely used fuel for domestic as well as industrial purposes. While we already own a large fleet of tankers, we also hire tankers on long term contracts to cater to the demand from customers LPG is mainly sourced from domestic refineries and via bulk imports. Bulk LPG is mainly transported from the source to the industrial user or to their bottling plants through specially designed tankers LPG, being highly inflammable, require tankers that take care of all safety aspects while loading, transporting and unloading. Most of the LPG tankers are under contract with major oil companies like HPCL, BPCL and IOCL.

# POWER GENERATION THROUGH WIND MILLS

The Company has diversified into Non-Conventional energy generation by installing wind mills at Rajasthan and Maharashtra, keeping in view of the likely shortage of energy resources in future. Your Company has one Windmill at Dhulia, Maharashtra and one in Jaisalmer, Rajasthan.

#### AUTHORIZED SERVICE CENTRE OF ASHOK LEYLAND

We own a large fleet of tankers which necessarily calls for regular periodic checks and maintenance. As also, our entire fleet of tankers comes from the Ashok Leyland stable. Both these factors influenced our decision to set up an authorized service center, for Ashok Leyland vehicles, within the company. Not only does this ensure a timely turnaround of the fleet serviced but is an economically beneficial proposition for the company. We have our own workshop and maintenance facilities at strategic locations like Mumbai, Baroda and Jodhpur.

# FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE AND OPERATIONS

Major indicators of your Company's financial performance for the F.Y ended March 31, 2023 are presented in the accompanying Audited Financial Statements. These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) notified under the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015 as amended by the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) (Amendments) Rules, 2016. The Company has adopted Ind AS from April 01, 2017 for the first time and accordingly these financial results are Ind AS 101 (First Time Adoption of Indian Accounting Standards) compliant.

# **RESULTS OF OPERATIONS (Standalone)**

The total Revenue of the Company for the Financial Year ended March 31, 2023, is ₹ 177685.67 Lakhs as compared previous year's total Revenue of ₹ 141486.17 Lakhs thus indicating an increase of 25.59% over the previous year. Further, Profit before Tax and Profit after Tax were ₹ 6636.91 Lakhs and ₹ 4934.64 Lakhs respectively during the year under review as against ₹ 5212.97 Lakhs and ₹ 3856.52 Lakhs in the corresponding previous year, reporting an increase of about 27.32% and 27.96% over the previous financial year.

#### DIVIDEND

Your Directors have recommended a dividend of ₹ 2.50 per equity share of the face value of ₹10/- each fully paid up for the financial year ended March 31, 2023. The dividend distribution is subject to approval of the members of the Company at the ensuing Annual General Meeting.

Pursuant to the amendments introduced by the Finance Act, 2020 the Company will be required to withhold taxes at the prescribed rates on the dividend paid to its shareholders w.e.f. 1st April 2020. **No tax will be deducted on payment of dividend to the resident individual shareholders if the total dividend paid does not exceed ₹ 5,000/-.** The withholding tax rate would vary depending on the residential status of the shareholder and documents registered with the Company.

#### SHARE CAPITAL

Issued and Paid up Capital of the Company is comprised of 1,49,57,789 Equity Shares of Face Value of ₹10/ each amounting to ₹14,95,77,890 /- as on date.

During the year under review, the Company has converted last and final tranche of 17,49,000 Warrants (including both promoter group and public ) into equal number of fully paid up Equity Shares viz. 17,49,000 Equity Shares of the F.V of Rs 10/- each at an Issue Price of Rs.105.20/-(including premium) aggregating to Rs. 13,79,96,100/-(remaining 75% of Rs.105.20/-) out of total 35,11,000 Warrants allotted under the Public and Promoter Category earlier in accordance with Chapter V of the SEBI (ICDR) Regulations, 2009 as amended, the Board Resolution dated January 15, 2021 and Special Resolution dated February 10, 2021. These newly allotted Equity Shares have been listed on BSE and NSE. With this final tranche of conversion, the Company has completed its Preferential Issue of Warrants in accordance with Chapter V of the SEBI (ICDR) Regulations, 2009 as amended. The entire Equity Shares allotted post conversion are listed on BSE & NSE. Further, entire funds raised under the said Preferential Issue have been utilized strictly in accordance with the objects of the issue which inter alia, included: repayment of debt, capital expenditure, investments and meeting working capital requirements.

# AMOUNT TO BE CARRIED TO OTHER EQUITY

The Company has transferred ₹ 28275.10 Lakhs to the Other Equity for the F.Y. March 31, 2023 after appropriating ₹ 289.15 Lakhs towards dividend paid for the F.Y. ended March 31, 2022.

## **CAPITAL EXPENDITURE**

As at March 31, 2023, the Capital Expenditure during the year under review amounted to ₹1021.39 Lakhs including Work in Progress (WIP) amounted to ₹408.32 Lakhs.

SEGMENTWISE/PRUDUCTWISE PERFORMANCE

For Segment wise/ Product wise performance of the Company, please refer to Financial Statements of the Company.

# AUDITED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Audited Consolidated Financial Results for the F.Y ended on March 31, 2023 include the financial results of its Wholly Owned Subsidiary (WOS) Companies- (i) Bituminex Cochin Private Limited, and (ii) AICL Overseas FZ-LLC and (iii) Agarwal Translink private Limited

These Audited Financial Results have been prepared in accordance with Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) notified under the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015 as amended by the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) (Amendments) Rules, 2016.

During the reporting year 2022-23 the Company has incorporated a Wholly Owned Subsidiary viz. AICL Finance Private Limited on 20th January 2023, which haven't started its business yet due to pendency of Regulatory permission, hence not forming part of Consolidated Financial Statement.

### **OUR STRENGTHS**

India's first largest Bitumen Company in Private Sector.

- Promoters with profound Industry Experience of 38 plus years.
- Well diversified Company: Manufacturing & Trading of Bitumen and other value added products; Transportation of Bulk Bitumen & LPG: Power Generation through Wind Mills.
- Bulk Bitumen Storage facilities near ports for effective and optimum handling of bitumen imports.
- Consistently Dividend Paying Company
- Bitumen manufacturing is our finest forward integration and is an extension of our parent Business i.e. Bitumen Bulk Transportation.
- Strong Suppliers & Client relationship continuing for past many years.

Comprehensive consolidated financial Strength through Wholly Owned Subsidiary Companies incorporated in UAE under the name "AICL OVERSEAS" in Ras AI Khaimah Economic Zone (RAKEZ) in United Arab Emirates (UAE) for undertaking various ship/vessel /ocean related activities and already existing Wholly Owned Subsidiary Company named Bituminex Cochin Private Limited. Post financial year ended March 31, 2021, Agarwal Translink Private Limted (ATPL), a group Company, in lieu of purchase of the entire equity holding of all the Members of the said group Company, became Company's wholly owned subsidiary Company (WOS).

- Our above overseas WOS owns fleet of 5 (Five) large Vessels having total capacity of 29,500 MT which are used in importing raw bitumen from oil producing countries. The economies we achieve with our own fleet of marine vessels and road transport vehicles enable your Company to outbid competitors, secure tenders and ensure high standards of supply and services to its valued customers.
- Cost Advantages through bulk imports.
- Being amongst the largest fleet operators of specialized Bitumen and LPG Tankers in the country adds to customer comfort and ensures supply reliability.
- Market share gain over the years, spurred by superior product quality and increased customer satisfaction though no identified identical business peer.
- Majority of our manufacturing facilities are ISO Certified.
- All major capex till date from capital infusion and internal accruals so far thus improving bottom line through saving financial costs.
- Benefits of Listed Company Capital appreciation, liquidity and transparency of operations..
- Geographically well located Company in different parts of the country.

For details, please refer to relevant sections of Directors' Report.

#### **OUR CHALLENGES**

- Imports Shipments at Right time, Right Pricing, Quality Material.
- Pricing Competition with other players in the Industry.
- Continuous development of Infrastructure Sector.
- Timely payment to our clients from the related government authorities.
- Cost reduction/cost minimization through consistent guidance and motivational efforts. at all
- levels of operations

### **OUR OPPORTUNITIES**

- Directly related to Infrastructure projects which are under Govt's priority agenda.
- Endless opportunities for expansion of Bitumen Products as road construction within the ambit of infrastructural growth.
- Tremendous scope for developing Value Added Products with potential of higher margins.
- Huge deficit in bitumen indigenous supply and demand leaving tremendous scope for imports
- Huge deficit in power demand and power supply leaving tremendous scope for expansion of Wind Power Mills
- Having own manufacturing plants and bulk imports minimize dependency on oil Companies.

#### **OUR THREATS**

There are no major business / industry threats before us as ours is a well-diversified and fundamentally strong Company with clear vision for future growth and prosperity and is under priority infrastructure sector. However, there are some factors which are beyond the control of the Company viz. impact due to fluctuations in the economy caused by changes in global and domestic economies, competition in the industry, changes in government policies and regulations, fluctuations in interest rates etc. which are common to all sectors, so we are no exception. Nevertheless, your Company ensures all safeguards to combat any such eventuality .to the best of its ability and vast industry experience.

# INTERNAL CONTROL SYSTEMS AND THEIR ADEQUACY

Your Company has in place an adequate system of internal controls, with documented procedures covering all corporate functions. Systems of internal controls are designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the effectiveness and efficiency of operations, the adequacy of safeguards for assets, the reliability of financial controls, and compliance with applicable laws and regulations. The Audit Committee of the Board oversees the adequacy of the internal control environment through regular reviews of the audit findings and monitoring implementations of internal audit recommendations through the compliance reports submitted to them.

### **MANPOWER**

Your Company is committed to attract, develop and retain high quality talent. We promote culture of higher commitment and entrepreneurial approach across all over management positions to foster organization's growth. During the year under report, your Company maintained harmonious and cordial industrial relations with its staff and employees.

# PROTECTION OF WOMEN AT WORK PLACE

The Company has formulated a policy on 'Protection of Women's Rights at Workplace' as per the provisions of the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition & Redressal) Act, 2013.

There were no cases of sexual harassment received by the Company in 2022-23 & between the end of the financial year and the date of this Report.

#### SAFETY, HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENT

Safety, health and development of human resources is our paramount objective and your Company actively pursues measures to sustain and improve the same on regular basis.

# MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEMS (MIS)

Effective Management Information Systems are core to any successful business and your Company is supported and empowered by installing updated and advanced MISs to be in forefront of this competitive industry.

# **ANNEXURE VI**

### FORM NO. AOC -2

(Pursuant to clause (h) of sub-section (3) of section 134 of the Act and Rule 8(2) of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014.

Form for Disclosure of particulars of contracts/arrangements entered into by the company with related parties referred to in sub section (1) of section 188 of the Companies Act, 2013 including certain arm's length transaction under third proviso thereto.

# 1. Details of contracts or arrangements or transactions not at Arm's length basis.

Sr. No.	Particulars	Details
	Name (s) of the related party & nature of relationship	
	Nature of contracts/arrangements/transaction.	
	Duration of the contracts/arrangements/transaction	
	Salient terms of the contracts or arrangements or transaction including the value, if any	
	Justification for entering into such contracts or arrangements or transactions'	As per Annexure-A enclosed *
	Date of approval by the Board	
	Amount paid as advances, if any	
	Date on which the special resolution was passed in General meeting as required under first proviso to section 188	

<sup>\* (</sup>please refer to Annexure A attached herewith)

# 2. Details of contracts or arrangements or transactions at Arm's length basis.

Sr. No.	Particulars	Details	
	Name (s) of the related party & nature of relationship		
	Nature of contracts/arrangements/transaction	As per Annexure-A enclosed *	
	Duration of the contracts/arrangements/transaction		
	Salient terms of the contracts or arrangements or transaction including the value, if any		
	Date of approval by the Board Amount paid as advances, if any		

# **Annexure-A**

# Forming part of Form AOC-2 above

# **RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

				₹ in Lakhs
NAME	NATURE OF RELATION	DURATION OF THE CONTRACTS/ ARRANGEMENTS/ TRANSACTION	SALIENT TERMS OF THE CONTRACTS OR ARRANGEMENTS OR TRANSACTION INCLUDING THE VALUE, IF ANY	F.Y. 2022-23
Mr. Jaiprakash Agarwal	Managing Director	Three Years w.e.f. 01.04.2022	Remuneration	75
Mr. Ramchandra Agarwal	Whole Time Director	Three Years w.e.f. 01.04.2022	Remuneration	75
Mr. Lalit Agarwal	Whole Time Director	Three Years w.e.f. 01.04.2022	Remuneration	75
Mr. Lalit Agarwal	Whole Time Director	Three Years w.e.f. 01.04.2022	Rent	12
Mr. Jaiprakash Agarwal	Managing Director	Three Years w.e.f. 01.04.2022	Rent	13.8
Mr. Vipin Agarwal	Chief Financial Officer	Year to Year Basis	Remuneration	30
Ms. Dipali Pitale	Company Secretary	Year to Year Basis	Remuneration	5.39
Mr. Nilesh Agarwal	Relatives of KMP	Year to Year Basis	Salary	18
Mr. Mukul Agarwal	Relatives of KMP	Year to Year Basis	Salary	18
Mr. Virel Agarwal	Relat Relatives of KMP	Year Year to Basis	Salar	15
Mr. Yash Agarwal	Relat Relatives of KMP	Year Year to Year Basis	Salar	12
Mrs. Pooja Agarwal	Rela Relatives of KMP	Five Years w.e.f. 18.11.2022	Rent	2.03
ANZ Transporters	Firm in which Directors are Partners	Year to Year Basis	Freight Paid	276.76
ANZ Transporters	Firm in which Directors are Partners	Year to Year Basis	Transportation Charges Received	131.76
ANZ Transporters	Firm in which Directors are Partners	Year to Year Basis	Labour charges Recd	6.79
ANZ Transporters	Firm in which Directors are Partners	Year to Year Basis	Spare Parts & Oil	5.55
Agarwal Gas Carriers	Firm in which Directors are Partners	Year to Year Basis	Freight Paid	155.55
Agarwal Gas Carriers	Firm in which Directors are Partners	Year to Year Basis	Labour charges Recd	6.86
Agarwal Gas Carriers	Firm in which Directors are Partners	Year to Year Basis	Spare Parts & Oil	6.25
Agarwal Translink P. Ltd	Company in which Directors are Directors	Year to Year Basis	Fright Paid	755.49
Agarwal Translink P. Ltd	Company in which Directors are Directors	Year to Year Basis	Transportation Charges Received	333.51
Agarwal Translink P. Ltd	Company in which Directors are Directors	Year to Year Basis	Labour charges Received	4.73
Agarwal Translink P. Ltd	Company in which Directors are Directors	Year to Year Basis	Spare Parts & Oil	5.09
Agarwal Translink P. Ltd	Company in which Directors are Directors	Year to Year Basis	HSD/OIL	809.7
Agarwal Motor Repairs	Proprietorship	Year to Year Basis	Transportation Charges Recieved	303.37
Murlidhar Ishwardas Balotra	Concern in which Relative of KMP are interested	Year to Year Basis	Purchase of HSD/OIL	14.19
Balaji Tyres	Proprietorship	Year to Year Basis	Tyres and Spare Parts purchased	117.98

₹ in Lakhs

NAME	NATURE OF RELATION	DURATION OF THE CONTRACTS/ ARRANGEMENTS/ TRANSACTION	SALIENT TERMS OF THE CONTRACTS OR ARRANGEMENTS OR TRANSACTION INCLUDING THE VALUE, IF ANY	F.Y. 2022-23
Shree Balaji Engineering Work	Proprietorship	Year to Year Basis	Fixed Asset purchased	-
Bituminex Cochin Pvt Ltd	100% Subsidiary	Year to Year Basis	Sale of Material to Subsidiary	242.33
Bituminex Cochin Pvt Ltd	100% Subsidiary	No fixed duration	Security Commission paid	1.15
AICL Overseas FZ-LLC	100% Subsidiary	No fixed duration	Interest Received	570.29
AICL Overseas FZ-LLC	100% Subsidiary	No fixed duration	Guarantee Commission	97.16
AICL Overseas FZ-LLC	100% Subsidiary	No fixed duration	Loan Given	-
AICL Overseas FZ-LLC	100% Subsidiary	No fixed duration	AICL Overseas FZ-LLC	816.65
AICL Overseas FZ-LLC	100% Subsidiary	No fixed duration	Guarantee Isued for Borrowing	5992.7
Bright Bitumen Pvt Ltd	Company in which Directors are Directors	No fixed duration	Advance against Supply	150
Bright Bitumen Pvt Ltd	Company in which Directors are Directors	No fixed duration	Purchase of Material	76.14
AICL Finance Pvt Ltd	100% Subsidiary	One time Expenses	Payment made to meet incorporation expenses	4.18

### MANAGING DIRECTOR / CFO CERTIFICATE

- 1. We have reviewed Financial Statements and the Cash Flow Statement of Agarwal Industrial Corporation Ltd for the year ended March 31, 2023 and to the best of our knowledge and belief:
  - i. These statements do not contain any materiality untrue statement or omit any material fact or contain statements that might be misleading;
  - ii. These statements together present a true and fair view of the Company's affairs and are in compliance with existing accounting standards, applicable laws and regulations.
- 2. There are, to the best of our knowledge and belief, no transaction entered into by the Company during the year which is fraudulent, illegal or violative of the Company's Code of Conduct.
- 3. We accept responsibility for establishing and maintaining internal controls for financial reporting and we have evaluated the effectiveness of Company's internal control systems pertaining to financial reporting. We have not come across any reportable deficiencies in the design or operation of such controls.
- 4. We have indicated to the Auditors and the Audit Committee
  - i. that there are no significant changes in internal control over financial reporting during the year;
  - ii. that there are no significant changes in accounting policies during the year; and
  - iii. that there are no instances of significant fraud of which we have become aware.

Place: Mumbai Date: August 14, 2023 Vipin Agarwal (Chief Financial Officer) Jaiprakash Agarwal (Managing Director)

# AUDITORS CERTIFICATE ON COMPLIANCE OF CONDITIONS OF CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

To,

The Members,

#### **Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited**

We have examined the compliance of the conditions of Corporate Governance by Agarwal Industrial Corporation Ltd. for the financial year ended March 31, 2023, as stipulated in Regulation 34 & Schedule V of SEBI LODR Regulations, 2015 as amended. The compliance of conditions of Corporate Governance is the responsibility of the management. Our examination is limited to the procedures and implementation thereof, adopted by the Company for ensuring such compliance of the conditions of Corporate Governance. It is neither an audit nor an expression of opinion.

In my opinion and to the best of my information and according to the explanations given to us, we certify that the Company has complied in all material respect with the conditions of Corporate Governance as stipulated in the above mentioned in the Regulations.

We further state that such compliance is neither an assurance as to the future viability of the Company nor the efficiency or effectiveness with which the Management has conducted the affairs of the Company.

#### FOR LADHA SINGHAL & ASSOCIATES

Chartered Accountants (FRN. No. 120241W)

# (Ajay Singhal) Partner

M. No. 104451 Place: Mumbai

Date: August 14, 2023

# **CERTIFICATE OF NON-DISQUALIFICATION OF DIRECTORS**

(Pursuant to Regulation 34(3) and Schedule V Para C Clause (10)(i) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015)

To, The Members,

### **Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited**

CIN: L99999MH1995PLC084618 Eastern Court, Unit No. 201-202 Plot No.12, V. N. Purav Marg, S. T. Road, Chembur, Mumbai - 400 071

We have examined the relevant registers, records, forms, returns and disclosures received from the Directors of **Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited (CIN:L99999MH1995 PLC084618)** and having Registered Office Eastern Court, Unit No. 201-202, Plot No.12, V. N. Purav Marg, S. T. Road, Chembur, Mumbai - 400 071 (hereinafter referred to as 'the Company'), produced before us by the Company for the purpose of issuing this Certificate, in accordance with Regulation 34(3) read with Schedule V Para C Clause 10(i) of the Securities Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the verifications (including Directors Identification Number (DIN) status at the portal www.mca.gov.in) as considered necessary and explanations furnished to us by the Company and its officers, we hereby certify that none of the Directors on the Board of the Company as stated below for the financial year ending on **March 31, 2023** have been debarred or disqualified from being appointed or continuing as Directors of companies by the Securities and Exchange Board of India, Ministry of Corporate Affairs or any such other Statutory Authority:

Sr. No.	Name of Director	DIN	Date of Appointment in Company
1	Jai Prakash Agarwal (Managing Director)	1379868	September 30, 2010
2	Ram Chandra Agarwal (Whole Time Director)	2064854	January 13, 1995
3	Lalit Agarwal (Whole Time Director)	1335107	January 13, 1995
4	Mahendra Agarwal (Non-Independent, Non-Executive)	1366495	January 13, 1995
5	Rajkumar Moolraj Mehta (Independent Director)	1729041	February 14,2007
6	Harikrishna Rameshchandra Patni (Independent Director)	1316552	February 14,2007
7	Alok Bharara (Independent Director)	2720802	May 6, 2011
8	Priti Anil Lodha (Independent Women Director)	2182233	September 30, 2014

Ensuring the eligibility of for the appointment/continuity of every Director on the Board is the responsibility of the management of the Company. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these based on our verification. This certificate is neither an assurance as to the future viability of the Company nor of the efficiency or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the Company.

For P. M. Vala & Associates,

Company Secretaries **P. M. Vala** (**Proprietor**)

FCS No.5193, COP No.4237 UDIN: F005193E000348800

ICSI Unique Code: I2001MH250600

Peer Review No.1884/2022

Place: Thane

Date: 22nd May' 2023

### **ANNEXURE VII**

### ANNUAL REPORT ON CSR ACTIVITIES

1. A brief outline of the Company's CSR policy, including overview of projects or programs proposed to be undertaken and a reference to the web-link to the CSR Policy and projects or programs.

The Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activities of the Company are continued to be guided by the Vedik Mantra "Sarve Bhavantu Sukhinah, Sarve Santu Nirmaya" meaning "ALL SHOULD BE BLESSED AND HAPPY". The vision and phil osophy of CSR Policy embodies the concept of Trusteeship and common good, and lays the foundation for ethical, value based and transparent functioning. This philanthropic approach has taken the Company to higher levels of success and respect. The Company believes that the true and full measure of growth, success and progress lies beyond balance sheets or conventional economic indices. It is best reflected in the difference that business and industry make to the lives of people.

The CSR Policy (revised on 12th November 2021) broadly outlines the Company's responsibility as a corporate citizen and lays down the parameters, guidelines and mechanism for undertaking activities for welfare & sustainable development of the community at large for common good. The vital elements of CSR is the continuing commitment by business to ethical principles, protection of human rights, care for the environment while improving the quality of life of all the stakeholders including the local community and society at large.

The Company would carry out its CSR activities with the objectives of overall National and Community Development. At the same time the Company would give preference to the local areas around the locations where it operates in India like Jodhpur, Mumbai, Baroda, Belgaum, Hyderabad, Guwahati (work-in-progress), Jaisalmer, Dhulia, Taloja, Haldia, Karwar, Hazira and Mangalore etc. The Company would continue to undertake CSR activities to do overall good to the community with special emphasis on activities for the benefit of the poor and needy Sections of the society. In particular the Company will undertake CSR activities as specified in Schedule VII to the Companies Act, 2013 but presently focus is to the following:

- i. Eradicating hunger poverty and malnutrition, promoting preventive health care and sanitation and making available safe drinking water.
- ii. Promoting education, including special education and employment enhancing vocational skills especially among children, women elderly and the differently abled and livelihood enhancement projects.
- iii. Promoting gender equality, empowering women, setting up homes and hostels for women and orphans; setting up old age homes, day care centers and such other facilities for senior citizens and measures for reducing inequalities faced by socially and economically backward groups.
- iv. For Company's CSR policy, including overview of projects or programs proposed to be undertaken, please refer to the web-link https://aicltd.in/investor-relation/
- 2. The Composition of the CSR Committee:

The Company has constituted a CSR Committee of the Board consisting of Mr. Jaiprakash Agarwal, Managing Director, Mr. Lalit Agarwal, Whole Time Director and Mr. Alok Bharara, an Independent Director.

- 3. Average net profit of the Company for last three financial years: Rs. 3400.11 Lakhs
- 4. Prescribed CSR Expenditure (two percent of the amount as in item 3 above): Rs. 68.00 Lakhs.
- 5. Details of CSR spent during the financial year ended March 31, 2023:
  - a. Total amount to spent for the financial year: Rs. 69.21 Lakhs
  - b. No amount left unspent
  - c. Manner in which the amount spent during the financial year is detailed below:

₹ in Lakhs

Sr. No.	CSR project/activity	Sector	Agency	Amount expended
1	Promoting education	Promoting education	P P Kharpatil Education Society	22
2	Promoting education	Promoting education	-	1.5
3	Promoting education	Promoting education	Sudarshan Sewa Sansthan	1.5
4	Distribution of Food Packets	Eradicating Hunger	-	4.2
5	Distribution of Food	Eradicating Hunger	-	3.01
6	Health care	Meditation & Social Welfare	Vipasana Sadhana Samiti	37



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6. A responsibility statement of the CSR Committee that the implementation and monitoring of CSR Policy, is in compliance with CSR objectives and Policy of the Company.

The CSR Committee confirms that the implementation and monitoring of CSR Policy, is in compliance with CSR objectives and Policy of the Company

Date: August 14, 2023 Place: Mumbai **Jaiprakash Agarwal**Managing Director and Chairman of CSR Committee

### Results of Operations for the year ended March 31, 2023

### Consolidated Financial Results

The following table sets forth financial information of the Company for the year ended March 31, 2023

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	2022-23	2021-2022
Total Revenue	202408.55	160199.06
Profit before Depreciation, Finance Costs and Tax	14457.67	10950.58
Less: Depreciation	2268.56	1973.38
Less: Finance Costs	1213.07	1223.69
Profit before Tax & Exceptional Item	10976.04	7753.49
Less: Exceptional Items		
Profit/(Loss) before Tax	10976.04	7753.49
Less: Tax Expense	1750.26	1384.61
Profit/ (Loss) for the year	9225.79	6368.89
Other Comprehensive Income - Loss	598.22	137.86
Total Comprehensive Income for the year	9824	6506.74
Out of Total Comprehensive Income above		
(a) Profit for the year attributable to:		
(i) Owners of the parent	9225.78	6368.89
(ii) Non-controlling interests	-	-
(ii) Non-controlling interests	-	-
(b) Other comprehensive income - Loss attributable to:	-	-
(i) Owners of the parent	598.21	137.85
(ii) Non-controlling interests	-	-
(c ) Total comprehensive income attributable to:		
(i) Owners of the parent	9824	6506.74
(ii) Non-controlling interests	-	-

#### **ANNEXURE-VIII**

#### **BUSINESS RESPONSIBILITY & SUSTAINABILITY REPORTING FORMAT**

#### **SECTION A: GENERAL DISCLOSURES**

#### I. Details of the listed entity:

1	Corporate Identity Number (CIN) of the Listed Entity	L99999MH1995PLC084618				
2	Name of the Listed Entity	Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited				
3	Year of incorporation	13/01/1995				
4	Registered office address	Eastern Court, Unit No. 201-202, Plot No-12 V. N. Purav Marg, S.T. Road, Chembur 400071				
5	Corporate address	Eastern Court, Unit No. 201-202, Plot No-12 V. N. Purav Marg, S.T. Road, Chembur 400071				
6	E-mail	contact@aicltd.com				
7	Telephone	+91-022-2529 1149/50				
8	Website	www.aicltd.in				
9	Financial year for which reporting is being done	2022-2023				
10	Name of the Stock Exchange(s) where shares are listed	Bombay Stock Exchange AND National Stock Exchange				
11	Paid-up Capital	149577890				
12	Name and contact details (telephone, email address) of the person who may be contacted in case of any queries on the BRSR report	Name: Vipin Agarwal (Chief Finance Officer Contact No: 022-2529 1149 Email: contact@aicltd.in  Name: Dipali Pitale (Company Secretary) Contact No: 022-2529 1149 Email: contact@aicltd.in				
13	Reporting boundary - Are the disclosures under this report made on a standalone basis (i.e. only for the entity) or on a consolidated basis (i.e. for the entity and all the entities which form a part of its consolidated financial statements, taken together)	The Disclosure made in this Report is on <b>STANDALONE</b> basis.				

#### II. Products/Services:

14. Details of business activities (accounting for 90% of the turnover)

S. No.	Description of Main Activity	Description of Business Activity	% of Turnover of the entity
1	Manufacturing & Trading	Manufacturing & Trading of Petrochemical Products (Bitumen & Bituminous Products) ANCILLIARY INFRA	96.62%
2	Transportation, Windmill	Providing Logistics for Bulk Bitumen and LPG through its own Specialized Tankers and also generates power through Wind Mills.	3.38%

15. Products/Services sold by the entity (accounting for 90% of the entity's Turnover):

S. No	Product/Service	NIC Code	% of total Turnover contributed
1	Bitumen & Bituminous Products	19209	96.62%
2	Transportation, Windmill	60231	3.38%

#### III. Operations

16. Number of locations where plants and/or operations/offices of the entity are situated:

Location	Number of plants	Number of offices	Total
National	10	13	23
International	0	0	0

#### 17. Markets served by the entity:

#### a. Number of locations

Locations	Number
National (No. of States)	23
International (No. of Countries)	0

b. What is the contribution of exports as a percentage of the total turnover of the entity?
Nil

#### c. A brief on types of Customers:

Customers are important stakeholders in our business. Our customer base includes Construction Companies, Infrastructure Developer, Government Agencies, Road Contractors, Paving Companies, Roofing and Waterproofing Industries, Manufacturers, Asphalt Mix Producers, Logistics and Transportation Companies and power distribution companies (Discoms).

#### IV. Employee

- 18. Details as at the end of Financial Year:
- Employees and workers (including differently abled)

S.	Particulars	Total	M	lale	Female					
No.	Farticulars	(A)	No. (B)	% (B / A)	No. (C)	% (C / A)				
	EMPLOYEES									
1	Permanent (D)	76	62	81.58%	14	18.42%				
2	Other than Permanent (E)	0	0	0	0	0				
3	Total employees (D + E)	76	62	81.58%	14	18.42%				
			WORKERS							
4	Permanent (F)	49	37	75.51%	12	24.49%				
5	Other than Permanent (G)	2	1	50.00%	1	50.00%				
6	Total workers (F + G)	51	38	74.51%	13	25.49%				

#### b. Differently abled Employees and workers:

S.	Particulars	Total	Male		Female	
No	Particulars	(A)	No. (B)	% (B / A)	No. (C)	% (C / A)
		DIFFERENTI	Y ABLED EMPLO	YEES		
1	Permanent (D)					
2	Other than					
	Permanent (E)	NIL				
3	Total differently abled employees					
	(D + E)					
		DIFFERENT	LY ABLED WORK	KERS		
4	Permanent (F)					
5	Other than					
	permanent (G)	NIL				
6	Total differently abled workers					
	(F + G)					

#### 19. Participation/Inclusion/Representation of women:

	Total	No. and percentage of Females		
	(A)	No. (B)	% (B / A)	
Board of Directors	8	1	12.50%	
Key Management Personnel	5*	1	20.00%	

<sup>(\*</sup> CFO,CS and includes One Managing Director and Two Whole Time Directors from the Board of Directors)

20. Turnover rate for permanent employees and workers (Disclosure trends for the past 3 years):

	FY (Turnover rate in current FY 2022-23)			FY (Turnover rate in previous FY 2021-22)			FY (Turnover rate in the year prior to the previous FY 2020-21)		
	Male	Female	Total	Total Male Female		Total	Male	Female	Total
Permanent Employees	10.60%	20.00%	12.33%	0%	0%	0%	6.82%	10.00%	7.41%
Permanent Workers	12.50%	15.38%	13.21%	15.55%	10.00%	14.46%	43.08%	55.55%	45.78%

#### V. Holding, Subsidiary and Associate Companies (including joint ventures)

21. (a) Names of holding / subsidiary / associate companies / joint ventures

S. No.	Name of the holding/ subsidiary/ associate companies/ joint ventures (A)	Indicate whether holding/ Subsidiary/ Associate/ Joint Venture	% of shares held by listed entity	Does the entity indicated at column A, participate in the Business Responsibility initiatives of the listed entity? (Yes/No)	
1	Bituminex Cochin Private Limited	Wholly Owned Subsidiary	100	No	
2	AICL Overseas FZ-LLC	Wholly Owned Subsidiary	100	No	
3	Agarwal Translink Private Limited	Wholly Owned Subsidiary	100	No	
4	AICL Finance Private Limited	Wholly Owned Subsidiary	100	No	

#### VI. CSR Details

- 22. (i) Whether CSR is applicable as per section 135 of Companies Act, 2013: Yes
  - (ii) FY 2022-23 : Turnover (in Rs.): 17768567082
  - (iii) FY 2022-23 : Net worth (in Rs.): 2977088073

A detailed report on CSR activities undertaken during the Financial Year 2022- 2023 has been provided in 'Annexure - VII' to the Report of the Directors.

#### VII. Transparency and Disclosures Compliances

23. Complaints/Grievances on any of the principles (Principles 1 to 9) under the National Guidelines on Responsible Business Conduct:

Stakeholder group from whom complaint is received	Grievance Redressal Mechanism in Place (Yes/No)	FY 2023 Current Financial Year			Pre	FY 2022 evious Financial Y	'ear
	(If Yes, then provide web- link for grievance redress policy)	Number of complaints filed during the year	Number of complaints pending resolution at close of the year	Remarks	Number of complaints filed during the year	Number of complaints pending resolution at close of the year	Remarks
Local Communities	Yes, we have a mechanism in place to receive and redress stakeholder complaints. (web link https://www.aicltd.in/)	Nil	Nil	NA	Nil	Nil	NA

Stakeholder group from whom complaint is received	Grievance Redressal Mechanism in Place (Yes/No)	FY 2023 Current Financial Year			Pre	Year	
Investors (other than shareholders)	Yes, we have a mechanism in place to receive and redress		Nil	NA	Nil	Nil	NA
Shareholders	stakeholders complaints. (web link https://aicltd.in/ contact-us/)		Nil	NA	Nil	Nil	NA
Employees and workers	Yes, we have a mechanism in place to receive and redress stakeholders complaints. (web link https://aicltd.in/contact-us/)	Nil	Nil	NA	Nil	Nil	NA
Customers	Yes, we have a mechanism in place to receive and redress stakeholders complaints.	NII	Nil	NA	Nil	Nil	NA
Value Chain Partners		Nil	Nil	NA	Nil	Nil	NA

#### 24. Overview of the entity's material responsible business conduct issues:

Please indicate material responsible business conduct and sustainability issues pertaining to environmental and social matters that present a risk or an opportunity to your business, rationale for identifying the same, approach to adapt or mitigate the risk along-with its financial implications, as per the following format:

S. No.	Material issue identified	Indicate whether risk or opportunity (R/O)	Rationale for identifying the risk/ opportunity		Financial implications of the risk or opportunity (Indicate positive or negative implications)
1	Infrastructure development for society development	Opportunity	Contribution in Countries' Infra structure development by way of bitumen sale which is predominately used in road constructions and related activities.	NA	There are positive Financial Implications.
2	Employment	Opportunity	Employment for the welfare of the Society.	NA	
3	Solar Energy	Opportunity	Using Solar Energy for manufacturing process is continuous natural source of energy	NA	

#### SECTION B: MANAGEMENT AND PROCESS DISCLOSURES

This section is aimed at helping businesses demonstrate the structures, policies and processes put in place towards adopting the **NGRBC Principles** and Core Elements.

The National Guidelines for Responsible Business Conduct (NGRBC) as prescribed by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs advocates nine principles referred as P1-P9 as given below:

- Principle 1: Businesses should conduct and govern themselves with integrity in a manner that is ethical, transparent and accountable
- Principle 2: Businesses should provide goods and services in a manner that is sustainable and safe
- Principle 3: Businesses should respect and promote the well-being of all employees, including those in their value chains.
- Principle 4: Businesses should respect the interests of and be responsive towards all its stakeholders
- Principle 5: Businesses should respect and promote human rights

Principle 6: Businesses should respect, protect, and make efforts to restore the environment

Principle 7: Businesses when engaging in influencing public and regulatory policy, should do so in a manner that is responsible and transparent

Principle 8: Businesses should promote inclusive growth and equitable development

Principle 9: Businesses should engage with and provide value to their consumers in a responsible manner.

	losure stions	P 1	P 2	P 3	P 4	P 5	P 6	P 7	P 8	P 9
	cy and management processes									
1.	<ul> <li>Whether your entity's policy/policies cover each principle and its core elements of the NGRBCs. (Yes/No)</li> </ul>	Y	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ
	b. Has the policy been approved by the Board? (Yes/No)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Υ	Υ	Υ
		Policie Comp					e wek	osite	of th	e
2.	Whether the entity has translated the policy into procedures. (Yes / No)	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ
3.	Do the enlisted policies extend to your value chain partners? (Yes/No)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Υ	Y	Y	Υ
	Name of the national and international codes/certifications/labels/ standards (e.g. Forest Stewardship Council, Fairtrade, Rainforest Alliance, Trustea) standards (e.g. SA 8000, OHSAS, ISO, BIS) adopted by your entity and mapped to each principle.	its made a) Communication (Info Communication Communicatio	inufactertifica anufactertifica anufactertifica anufactertifica anufactertifica anufactertifica in Manaccreditiris a manu 10208. Iany e /certifi fit ancertifica in factor anufactertifica in factor anufactertifica in factor anufactertifica in factor anufactertifi fit ancertifi fit ancertificanter	turing tion o ti	units f Reg Council a, Be f Reg Council a) a, Be f Reg Council a) b f Reg Council a) b f Reg Council a) b f f ent cor	: istrati istrati istrati cil, M at Ro conago Regist Syste lation nit at o ad	ion by Mahai n Pla	y the rasht nt in y the rasht Dist. Igau n (C topy t ited c a, Dis such rds	Stan ra fo Karn Stan ra, fo Vada m Plo Eertifii he U tut Luc st. Ra addi as	dards or its ataka dards or its odra, ant in cation Jnited know, igad — tional may
	Specific commitments, goals and targets set by the entity with defined timelines, if any.	ongoi ended	ig con ing pro avors t ration	ocess o enlo	and i ırge it	n this s bac	s rego kwar	ard , dan	com d for	pany ward
	Performance of the entity against the specific commitments, goals and targets along-with reasons in case the same are not met.	Pleas	se refe	r to o	ur rep	oly ur	nder <sub>l</sub>	ooint	5 ak	oove
	Statement by director responsible for the business responsibility report, highlighting ESG related challenges, targets and achievements (listed entity has flexibility regarding the placement of this disclosure)*Please refer to para 23 (Value Chain Partners)	for or Environment frame busin varior pract to me agend workf	believur bus onmer ework ess pus sus ice ES easure da ar orce"	iness ital, so we us oractio tainal G for able v id to	and e to deces bility bring ralue, reir	the indigasses and and ging revieus	indus overr s our per ethic mear ewing ned	try on nanc orgo form cal i ningf valu the	arour e (ES) aniza aance ssues ful ch ie cre pow	id us. G) is a tion's e on s. We hange
	Details of the highest authority responsible for implementation and oversight of the Business Responsibility policy (ies).	The B	oard o	of Dire	ectors	of th	ne Co	mpc	iny	
	Does the entity have a specified Committee of the Board/ Director responsible for decision making on sustainability related issues? (Yes / No). If yes, provide details.		he Bo					ne C	ompo	any is

#### 10. Details of Review of NGRBCs by the Company:

	Indicate whether review was undertaken by Director / Committee of the Board/ Any other Committee								Frequency (Annually/ Half yearly/ Quarterly/ Any other – please specify)										
Subject for Review			P3	P4			_		P9	P1	rarte P2	<del></del>	<u> </u>	_	<u> </u>				P9
	P1	P2	P3	P4	P5	P6	P7	P8									-/	P8	P9
Performance against above policies and follow up action	BOD	BOD	BOD	BOD	BOD	BOD	BOD	BOD	BOD	HY	HY	HY	HY	HY	H	/   H	HY	HY	HY
Compliance with statutory requirements BOD											Q	Q	Q						
11. Has the entity carried out independent assessment/ evaluation of the working of its policies by									by	P1	P2	P3	P4	P5	P6	Р7	Р8	Р9	
an external agency? (Yes/No). If yes,	provid	e nam	ie of th	ne age	ncy.						N	N	N	N	N	Ν	Ν	Ν	Ν

The policies are reviewed internally on a periodic basis. No review is conducted through external partners.

12. If answer to question (1) above is "No" i.e. not all Principles are covered by a policy, reasons to be stated.

Questions	P1	P2	Р3	P4	P5	P6	P7	P8	P9
The entity does not consider the Principles material to its business (Yes/No)									
The entity is not at a stage where it is in a position to formulate and implement the policies on specified principles (Yes/No)									
The entity does not have the financial or/human and technical resources available for the task (Yes/No)	Not Applicable								
It is planned to be done in the next financial year (Yes/No)									
Any other reason (please specify)									

Not Applicable as our Company's policies cover each principle and its core elements of the NGRBCs. Please refer to point 11 above.

#### SECTION C: PRINCIPLE WISE PERFORMANCE DISCLOSURE

This section is aimed at helping entities demonstrate their performance in integrating the Principles and Core Elements with key processes and decisions. The information sought is categorized as "Essential" and "Leadership". While the essential indicators are expected to be disclosed by every entity that is mandated to file this report, the leadership indicators may be voluntarily disclosed by entities which aspire to progress to a higher level in their quest to be socially, environmentally and ethically responsible.

# PRINCIPLE 1 Businesses should conduct and govern themselves with integrity, and in a manner that is Ethical, Transparent and Accountable.

#### **Essential Indicators**

1. Percentage coverage by training and awareness programmes on any of the Principles during the financial year:

Segment	Total number of training and awareness programmes held	Topics/ principles covered under the training and its impact	% age of persons in respective category covered by the awareness programmes
Board of Directors	1	Principle 1: Businesses should conduct and govern themselves with integrity in a manner that is ethical, transparent and accountable.  Topics  - Concept of Integration together with principles of ethics, fairness, transparency and accountability.  - How to monitor actual implementation of above concept of Integration in real business scenario.	100%
Key Managerial Personnel	2	Principle 1: Businesses should conduct and govern themselves with integrity in a manner that is ethical, transparent and accountable.  Topics  - Concept of Integration together with principles of ethics, fairness, transparency and accountability.  - How to monitor actual implementation of above concept of Integration in real business scenario	100%
Employees other than BoD and KMPs	3	Practicing of above Principle in real work platform and assessing and monitoring of the same on continuous basis.	100%
Workers	4	Practicing of above Principle in real work platform and assessing and monitoring of the same on continuous basis.	100%

- 2. Details of fines / penalties /punishment/ award/ compounding fees/ settlement amount paid in proceedings (by the entity or by directors / KMPs) with regulators/ law enforcement agencies/ judicial institutions, in the financial year, in the following format (Note: the entity shall make disclosures on the basis of materiality as specified in Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Obligations) Regulations, 2015 and as disclosed on the entity's website):
  - During the Financial Year 2023, no fines/ penalties/ award/ compounding fees/ settlement amount was paid in proceedings by the Company or by its Directors/ KMPs as per the materiality policy and SEBI Regulation.
- 3. Of the instances disclosed in Question 2 above, details of the Appeal/ Revision preferred in cases where monetary or non-monetary action has been appealed.
  - Nil in view of our reply under point no 2.
- 4. Does the entity have an anti-corruption or anti-bribery policy? If yes, provide details in brief and if available, provide a web-link to the policy.
  - We are in the process of evolving an anti-corruption policy
- 5. Number of Directors/KMPs/employees/workers against whom disciplinary action was taken by any law enforcement agency for the charges of bribery/ corruption:

	FY 2023	FY 2022
Directors		
KMPs		
Employees	1	IIL
Workers		

6. Details of complaints with regard to conflict of interest:

	FY	2023	FY 2022			
	Number	Remarks	Number	Remarks		
Number of complaints received in relation to issues of Conflict of Interest of the Directors	NIL	Not Applicable	NIL	Not Applicable		
Number of complaints received in relation to issues of Conflict of Interest of the KMPs	NIL	Not Applicable	NIL	Not Applicable		

- 7. Provide details of any corrective action taken or underway on issues related to fines / penalties / action taken by regulators/ law enforcement agencies/ judicial institutions, on cases of corruption and conflicts of interest:
  - Not Applicable as no corrective action taken or underway as there are no issues related to fines / penalties / action taken by regulators/ law enforcement agencies/ judicial institutions, on cases of corruption and conflicts of interest.

#### **Leadership Indicators**

- 1. Awareness programmes conducted for value chain partners on any of the Principles during the financial year: The Company may consider setting up training for its value chain partners going forward.
- 2. Does the entity have processes in place to avoid/ manage conflict of interests involving members of the Board? (Yes/No) If Yes, provide details of the same.
  - Yes, the Company has put in place Code of Conduct for the Board. This document defines conflicts of interest and specifies actions to prevent any conflicts along with actions to be taken in case any conflict of interest arises. The Code of Conduct is available on website of the Company viz.www.aicltd.in.

# PRINCIPLE 2 Businesses should provide goods and services in a manner that is sustainable and safe.

#### **Essential Indicators**

1. Percentage of R&D and capital expenditure (capex) investments in specific technologies to improve the environmental and social impacts of product and processes to total R&D and capex investments made by the entity, respectively.

	FY 2023	FY 2022	Details of improvements in environmental and social impacts
R & D	0	0	Its Own Going Process.
Capex*	0.03%	0.03%	Installation of solar plants at Taloja, Dighi and Baroda

<sup>\*%</sup> given against Turnover

2. a. Does the entity have procedures in place for sustainable sourcing? (Yes/No)

Yes

b. If yes, what percentage of inputs was sourced sustainably?

100%

3. Describe the processes in place to safely reclaim your products for reusing, recycling and disposing at the end of life, for (a) Plastics (including packaging) (b) E-waste (c) Hazardous waste and (d) other waste.-

We are in an industry where above mentioned processes are not involve due to nature of products in different business segments of the Company.

4. Whether Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) is applicable to the entity's activities (Yes / No). If yes, whether the waste collection plan is in line with the Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) plan submitted to Pollution Control Boards? If not, provide steps taken to address the same.

No, the Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) is not applicable to our Company's activities.

#### **Leadership Indicators**

1. Has the entity conducted Life Cycle Perspective / Assessments (LCA) for any of its products (for manufacturing industry) or for its services (for service industry)? If yes, provide details in the following format?

We are an entity where conducting of Life Cycle Perspective / Assessments (LCA) for any of its products is not warranted.

2. If there are any significant social or environmental concerns and/or risks arising from production or disposal of your products / services, as identified in the Life Cycle Perspective / Assessments (LCA) or through any other means, briefly describe the same along-with action taken to mitigate the same.

Not applicable as there are no significant social or environmental concerns and/or risks arising from production or disposal of our products / services, as identified in the Life Cycle Perspective / Assessments (LCA) or through any other means.

3. Percentage of recycled or reused input material to total material (by value) used in production (for manufacturing industry) or providing services (for service industry).

Nil, as the there is no recycled or reused input material used in production. In this regard ,please also refer to our reply in point no 1 above.

4. Of the products and packaging reclaimed at end of life of products, amount (in metric tonnes) reused, recycled, and safely disposed, as per the following format:

Not applicable as no product and packaging reclaimed at end of life of product.

5. Reclaimed products and their packaging materials (as % of total products sold) for each product category:

Not applicable as no product and packaging reclaimed at end of life of product.

# PRINCIPLE 3 Businesses should respect and promote the well-being of all employees, including those in their value chains

#### **Essential Indicators**

- 1. Details of measures for the well-being of employees and workers
  - a. Details of measures for the well-being of employees:

The Company has taken Workman's Compensation Policy for well-being of employees and workers which ensures health and well-being of employees and workers for any temporary or permanent disability or even death occurred during the course of employment. Other measures for well-being of eligible employees and workers are under active consideration of the Management.

- b. Details of measures for the well-being of Workers: Not Applicable
- 2. Details of retirement benefits, for current financial year and previous financial year:

		FY 2023		FY 2022					
Benefits	No. of employees covered as a% of total employees	No. of workers covered as a % of total workers	Deducted and deposited with the authority (Y/N/N.A)	No. of employees overed as a% of total employees	No. of workers covered as a % of total workers	Deducted and deposited with the authority (Y/N/N.A)			
PF	Nil	Nil	NA	Nil	Nil	NA			
Gratuity*	64.80%	35.20%	NA	52.71%	47.29%	NA			
ESI	64.80%	35.20%	Υ	52.71%	47.29%	Υ			
Other please specify	Nil	Nil	NA	Nil	Nil	NA			

<sup>\*</sup>Includes employees left during the year

#### 3. Accessibility of workplaces

Are the premises / offices of the entity accessible to differently abled employees and workers, as per the requirements of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016? If not, whether any steps are being taken by the entity in this regard.

Yes.

4. Does the entity have an equal opportunity policy as per the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016? If so, provide a web-link to the policy.

Evolvement of an equal opportunity policy as per the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 is under process.

- 5. Return to work and Retention rates of permanent employees and workers that took parental leave.
  - In the absence of parental leave policy, the data related to return to work and retention rates of permanent employees and workers that took parental leave is unavailable.
- 6. Is there a mechanism available to receive and redress grievances for the following categories of employees and worker? If yes, give details of the mechanism in brief:

Yes, there is a mechanism available to receive and redress grievances for the following categories of employees and workers.

	Yes (If Yes, then give details of the mechanism in brief)
Permanent Workers	
Other than Permanent Workers	Unit level mechanism to receive and redress grievances by the Head of the Unit available.
Permanent Employees	Head of the Unit available.
Other than Permanent Employees	

7. Membership of employees and worker in association(s) or Unions recognized by the listed entity:

None of the employees and workers of the Company are members of any Unions or associations.

8. Details of training given to employees and workers:

Since the nature of products /services of the Company is such that the focused on "on job training" to employees and workers in different segments, on continuous basis, which enriches their vision towards Health and Safety measures and simultaneously upgrades their skills to a large extent.

			FY 2023			FY 2022						
Category	Total (A)		th & Safety asures	On Skill Սլ	ogradation	Total (D)		th & Safety asures	On Skill Upgradation			
		No. (B)	% (B/A)	No. (C)	% (C/A)		No. (E)	% (E/D)	No. (F)	% (F/D)		
	_			Total Perm	anent Emplo	yees						
Male	62	62	100%	62	100%	58	58	100%	58	100%		
Female	14	14	100%	14	100%	10	10	100%	10	100%		
Total	76	76	100%	76	100%	68	68	100%	68	100%		
				Total Per	manent Wor	kers						
Male	37	37	100%	0	0%	41	41	100%	0	0%		
Female	12	12	100%	0	0%	10	10	100%	0	0%		
Total	49	49	100%	0	0%	51	51	100%	0	0%		

9. Details of performance and career development reviews of employees and worker:

The Company has internal check and balances for performance and career development reviews, based on which performances are analyzed and rewarded on yearly basis by way of increments and bonuses. In addition, the Company has Annual Review Meetings at pan India locations to review overall past performances and future projections by each and every unit responsible and the awards and momentos are given to the best performers both to employees and workers.

		FY 2023		FY 2022			
Category	Total (A)	No. (B)	% (B/A)	No. (C)	Total (D)	% (C/A)	
			Emplo	oyees			
Male	62	62	100 %	58	58	100 %	
Female	14	14	100 %	10	10	100 %	
Total	76	76	100%	68	68		
			Wor	kers			
Male	37	37	100 %	41	41	100 %	
Female	12	12	100 %	10	10	100 %	
Total	49	49	100 %	51	51	100 %	

- 10. Health and Safety management system:
  - a. Whether on occupational health and safety management system has been implemented by the Company? (Yes/No). If yes, the coverage of such system?

Yes. Adequate safety measures are in place and monitored regularly.

Though the Company manufactures and trades in non- hazardous products still it provides eco – friendly Environment to its workers and employees. There are no occupational health issues with the manufacturing process which is exceptionally simple and is non polluting. Adequate steps and measures are taken to ensure employess occupational health and safety.

b. What are the processes used to identify work-related hazards and assess risks on a routine and non-routine basis by the entity?

Strict follow- up of the standard procedures laid down by the Management for operations and the regular monitoring and assessment of the same leaves minimum or virtually no room for work related hazards at floor level on routine and non –routine basis both , if any, and to assess such risks timely becomes easy with experience and knowledge. Regular meetings are held with employees to identify work related hazards and risk for taking corrective measures and minimizing hazards and risk.

c. Whether you have processes for workers to report the work related hazards and to remove themselves from such risks. (Yes/No)

Yes. Direct reporting of the work related hazards, if any, by the workers to the floor level supervisor and removal of such hazards, if any, are immediately removed by such supervisory staff. As mentioned above.

- Do the employees/ workers of the entity have access to non-occupational medical and healthcare services? (Yes/ No)
  - Yes, Employees/workers of the entity have access to non-occupational medical and healthcare services through ESIC membership. Other services with regard to non-occupational medical and healthcare services are under consideration.
- 11. Details of safety related incidents:

Safety Incident/Number	Category	FY 2023	FY 2022
Lost Time Injury Frequency Rate (LTIFR) (per one million-person hours worked)	Employees	0	0
	Workers	0	0
Total recordable work-related injuries	Employees	0	0
	Workers	0	0
No. of fatalities	Employees	0	
	Workers	0	0
High consequence work-related injury or ill-health (excluding fatalities)	Employees	0	0
	Workers	0	0

12. Describe the measures taken by the entity to ensure a safe and healthy work place.

Internal check and balance systems are in place and continuous monitoring to ensure a safe and healthy work place for the work force through proper ventilation, adequate lighting, hygienic water coolers installation, neat and clean toilets for workers and employees are some of the measures for ensuring a safe and healthy work place.

13. Number of Complaints on the following made by employees and workers:

		FY 2023		FY 2022			
	Filed during the year	Pending resolution at the end of year	Remarks	Filed during the year	Pending resolution at the end of year	Remarks	
Health and Safety practices	0	0	NA	0	0	NA	
Working Conditions	0	0	NA	0	0	NA	

14. Assessment for the year:

	% of your plants and offices that were assessed (by entity or statutory authorities or third parties)
Health and safety practices	100 % by the Company
Working Conditions	100% by the Company

- 15. Provide details of any corrective action taken or underway to address safety-related incidents (if any) and on significant risks / concerns arising from assessments of health & safety practices and working conditions.
  - Safety measures are in place to ensure health & safety of workers.

#### **Leadership Indicators**

- 1. Does the entity extend any life insurance or any compensatory package in the event of death of (A) Employees (Y/N) (B) Workers (Y/N).
  - Yes. We do provide compensatory packages to employees as well as workers in event of death, if any.
- 2. Provide the measures undertaken by the entity to ensure that statutory dues have been deducted and deposited by the value chain partners.
  - The Auditors Report and financial statements of the value chain partners. wherever available, to ensure that statutory dues have been deducted and deposited by the value chain partners.
- 3. Provide the number of employees / workers having suffered high consequence work- related injury / ill-health / fatalities (as reported in Q11 of Essential Indicators above), who have been are rehabilitated and placed in suitable employment or whose family members have been placed in suitable employment:

	Total no. of af wor	fected employees/ kers	No. of employees/workers that are rehabilitated and placed in suitable employment or whose family members have been placed ir suitable employment	
	FY 2023	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2022
Employees	0	0	0	0
Workers	0	0	0	0

4. Does the entity provide transition assistance programs to facilitate continued employability and the management of career endings resulting from retirement or termination of employment? (Yes/ No)

Yes, we do.

5. Details on assessment of value chain partners:

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- 6. Provide details of any corrective actions taken or underway to address significant risks / concerns arising from assessments of health and safety practices and working conditions of value chain partners.
  - Nil. The Company has yet to initiate action in this regard.

# PRINCIPAL 4: Businesses should respect the interests of and be responsive to all its stakeholders

#### **Essential Indicators**

- 1. Describe the processes for identifying key stakeholder groups of the entity.
  - Our stakeholders group comprises of our employees, customers, shareholders, suppliers, communities, and governments and since the Company is in operation since 1995, identification process of our stakeholders is standardized and well monitored.
- 2. List stakeholder groups identified as key for your entity and the frequency of engagement with each stakeholder group.

Stakeholder Group	Whether identified as vulnerable & marginalized group (Yes/No)	Channels of Communication (Email, SMS, Newspapers, Pamphlets, Advertisement, Community Meetings, Notice Board, Website others)	Frequency of engagement (Annually/ Half Yearly/ Quarterly/ others – Please specify)	Purpose and scope of engagement including key topics and concerns raised during such engagements
Suppliers	No	Supplier Grievance Mechanism	Periodically/ Need basis	<ul><li>Supplier Development</li><li>Promoting Shared growth</li></ul>
Employees	No	Email & Meetings Grievance redressal mechanism	Continuously	Employees engagement and satisfaction     Updates and communication on policies, processes, systems
Shareholders/ Investors	No	Annual General Meeting Quarterly Investor Meet & Reports Annual Reports One-on-One interaction Grievance redressal mechanism	Annually/Quarterly/ Frequently	Enhancing Enterprise     Value     Performance and     Finance Result, Strategy     and Business     operations of Company     Corporate Governance     Transparency in     disclosure
Customers	No	Email, Meetings & Telephonic Conversation Grievance redressal mechanism	Continuously	Insights on     strengthening R&D and     improving     product quality     Responding to queries     and complaints
Local Communities and NGOs	Yes	Email & Telephonic Conversation CSR Report	Continuously	CSR Activities

#### **Leadership Indicators**

- 1. Provide the processes for consultation between stakeholders and the Board on economic, environmental, and social topics or if consultation is delegated, how is feedback from such consultations provided to the Board.
  - We have a Stakeholder Relationship Committee to discuss shareholders and investors matters. The compliance report of our code of conduct is reviewed by our audit committee on a periodic basis. We also have a quarterly meeting with our Board members. The CSR Committee communicates closely with the local communities to understand their concerns and issues and redress any issues. The CSR committee meets with the Board on a quarterly basis and appraises the Board regarding any updates regarding CSR.
- 2. Whether stakeholder consultation is used to support the identification and management of environmental, and social topics (Yes / No). If so, provide details of instances as to how the inputs received from stakeholders on these topics were incorporated into policies and activities of the entity.
  - Yes.The Company does take into consideration, the suggestions received from our stakeholders group as provided in point 1 above, from time to time as and when required.
- 3. Provide details of instances of engagement with, and actions taken to, address the concerns of vulnerable/marginalized stakeholder groups.
  - We have undertaken CSR activities in FY 2023 under the focus areas:
  - a. Eradicating hunger, poverty and malnutrition and Promoting Health Care
  - b. Promoting education

#### PRINCIPLE 5 Businesses should respect and promote human rights:

#### **Essential Indicators**

1. Employees and workers who have been provided training on human rights issues and policy(ies) of the entity

		FY 2023		FY 2022			
Category	Total (A)	No. employees workers Covered (B)	% (B / A)	Total (C)	No. employees workers Covered (D)	% (D/ C)	
			Employees				
Permanent	76	76	100%	68	68	100%	
Other than	0	0	0%	0	0	0	
permanent							
Total Employees	76	76	100%	68	68	100%	
			Workers				
Permanent	49	49	100%	51	51	100%	
Other than	2	2	100%	2	2	100%	
permanent							
Total Workers	51	51	100%	53	53	100%	

Human rights and issues related to them are addressed to employees and workers on periodical basis by the managers / floor level supervisors of our various units as part of our motivational systems in place. This is an ongoing and continuous process.

2. Details of minimum wages paid to employees and workers:

		FY 2023					FY 2022			
Category	Total (A)	Equal to Minimum Wages		More than Minimum Wages		Total (D)	Equal to Min	imum Wages		Minimum ges
	N	No. (B)	% (B/A)	No. (C)	% (C/A)	] [	No. (E)	% (E/D)	No. (F)	% (F/D)

		FY 2023					FY 2022			
Category	Total (A)	Equal to Minimum Wages		More than Minimum Wages		Total (D)	Equal to Min	imum Wages	More thar Wa	
		No. (B)	% (B/A)	No. (C)	% (C/A)		No. (E)	% (E/D)	No. (F)	% (F/D)
Permanent	76	-	-	76	100%	68	-	-	68	100%
Male	62	-	-	62	100%	58	-	-	58	100%
Female	14	-	-	14	100%	10	-	-	10	100%
Other than	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
permanent										
Male	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Female	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
					Worker	S				
Permanent	49	-	-	49	100%	51	-	-	51	100%
Male	37	-	-	37	100%	41	-	-	41	100%
Female	12	-	-	12	100%	10	-	-	10	100%
Other than	2	-	-	2	100%	2	-	-	2	100%
Permanent										
Male	1	-	-	1	100%	1	-	-	1	100%
Female	1	-	-	1	100%	1	-	-	1	100%

3. Details of remuneration/salary/wages, in the following format.

	ı	Male	Female		
	Number	Median remuneration/ salary/ wages of respective category	Number	Median remuneration/ salary/ wages of respective category	
Board of Directors (BoD)*	7	7500000	1	0	
Key Managerial Personnel**	1	3000000	1	539080	
Employees other than BoD and KMP***	62	20000	17	16200	
Workers	38	16000	13	15500	

<sup>\*</sup>Board of Directors includes One Woman Independent Director

4. Do you have a focal point (Individual/ Committee) responsible for addressing human rights impacts or issues caused or contributed to by the business? (Yes/No)

Yes. Our Board collectively addresses and also ensures to check human rights impacts or issues caused or contributed to by the Company business.

5. Describe the internal mechanisms in place to redress grievances related to human rights issues.

Please refer to point 1 above.

6. Number of Complaints on the following made by employees and workers:

		FY 2023			FY 2022	
	Filed during the year	Pending resolution at the end of year	Remarks	Filed during the year	Pending resolution at the end of year	Remarks
Sexual Harassment	Nil	Nil	NA	Nil	Nil	NA
Discrimination at workplace	Nil	Nil	NA	Nil	Nil	NA
Child Labour	Nil	Nil	NA	Nil	Nil	NA
Forced Labour/Involuntary Labour	Nil	Nil	NA	Nil	Nil	NA
Wages	Nil	Nil	NA	Nil	Nil	NA
Other human Rights related issues	Nil	Nil	NA	Nil	Nil	NA

<sup>\*\*</sup>For Median remuneration calculation only CFO and CS are taken as KMP.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Employees and workers includes permanent and non- permanent

7. Mechanisms to prevent adverse consequences to the complainant in discrimination and harassment cases.

Although not a single case of discrimination and harassment has been brought into the notice of the management of the Company since inception, the Company has its internal check and balances mechanism to deal with such issues in future, if any.

- 8. Do human rights requirements form part of your business agreements and contracts? (Yes/No) Yes. They do.
- 9. Assessments for the year:

	% of your plants and offices that were assessed (by entity or statutory authorities or third parties)
Child labour	No Child Labor is engaged in the Company
Forced/involuntary labour	No Forced/involuntary labor is engaged in the Company
Sexual harassment	100 % by the Company.
Discrimination at workplace	100 % by the Company.
Wages	100 % by the Company.
Others – please specify	Nil

10. Provide details of any corrective actions taken or underway to address significant risks / concerns arising from the assessments at Question 9 above.

Since there was not a single case occurred under above categories, there was no need of any corrective action in this regard.

#### **Leadership Indicators**

 Details of a business process being modified / introduced as a result of addressing human rights grievances/ complaints.

Since there was not a single complaint/ grievance received by the Company, there was no need of any introduction or modification of business process.

2. Details of the scope and coverage of any Human rights due-diligence conducted.

Please refer to point no 4 mentioned under Leadership indicators above in this regard.

3. Is the premise/office of the entity accessible to differently abled visitors, as per the requirements of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016?

Yes.

4. Details on assessment of value chain partners:

No assessment of value chain partners with regard to Child labour, Forced/involuntary labour, Sexual harassment, Discrimination at workplace and Wages during the year under review.

5. Provide details of any corrective actions taken or underway to address significant risks / concerns arising from the assessments at Question 4 above.

Please refer to our reply in point 4 above.

# PRINCIPLE 6: BUSINESSES SHOULD RESPECT AND MAKE EFFORTS TO PROTECT AND RESTORE THE ENVIRONMENT

#### **Essential Indicators**

1. Details of total energy consumption (in Joules or Multiples) and energy intensity, in the following format:

		in MegaJoules
Parameter	FY 2023	FY 2022
Total electricity consumption (A)	2477757.600	2350349.600
Total fuel consumption (B)	3073660.946	10336355.815
Energy consumption through other sources (C)	0	0
Total energy consumption (A+B+C)	5551418.546	12686705.415

		in MegaJoules
Parameter	FY 2023	FY 2022
Energy intensity per rupee of turnover (Total energy consumption/turnover in rupees)	0.0003	0.0008
Energy intensity (optional) – the relevant metric may be selected by the entity	-	-

Note: No external assurance was carried out on environmental parameters for FY 2023.

- 2. Does the entity have any sites / facilities identified as designated consumers (DCs) under the Performance, Achieve and Trade (PAT) Scheme of the Government of India? (Y/N) If yes, disclose whether targets set under the PAT scheme have been achieved. In case targets have not been achieved, provide the remedial action taken, if any.
  - The Company does not have sites / facilities identified as designated consumer under PAT.
- 3. Provide details of the following disclosures related to water, in the following format:

Parameter	FY 2023	FY 2022
Water withdrawal by source (in kilolitres)		
(i) Surface water	1866	2873
(ii) Ground water	610000	700500
(iii) Third party water	2070	1890
(iv) Seawater / desalinated water	0	0
(v) Others	0	0
Total volume of water withdrawal (in kilolitres) (i + ii + iii + iv + v)	613936	705263
Total volume of water consumption (in kilolitres)	613936	705263
Water intensity per rupee of turnover (Water consumed / turnover)	0.0003	0.0004
Water intensity (optional) — the relevant metric may be selected by the entity	-	-

Note: No external assurance was carried out on environmental parameters for FY 2023.

4. Has the entity implemented a mechanism for Zero Liquid Discharge? If yes, provide details of its coverage and implementation?

No.

- 5. Please provide details of air emissions (other than GHG emissions) by the entity, in the following format:
  - The Company has taken Pollution Control Board Certificates for our manufacturing locations, the air emissions viz. NOx, SOx, Particulate matter, Persistent organic pollutants, Volatileorganic Compounds, Hazardous air, are within permissible limits. However, we are unable to provide exact quantity of such emissions for the Financial Year 2022 and 2023.
- 6. Provide details of greenhouse gas emissions (Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions) & its intensity, in the following format: The Company has taken Pollution Control Board Certificates for our manufacturing locations, the Green House Gas emissions are within permissible limits. However, we are unable to provide exact quantity of such emissions for the Financial Year 2022 and 2023.
- 7. Does the entity have any project related to reducing Green House Gas emission? If Yes, then provide details.

  No.

- 8. Provide details related to waste management by the entity, in the following format:
  - There were no Plastic waste (A), E-waste (B), Bio-medical waste (C), Construction and Demolition waste (D), Battery waste (E), Radioactive waste (F), Other Hazardous waste. (G) & Other Non-hazardous waste generated (H) and consequently no (i) Recycled, (ii) no Re-used (iii) no other recovery operations or (i) no incineration (ii) no Landfilling (iii) no other disposal operations due to nature of products manufactured during FY 2023 & FY 2022. Further external assurance was carried out on environmental parameters for FY 2023.
- 9. Briefly describe the waste management practices adopted in your establishments. Describe the strategy adopted by your company to reduce usage of hazardous and toxic chemicals in your products and processes and the practices adopted to manage such wastes:
  - There are virtually no wastages due to nature of products manufactured.
- 10. If the entity has operations/offices in/around ecologically sensitive areas (such as national parks, wildlife sanctuaries, biosphere reserves, wetlands, biodiversity hotspots, forests, coastal regulation zones etc.) where environmental approvals / clearances are required, please specify details in the following format:

S. No.	Location offices	of operations/	Type of operations	Whether the conditions of environmental approval / clearance are being complied with? (Y/N) If no, the reasons thereof and corrective action taken, if any.
-		-	-	-

The Company do not have any manufacturing facility and/or office in or around ecologically sensitive areas.

- 11. Details of environmental impact assessments of projects undertaken by the entity based on applicable laws, in the current financial year:
  - During the reporting period, the Company has not conducted any environment impact assessment.
- 12. Is the entity compliant with the applicable environmental law/ regulations/ guidelines in India; such as the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, Environment protection act and rules thereunder (Y/N).

Yes.

13. If not, provide details of all such non-compliances, in the following format:

In view of our reply under point 12 above, not applicable.

S. No.	Specify the law / regulation/ guidelines which was not complied with	Provide details of the non- compliance	Any fines / penalties / action taken by regulatory agencies such as pollution control boards or by courts	Corrective action taken, if any
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-

#### **Leadership Indicators**

1. Provide break-up of the total energy consumed (in Joules or multiples) from renewable and non-renewable sources, in the following format:

Parameter	FY 2023	FY 2022
From renewable sources		
Total electricity consumption (A)	-	-
Total fuel consumption (B)	-	-

Parameter	FY 2023	FY 2022
Energy consumption through other sources (C)	-	-
Total energy consumed from renewable sources (A+B+C)	-	-
From non-renewable sources		
Total electricity consumption (D)	2477757.600	2350349.600
Total fuel consumption (E)	3073660.946	10336355.815
Energy consumption through other sources (F)	0	0
Total energy consumed from Non-renewable sources (D+E+F)	5551418.546	12686705.415

Note: No external assurance was carried out on environmental parameters for FY 2023.

2. Provide the following details related to water discharged:

There was no water discharge by destination and level of treatment to Surface water ,Groundwater , Seawater(iv) Sent to third-parties whether with treatment or without Treatment during FY 2023 and FY 2022. No external assurance was carried out on environmental parameters for FY 2023.

Note: No external assurance was carried out on environmental parameters for FY 2023.

3. Water withdrawal, consumption and discharge in areas of water stress (in kilolitres):

As we are not operating in areas of water stress, there is no water withdrawal, consumption and discharge of (i) Surface water (ii) Groundwater (iii) Third party water (iv) Seawater / desalinated water or any other water during FY 2023 and FY 2022 and consequently, no details regarding water intensity per rupee of turnover. No external assurance was carried out on environmental parameters for FY 2023. None of our offices and manufacturing plant fall under areas of water stress. Moreover, none of our offices and manufacturing plants fall under areas of water stress.

Note: No external assurance was carried out on environmental parameters for FY 2023.

4. Please provide details of total Scope 3 emissions & its intensity, in the following format:

We are currently under process of quantifying our Scope 3 emissions if any.

Note: No external assurance was carried out on environmental parameters for FY 2023.

- 5. With respect to the ecologically sensitive areas reported at Question 10 of Essential Indicators above, provide details of significant direct & indirect impact of the entity on biodiversity in such areas along-with prevention and remediation activities.
  - Our manufacturing facilities do not fall in or around ecologically sensitive areas.
- 6. If the entity has undertaken any specific initiatives or used innovative technology or solutions to improve resource efficiency, or reduce impact due to emissions / effluent discharge / waste generated, please provide details of the same as well as outcome of such initiatives, as per the following format:
  - The Company manufactures non-hazardous and environmental friendly products and there are hardly any emissions / effluent discharge / waste generated by the manufacturing process. The Company is considering to initiate specific initiatives or innovative technology or solutions to improve resource efficiency, or reduce impact due to emissions / effluent discharge / waste generated as existing technology is adequate for present opearations.
- 7. Does the entity have a business continuity and disaster management plan? Give details in 100 words/ web link.
  - We do our business on "on going concept" which assume business continuity. Disaster Management plans are also under active consideration.

- 8. Disclose any significant adverse impact to the environment, arising from the value chain of the entity. What mitigation or adaptation measures have been taken by the entity in this regard.
  - Presently, the Company don't see any adverse impact to the environment, arising from the value chain of the entity.
- 9. Percentage of value chain partners (by value of business done with such partners) that were assessed for environmental impacts.
  - No specific assessment was carried out for environmental impacts with regard to value chain partners.

# PRINCIPLE 7: BUSINESSES, WHEN ENGAGING IN INFLUENCING PUBLIC AND REGULATORY POLICY, SHOULD DO SO IN A MANNER THAT IS RESPONSIBLE AND TRANSPARENT

#### **Essential Indicators**

- 1. a. Number of affiliations with trade and industry chambers/associations:
  - The Company is member of Hindustan Chambers of Commerce, Mumbai.
  - b. List the top 10 trade and industry chambers/ associations (determined based on the total members of such body) the entity is a member of/ affiliated to.
    - Except **Hindustan Chambers of Commerce, Mumbai, the Company is not** affiliated to any other chambers/ associations.

Sr No	Name of the trade and industry chambers/ associations	Reach of trade and industry chambers/ associations (State/National)
1	Hindustan Chamber of Commerce	National

2. Provide details of corrective action taken or underway on any issues related to anti- competitive conduct by the entity, based on adverse from regulatory authorities.

Name of Authority	Brief of the Case	Corrective action taken	
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Not applicable as there were no cases of anti-competitive conduct by the Company in FY 2023.

#### **Leadership Indicators**

1. Details of public policy positions advocated by the entity:

Presently, no public policy positions have been advocated by the our Company.

# PRINCIPLE 8: BUSINESSES SHOULD PROMOTE INCLUSIVE GROWTH AND EQUITABLE DEVELOPMENT

#### **Essential Indicators**

- 1. Details of Social Impact Assessments (SIA) of projects undertaken by the entity based on applicable laws, in the current financial year.
  - Our Company may consider getting involved in Social Impact Assessments (SIA) of projects, if any , in future.
- 2. Provide information on project(s) for which ongoing Rehabilitation and Resettlement (R&R) is being undertaken by your entity, in the following format:
  - We do not have any projects for which ongoing Rehabilitation and Resettlement (R&R) is being undertaken by our Company.
- 3. Describe the mechanisms to receive and redress grievances of the community.
  - Communities and NGOs can reach to us through emails and corporate inbox contact@aicltd.in for any grievances. The grievances are responded by the CSR team or directed to the relevant department for resolution.
- 4. Percentage of input material (inputs to total inputs by value) sourced from suppliers:

	FY 2023	FY 2022
Directly Sourced from MSMEs/ small producers	Nil	Nil
Sourced directly from within the district and neighboring district	Nil	Nil

We currently do not track input material sourced from MSMEs / small producers, the Company will take appropriate steps to do so in future.

#### Leadership Indicators:

1. Provide details of actions taken to mitigate any negative social impacts identified in the Social Impact Assessments (Reference: Question 1 of Essential Indicators above):

Since no Social Impact Assessment was embarked upon by the Company during the period under review, consequently actions to mitigate negative social impact were not initiated.

Details of negative social impact identified	Corrective action taken
NA	NA

2. Provide the following information on CSR projects undertaken by your entity in designated aspirational districts as identified by government bodies:

S No.	State	Aspirational District	Amount Spent (in INR)
1	Rajasthan	Jodhpur	44,18,204
2	Mumbai	Mumbai	25,02,360

3. (a) Do you have a preferential procurement policy where you give preference to purchase from suppliers comprising marginalized /vulnerable groups? (Yes/No)

No

(b) From which marginalized /vulnerable groups do you procure?

NIil

(c) What percentage of total procurement (by value) does it constitute?

Nil

4. Details of the benefits derived and shared from the intellectual properties owned or acquired by your entity (in the current financial year), based on traditional knowledge:

There were no benefits derived and shared from the intellectual properties owned or acquired by our Company as no such properties were owned or acquired during year under review.

Sr. No	Intellectual property based on traditional knowledge	Owned/ Acquired (Yes/No)	Benefit Shared (Yes/No)	Basis of Calculating benefit share
	Nil	-	-	-

5. Details of corrective actions taken or underway, based on any adverse order in intellectual property related disputes wherein usage of traditional knowledge is involved.

Not applicable as no corrective actions taken or underway, based on any adverse order in intellectual property related disputes wherein usage of traditional knowledge was involved during the year under review. Moreover, we did not have any case of intellectual property related disputes in FY 2023.

Name of Authority	Brief of the case	Corrective actions taken	
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6. Details of beneficiaries of CSR Projects:

S. No.	CSR Project	No of persons benefited from CSR project	% of beneficiaries from vulnerable and marginalized groups
1	Eradicating hunger, poverty and malnutrition	Approx. 3000	100%
2	Promoting education	Approx. 500	100%

# PRINCIPLE 9 Businesses should engage with and provide value to their consumers in a responsible manner

#### **Essential Indicators**

1. Describe the mechanisms in place to receive and respond to consumer complaints and feedback.

The Company at the outset, ensures that only and only quality tested products at right price, right quantity and right place as per purchase order / invoices are delivered to the consumers. Nevertheless, in case of any consumer complaint is received through whatever source of communication chosen by the Consumer, letter/mail/fax/telephone / mobile contact number of the concerned manager /supervisor given to the customer at the time of sale is addressed and responded without any delay and once the complaint is resolved, feed back is taken from the complainant consumer and the same is recorded.

2. Turnover of products and/services as a percentage of turnover from all products/service that carry information about:

	As a percentage to total turnover
Environmental and Social parameters relevant to the product	Nil
Safe and responsible usage	100%
Recycling and/or safe disposal	Nil

3. Number of consumer complaints in respect of the following:

	FY 2022			FY 2		
	Received during the year	Pending Resolution at end of the year	Remarks	Received during the year	Pending Resolution at end of the year	Remarks
Data Privacy	Nil	Nil	-	Nil	Nil	-
Advertising	Nil	Nil	-	Nil	Nil	-
Cyber Security	Nil	Nil	-	Nil	Nil	-
Delivery of essential Services	Nil	Nil	-	Nil	Nil	-
Restrictive trade practices	Nil	Nil	-	Nil	Nil	-
Other	Nil	Nil	-	Nil	Nil	-

4. Details of instances of product recalls on account of safety issues:

	Number	Reasons of recall
Voluntary recalls	Nil	Nil
Forced recalls	Nil	Nil

5. Does the entity have a framework/ policy on cyber security and risks related to data privacy? (Yes/No) If available, provide a web-link of the policy.

Formulation of framework/ policy on cyber security and risks related to data privacy is under active consideration of the management.

6. Provide details of any corrective actions taken or underway on issues relating to advertising, and delivery of essential services; cyber security and data privacy of customers; re-occurrence of instances of product recalls; penalty / action taken by regulatory authorities on safety of products / services.

For the FY 2023, there were no complaints received for issues pertaining to delivery of essential services, advertising also there was no occurrence of instances of product recalls and no action taken by regulatory authorities on safety of products / services.

#### **Leadership Indicators**

1. Channels / platforms where information on products and services of the entity can be accessed (provide web link, if available).

Information related to our products and services can be found on our website: www.aicltd.in

2. Steps taken to inform and educate consumers about safe and responsible usage of products and/or services.

Our all invoices of supplies made are always accompanied by clear and predominately exhibited INSTRUCTIONS on back of each and every delivery Challan which inform and educate consumers about safe and responsible usage of our products.

3. Mechanisms in place to inform consumers of any risk of disruption/discontinuation of essential services.

Company does not deal in essential services.

4. Does the entity display product information on the product over and above what is mandated as per local laws? (Yes/No/Not Applicable). If yes, provide details in brief. Did your entity carry out any survey with regard to consumer satisfaction relating to the major products / services of the entity, significant locations of operation of the entity or the entity as a whole? (Yes/No)

Yes , we do provide the product specifications as per IS standards to the customers as per requirement. We also ensure that product delivered from our supply locations meets the standard specifications.

- 5. Provide the following information relating to data breaches:
  - a. Number of instances of data breaches along-with impact

#### No data breaches were recorded in FY 2023

b. Percentage of data breaches involving personally identifiable information of customers

No data breaches were recorded in FY 2023

### **AGARWAL INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION LIMITED**

# AUDITED STANDALONE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2023

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

#### To The Members of Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited

#### Report on the Standalone Financial Statements

- 1. We have audited the Standalone financial statements of Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited ("the Company"), which comprise the Standalone Balance Sheet as at 31st March, 2023, and the Standalone Statement of Profit and Loss (including other comprehensive income), the Standalone Statement of Changes in Equity and the Standalone Cash Flow Statement for the year then ended and, notes to the standalone financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.
- 2. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the aforesaid standalone financial statements give the information required by the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act") in the manner so required and give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the state of affairs of the Company as at 31st March, 2023, and its profit and other comprehensive income, the changes in equity and its cash flows for the year ended on that date.

#### **Basis of Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing (SAs) specified under section 143(10) of the Act. Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Standalone Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the standalone financial statements under the provisions of the Act and the Rules thereunder, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion on the standalone financial statements.

#### **Key Audit Matters**

4. Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the standalone financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the standalone financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

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#### The Key Audit Matter

Revenue is one of the key profit drivers and is therefore susceptible to misstatement. Cut-off is the key assertion insofar as revenue recognition is concerned, since an inappropriate cut-off can result in material misstatement of result for the year.

#### How was the matter addressed in our audit

Our audit procedures with regard to revenue recognition included testing controls, automated and manual, around dispatches / deliveries, inventory reconciliations and circularization of receivable balances, substantive testing of cut-off and analytical review procedure.

### Information other than the financial statements and auditors' report thereon

- 6. The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the preparation of the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Management Discussion and Analysis, Board's Report including Annexures to Board's Report, Corporate Governance, but does not include the standalone financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. The Annual report is expected to be made available to us after the date of this auditor's report.
- 7. Our opinion on the standalone financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.
- 8. In connection with our audit of the standalone financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the standalone financial statements or our knowledge obtained during the course of our audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

### Management's Responsibility for the Standalone Financial Statements

The Company's management and Board of Directors are responsible for the matters stated in section 134(5) of the Act with respect to the preparation of these standalone financial statements that give a true and fair view of the state of affairs, profit and other comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows of the Company in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in India, including the Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) specified under Section 133 of the Act. This responsibility also includes the maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provision of the Act for safeguarding the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting the frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls, that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the standalone financial statements that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

10. In preparing the standalone financial statements, management and Board of Directors are responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so. The Board of Directors is also responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Standalone Financial Statements

- 11. Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the standalone financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these standalone financial statements.
- 12. As part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:
  - Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the standalone financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal controls.
  - Obtain an understanding of internal financial controls relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances. Under section 143(3)(i) of the Act, we are also responsible for expressing our opinion on whether the Company has adequate internal financial controls system in place and the operating effectiveness of such controls.
  - Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures in the standalone financial statements made by management.
  - Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's

- report to the related disclosures in the standalone financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the standalone financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the standalone financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- 13. Materiality is the magnitude of misstatements in the Standalone Financial Statements that, individually or in aggregate, makes it probable that the economic decisions of a reasonably knowledgeable user of the Standalone Financial Statements may be influenced. We consider quantitative materiality and qualitative factors in (i) planning the scope of our audit work and in evaluating the results of our work; and (ii) to evaluate the effect of any identified misstatements in the Standalone Financial Statements.
- 14. We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.
- 15. We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.
- 16. From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the standalone financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

#### Report on other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

- 17. As required by section 197(16) of the Act, we report that the Company has paid remuneration to its directors during the year in accordance with the provisions of and limits laid down under section 197 read with Schedule V to the Act.
- 18. As required by the Companies (Auditor's Report) Order, 2020 ("the Order") issued by the Central Government of India in terms of sub-section (11) of section 143 of the Act, we give in the "Annexure A" a statement on the matters specified in paragraphs 3 and 4 of the Order, to the extent applicable.

- 19. As required by section 143(3) of the Act, we report that:
- a) We have sought and obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit.
- b) In our opinion proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Company so far as it appears from our examination of those books.
- c) The Standalone Balance Sheet, the Standalone Statement of Profit and Loss including other comprehensive income, the Statement of Changes in Equity and the Standalone Cash Flow Statement dealt with by this Report are in agreement with the books of account.
- d) In our opinion, the aforesaid standalone financial statements comply with the Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) specified under Section 133 of the Act.
- e) On the basis of written representations received from the directors as on 31st March 2023, taken on record by the Board of Directors, none of the directors is disqualified as on 31st March 2023, from being appointed as a director in terms of Section 164(2) of the Act.
- f) With respect to the adequacy of the internal financial controls over financial reporting of the Company and the operating effectiveness of such controls, refer to our separate report in "Annexure B".
- g) With respect to the other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with Rule 11 of Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, in our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us:
  - The Company has disclosed the impact of pending litigations as at 31st March 2023 on its financial position in note no. 37 of its standalone financial statements;
  - ii) The Company did not have any long-term contracts including derivatives contracts for which there were any material foreseeable losses; and
  - iii) There has been no delay in transferring amounts, required to be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund by the Company.
  - iv) (a) The Management has represented that, to the best of their knowledge and belief, as disclosed in the notes to the accounts, no funds have been advanced or loaned or invested (either from borrowed funds or share premium or any other sources or kind of funds) by the Company to or in any other person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities ("Intermediaries"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Intermediary shall,

- directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Company ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.
- (b) The Management has represented, that, to the best of their knowledge and belief, as disclosed in the notes to accounts, no funds have been received by the Company from any person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities ("Funding Parties"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Company shall, directly or indirectly, lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Funding Party ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.
- (c) Based on the audit procedures that has been considered reasonable and appropriate in the circumstances, nothing has come to our notice that has caused us to believe that the representations under sub-clause (i) and (ii) of Rule 11(e), as provided under para (a) and (b) above, contain any material misstatement.
- v) The dividend proposed in the previous year, declared and paid by the Company during the year is in accordance with Section 123 of the Act, as applicable.
  - As stated in Note 16(A) to the Standalone Financial Statements, the Board of Directors of the Company have proposed dividend for the year which is subject to the approval of the members at the ensuing Annual General Meeting. The amount of dividend proposed is in accordance with Section 123 of the Act, as applicable.
- 20. Proviso to Rule 3(1) of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014 for maintaining books of account using accounting software which has a feature of recording audit trail (edit log) facility is applicable to the Company w.e.f. 1st April, 2023, and accordingly, reporting under Rule 11(g) of Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 is not applicable for the financial year.

#### For Ladha Singhal & Associates

Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No. 120241W)

#### **Ajay Singhal**

(Partner)

Membership No. 104451 UDIN: 23104451BGWAOO5228

Place: Mumbai Dated: 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2023

# Annexure A to Independent Auditor's Report

Referred to as 'Annexure A' in paragraph 18 of the Independent Auditors' Report of even date to the members of **Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited** on the standalone financial statements for the year ended on 31st March 2023, we report that:

- (i) (a) (A) The Company has maintained proper records showing full particulars including quantitative details and situation of property plant and equipment and investment property and relevant details of right-of-use assets.
  - (B) The Company has maintained proper records showing full particulars of intangible assets.
  - (b) The property plant and equipment and investment property have been physically verified by the management during the year under a regular program of verification which, in our opinion, is reasonable having regard to the size of the Company and the nature of its assets. No discrepancies were noticed on such verification.
  - (c) According to the information and the explanation given to us and the records examined by us, we report that the title deeds of immovable properties (other than properties where the Company is the lessee and the lease agreements are duly executed in favour of the lessee) are held in the name of the Company as at the Balance Sheet date.
  - (d) According to the information and explanations given to us, the Company has not revalued its property, plant and Equipment (including Right of Use assets) and its intangible assets. Accordingly, the requirements under paragraph 3(i)(d) of the Order are not applicable to the Company.
  - (e) According to the information and explanations given to us, no proceeding has been initiated or pending against the Company for holding benami property under the Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Act, 1988 and rules made thereunder. Accordingly, the provisions stated in paragraph 3(i) (e) of the Order are not applicable to the Company.
- (ii) (a) As explained to us, the inventories except stockin-transit were physically verified during the year by the management. In our opinion, the frequency of such verification is reasonable and no material discrepancies were noticed on such physical verification.
  - (b) The Company has been sanctioned working capital limits in excess of Rs. 5 crores in aggregate from Banks on the basis of security of current assets. Quarterly returns / statements are filed with such Banks/ financial institutions which are not in agreement with the books of account. Details of the same are provided in note no 19 of attached standalone financial statements.
- (iii) The Company has made investments during the year.
  The Company have granted unsecured loan to one

overseas wholly owned subsidiary, AICL Overseas FZ LLC and have also provided guarantee for loan taken by such overseas wholly owned subsidiary from bank. Apart from this, the Company have not granted any loan, have not given any guarantee and have not provided any security to any other company, firm or limited liability partnership or any other party.

- (a) (A) The aggregate amount of unsecured loan granted to overseas wholly owned subsidiary during the year is Rs. Nil and the yearend outstanding balance of such unsecured loan granted is Rs. 5,652.06 lakhs. The aggregate amount of guarantee provided and outstanding as at the end of year is Rs. 8,492.70 lakhs.
  - (B) The Company have not granted any other loan or given guarantee or provided security to any other party.
- (b) The investments made during the year and guarantee provided and the terms and conditions of grant of unsecured loan to overseas wholly owned subsidiary and guarantee given for loan taken by it are not prejudicial to the interest of the Company.
- (c) In respect of aforesaid loan granted to overseas wholly owned subsidiary by the Company, the schedule of repayment of interest and principle have not been stipulated and same is repayable on demand. As explained to us, the principal and the interest, as demanded back during the year have been paid by such overseas wholly owned subsidiary company.
- (d) Based on the information and explanations given to us, as the Company have not granted any other loantoanyother party except the above mentioned loan to overseas wholly owned subsidiary, which is repayable on demand and the same have been repaid as and when demanded back and, same is 100% of the total loan granted by the Company, reporting under paragraph 3(d), 3(e) and 3(f) of the Order are not applicable.
- (iv) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the Company has complied with the provisions of section 185 and 186 of the Act, with respect to the loans granted, guarantee provided and investments made. The company has not provided any security in connection with loan to any other body corporate or person.
- (v) In our opinion and according to the information given to us, the Company has not accepted deposits or amount which are deemed to be deposits and hence, compliance with the the directives issued by the Reserve Bank of India and the provisions of sections 73 to 76 of the Act is not applicable. According to the information and explanations given to us, no order has been passed by the Company Law Board or the National Company Law Tribunal or the Reserve Bank of India or any Court or any other tribunal on the Company.

- (vi) We have broadly reviewed the books of accounts maintained by the Company pursuant to the Rules made by the Central Government for the maintenance of cost records under section 148(1) of the Act in respect of Company's products/services and are of the opinion that, prima facie, the prescribed accounts and records have been made and maintained. However, we have not made a detailed examination of the records with a view to determine whether they are accurate or complete.
- (vii) (a) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records of the Company, the company is
- regular in depositing with appropriate authorities applicable undisputed statutory dues including goods and services tax, employee state insurance, income tax, sales tax, service tax, duty of custom, duty of excise, value added tax, cess and any other statutory dues to the appropriate authority, as recorded in the book.
- (b) According to the information and explanation given to us, details of income tax, sales tax, service tax, duty of custom, duty of excise, value added tax or cess which have not been deposited as on 31st March, 2023 on account of any dispute are as given below:

Name of Statute	Nature of the dues	Unpaid disputed Amount (in Lacs)		Forum where dispute is pending
The Karnataka Tax on Entry of Goods Act, 1979	Tax on Entry of Goods Demand	15.49	April 2012 to March 2016	CESAT Appellate Tribunal
The Income Tax Act, 1961	Income Tax Demand	20.25	A.Y. 2003-04	Rectification pending before Assessing Officer
The Income Tax Act, 1961	Income Tax Demand	17.5	A.Y. 2004-05	Rectification pending before Assessing Officer
The Income Tax Act, 1961	Assessment Dues	4.97	A.Y. 2008-09	On Appeal, the matter has been set aside to the file of assessing officer by the Income Tax Appellate Tribunal with guidelines for disallowances. Final effects of such directions are yet to be given by the department.
The Income Tax Act, 1961	Assessment Dues	23.61	A.Y. 2009-10	do
The Income Tax Act, 1961	Assessment Dues	24.89	A.Y. 2010-11	do
The Income Tax Act, 1961	Assessment Dues	37.56	A.Y. 2011-12	do
The Income Tax Act, 1961	Assessment Dues	35.43	A.Y. 2013-14	Commissioner of Income Tax (Appeal)
The Income Tax Act, 1961	Assessment Dues	22.39	A.Y. 2014-15	do
The Income Tax Act, 1961	Income Tax Demand	15.34	A.Y. 2015-16	Rectification pending before Assessing Officer
The Income Tax Act, 1961	Income Tax Demand	147.19	A.Y. 2016-17	do
The Income Tax Act, 1961	Income Tax Demand	75.21	A.Y. 2017-18	Rectification pending before the AO to give credit of remaining taxes & Appeal before Commissioner of Income Tax (Appeal) against disallowances of Rs. 10,67,459/- made by AO.
Local Body Tax	LBT Demand	11.29	Jan to March 2017	In response to Writ Petition filed, the Hon. High Court have stayed the Demand.
Custom Act 1962	Special Additional Duty	81.99	FY 2016-17 & 2017-18	Commissioner of Central Excise, Customs and Service Tax – Appeal
Panvel Municipal Corporation	Municipal Corporation Tax	11.78	FY 2016-17 onwards	Civil Writ Petition filed with the H'ble Bombay High Court through Taloja Manufacturers Association

- (viii) According to the information and explanations given to us, there are no transactions which are not accounted in the books of account which have been surrendered or disclosed as income during the year in Tax Assessment of the Company. Also, there are no previously unrecorded income which has been now recorded in the books of account. Hence, the
- provision stated in paragraph 3(viii) of the Order is not applicable to the Company.
- (ix) (a) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records of the Company, the Company has not defaulted in repayment of loans and

borrowing or in the payment of interest thereon to any lender.

- (b) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records of the Company, the Company has not been declared a willful defaulter by any bank or financial institution or government or government authority.
- (c) In our opinion, term loans availed by the Company during the year, were applied by the Company for the purposes for which the loans were obtained.
- (d) According to the information and explanations given to us and on an overall examination of the balance sheet of the Company, we report that no funds raised on short-term basis have been used for long-term purposes by the Company.
- (e) According to the information and explanations given to us and on an overall examination of the standalone financial statements of the Company, we report that the Company has not taken any funds from any entity or person on account of or to meet the obligations of its subsidiaries, associates or joint ventures as defined under the Act.
- (f) According to the information and explanations given to us and procedures performed by us, we report that the Company has not raised loans during the year on the pledge of securities held in its subsidiaries, joint ventures or associate companies (as defined under the Act).
- (x) (a) The Company has not raised any money by way of initial public offer or further public offer (including debt instruments) during the year. Accordingly, the provisions stated in paragraph 3 (x)(a) of the Order are not applicable to the Company.
  - (b) According to the information and explanations given to us and based on our examination of the records of the Company, during the previous year, the Company has made preferential allotment of warrants convertible into equity shares and balance warrants issued during the previous year have been converted into equity shares as per terms of issue of such warrants (refer note no. 16(A) of attached standalone financial statements). In our opinion, the requirements of section 42 and section 62 of the Companies Act, 2013 have been complied with and the funds raised have been used for the purposes for which the funds were raised. The Company have not made any private placement of shares or convertible debentures (fully, partially or optionally convertible) during the year.
- (xi) (a) Based on examination of the books and records of the Company and according to the information and explanations given to us, considering the principles of materiality outlined in Standards on Auditing, we report that no fraud by the Company

- or on the Company has been noticed or reported during the course of the audit.
- (b) According to the information and explanations given to us, no report under sub-section (12) of Section 143 of the Companies Act, 2013 has been filed by the auditors in Form ADT-4 as prescribed under rule 13 of Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 with the Central Government.
- (c) As represented to us by the management, there are no whistle-blower complaints received by the Company during the course of audit. Accordingly, the provisions stated in paragraph 3(xi)(c) of the Order is not applicable to company.
- (xii) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the Company is not a Nidhi Company. Accordingly, clause 3(xii) of the Order is not applicable.
- (xiii) According to the information and explanations given to us and based on our examination of the records of the Company, transactions with the related parties are in compliance with the sections 177 and 188 of the Act where applicable and details of such transactions have been disclosed in the standalone financial statements as required by Indian Accounting Standard (Ind AS) 24, "Related Party Disclosure" specified under section 133 of the Act.
- (xiv) (a) In our opinion and based on our examination, the Company has an internal audit system commensurate with the size and nature of its business.
  - (b) We have considered internal audit reports issued by internal auditors during our audit.
- (xv) According to the information and explanations given to us and based on our examination of the records of the Company, during the year, the Company has not entered into non-cash transactions with its directors or the persons connected with them hence provisions of section 192 of the Companies Act, 2013 are not applicable to the Company.
- (xvi) (a) The Company is not required to be registered under Section 45-IA of the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934. Accordingly, clause 3(xvi)(a) of the Order is not applicable.
  - (b) The Company has not conducted any Non-Banking Financial or Housing Finance activity. Accordingly, clause 3(xvi)(b) of the Order is not applicable.
  - (c) The Company is not a Core Investment Company (CIC) as defined in the regulations made by the Reserve Bank of India. Accordingly, clause 3(xvi)(c) of the Order is not applicable.
  - (d) The Group (as per the provisions of the Core Investment Companies (Reserve Bank) Directions, 2016) does not have any CICs as part of the Group. Accordingly, clause 3(xvi)(d) of the Order is not applicable.

- (xvii) The Company has not incurred cash losses in the current and in the immediately preceding financial year.
- (xviii) There has been no resignation of the statutory auditors during the year. Accordingly, clause 3(xviii) of the Order is not applicable.
- (xix) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of the financial ratios, ageing and expected dates of realization of financial assets and payment of financial liabilities, other information accompanying the standalone financial statements, our knowledge of the Board of Directors and management plans and based on our examination of the evidence supporting the assumptions, nothing has come to our attention, which causes us to believe that any material uncertainty exists as on the date of the audit report that the Company is not capable of meeting its liabilities existing at the date of balance sheet as and when they fall due within a period of one year from the balance sheet date. We, however, state that this is not an assurance as to the future viability of the Company. We further state that our reporting is based on the facts up to the date of the audit report and we neither give any guarantee nor any assurance
- that all liabilities falling due within a period of one year from the balance sheet date, will get discharged by the Company as and when they fall due.
- (xx) The Company has fully spent the required amount towards Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) and there are no unspent CSR amount for the year requiring a transfer to a Fund specified in Schedule VII to the Companies Act or special account in compliance with the provision of sub-section (6) of section 135 of the said Act. Accordingly, reporting under clause (xx) of the Order is not applicable for the year.

#### For Ladha Singhal & Associates

Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No. 120241W)

#### **Ajay Singhal**

(Partner)

Membership No. 104451

UDIN: 23104451BGWAOO5228

Place: Mumbai

Dated: 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2023

#### **Annexure B to the Independent Auditor's Report**

Referred to as 'Annexure B' in paragraph 19(f) of the Independent Auditors' Report of even date to the members of **Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited** on the standalone financial statements for the year ended on 31st March 2023.

### Report on the Internal Financial Controls under Clause (i) of Subsection 3 of Section 143 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act")

 We have audited the internal financial controls over financial reporting of Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited ("the Company") as on 31st March 2023 in conjunction with our audit of the standalone financial statements of the Company for the year ended on that date.

#### Management's Responsibility for Internal Financial Controls

2. The Company's management is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal financial controls based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the Company considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ("the Guidance Note"). These responsibilities include the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls that were operating effectively for ensuring the orderly and efficient conduct of its business, including adherence to company's policies, the safeguarding of its assets, the prevention and detection of frauds and errors, the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, and the timely preparation of reliable financial information, as required under the Act.

#### Auditors' Responsibility

- 3. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Company's internal financial controls over financial reporting based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Guidance Note and the Standards on Auditing, issued by ICAI and prescribed under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013, to the extent applicable to an audit of internal financial controls over financial reporting. Those Standards and the Guidance Note require that we comply with the ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether adequate internal financial controls over financial reporting was established and maintained and if such controls operated effectively in all material respects.
- 4. Our audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the adequacy of the internal financial controls system over financial reporting and their operating effectiveness. Our audit of internal financial controls over financial reporting included obtaining an understanding of internal financial controls over financial reporting, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, and testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of internal control based on the assessed risk. The procedures selected depend on the

auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the standalone financial statements, whether due to fraud or error.

 We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion on the Company's internal financial controls system over financial reporting.

#### Meaning of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting

A company's internal financial control over financial reporting is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. A company's internal financial control over financial reporting includes those policies and procedures that (1) pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the company; (2) provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of standalone financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and that receipts and expenditures of the company are being made only in accordance with authorisations of management and directors of the company; and (3) provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorised acquisition, use, or disposition of the company's assets that could have a material effect on the standalone financial statements.

### Inherent Limitations of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting

7. Because of the inherent limitations of internal financial controls over financial reporting, including the possibility of collusion or improper management override of controls, material misstatements due to error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projections of any evaluation of the internal financial controls over financial reporting to future periods are subject to the risk that the internal financial control over financial reporting may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.

#### Opinion

8. In our opinion, to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the Company has, in all material respects, an adequate internal financial controls system over financial reporting and such internal financial controls over financial reporting were operating effectively as at 31st March 2023, based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the Company considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.

For **Ladha Singhal & Associates** Chartered Accountants

(Firm Registration No. 120241W)

Ajay Singhal (Partner)

Membership No. 104451 UDIN : 23104451BGWAOO5228

Place: Mumbai

Dated: 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2023

#### Balance Sheet as at 31st March, 2023

	Particulars	Note	As at 31st	₹ in Lakhs As at 31st
		No.	March 2023	March 2022
	ASSETS			
	Non - Current Assets			
	Property, Plant and Equipment	2(a)	4,708.90	4,840.30
	Capital work-in-progress	2(b)	694.83	286.51
	Investment Property	2(c)	37.44	37.44
	Right of Use Asset	2(d)	1,922.10	2,399.35
	Financial Assets			
	Investments	3	1,672.50	1,672.50
	Loans	4	5,652.06	5,950.69
	Other Financial Assets	5	368.32	600.51
	Other Non-Current Assets	6	69.74	65.84
			15,125.88	15,853.15
	Current Assets			
	Inventories	7	10,757.25	6,177.83
	Financial Assets			
	Investments	8	2,566.41	1,248.70
	Trade Receivables	9	16,487.13	13,283.29
	Cash & Cash Equivalents	10	2,419.26	4,199.64
	Bank Balances other than Cash and Cash Equivalents	11	380.56	363.01
	Loans	12	20.15	18.05
	Other Financial Assets	13	101.43	20.59
	Current Tax Assets (net)	14	142.47	142.47
	Other Current Assets	15	1,744.52	1,858.08
			34,619.18	27,311.68
	TOTAL ASSETS		49,745.06	43,164.83
_	EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
_	Equity	4.0743	1 105 70	1 000 00
_	Equity Share Capital	16(A)	1,495.78	1,320.88
4	Other Equity	16(B)	28,275.10	22,427.44
_			29,770.88	23,748.32
	Liabilities			
	Non - Current Liabilities			
	Financial Liabilities			
	Borrowings	17	1,093.04	1,477.27
	Lease Liabilities	35	1,477.11	1,963.25
	Provisions	18	55.45	41.87
	Deferred Tax Liabilities (net)	34	283.03	360.17
			2,908.62	3,842.56
	Current Liabilities			
	Financial Liabilities			
	Borrowings	19	4,880.96	10,897.13
	Lease Liabilities	35	574.57	462.55
	Trade Payables	20		
	Total Outstanding dues of Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises		16.76	1.32
	Total Outstanding dues of creditors other than Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises		10,749.59	2,584.10
	Other Financial Liabilities	21	250.51	112.77
	Other Current Liabilities	22	257.85	1,153.48
	Provisions	23	7.51	5.97
	Current Tax Liabilities (net)	24	327.81	356.62
			17,065.56	15,573.94
	TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		49,745.06	43,164.83
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_	Significant Accounting Policies	1		
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As per our report of even date For Ladha Singhal & Associates **Chartered Accountants** 

(Firm Registration No : 120241W)

**Ajay Singhal** 

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Partner Membership No. 104451

Place : Mumbai

Date: 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2023

For and on behalf of Board of Directors of Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited CIN: L99999MH1995PLC084618

Jaiprakash Agarwal

Managing Director (DIN: 01379868)

**Lalit Agarwal** Vipin Agarwal

(DIN: 01366495)

Mahendra Agarwal

Director

Whole Time Director (DIN: 01335107)

**Dipali Pitale** Chief Financial Officer Company Secretary

### Statement of Profit and Loss for the year ended 31st March, 2023

₹ in Lakhs

	Particulars	Note No.	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
I	Income			
	Revenue from Operations	25	176,145.13	140,530.06
	Other Income	26	1,540.54	956.11
	Total Income		177,685.67	141,486.17
II	Expenses			
	Cost of Materials Consumed	27	28,332.69	34,546.40
	Purchases of Stock-in-Trade		136,301.17	91,336.14
	Changes in inventories of Finished goods, Stock-in-Trade and work-in-progress	28	(4,294.50)	(1,329.24)
	Manufacturing, Operating and Other Direct Expenses	29	6,780.68	6,472.89
	Employee Benefits Expense	30	724.01	577.84
	Other Expenses	31	921.60	2,164.98
	Total Expenses		168,765.66	133,769.00
Ш	Earning Before Interest, Tax, Depreciation and Amortisation		8,920.01	7,717.17
	Finance Costs	32	1,005.84	1,154.04
	Depreciation and Amortization Expenses	33	1,277.26	1,350.15
IV	Profit before Exceptional Items and Tax		6,636.91	5,212.97
	Exceptional Items		-	-
٧	Profit Before Tax		6,636.91	5,212.97
VI	Tax Expense:	34		
	(a) Current Tax		1,750.00	1,381.00
	(b) Deferred Tax (Asset) / Liability		(76.17)	(24.55)
	(c) Short Provision for Tax for earlier years		28.44	-
	Total Tax Expense		1,702.27	1,356.45
VII	Profit for the Year		4,934.64	3,856.52
VIII	Other Comprehensive Income / (Loss)			
	Items that will not be reclassified to Profit or Loss			
	(i) Remeasurement of the defined benefit plans		(3.86)	1.74
	(ii) Income tax on remeasurement of the defined benefit plans		0.97	(0.44)
	Total Other Comprehensive Income		(2.89)	1.30
IX	Total Comprehensive Income for the year		4,931.75	3,857.82
Χ	Earnings Per Equity Share (Face value of Rs. 10 each)			
	Weighted average no. of shares (Basic & Diluted)	39	14,464,142	12,462,114
	(1) Basic (in Rs.)		34.12	30.94
	(2) Diluted (in Rs.)		34.12	30.94
	Significant Accounting Policies	1		
	The accompanying notes are integral part of these financial statements	2 to 65		

As per our report of even date For Ladha Singhal & Associates **Chartered Accountants** (Firm Registration No : 120241W)

**Ajay Singhal** 

Partner Membership No. 104451

Place : Mumbai Date: 23rd May 2023 For and on behalf of Board of Directors of Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited CIN: L99999MH1995PLC084618

Jaiprakash Agarwal

Managing Director (DIN: 01379868)

Mahendra Agarwal Director (DIN: 01366495)

Lalit Agarwal

Whole Time Director (DIN: 01335107)

Vipin Agarwal

Dipali Pitale

Chief Financial Officer Company Secretary

### Cash Flow Statement for the year ended 31st March, 2023

₹ in Lakhs

PAF	RTICULARS	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Α.	CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
	Profit before tax	6,636.91	5,212.97
	Adjustments for :		
	Depreciation	683.61	765.55
	Amortisation of Right of Use	593.65	584.61
	Interest & Finance Charges	798.66	976.96
	Interest on Lease Liabilities	207.18	177.08
	Interest Received	(626.23)	(598.33)
	Guarantee Commission	(97.16)	(50.00)
	Dividend Received	-	-
	Rent from Investment Property	(43.34)	(43.34)
	(Profit) / Loss on sale of Mutual Funds	(79.98)	(32.10)
	(Profit) / Loss on sale / impairment of fixed assets	(68.68)	0.99
	Expected credit loss allowance	99.29	(16.43)
	Bad Debts (Recovered) / written off	(20.23)	1258.25
	Fair valuation impact on Financial Assets	(31.05)	(24.53)
	Operating profit before working capital changes	8,052.64	8,211.68
	Changes in Working Capital		
	Adjustments for (increase) / decrease in operating assets:		
	Inventories	(4,579.42)	(1,645.28)
	Trade receivables	(3,282.90)	(2,254.19)
	Other financial assets (Current & Non-Current)	138.89	(542.14)
	Other assets (Current & Non-Current)	109.67	(1,037.46)
	Adjustments for increase / (decrease) in operating liabilities:		
	Trade payables	8180.93	721.64
	Other financial liabilities (Current & Non-Current)	137.73	(17.12)
	Other liabilities (Current & Non-Current)	(884.38)	739.79
	Cash generated from operations	7,873.16	4,176.93
	Income Tax Paid (net of refund)	(1,807.24)	(1,272.87)
	Net cash generated from / (used in) operating activities (A)	6,065.92	2,904.06
В.	CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
	Capital expenditure on fixed assets	(1,013.59)	(836.59)
	Proceeds from sale of fixed assets	121.74	77.51
	Loan to Subsidiary	298.63	(913.29)
	Purchase of Mutual Fund-Current Investment	(3,058.50)	(800.17)
	Sale of Mutual Fund-Current Investment	1,844.65	204.51
	Interest Received	626.23	598.33
	Dividend Received	-	-
	Rent from Investment Property	43.34	43.34
	Guarantee Commission	97.16	50.00
	Net cash generated from / (used in) investing activities (B)	(1,040.34)	(1,576.37)

₹ in Lakhs

PAF	RTICULARS	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
c.	CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
	Money received against share warrents / issue of equity shares	1,379.96	2,313.61
	Increase / (Decrease) in Short Term Borrowings (Net)	(6,018.40)	2,471.72
	Proceeds / (Repayment) from / of Long Term Borrowings (Net)	(387.99)	(648.93)
	Payment of Lease Liabilities	(697.69)	(682.50)
	Interest & Finance Charges	(792.67)	(947.06)
	Dividend Paid	(289.16)	(224.38)
	Net cash generated from / (used in) financing activities (C)	(6,805.95)	2,282.46
	Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents (A+B+C)	(1,780.38)	3,610.15
	Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	4,199.64	589.49
	Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	2,419.26	4,199.64

#### **NOTES:**

#### (1) Net Debt Reconciliations

₹ in Lakhs

	As at 31st March 2022	Cash Flows	Other - Borrowing Cost	As at 31st March 2023
Borrowings (Current)	10,897.13	(6,018.40)	2.24	4,880.96
Borrowings (Non-Current)	1,477.27	(387.99)	3.75	1,093.04
Total	12,374.40	(6,406.39)	5.99	5,974.00

The accompanying notes 1 to 65 are integral part of these financial statements.

#### Notes:

- 1) The above Statement of Cash Flow has been prepared under the 'Indirect method' as set out in Ind AS 7 on 'Statement of Cash Flows'.
- During the year, the Company has incurred an amount of Rs. 69.21 lakhs in cash (31 March 2022: Rs. 87.41 lakhs) towards corporate social responsibility (CSR) expenditure (Refer note 40).

As per our report of even date For Ladha Singhal & Associates Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No : 120241W)

**Ajay Singhal** 

Partner Membership No. 104451

Place: Mumbai Date: 23rd May 2023 For and on behalf of Board of Directors of **Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited** CIN: L99999MH1995PLC084618

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Dipali Pitale Vipin Agarwal Chief Financial Officer Company Secretary

## Statement of Changes in Equity for the year ended 31st March, 2023

#### (A) Equity Share Capital

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Balance as at the beginning of the year	1,320.88	1,025.87
Changes in equity share capital due to prior period error	-	-
Restated balance	1,320.88	1,025.87
Changes in share capital during the year [refer note no 16(A)]	174.90	295.00
Balance as at the end of the year	1,495.78	1,320.88

#### (B) Other Equity

₹ in Lakhs

			Reserves and	d Surplus			
Particulars	Securities premium	Retained Earning	Other Comprehensive income	Share Forfeiture	Capital Reserve	Share Warrants	Total
Balance as at 1st April, 2021	5,126.58	9,968.62	3.26	82.12	345.00	-	15,525.58
Profit for the year	-	3,856.52	-	-	-	-	3,856.52
Other comprehensive income for the year	-	-	1.30	-	-	-	1.30
Total Comprehensive Income for the year	-	3,856.52	1.30	-	-	-	3,857.82
Dividend paid during the year	-	(224.38)	-	-	-	-	(224.38)
Share Warrents Issued during the year	-	-	-	-	-	2,313.61	2,313.61
Share Warrents Converted in equity shares during the year	-	-	-	-	-	(1,853.62)	(1,853.62)
Received on issue of equity share [refer note no 16(A) and 16(B)]	2,808.44	-	-	-	-	-	2,808.44
Balance as at 31st March, 2022	7,935.02	13,600.76	4.56	82.12	345.00	459.99	22,427.44
Profit for the year	-	4,934.64	-	-	-	-	4,934.64
Other comprehensive income for the year	-	-	(2.89)	-	-	-	(2.89)
Total Comprehensive Income for the year	-	4,934.64	(2.89)	-	-	-	4,931.75
Dividend paid during the year	-	(289.16)	-	-	-	-	(289.16)
Share Warrents Issued during the year	-	-	-	-	-	1,379.96	1,379.96
Share Warrents Converted in equity shares during the year	-	-	-	-	-	(1,839.95)	(1,839.95)
Received on issue of equity share [refer note no 16(A) and 16(B)]	1,665.05	-	-	-	-	-	1,665.05
Balance as at 31st March, 2023	9,600.07	18,246.24	1.67	82.12	345.00	-	28,275.10

The accompanying notes 1 to 65 are integral part of these financial statements.

As per our report of even date For **Ladha Singhal & Associates** Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No: 120241W)

**Ajay Singhal** 

Partner Membership No. 104451

Place : Mumbai Date: 23rd May 2023

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Whole Time Director Chief Financial Officer Company Secretary

#### Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 31st March, 2023

#### 1 (A) CORPORATE INFORMATION:

The Company, Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited was originally incorporated with the name, Bombay Baroda Roadways (India) Limited in the year 1995 as a public limited company under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1956. Subsequently, in the year 2008, the name of company was changed from Bombay Baroda Roadways (India) Limited to Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited. The equity shares of the company are listed on the National Stock Exchange (NSE) and Bombay Stock Exchange (BSE). The Company is principally engaged in the business activities of Ancillary Infra i.e. manufacturing and trading of Bitumen and Allied Products, Logistics of Bitumen and Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LPG) and energy generation through Wind Mills.

#### 1 (B) SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Basis of Preparation of Financial Statements:

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Indian Accounting Standards (hereinafter referred to as the 'Ind AS') as notified by Ministry of Corporate Affairs pursuant to Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act') read with the Companies (Indian Accounting standards) Rules as amended from time to time and other related provisions of the Act.

The financial statements of the Company are prepared on accrual basis of accounting and Historical cost convention except for the following material items that have been measured at fair value as required by the relevant Ind AS:

- (i) Certain financial assets and liabilities are measured at Fair value (refer note 7 below)
- (ii) Defined benefit employee plan (refer note 14 below)

The accounting policies are applied consistently to all the periods presented in the financial statements. All assets and liabilities have been classified as current or non current as per the Company's normal operating cycle and other criteria set out in the Schedule III to the Companies Act, 2013.

The financial statements are presented in INR, the functional currency of the Company.

#### 2. Use of Estimates and judgments:

The preparation of the financial statements requires the Management to make, judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, disclosure of contingent liabilities as at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. The recognition, measurement, classification or disclosure of an item or information in the financial statements is made relying on these estimates. The estimates and judgments used in the preparation of the financial statements are continuously evaluated by the management and are based on historical experience and various other assumptions and factors (including expectations of future events) that the management believes to be reasonable under the existing circumstances. Actual results may differ from those estimates. Any revision to accounting estimates is recognised prospectively in current and future periods.

# Critical accounting judgments and key source of estimation uncertainty

The Company is required to make judgments, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amount of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an on-going basis.

- (a) Recognition and measurement of defined benefit obligations, key actuarial assumptions refer note 14 below.
- (b) Estimation of current tax expenses and payable refer note 15 below.
- (c) Estimation of Right-of-Use and Lease Liabilities refer note 20 below.

#### 3. Property, plant and equipment (PPE)

Property, plant and equipment is stated at acquisition cost net of accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses, if any.

The cost of an item of property, plant and equipment comprises its purchase price, including import duties and non-refundable purchase taxes, after deducting trade discounts and rebates, any directly attributable costs of bringing the asset to its working condition for its intended use and estimated costs of dismantling and removing the item and restoring the item and restoring the site on which it is located.

If significant parts of an item of property, plant and equipment have different useful lives, then they are accounted for as separate items (major components) of property, plant and equipment. Subsequent expenditure and subsequent costs are included in the assets carrying amount or recognized as a separate asset, as appropriate only if it is probable that the future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Company and that the cost of the item can be reliably measured.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with carrying amount. These are included in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

Assets that are subject to depreciation and amortization are reviewed for impairment, whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that carrying amount may not be recoverable.

Property, plant and equipment which are not ready for intended use as on the date of Balance Sheet are disclosed as "Capital work-in-progress".

#### 4. Intangible assets

Intangible assets are carried at cost less any accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses, if any.

#### 5. Depreciation and Amortization:

(a) Property plant and equipment (PPE)

Depreciation is provided on a pro-rata basis on the straight line method based on estimated useful life prescribed under Schedule II to the Companies Act, 2013.

The residual values, useful lives and method of depreciation of property, plant and equipment is reviewed at each financial year end and adjusted prospectively, if appropriate.

#### (b) Intangible assets

The useful lives of intangible assets are assessed as either finite or indefinite. Finite-life intangible assets are amortised on a straight-line basis over the period of their expected useful lives.

The amortisation period and the amortisation method for finite life intangible assets is reviewed at each financial year end and adjusted prospectively, if appropriate. For indefinite life intangible assets, the assessment of indefinite life is reviewed annually to determine whether it continues, if not, it is impaired or changed prospectively on the basis of revised estimates.

#### 6. Investment Properties:

Property that is held for long-term rental yields or for capital appreciation or both, and that is not occupied by the Company, is classified as investment property. Investment property is measured at its cost, including related transaction costs and where applicable borrowing costs less depreciation and impairment if any.

Depreciation on Investment Property is provided using the written down value method based on the useful lives specified in Schedule II to the Companies Act, 2013.

#### 7. Financial Instruments:

#### Financial assets - Initial recognition:

Financial assets are recognised when the Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instruments. On initial recognition, a financial asset is recognised at fair value, in case of Financial assets which are recognised at fair value through profit and loss (FVTPL), its transaction cost are recognised in the statement of profit and loss. In other cases, the transaction cost are attributed to the acquisition value of the financial asset.

#### Subsequent measurement:

Financial assets are subsequently classified and measured at:

- amortised cost
- fair value through profit & loss (FVTPL)
- fair value through other comprehensive income (FVTOCI)

The above classification is being determined considering the:

- (a) the entity's business model for managing the financial assets and
- (b) the contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial asset.

Financial assets are not reclassified subsequent to their recognition, except if and in the period the company changes its business model for managing financial assets.

#### (i) Measured at amortised cost:

Financial assets are subsequently measured at amortised cost if these financial assets are held within a business whose objective is to hold these assets in order to collect contractual cash flows and the contractual terms of the financial asset that give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

#### (ii) Measured at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVTOCI):

Financial assets are measured at FVTOCI, if these financial assets are held within a business model whose objective is achieved by both collecting contractual cash flows that give rise on specified dates to solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding and by selling

financial assets. Fair value movements are recognized in the other comprehensive income (OCI). Interest income measured using the Effective Interest Rate method and impairment losses, if any are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss. On derecognition, cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in OCI is reclassified from the equity to 'other income' in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### (iii) Measured at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL):

Financial assets other than equity instrument are measured at FVTPL unless it is measured at amortised cost or at FVTOCI on initial recognition. Such financial assets are measured at fair value with all changes in fair value, including interest income and dividend income if any, recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### **Equity instruments:**

On initial recognition, the Company can make an irrevocable election (on an instrument-by-instrument basis) to present the subsequent changes in fair value in other comprehensive income pertaining to investments in equity instruments. This election is not permitted if the equity investment is held for trading. These elected investments are initially measured at fair value plus transaction costs. Subsequently, they are measured at fair value with gains and losses arising from changes in fair value recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated in the 'Reserve for equity instruments through other comprehensive income'. The cumulative gain or loss is not reclassified to Statement of Profit and Loss on disposal of the investments.

Dividends on these investments in equity instruments are recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss when the Company's right to receive the dividends is established, it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the dividend will flow to the entity, the dividend does not represent a recovery of part of cost of the investment and the amount of dividend can be measured reliably. Dividends recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss are included in the 'Other income' line item.

#### **Impairment**

The Company recognises a loss allowance for Expected Credit Losses (ECL) on financial assets that are measured at amortised cost and at FVTOCI. The credit loss is difference between all contractual cash flows that are due to an entity in accordance with the contract and all the cash flows that the entity expects to receive (i.e. all cash shortfalls), discounted at the original effective interest rate. This is assessed on an individual or collective basis after considering all

reasonable and supportable including that which is forward looking.

The Company's trade receivables or contract revenue receivables do not contain significant financing component and loss allowance on trade receivables is measured at an amount equal to life time expected losses i.e. expected cash shortfall, being simplified approach for recognition of impairment loss allowance.

Under simplified approach, the Company does not track changes in credit risk. Rather it recognizes impairment loss allowance based on the lifetime ECL at each reporting date right from its initial recognition. The Company uses a provision matrix to determine impairment loss allowance on the portfolio of trade receivables. The provision matrix is based on its historically observed default rates over the expected life of the trade receivable and is adjusted for forward looking estimates. At every reporting date, the historical observed default rates are updated and changes in the forward-looking estimates are analysed.

For financial assets other than trade receivables, the Company recognises 12-months expected credit losses for all originated or acquired financial assets if at the reporting date the credit risk of the financial asset has not increased significantly since its initial recognition. The expected credit losses are measured as lifetime expected credit losses if the credit risk on financial asset increases significantly since its initial recognition. If, in a subsequent period, credit quality of the instrument improves such that there is no longer significant increase in credit risks since initial recognition, then the Company reverts to recognizing impairment loss allowance based on 12 months ECL. The impairment losses and reversals are recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss. For equity instruments and financial assets measured at FVTPL, there is no requirement of impairment testing.

#### Derecognition

The Company derecognises a financial asset when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the financial asset expire, or it transfers rights to receive cash flows from an asset, it evaluates if and to what extent it has retained the risks and rewards of ownership. When it has neither transferred nor retained substantially all of the risks and rewards of the asset, nor transferred control of the asset, the Company continues to recognise the transferred asset to the extent of the Company's continuing involvement.

In that case, the Companyalso recognises an associated liability. The transferred asset and the associated liability are measured on a basis that reflects the rights and obligations that the Company has retained.

#### **Financial Liabilities**

#### Initial Recognition and measurement

Financial liabilities are recognised when the Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instruments. Financial liabilities are initially recognised at fair value net of transaction costs for all financial liabilities not carried at fair value through profit or loss.

The Company's financial liabilities includes trade and other payables, loans and borrowings including bank overdrafts.

**Subsequent measurement :** Financial liabilities measuredatamortisedcostaresubsequentlymeasured at using Effective Interest Rate (EIR) method. Financial liabilities carried at fair value through profit or loss are measured at fair value with all changes in fair value recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

**Loans & Borrowings:** After initial recognition, interest bearing loans and borrowings are subsequently measured at amortised cost using EIR method. Gains and losses are recognized in profit & loss when the liabilities are derecognized as well as through EIR amortization process.

Financial Guarantee Contracts: Financial guarantee contracts issued by the Company are those contracts that requires payment to be made or to be reimbursed to the holder for a loss it incurs because the specified debtor fails to make payment when due in accordance with the term of a debt instrument. Financial guarantee contracts are recognized initially as a liability at fair value, adjusted for transaction costs that are directly attributable to the issuance of the guarantee.

#### De-recognition

A financial liability is derecognised when the obligation under the liability is discharged or cancelled or expires. When an existing financial liability is replaced by another from the same lender on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing liability are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification is treated as the derecognition of the original liability and the recognition of a new liability. The difference in the respective carrying amounts is recognized in the statement of profit or loss.

#### **Derivative financial instruments**

The Company uses derivative financial instruments, such as forward foreign exchange contracts, to hedge its foreign currency risks. Such derivative financial instruments are initially recognised at fair value on the date on which a derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently remeasured at fair value, with changes in fair value recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### Offsetting of financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset and the net amount is reported in the Balance Sheet if there is a currently enforceable legal right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, to realise the assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously.

#### 8. Fair Value Measurement

The Company measures financial instruments, such as, derivatives, investments at fair value at each balance sheet date. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The fair value measurement is based on the presumption that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability takes place either:

- (a) In the principal market for the asset or liability, or
- (b) In the absence of a principal market, in the most advantageous market for the asset or liability."

The principal or the most advantageous market must be accessible by the Company. The fair value of an asset or a liability is measured using the assumptions market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability, assuming that market participants act in their economic best interest. A fair value measurement of a non-financial asset takes into account a market participant's ability to generate economic benefits by using the asset in its highest and best use or by selling it to another market participant that would use the asset in its highest and best use. The Company uses valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value, maximising the use of relevant observable inputs and minimising the use of unobservable inputs. All assets and liabilities for which fair value is measured or disclosed in the financial statements are categorised within the fair value hierarchy, described as follows, based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole:

- (i) Level 1 Quoted (unadjusted) market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities
- (ii) Level 2 Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is directly or indirectly observable.
- (iii) Level 3- Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is unobservable.

For assets and liabilities that are recognised in the financial statements on a recurring basis, the Company determines whether transfers have occurred between levels in the hierarchy by reassessing categorisation (based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole) at the end of each reporting period. For the purpose of fair value disclosures, the Company has determined classes of assets and liabilities on the basis of the nature, characteristics and risks of the asset or liability and the level of the fair value hierarchy as explained above."

#### 9. Inventory

Inventories are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost is computed on First-in-First-Out (FIFO) basis. Cost of finished goods and work-in-progress include all costs of purchases, conversion costs and other costs incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition. The net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business less the estimated costs of completion and estimated costs necessary to make the sale.

#### 10. Cash and Cash Equivalents:

Cash and Cash equivalents include cash and Cheque in hand, bank balances, demand deposits with banks and other short-term highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value where original maturity is three months or less.

#### 11. Foreign Currency Transactions:

a) Initial Recognition

Transactions in foreign currency are recorded at the exchange rate prevailing on the date of the transaction. Exchange differences arising on foreign exchange transactions settled during the year are recognized in the Statement of Profit and Loss of the year.

 Measurement of Foreign Currency Items at the Balance Sheet Date

Foreign currency monetary items of the Company are restated at the closing exchange rates. Non monetary items are recorded at the exchange rate prevailing on the date of the transaction. Exchange differences arising out of these transactions are charged to the Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### 12. Revenue Recognition:

Revenue is measured at the value of the consideration received or receivable. Amounts disclosed as revenue are net of returns, trade allowances, rebates, discounts, loyalty discount, value added taxes and amounts collected on behalf of third parties. The Company recognises revenue when the amount of revenue can be reliably measured, it is probable that future economic benefits will flow to the Company and specific criteria have

been met for each of the Company's activities as described below :

#### Sale of Goods

Revenues are recognized at a point in time when control of the goods passes to the buyer, usually upon either at the time of dispatch or delivery. In case of export sale, it is usually recognised based on the shipped-on board date as per bill of lading.

#### Rendering of Services

Income from services rendered is recognised based on agreements /arrangements with the customers as the service is performed / rendered.

#### Interest

Revenue is recognised on a time proportion basis taking into account the amount outstanding and the interest rate applicable and based on Effective interest rate method.

#### Dividend

Dividend Income is recognized when right to receive the same is established.

#### 13. Investment in subsidiaries

Investments in equity shares of subsidiaries are recorded at cost and reviewed for impairment at each reporting date. Where an indication of impairment exists, the carrying amount of the investment is assessed and written down immediately to its recoverable amount. On disposal of investments in subsidiaries, the difference between net disposal proceeds and the carrying amounts are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### 14. Employee Benefits:

The Company has provided following postemployment plans:

- (a) Defined benefit plans such a gratuity and
- (b) Defined contribution plans such as Provident fund

#### a) Defined-benefit plan:

The liability or asset recognised in the balance sheet in respect of defined benefit gratuity plan is the present value of defined benefit obligations at the end of the reporting period less fair value of plan assets. The defined benefit obligations is calculated annually by actuaries through actuarial valuation using the projected unit credit method. The Company recognises the following changes in the net defined benefit obligation as an expense in the statement of profit and loss:

- Service costs comprising current service costs, past-service costs, gains and losses on curtailment and non-routine settlements; and
- (b) Net interest expense or income"

The net interest cost is calculated by applying the discount rate to the net balance of the defined benefit obligation and fair value of plan assets. This cost is included in employee benefit expenses in the statement of the profit & loss.

Re-measurement comprising of actuarial gains and losses arising from

- (a) Re-measurement of Actuarial (gains)/losses
- (b) Return on plan assets, excluding amount recognized in effect of asset ceiling
- Re-measurement arisina because of change in effect of asset ceiling are recognised in the period in which they occur directly in Other comprehensive income. Re-measurement are not reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods. Ind AS 19 requires the exercise of judgment in relation to various assumptions including future pay rises, inflation and discount rates and employee and pensioner demographics. The Company determines the assumptions in conjunction with its actuaries, and believes these assumptions to be in line with best practice, but the application of different assumptions could have a significant effect on the amounts reflected in the income statement, other comprehensive income and balance sheet. There may be also interdependency between some of the assumptions.

#### b) Defined-contribution plan:

Under defined contribution plans, provident fund, the Company pays pre-defined amounts to separate funds and does not have any legal or informal obligation to pay additional sums. Defined Contribution plan comprise of contributions to the employees' provident fund with the government, superannuation fund and certain state plans like Employees' State Insurance and Employees' Pension Scheme. The Company's payments to the defined contribution plans are recognised as expenses during the period in which the employees perform the services that the payment covers.

#### 15. Taxes on Income:

Income tax comprises current and deferred tax. Income tax expense is recognized in the statement of profit and loss except to the extent it relates to items directly recognized in equity or in other comprehensive income.

Current tax is based on taxable profit for the year. Taxable profit is different from accounting profit due to temporary differences between accounting and tax treatments, and due to items that are never taxable or tax deductible. Tax provisions are included in current liabilities. Interest and penalties on tax liabilities are provided for in the tax charge. The Company offsets, the current tax assets and liabilities (on a year on year basis) where it has a legally enforceable right and where it intends to settle such assets and liabilities on a net basis or to realise the assets and liabilities on net basis.

Deferred income tax is recognized using the balance sheet approach. Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are recognized for deductible and taxable temporary differences arising between the tax base of assets and liabilities and their carrying amount in financial statements. Deferred income tax asset are recognized to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences, and the carry forward of unused tax credits and unused tax losses can be utilized. Deferred tax assets are not recognised where it is more likely than not that the assets will not be realised in the future.

The carrying amount of deferred income tax assets is reviewed at each reporting date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred income tax asset to be utilized. Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period when the asset is realized or the liability is settled, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date.

Deferred tax items are recognised in correlation to the underlying transaction either in OCI or directly in equity.

#### 16. Borrowing Cost:

General and specific borrowing costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of qualifying assets are capitalized as a part of Cost of that assets, during the period till all the activities necessary to prepare the Qualifying assets for its intended use or sale are complete during the period of time that is required to complete and prepare the assets for its intended use or sale. Qualifying assets are assets that necessarily take a substantial period of time to get ready for their intended use or sale.

Other borrowing costs are recognized as an expense in the period in which they are incurred.

#### 17. Segment Reporting:

Operating segments are reported in a manner consistent with the internal reporting provided to the chief operating decision maker.

#### 18. Earnings Per Share:

Basic earnings per shares are calculated by dividing the net profit or loss after tax for the period attributable to equity shareholders by the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the period. For the purpose of calculating diluted earnings per share, the net profit or loss for the period attributable to the equity shareholders and the weighted average number of shares outstanding during the period is adjusted for the effects of all dilutive potential equity shares.

#### 19. Measurement of EBITDA

The Company has opted to present earnings before interest (finance cost), tax, depreciation and amortisation (EBITDA) as a separate line item on the face of the Statement of Profit and Loss for the period. The Company measures EBITDA based on profit/(loss) from continuing operations.

#### 20. Leases:

The Company has adopted Ind AS 116-Leases using the modified retrospective method. The Company has applied the standard to its leases with the cumulative impact recognised on the date of initial application.

The Company's lease asset classes primarily consist of leases for Land, Buildings and Plant & Machinery. The Company assesses whether a contract is or contains a lease, at inception of a contract. A contract is, or contains, a lease if the contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration. To assess whether a contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset, the Company assesses whether:

- (a) the contract involves the use of an identified asset
- (b) the Company has substantially all of the economic benefits from use of the asset through the period of the lease and
- (c) the Company has the right to direct the use of the asset.

At the date of commencement of the lease, the Company recognises a right-of-use asset ("ROU") and a corresponding lease liability for all lease arrangements in which it is a lessee, except for leases with a term of twelve months or less (short term leases) and leases of low value assets. For these short term and leases of low value assets, the Company recognises the lease payments as

an operating expense on a straight-line basis over the term of the lease."

The right-of-use assets are initially recognised at cost, which comprises the initial amount of the lease liability adjusted for any lease payments made at or prior to the commencement date of the lease plus any initial direct costs less any lease incentives. They are subsequently measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses, if any. Right-of-use assets are depreciated from the commencement date on a straight-line basis over the shorter of the lease term and useful life of the underlying asset.

The lease liability is initially measured at the present value of the future lease payments. The lease payments are discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease or, if not readily determinable, using the incremental borrowing rates. The lease liability is subsequently remeasured by increasing the carrying amount to reflect interest on the lease liability, reducing the carrying amount to reflect the lease payments made. A lease liability is remeasured upon the occurrence of certain events such as a change in the lease term or a change in an index or rate used to determine lease payments. The remeasurement normally also adjusts the leased assets.

Lease liability and ROU asset have been separately presented in the Balance Sheet and lease payments have been classified as financing cash flows.

# 21. Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets:

A provision is recognised if, as a result of a past event, the company has a present legal or constructive obligation that can be estimated reliably, and it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation.

Provisions for onerous contracts are recognized when the expected benefits to be derived by the Company from a contract are lower than the unavoidable costs of meeting the future obligations under the contract.

A disclosure for contingent liabilities is made where there is a possible obligation or a present obligation that may probably not require an outflow of resources or an obligation for which the future outcome cannot be ascertained with reasonable certainty. When there is a possible or a present obligation where the likelihood of outflow of resources is remote, no provision or disclosure is made.

Contingent assets are neither recognized nor disclosed in financial statements.

# 2 (a) Property, Plant & Equipment:

									₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	Free Hold Land	Lease Hold Land	Vehicles	Furniture & Fixtures	Office Equipments	Factory Building	Plant & Equipment	Wind Mill	Total
Gross carrying amount									
Balance as at 1st April, 2021	101.77	533.02	4,439.33	164.49	44.82	342.02	2,183.92	711.03	8,520.41
Additions	1	1	1	2.25	12.78	7.60	603.36		622.99
Disposals	1	1	(319.64)	1	(2.71)	1	1	1	(322.35)
Balance as at 31st March, 2022	101.77	533.02	4,119.69	166.74	54.89	349.62	2,787.28	711.03	8,824.04
Additions	1	1	178.70	3.09	8.50	11.85	410.93	•	613.07
Disposals	1	1	(529.25)	(1.13)	(2.94)	1	(7.93)		(541.25)
Balance as at 31st March, 2023	101.77	533.02	3,769.15	168.70	60.44	361.47	3,190.28	711.03	8,895.86
Accumulated depreciation									
Accumulated depreciation as at 1st April, 2021	1	1	2,610.38	82.53	32.92	55.29	447.22	233.71	3,462.05
Depreciation charge for the year	1	1	560.93	16.16	6.94	11.53	123.25	46.74	765.55
Disposals	1	1	(241.12)	1	(2.73)	1	1	1	(243.86)
Accumulated depreciation as at 31st March, 2022	1	1	2,930.18	69.86	37.13	66.82	570.47	280.45	3,983.74
Depreciation charge for the year	-	1	450.12	15.79	8.39	11.14	151.43	46.74	683.61
Disposals	1	1	(471.62)	(0.85)	(2.74)	1	(5.18)	1	(480.39)
Accumulated depreciation as at 31st March, 2023	1	1	2,908.68	113.63	42.78	77.96	716.72	327.20	4,186.97
Net carrying amount									
Net carrying amount as at 31st March, 2022	101.77	533.02	1,189.51	68.05	17.76	282.80	2,216.81	430.58	4,840.30
Net carrying amount as at 31st March, 2023	101.77	533.02	860.47	55.07	17.66	283.51	2,473.56	383.83	4,708.90

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- 1. Refer note no. 38 for disclosure on contractual commitments for the acquisition of property, plant and equipment.
- 2. Title deed in respect of all immovable properties are held in the name of Company.
- 3. Lease Hold lands are not amortised as the same are of long term nature with the option to extent the lease period.
- 4. The Company has not revalued any of its property, plant and equipment during the years ended 31st March 2023 and 31st March 2022. Hence, the amount of change in gross and net carrying amount due to revaluation and impairment losses/reversals are nil.

#### 2 (b) Capital work-in-progress (CWIP):

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Building	259.71	-
Land development	33.20	-
Bulk Storage Tank	-	119.55
Plant & Machinery	371.09	166.96
Others	30.83	-
Total	694.83	286.51

#### Capital Work- in- progress Ageing Schedule

₹ in Lakhs

	Amou				
Capital Work- in- progress	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	2 to 3 years	More than 3 years	Total
As at 31st March 2023					
Projects in progress	528.84	97.68	27.01	41.30	694.83
As at 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2022					
Projects in progress	218.20	27.01	41.30	-	286.51

There are no capital work-in-progress projects whose completion is overdue against original planned timelines or where estimated cost exceeded its original planned cost as on 31st March, 2023 and 31st March, 2022.

#### 2 (c) Investment Property:

#### Reconciliation of carrying amount:

₹ in Lakhs

Reconciliation of carrying amount :		₹ in Lakns
Particulars	Land	Total
Gross carrying amount		
Balance as at 1st April, 2021	37.44	37.44
Additions	-	-
Balance as at 31st March, 2022	37.44	37.44
Additions	-	-
Balance as at 31st March, 2023	37.44	37.44
Accumulated depreciation		
Accumulated depreciation as at 1st April, 2021	-	-
Depreciation charge for the year	-	-
Accumulated depreciation as at 31st March, 2022	-	-
Depreciation charge for the year	-	-
Accumulated depreciation as at 31st March, 2023	-	-
Net carrying amount		
Net carrying amount as at 31st March, 2022	37.44	37.44
Net carrying amount as at 31st March, 2023	37.44	37.44

#### Information regarding income and expenditure of Investment Property

Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Rental income dereived from Investment Property	43.34	43.34
Direct Operating Expenses	-	-
Profit arising from investment property before depreciation	43.34	43.34
Less: Depreciation	-	-
Profit arising from Investment Property	43.34	43.34

- (a) The Company's investment property consists of land in India.
- (b) Based on the intention, land owned by the Company, which was classified as Property, Plant and Equipment has been considered as being held for generating rental income rather than for business purposes. Hence, the Company has reclassified the same from Property, Plant and Equipment to Investment Property.

#### (d) Right of Use Assets: **Movement in Net Carrying Amount**

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	Land	Building	Plant & Machinery	Total
Net Carrying Amount				
Balance as at 1st April 2021	196.63	24.57	1,757.47	1,978.67
Additions	8.23	-	997.07	1,005.29
Depreciation charge for the year	8.80	24.57	551.24	584.61
Deletions	-	-	-	-
Balance as at 31st March 2022	196.06	-	2,203.30	2,399.35
Additions	21.60	62.89	31.90	116.39
Depreciation charge for the year	9.46	20.96	563.22	593.65
Deletions	-	-	-	-
Balance at 31st March 2023	208.19	41.93	1,671.97	1,922.10

All lease agreements are duly executed in favour of the Company.

#### 3 **Investments - Non-current**

	khs	

Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Investment in Equity Instruments		
Unquoted Equity Shares - measured at Cost		
6200 (as at 31st March, 2022 - 6200) Equity shares of wholly owned	232.50	232.50
subsidiary, M/s Bituminex Cochin Private Limited of Rs. 100/- each, fully paid up		
1108980 (as at 31st March, 2022 - 1108980) Equity shares of wholly owned	1,249.82	1,249.82
subsidiary, M/s Agarwal Translink Private Limited of Rs. 10/- each, fully paid up (refer note no. 4)	7)	
1000 (as at 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2022 - 1000) Equity shares of wholly owned	190.13	190.13
subsidiary, M/s AICL Overseas FZ LLC of AED 1000/- each, fully paid up		
Investment in Government Securities - measured at Cost		
National Saving Certificate (lying with government authority)	0.05	0.05
TOTAL	1,672.50	1,672.50

Aggregate amount of quoted investments and market value thereof	-	-
Aggregate amount of unquoted investments	1,672.50	1,672.50

#### 4 Loans

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Loans Receivables considered good - Secured	-	-
Loans Receivables considered good - Unsecured		
- To Wholly Owned Subsidiary - AICL Overseas FZ LLC	5,652.06	5,950.69
Loans Receivables which have significant increase in Credit Risk	-	-
Loans Receivables - credit impaired	-	-
TOTAL	5,652.06	5,950.69

#### **Other Financial Assets - Non-current** 5

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Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Security Deposits - Unsecured, Considered good	86.55	82.90
Bank deposits with more than 12 months maturity	281.76	517.61
TOTAL	368.32	600.51

## **6 Other Non-Current Assets**

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Unsecured, Considered good		
Capital advances	50.13	55.36
Advances other than capital advances		
Security Deposit	19.60	10.48
TOTAL	69.74	65.84

## 7 Inventories

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
(Valued at lower of Cost or Net Realizable Value)		
Finished Goods	1,198.73	1,274.51
Semi Finished Goods	90.68	140.04
Raw Material	912.51	631.27
Stock-in-trade (acquired for trading) (Including stock in transit Rs.7250.98 lakhs (as at 31 March 2022 Rs. Nil)	8,525.32	4,105.69
Stores, Spares & Packing Material	30.01	26.33
(The Company has availed working capital facilities which are secured by hypothecation of inventories)		
TOTAL	10,757.25	6,177.83

## 8 Investments - Current

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Investment in Quoted Mutual Funds measured at FVTPL		
31532.425 (31532.43) units of Tata Flexi Cap Fund Regular Plan Growth	4.71	4.90
Nil (299890.306) units of ICICI Prudential equity Saving Fund cumulative	-	51.58
1650.691 (838.782) units of DSP Equity Opportunities Fund	5.81	2.86
Nil (1247.448) units of DSP Equity & Bond Fund Opportunities Fund	-	2.85
1607.676 (1607.676) units of ICICI Prudential Liquid fund	5.32	5.04
431725.782 (431725.782) units of Nippon India Equity Saving Fund-Segregated Portfolio	1.25	1.25
13911.38 (13911.38) units of Kotak Balance Advantage fund	2.08	2.00
190.849 (Nil) units of Kotak money market Fund Regular Plan Growth	7.26	-
49997.50 (Nil) units of Mirare Asset Mutual Fund	5.02	-
99995.00 (Nil) units of ICICI Prudential Long Short Fund Series II Classs B 13	103.14	-
295425.405 (Nil) units of ICICI Prudential Regular Gold SF-DP Growth	58.31	-
760048.344 (Nil) units of ICICI Prudential Silver ETF FOF DP Growth	87.22	-
47671.974 (93305.465) units of ICICI Prudential Ultra Short Term Fund - Growth	11.26	20.92
Nil (3727473.630) units of ICICI Prudential Ultra Short Term Fund-Monthy Dividend	-	891.27
65918.415 (7538.088) units of Nippon India Ultra Short Duration Fund - Growth Option Growth plan	2,275.04	266.03
TOTAL	2,566.41	1,248.70
Note:		
Aggregate amount of quoted investments and market value thereof	2,566.41	1,248.70
Aggregate amount of unquoted investments	-	-

## 9 Trade Receivables

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Trade Receivables - Unsecured *		
a) Undisputed, considered good	15,081.09	11,345.59
b) Undisputed, which have significant increase in credit risk	1,610.93	2,043.30
c) Undisputed, credit impaired	-	-
d) Disputed, considered good	-	-
e) Disputed, which have significant increase in credit risk	-	-
f) Disputed, credit impaired	-	-
	16,692.01	13,388.88
Less : Expected Credit Loss Allowance	(204.88)	(105.59)
TOTAL	16,487.13	13,283.29

<sup>\*</sup>For Trade Receivables dues from related parties refer note 45 and, For Trade Receivables Ageing Schedule refer note 49.

# **10** Cash and Cash Equivalents

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Cash on Hand	32.99	43.40
Balance with Banks		
- Current Accounts	580.94	387.05
- Cash Credit & Overdraft Accounts (refer note no.19 for detail of security, terms of facility and rate of interest)	1,344.70	3,279.89
- Fixed Deposit Accounts maturing within 3 months (refer note no. 19 for FDR hypothicated with bank)	454.91	483.90
Cheques, Drafts on Hand	5.72	5.42
TOTAL	2,419.26	4,199.64

## 11 Bank Balances other than Cash and Cash Equivalents

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Balance with banks		
- Unpaid Dividend Accounts	5.96	8.92
- Fixed Deposit Accounts maturing between 3 to 12 months (refer note no. 19 for FDR hypothicated with bank)	374.60	354.09
TOTAL	380.56	363.01

#### 12 Loans

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Loans Receivables considered good - Secured	-	-
Loans Receivables considered good - Unsecured		
- Advances to Staff	20.15	18.05
Loans Receivables which have significant increase in Credit Risk	-	-
Loans Receivables - credit impaired	-	-
TOTAL	20.15	18.05

## **13 Other Financial Assets - Current**

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Security Deposit - Unsecured, Considered good	20.00	-
Accrued Interest on Fixed Deposit	81.43	20.59
TOTAL	101.43	20.59

## **14 Current Tax Assets (net)**

		₹ In Lakns
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Advance Income Tax and Tax Deducted at Source (net of Provision)	142.47	142.47
TOTAL	142.47	142.47

#### **15 Other Current Assets**

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Unsecured, Considered good		
Other Advances		
- Advances recoverable in cash or in kind or for value to be received	548.52	814.08
[Includes Rs. 35.38 lakhs (as at 31st March 2022 Rs. Nil) due from a firm in which directors are partners]		
- Advance to Supplier [Includes Rs. 475 lakhs (as at 31st March 2022 Rs.325 lakhs) due from a company in which director is director]	490.11	522.99
- Prepaid Expenses	79.88	43.22
Balance with Government Authorities		
- Deposit with Sales Tax Authority - Under Protest	28.23	28.23
- Income Tax Paid - Under Protest	109.00	109.00
- GST Paid - Under Protest	2.47	2.47
- Input Tax Credit under GST Receivable	485.79	337.57
- Custom Duty Refund Receivable	0.53	0.53
TOTAL	1,744.52	1,858.08

# **16 (A) Equity Share Capital**

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Authorised:		
1,70,00,000 (as at 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2022 : 1,70,00,000) Equity Shares of Rs. 10 each	1,700.00	1,700.00
TOTAL	1,700.00	1,700.00
Issued, Subscribed and Paid up capital:		
1,49,57,789 (as at 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2022 : 1,32,08,789) Equity Shares of Rs.10 each with voting rights, fully paid up	1,495.78	1,320.88
TOTAL	1,495.78	1,320.88

#### (i) Reconciliation of number of shares outstanding at the beginning and at the end of the year:

₹ in Lakhs

Full and an Emile Channel	As at 31st March 2023		As at 31st March 2022	
Fully paid up Equity Shares	No. of Shares	Amount	No. of Shares	Amount
At the beginning of the year	13,208,789	1,320.88	10,258,747	1,025.87
Changes in equity share capital due to prior period error	-	-	-	-
Restated balance at the beginning of the current year	13,208,789	1,320.88	10,258,747	1,025.87
Add : Equity shares issued during the year				
- on conversion of share warrants	1,749,000	174.90	1,762,000	176.20
- on acquisition of subsidiary (Refer Note no. 47)	-	-	1,188,042	118.80
Number of shares at the end of the year	14,957,789	1,495.78	13,208,789	1,320.88

#### **Conversion of Warrants -**

On 9th June, 2022, the Company allotted 12,49,000 Equity Shares of face value of Rs.10 each fully paid up issued at a premium of Rs. 95.20 per equity share to the Promoters group upon exercise of option of conversion of 12,49,000 warrants. The Issue Price of the warrant was Rs. 105.20 per warrant of which 25% was paid on subscription on 9th April, 2021 and the balance 75% i.e. Rs. 78.90 per warrant being the warrant Exercise Price was paid by those Promoter allottees. The entire proceeds have been utilised for the objects of the Preferential Issue. Pursuant to allotment of the Equity Shares in the Preferential Issue, the paid-up share capital of the Company stood increased on 9th June, 2022 from Rs. 13,20,87,890 to Rs. 14,45,77,890 comprising of 1,44,57,789 equity shares of face value of Rs. 10 each and securities premium reserve by Rs. 11,89,04,800.

On 6th October, 2022, the Company allotted 5,00,000 Equity Shares of face value of Rs.10 each fully paid up issued at a premium of Rs. 95.20 per equity share to non-promoters upon exercise of option of conversion of 5,00,000 warrants. The Issue Price of the warrant was Rs. 105.20 per warrant of which 25% was paid on subscription on 9th April, 2021 and the balance 75% i.e. Rs. 78.90 per warrant being the warrant Exercise Price was paid by those non-promoter allottees. The entire proceeds have been utilised for the objects of the Preferential Issue. Pursuant to allotment of the Equity Shares in the Preferential Issue, the paid-up share capital of the Company stood increased on 6th October, 2022 from Rs. 14,45,77,890 to Rs. 14,95,77,890 comprising of 1,49,57,789 equity shares of face value of Rs. 10 each and securities premium reserve by Rs. 4,76,00,000.

#### (ii) Terms/rights attached to Equity Shares

The Company has only one class shares referred to as equity shares having a par value of Rs 10 per share which rank pari-passu in all respects including voting rights and entitlement to dividend. Each holder of Equity Shares is entitled to one vote per share. In the event of liquidation of the company, the holders of equity shares will be entitled to receive remaining assets of the Company, after distribution of all preferential amounts. The distribution will be in proportion to the number of equity shares held by the shareholders.

The Board of Directors of Company, at its meeting held on 23rd May, 2023 have recommended payment of dividend of Rs. 2.50 (Rupees two and fifty paise only) per equity share of the face value of Rs. 10 each for the financial year ended 31st March, 2023. If approved, the total dividend for the financial year 2022-23 will be Rs. 2.50 (Rupees two and fifty paise only) per equity share of the face value of Rs. 10 each.

Pursuant to the dividend for the financial year 2021-22 approved by the shareholders at the 28th Annual General Meeting held on 30th September, 2022, the Company paid the equity dividend of 20% (Rs. 2.00 per equity share of nominal face value of Rs. 10/- each fully paid up) aggregating to Rs. 2,89,15,578/- (gross) subject to deduction of tax at source as per the applicable rate(s) to the eligible shareholders. The payment was made on 4th October, 2022.

# (iii) Detail of shares held by the holding company, the ultimate holding company, their subsidiaries and associates are Nil (as at 31st March 2022: Nil)

#### (iv) Details of shareholders holding more than 5% shares in the company:\*

Name of Share Holder	As at 3 March 2		As at 31st March 2022	
	No. of Shares	% of Holding	No. of Shares	% of Holding
Jaiprakash Agarwal	875,453	5.85%	875,453	6.63%
Mahendra Agarwal	827,762	5.53%	509,762	3.86%
Nexpact Limited	948,450	6.34%	500,000	3.79%

<sup>\*</sup> As per the records of the Company, including its register of members.

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#### (v) Shares held by promoters as defined in the Companies Act, 2013 at the end of the year:

Promoter name	As at 3 March 2		As at 31st March 2022		% change during the year
	No. of Shares	% of Holding	No. of Shares	% of Holding	the year
Jaiprakash Agarwal	875,453	5.85%	875,453	6.63%	-0.77%
Ramchandra Agarwal	561,668	3.76%	561,668	4.25%	-0.50%
Usha Agarwal	533,509	3.57%	533,509	4.04%	-0.47%
Kishan Agarwal	736,311	4.92%	527,311	3.99%	0.93%
Mahendra Agarwal	827,762	5.53%	509,762	3.86%	1.67%
Lalit Kumar Agarwal	527,283	3.53%	446,283	3.38%	0.15%
Jugal Kishore Agarwal	574,495	3.84%	432,495	3.27%	0.57%
Rekha Agarwal	400,929	2.68%	400,929	3.04%	-0.35%
Padma Agarwal	392,842	2.63%	392,842	2.97%	-0.35%
Nilesh Agarwal	334,425	2.24%	360,425	2.73%	-0.49%
Uma Agarwal	345,208	2.31%	345,208	2.61%	-0.31%
Sushila Agarwal	327,968	2.19%	327,968	2.48%	-0.29%
Shailesh Agarwal	391,220	2.62%	296,220	2.24%	0.37%
Vipin Agarwal	284,635	1.90%	284,635	2.15%	-0.25%
Sudha Agarwal	246,380	1.65%	246,380	1.87%	-0.22%
Jaiprakash Agarwal HUF	184,297	1.23%	184,297	1.40%	-0.16%
Ramchandra Agarwal HUF	142,998	0.96%	142,998	1.08%	-0.13%
Mangilal Agarwal HUF	131,768	0.88%	131,768	1.00%	-0.12%
Lalit Agarwal HUF	125,225	0.84%	125,225	0.95%	-0.11%
Kishan Agarwal HUF	107,817	0.72%	107,817	0.82%	-0.10%
Mukul Agarwal	91,114	0.61%	91,114	0.69%	-0.08%
Virel Agarwal	79,942	0.53%	79,942	0.61%	-0.07%
Pooja Agarwal	73,005	0.49%	73,005	0.55%	-0.06%
Mahendra Agarwal HUF	64,852	0.43%	64,852	0.49%	-0.06%
Yash Agarwal	61,828	0.41%	61,828	0.47%	-0.05%
Jugal Kishore Agarwal HUF	55,424	0.37%	55,424	0.42%	-0.05%
Lakshya Agarwal	48,114	0.32%	48,114	0.36%	-0.04%
Nilesh Agarwal HUF	14,998	0.10%	14,998	0.11%	-0.01%
Namrata Agarwal	6,964	0.05%	6,964	0.05%	-0.01%
Sanchi Agarwal	4,500	0.03%	4,500	0.03%	0.00%
Aayushi Agarwal	2,500	0.02%	2,500	0.02%	0.00%
	8,555,434	57.20%	7,736,434	58.57%	

<sup>(</sup>vi) The aggregate number of equity shares issued, without payment being received in cash in immediately preceding five years ended on 31st March, 2023 is 11,88,042 (period of five years ended on 31st March, 2022 is 11,88,042).

## 16 (B) Other Equity

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
(a) Security Premium	9,600.07	7,935.02
(b) Retained Earning	18,246.24	13,600.76
(c) Other comprehensive income	1.67	4.56
(d) Share Forfeiture	82.12	82.12
(e) Share Warrants	-	459.99
(f) Capital Reserve	345.00	345.00
	28,275.10	22,427.44

<sup>(</sup>vii) The Company has forfeited 14,20,100 equity shares of Rs. 10 each due to non payments of calls in the year 2012-13. Amounts paid up Rs 82,12,000 on such equity shares have been transfered to Share Forfeture on Re-issue of such shares in the year 2012-13 and is shown under other equity.

#### Nature and purpose of reserves

#### (a) Securities Premium:

The amount received in excess of face value of the equity shares is recognised in Securities premium. The reserve can be utilised only for limited purposes such as issuance of bonus shares in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013.

#### (b) Retained earnings

Retained earnings or accumulated surplus represents total of all profits retained since Company's inception. Retained earnings are credited with current year profits, reduced by losses, if any, dividend payouts, transfers to General reserve or any such other appropriations to specific reserves.

#### (c) Other comprehensive income

Other comprehensive income consist of FVOCI financial assets and financial liabilities and remeasurement of defined benefit assets and liability.

#### (d) Share Forfeiture

The reserve represents the part amounts paid on shares which have been for feited on account of calls remained unpaid.

#### (e) Share Warrants

Application money received for preferential allotments of warrants, convertible into equity shares at a price of Rs. 105.20 (including share premium of Rs. 95.20)

#### (f) Capital Reserve

The Capital Reserve is the amount received against share warrants convertible into equity shares which have lapsed due to non-compliance and hence, forfeited. The amount paid on such forfeited warrants have been transferred to Capital Reserve.

#### 17 Borrowings - Non- Current

₹ in Lakhs

	Non-Current Portion		Current Portion	
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Secured (carried at amortised cost):				
Term Loans - From Banks				
(i) Vehicle Loans (see note i)	131.76	144.52	188.87	188.19
(ii) Working Capital Term Loans (see note ii)	961.28	1,332.75	419.48	444.25
	1,093.04	1,477.27	608.35	632.44
Less: Unamortised borrowing cost	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	1,093.04	1,477.27	608.35	632.44

#### Note:

i. Vehicle loans availed from banks is secured against Hypothecation of specific vehicle financed and is repayable in equated monthly installment over the tenure of the loans. These loans carry interest rate of 7.30% to 7.60% p.a.

₹ in Lakhs

Nature of borrowings	ROI	Sanction Limit	Outstanding as at 31st March 2023	Last Date of EMI	Security Detail
Vehicle Loan					
Kotak Mahindra Bank	7.30%	206.65	60.22	January 2024	Secured against
Kotak Mahindra Bank	7.30%	289.31	84.31	January 2024	the specific
HDFC Bank Ltd	7.60%	190.14	176.10	October 2026	vehicle financed

ii. Working Capital Term Loan (WCTL) availed from banks by way of Guaranteed Emergency Credit Line (GECL) under ECLGS Scheme of National Credit Guarantee Trustee Company Limited (NCGTC) is secured against Hypothecation of existing Current Assets, Movable & Immovable fixed assets of the Company. The WCTL, after a moratorium period of 12 months, is repayable in 48 equated monthly installments, commencing from the next month after completion of moratorium i.e. starting with April 2022 and ending in March 2026. The WCTL carried interest @ of 7.45% to 10% p.a. See also note 19 for further details.

#### **18 Provisions - Non Current**

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Provision for Employee Benefits expense		
Provision for Gratuity (refer note 36)	55.45	41.87
TOTAL	55.45	41.87

## 19 Borrowings - Current

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Secured (carried at amortised cost):		
Loans repayable on demand - From Banks		
Working Capital Finance (see note i & iii)	3,800.00	9,800.00
Overdraft from Banks (see note i & iv)	472.61	464.69
Current maturity of Long Term Borrowings (Refer Note No 17)	608.35	632.44
TOTAL	4,880.96	10,897.13

#### Note:

i. Detail of working capital loan, Terms of repayment, detail of security and rate of interest for cash credit facility, working capital term loan (WCTL), working capital demand loan (WCDL) and Overdraft from bank are as under:

Nature of borrowings	ROI	Sanction Limit	Outstanding as at 31st March 2023	Last Date of EMI	Security Detail
Working Capital Term Ioan (refer note 17)					
HDFC Bank Ltd	7.50% to 8.90%	475.00	356.25	March 2026	See note ii
Kotak Mahindra Bank	7.45% to 9.95%	517.00	406.97	March 2026	See note ii
Kotak Mahindra Bank	7.45% to 9.95%	483.00	379.97	March 2026	See note ii
Kotak Mahindra Bank	7.50% to 10.00%	302.00	237.58	March 2026	See note ii
Working Capital Facility (Including working capital Demand Loan)					
Kotak Mahindra Bank	7.00% to 8.50 %	2.050.00	-	WCDL not Utilised	See note iii
	8.45% - 9.85%	2,950.00	(480.39)	Credit balance in Cash Credit Account	See note iii
IDFC First Bank	7.50% to 7.80%	2,500.00	-	WCDL not Utilised	See note iii
	8.60% - 9.25%		(189.32)	Credit balance in Cash Credit Account	See note iii
HDFC Bank Ltd	7.20% to 8.80%		3,800.00	WCDL Utilised	See note iii
	8.00% - 9.65%	4,000.00	(239.68)	Credit balance in Cash Credit Account	See note iii
CITI Bank	7.50% to 8.50%	1 700 00	-	WCDL not Utilised	See note iii
	8.50% - 10.25%	1,700.00	(435.02)	Credit balance in Cash Credit Account	See note iii
Overdraft from banks against Fixed Deposit					
HDFC Bank Ltd	1% OFDR	228.00	199.58	Demand Loan	See note iv
Union Bank of India	1% OFDR	292.00	273.03	Demand Loan	See note iv
Union Bank of India	7.70%	2.00	(0.29)	Demand Loan- Credit balance	See note iv

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- iii. Working Capital Finance availed from banks are repayable on demand and renewed every year. These loans are secured against Hypothecation of Stock, Book Debts, Current Assets, Movable & Immovable fixed assets of Company, Immovable property of its directors, Personal guarantee of some of the Directors and Factory Plot of land of Subsidiary, M/s Bituminex Cochin Private Limited.
- iv. Overdraft facility availed from banks are repayable on demand. Same is secured against the fixed deposits of Rs. 567.27 Lakhs held with respective banks.
- v. Reconciliation of quarterly returns submitted to the working capital lender being Kotak Mahindra Bank, HDFC Bank, IDFC Bank and Citi Bank from which working capital facility and working capital term loan have been availed based on security of current assets:

As at 31st March 2023 ₹ in Lakhs

Quarter	Assets	Amount as per Books	Amount as per quarterly statement	Difference	Reason for material discrepancies
June 2022	Inventory	3,662.46	4,336.63	(674.17)	See Note : 1
	Trade receivable	16,780.86	17,705.46	(924.60)	See Note : 4
	Trade payable	2,710.57	2,609.44	101.13	See Note : 2
September 2022	Inventory	3,888.04	4,362.44	(474.40)	See Note : 1
	Trade receivable	13,484.47	12,759.60	724.87	See Note : 7
	Trade payable	360.16	101.23	258.93	See Note : 3
December 2022	Inventory	6,529.93	7,039.93	(510.00)	See Note : 1
	Trade receivable	21,057.32	20,794.82	262.50	See Note : 7
	Trade payable	6,481.22	4,674.71	1,806.51	See Note : 8
March 2023	Inventory	10,757.25	9,391.37	1,365.88	See Note : 5
	Trade receivable	16,487.13	16,162.62	324.51	See Note : 7
	Trade payable	10,766.35	8,988.36	1,777.99	See Note : 5

#### As at 31st March 2022

₹ in Lakhs

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Note: 1 On account of inclusion of advance to suppliers in quarterly statements, valuation of inventory including custom and other duties / taxes paid thereon and non-adjustments of exchange rate differences.

Note: 2 No material discrepancies.

Note: 3 Amount reported in quarterly statements pertains to trade payable in respect of goods and other trade payable were not included therein.

Note: 4 On account of inclusion of taxes and advances receivable in quarterly statement, effect of expected credit loss provision, writing off of bad debts and regrouping of advance received.

Note : 5 On account of non-inclusion of stock in transit and corrosponding trade payable in quarterly statement and valuation of inventory

Note: 6 On account of non-inclusion of stock in transit in books due to cut-off procedures at year end, valuation of inventory and inclusion of advance to suppliers in quarterly statements.

Note: 7 On account of regrouping of advance received and effect of expected credit loss provision.

Note: 8 On account of non-inclusion of trade payables in respect of goods which were in transit.

#### 20 Trade Payables

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Trade Payables:		
Payable for Goods & Services		
Total outstanding dues to micro and small enterprises (refer note below)*	16.76	1.32
Total Outstanding dues of creditors other than Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises	10,749.59	2,584.10
TOTAL	10,766.35	2,585.42

<sup>\*</sup>Disclosure under the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006 ("MSMED Act, 2006") as at 31st March 2023 and 31st March 2022 :

	Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
i)	The principal amount and the interest due thereon remaining unpaid to any supplier as at the end of each accounting year;	16.76	1.32
ii)	The amount of interest paid by the buyer in terms of section 16, along with the amounts of the payment made to the supplier beyond the appointed day during each accounting year;		-
iii)	The amount of interest due and payable for the period of delay in making payment (which have been paid but beyond the appointed day during the year) but without adding the interest specified under this Act;	-	-
iv	The amount of interest accrued and remaining unpaid at the end of each accounting year; and	-	-
v)	The amount of further interest remaining due and payable even in the succeeding years, until such date when the interest dues as above are actually paid to the small enterprise, for the purpose of disallowance as a deductible expenditure under section 23.	-	-

The above information regarding Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises has been determined to the extent such parties have been identified on the basis of information available with the Company.

#### **Trade Payables Ageing Schedule**

₹ in Lakhs

	Outstanding for following periods from due date of payment				As at
Particulars	Less than 1 year	1 year to 2 years	2 years to 3 years	More than 3 years	31st March 2023
Trade Payables					
a) MSME	7.14	5.88	-	3.74	16.76
b) Other than MSME	10,732.72	8.21	1.45	7.20	10,749.59
c) Disputed dues - MSME	-	-	-	-	-
d) Disputed dues - Other than MSME	-	-	-	-	-
Total	10,739.86	14.09	1.45	10.94	10,766.35

	Outstanding for following periods from due date of payment			As at	
Particulars	Less than 1 year	1 year to 2 years	2 years to 3 years	More than 3 years	31st March 2022
Trade Payables					
a) MSME	0.32	1.00	-	-	1.32
b) Other than MSME	2,562.31	6.47	5.59	9.73	2,584.10
c) Disputed dues - MSME	-	-	-	-	-
d) Disputed dues - Other than MSME	-	-	-	-	-
Total	2,562.63	7.47	5.59	9.73	2,585.42

#### **21 Other Financial Liabilities**

₹	in	Lakhs
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Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Payable towards expenses	124.02	64.10
Payable towards capital expenditure	112.25	28.90
Unclaimed Dividend	5.96	8.91
Interest Accrued	8.27	8.36
Other Liability	-	2.51
TOTAL	250.51	112.77

## **22 Other Current Liabilities**

₹	in	Lakhs	

Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Statutory dues	81.56	97.41
Advances from customer	158.23	1,038.01
Revenue received in advance	18.06	18.06
	257.85	1,153.48

#### 23 Provisions - Current

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Provision for Employee benefits expense		
Provision for Gratuity (refer note 36)	7.51	5.97
TOTAL	7.51	5.97

## 24 Current Tax Liabilities (net)

₹ in Lakhs

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Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Provision for income tax (net of taxes paid)	327.81	356.62
TOTAL	327.81	356.62

# **25 Revenue from Operations**

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Sale of goods	170,208.03	134,797.37
Sale of Services		
Vehicle Freight Income	5,818.97	5,603.20
Labour Charges	19.02	18.57
Other operating revenue		
Sale of Power - Wind mill	99.12	110.92
TOTAL	176,145.13	140,530.06

Revenue disaggregation as per nature of products and services has been included in segment information (refer note 44).

#### **26 Other Income**

Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the yearended 31st March 2022
Foreign exchange fluctuation gain	524.68	193.58
Interest on fixed deposits with banks	55.94	52.35

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Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the yearended 31st March 2022
Interest on loan to subsidiary	570.29	545.99
Interest - other	35.18	12.79
Rent from investment property	43.34	43.34
Income from current investments	79.98	32.10
Guarantee commission from subsidiary	97.16	50.00
Net Gain arising on financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss	31.05	24.53
Net gain on disposal of Property, Plant & Equipment	69.21	-
Miscellaneous income	33.71	1.44
TOTAL	1,540.54	956.11

## **27 Cost of Materials Consumed**

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Opening Stock	631.27	314.69
Add:- Purchases during the year	28,613.93	34,862.98
	29,245.20	35,177.67
Less: - Closing Stock	912.51	631.27
TOTAL	28,332.69	34,546.40

## 28 Changes in inventories of Finished goods, Stock-in-Trade and work-in-progress

in Lakhs

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Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Stock at the beginning of the year		
Finished goods	1,274.51	57.93
Stock-in-trade (acquired for trading)	4,105.69	4,041.87
Work-in-progress	140.04	91.19
Stock at the end of the year		
Finished goods	1,198.73	1,274.51
Stock-in-trade (acquired for trading)	8,525.32	4,105.69
Work-in-progress	90.68	140.04
TOTAL	(4,294.50)	(1,329.24)

# 29 Manufacturing, Operating and Other Direct Expenses

		₹ In Lakns
Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Transportation charges	1,505.75	1,359.33
Labour charges	53.16	45.49
Repairs and maintenance - machinery	68.86	88.97
Electricity, power and fuel	71.13	65.03
Storage terminal rent	20.24	25.50
Heating and fuel charges	143.67	192.46
Other direct expenses	72.55	40.20
Vehicle running and maintenance expenses	4,716.48	4,471.98
Freight paid	88.26	144.64
Wind mill expenses	40.60	39.28
TOTAL	6,780.68	6,472.89

## **30 Employee Benefits Expense**

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Salaries and wages	445.13	360.93
Directors remuneration	225.00	168.00
Contribution towards employees welfare fund	0.95	0.51
Gratuity (refer note no. 36)	11.25	9.45
Staff welfare	41.68	38.94
TOTAL	724.01	577.84

## **31 Other Expenses**

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
(A) Administrative Expenses		
Rent, rates and taxes	22.88	41.75
Payment to auditors		
- Statutory audit fees	2.50	2.50
- Tax audit fees	1.00	1.00
- Certification work	0.75	0.75
- Other services	0.14	0.14
Insurance	15.39	19.47
Share transfer charges	2.31	5.68
Legal and professional charges	110.87	90.99
Bank charges and commission	11.75	12.24
Electricity expenses	10.74	9.63
Listing fees and custodian charges	7.11	5.40
Postage and telephone	6.89	6.46
Security charges	19.01	19.63
Printing and stationery	7.79	6.30
Vehicle expenses	16.50	11.35
Travelling and conveyance	132.34	89.26
Bad debts (recovered) / written off	(20.23)	1,258.25
Expected credit loss allowance / (reversal)	99.29	(16.43)
Repairs to building	0.82	3.48
Repairs - other	35.47	23.82
Expenditure on corporate social responsibility (Refer note 40)	68.00	46.61
Miscellaneous expenses	59.68	35.54
	610.99	1,673.82
(B) Selling and Distribution Expenses		
Advertisement and business promotion expenses	80.33	46.04
Commission paid	230.28	445.12
	310.61	491.15
TOTAL	921.60	2,164.98

#### **32 Finance Costs**

Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Interest on bank borrowings	751.44	845.95
Interest - others	1.59	4.64
Interest on lease liability	207.18	177.08
Exchange loss on working capital loan	-	58.24
Bank guarantee commission	38.49	38.22
Guarantee commission to subsidiary	1.15	1.15
Other borrowing cost	5.99	28.75
TOTAL	1,005.84	1,154.04

## **33 Depreciation and Amortisation Expenses**

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Depreciation on property plant and equipment	683.61	765.55
Amortisation of right of use	593.65	584.61
TOTAL	1,277.26	1,350.15

#### 34 Income Tax

#### (a) Tax expense recognised in the Statement of profit and loss:

₹ in Lakhs

	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Current tax		
Current year	1,750.00	1,381.00
Short Provision for Tax for earlier years	28.44	-
Total current tax	1,778.44	1,381.00
Deferred tax		
Relating to origination and reversal of temporary difference	(76.17)	(24.55)
Total deferred income tax expense/(credit)	(76.17)	(24.55)
Total income tax expense	1,702.27	1,356.45

A reconciliation between the statutory income tax rate applicable to the Company and the effective income tax rate of the Company is as follows:

#### (b) Reconciliation of effective tax rate

₹ in Lakhs

	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Profit /(loss) before taxation	6,636.91	5,212.97
Enacted income tax rate in India	25.17%	25.17%
Tax at the enacted income tax rate	1,670.38	1,312.00
Reconciliation line items:		
Effect of non-deductible expenses	19.32	13.76
Due to non-taxable income for Indian tax purposes	-	-
Tax pertaining to Earlier Years	28.44	-
Others (Including the effect of change in the tax rate)	(15.87)	30.69
Tax expense	1,702.27	1,356.45

# (c) The movement in deferred tax assets and liabilities during the year ended 31st March, 2023 and 31st March, 2022:

#### For the year ended 31st March 2023

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	As at 01 April, 2022	Charge / (Credit) in Statement of profit and loss	As at 31st March 2023
Deferred tax liability / (assets) (net)			
On Account of Depreciation	384.70	(16.89)	367.80
Due to disallowances under Income Tax	(38.62)	(28.79)	(67.41)
On account of Fair valuation of Financial assets and liabilities	7.43	7.82	15.25
n Right of Use 6.66	(39.27)	(32.61)	
	-	-	-
	360.17	(77.14)	283.03

#### For the year ended 31st March 2022

₹ in Lakhs

	As at 01 April, 2021	Charge / (Credit) in Statement of profit and loss	As at 31st March 2022
Deferred tax liability / (assets) (net)			
On Account of Depreciation	428.23	(43.54)	384.70
Due to disallowances under Income Tax	(40.91)	2.29	(38.62)
On account of Fair valuation of Financial assets and liabilities	5.74	1.69	7.43
On Right of Use	(8.79)	15.44	6.66
	384.28	(24.11)	360.17

#### 35 Leases

Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") through Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Amendment Rules, 2019 and Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Second Amendment Rules, has notified Ind AS 116 Leases which replaces the existing lease standard, Ind AS 17 Leases and other interpretations. Ind AS 116 sets out the principles for the recognition, measurement, presentation and disclosure of leases for both lessees and lessors. It introduces a single, on-balance sheet lease accounting model for lessees.

The Company has adopted Ind AS 116 "Leases" using modified retrospective approach. The Company's lease asset classes primarily consist of leases for Land, buildings and Plant & Machinery. These leases were classified as "Operating Leases" under Ind AS 17. On transition to Ind AS 116 "Leases", for these leases, lease liabilities were measured at the present value of remaining lease payments, discounted at the Company's incremental borrowing rate as at 1st April, 2019. Right to Use if measured either at an amount equal to the lease liability adjusted by the amount of any prepaid or accrued lease payments.

Due to transition, the nature of expenses in respect of operating leases has changed from "lease rent" to "depreciation cost" and "finance cost" for the right-of-use assets and for interest accrued on lease liability respectively."

The Company has used following practical expedient, when applying Ind AS 116 to leases previously classified as operating leases under Ind AS 17.

- (1) The Company didn't recognized Right to Use and Lease liabilities for lease for which the lease terms ends within 12 months on the date of initial transition and low value assets.
- (2) The Company excluded initial direct cost from measurement of the Right to Use assets at the date of initial application.
- (3) The Company uses hindsight in determining the lease term where the contract contains options to extend or terminate the lease.

The weighted average lessee's incremental borrowing rate applied to the lease liabilities is 9%.

The difference between the lease obligation under Ind AS 17 and the value of the lease liability is primarily on account of inclusion of extension and termination options reasonably certain to be exercised in measuring the lease liability in accordance with Ind AS 116 and discounting the lease liabilities to the present value under Ind AS 116.

#### Following are the changes in the carrying value of right of use assets for the year ended 31st March, 2023:

Particulars	Land	Building	Plant & Machinery	Total
Balance as at 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2021	196.63	24.57	1,757.47	1,978.67
Additions	8.23	-	997.07	1,005.29
Deletions	-	-	-	-
Depreciation and amortisation expenses	8.80	24.57	551.24	584.61
Balance as at 1st April 2022	196.06	-	2,203.30	2,399.35
Additions	21.60	62.89	31.90	116.39
Deletions	-	-	-	-
Depreciation and amortisation expenses	9.46	20.96	563.22	593.65
Balance as at 31st March 2023	208.19	41.93	1,671.97	1,922.10

#### Following is the movement in lease liabilities during the year ended 31st March, 2023:

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Particulars	Land	Building	Plant & Machinery	Total
Balance as at 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2021	186.96	27.10	1,729.69	1,943.75
Additions	8.23	-	979.24	987.47
Interest accrued during the year	17.57	1.34	158.18	177.08
Deletions	-	-	-	-
Payment of lease liabilities	12.53	28.44	641.54	682.50
Balance as at 1st April 2022	200.22	-	2,225.58	2,425.80
Additions	21.60	62.89	31.90	116.39
Interest accrued during the year	18.82	4.88	183.48	207.18
Deletions	-	-	-	-
Payment of lease liabilities	16.64	24.00	657.05	697.69
Balance as at 31st March 2023	223.99	43.78	1,783.91	2,051.68

#### Break-up of the contractual maturities of lease liabilities on an undiscounted basis:

As at 31st March 2023			₹ in Lakhs	
Particulars	Land	Building	Plant & Machinery	Total
Less than one year	0.01	20.91	553.66	574.57
One to five years	4.42	22.87	1,230.25	1,257.54
More than 5 years	219.57	-	-	219.57

#### As at 31st March 2022 ₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	Land	Building	Plant & Machinery	Total
Less than one year	(7.11)	-	469.66	462.55
One to five years	(15.94)	-	1,755.92	1,739.97
More than 5 years	223.28	-	-	223.28

#### Short-term leases expenses incurred

**Particulars** 

Rental expense

	₹ in Lakhs
For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
24.91	29.72

# **36 DISCLOSURE PURSUANT TO IND AS - 19 "EMPLOYEE BENEFITS"**

Gratuity: In accordance with the applicable laws, the Company provides for gratuity, a defined benefit retirement plan ("The Gratuity Plan") covering eligible employees. The Gratuity Plan provides for a lump sum payment to vested employees on retirement (subject to completion of five years of continuous employment), death, incapacitation or termination of employment that are based on last drawn salary and tenure of employment. Liabilities with regard to the Gratuity Plan are determined by actuarial valuation on the reporting date.

The disclosure in respect of the defined Gratuity Plan are given below:

#### A. Balance Sheet ₹ in Lakhs

	Defined benefit plans	
	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Present value of plan liabilities	62.95	47.84
Fair value of plan assets	-	-
(Asset) / Liability recognised	62.95	47.84

#### B. Movements in plan assets and plan liabilities

₹ in Lakhs

	Present value of obligations	Fair Value of Plan assets
As at 1st April 2022	47.84	-
Current service cost	7.81	-
Past service cost	-	-
Interest Cost/(Income)	3.44	-
Return on plan assets excluding amounts included in net finance income/cost	-	-
Actuarial (gain)/loss arising from changes in financial assumptions	(1.46)	-
Actuarial (gain)/loss arising from experience adjustments	5.32	-
Employer contributions	-	-
Benefit payments	-	-
As at 31st March 2023	62.95	-

	Present value of obligations	Fair Value of Plan assets
As at 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2021	40.13	-
Current service cost	6.73	-
Past service cost	-	-
Interest Cost/(Income)	2.72	-
Return on plan assets excluding amounts included in net finance income/cost	-	-
Actuarial (gain)/loss arising from changes in financial assumptions	(2.57)	-
Actuarial (gain)/loss arising from experience adjustments	0.84	-
Employer contributions	-	-
Benefit payments	-	-
As at 31st March 2022	47.84	-

#### C. Statement of Profit and Loss

₹ in Lakhs

	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Employee Benefits Expense:		
Current service cost	7.81	6.73
Interest cost/(income)	3.44	2.72
Total amount recognised in Statement of Profit & Loss	11.25	9.45
Remeasurement of the net defined benefit liability:		
Return on plan assets excluding amounts included in net finance income/(cost)	-	-
Actuarial gains/(losses) arising from changes in financial assumptions	(1.46)	(2.57)
Experience gains/(losses)	5.32	0.84
Total amount recognised in Other Comprehensive Income	3.86	(1.74)

#### D. Assumptions

With the objective of presenting the plan assets and plan liabilities of the defined benefits plans at their fair value on the balance sheet, assumptions under Ind AS 19 are set by reference to market conditions at the valuation date.

The significant actuarial assumptions were as follows:

	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Financial Assumptions		
Discount rate	7.38%	7.19%
Salary Escalation Rate	5.00%	5.00%

#### E. Sensitivity

The sensitivity of the overall plan liabilities to changes in the weighted key assumptions are:

₹ in Lakhs

	Impact on defined benefit obligation		
	Change in assumption	Increase in assumption	Decrease in assumption
Discount rate	1.00%	56.11	71.28
Salary Escalation Rate	1.00%	70.97	56.21

The sensitivity analysis above have been determined based on reasonably possible changes of the respective assumptions occurring at the end of the reporting period and may not be representative of the actual change. It is based on a change in the key assumption while holding all other assumptions constant. When calculating the sensitivity to the assumption, the same method used to calculate the liability recognised in the balance sheet has been applied. The methods and types of assumptions used in preparing the sensitivity analysis did not change compared with the previous period.

#### F. The defined benefit obligations shall mature after year end 31st March, 2023 as follows:

		₹ in Lakhs
Expected payments for future years	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Within the next 12 months	7.51	5.97
Between 1 and 2 years	1.99	0.78
Between 2 and 3 years	11.86	1.31
Between 3 and 4 years	1.58	10.48
Between 4 and 5 years	1.04	1.26
Thereafter	38.98	28.04

#### 37 Contingent liabilities

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
a) Stand-by Letter of Credit (SBLC) issued by banker in favor of overseas subsidiary	8,492.70	2,500.00
	8,492.70	2,500.00
b) Claims against the Company not acknowledged as debts		
liabilities that may arise in respect of disputed matters in relation to :		
- Entry Tax	43.72	43.72
- Goods and Services Tax	2.47	2.47
- Income Tax	533.35	533.35
- Local Body Tax	14.11	14.11
- Special Additional Duty	81.99	81.99
- Municipal Corporation Tax	11.78	11.78
	687.43	687.43

Note: - The Company's pending litigations comprise of claims against the Company and proceedings pending with tax and other authorities. The Company has reviewed all its pending litigations and proceedings and has made adequate provisions, wherever required and disclosed the contingent liabilities, wherever applicable, in its financial statements. The Company reasonably expect that the outcome of these proceedings will not have a material impact on its financial statements.

#### 38 Commitments

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Estimated amount of commitments remaining to be executed		
- Capital (net of advances)	109.64	7.94
	109.64	7.94

#### 39 Earning Per share

₹ in Lakhs	
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Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Profit after tax available for equity shareholders	4,934.64	3,856.52
Weighted average number of equity shares	14,464,142.00	12,462,114.00
Nominal value of equity shares	10.00	10.00
Basic and diluted Earning Per Share	34.12	30.95

#### 40 Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) expenditure

- The CSR activities of the Company shall include, but not limited to any or all of the sectors/activities as may be prescribed by Schedule VII of the Companies Act, 2013 amended from time to time.
- During the year ended 31 March 2023, the Company has incurred an expenditure of Rs. 69.21 lakhs (31 March 2022 : Rs. 87.41 lakhs) towards CSR activities which includes contribution / donations made to the trusts which are engaged in activities prescribed under section 135 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Schedule VII to the said Act.
- Amount required to be spent and amount spent towards CSR activities by the Company -

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Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Amount required to be spent as per section 135 of the Act		
(i) (Excess) spent / Unspent amount as at the beginning of the year	(43.22)	(2.42)
(ii) Amount provisioned during the year based on average of preceding three year profits	68.00	46.61
Total amount required to be spent	24.78	44.19
Amount spent during the year on :		
(i) Construction/acquisition of assets	-	-
(ii) On purpose other than above	69.21	87.41
(Excess) spent / Unspent amount as at the end of the year	(44.43)	(43.22)

#### Nature of CSR activities undertaken by the Company -

- Eradicating hunger, poverty and malnutrition
- Promoting health care including preventive health care and sanitation
- Promoting education, including special education and employment enhancing vocation skills

#### 41 Financial instruments

The fair values of the financial assets and liabilities are included at the amount at which the instrument could be exchanged in a current transaction between willing parties, other than in a forced or liquidation sale.

#### The following methods and assumptions were used to estimate the fair values:

- Fair value of cash and short-term deposits, trade and other short term receivables, trade payables, other current liabilities, short term loans from banks and other financial institutions approximate their carrying amounts largely due to short term maturities of these instruments.
- Financial instruments with fixed and variable interest rates are evaluated by the Company based on parameters such as interest rates and individual credit worthiness of the counterparty. Based on this evaluation, allowances are taken to account for expected losses of these receivables. Accordingly, fair value of such instruments is not materially different from their carrying amounts.

#### The Company uses the following hierarchy for determining and disclosing the fair value of financial instruments by valuation technique:

Level 1: quoted (unadjusted) prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.

Level 2: other techniques for which all inputs which have a significant effect on the recorded fair value are observable, either directly or indirectly.

Level 3: techniques which use inputs that have a significant effect on the recorded fair value that are not based on observable market data.

#### The carrying amounts and fair values of financial instruments by category are as follows:

#### As at March 31, 2023 ₹ in Lakhs

	FVTOCI	FVTPL	Amortised cost	Total fair value	Carrying amount
Financial assets					
Investments	-	2566.41	1672.50	4238.91	4238.91
Trade receivables	-	-	16487.13	16487.13	16487.13
Cash and cash equivalents	-	-	2419.26	2419.26	2419.26
Other bank balances	-	-	380.56	380.56	380.56
Loans	-	-	5672.21	5672.21	5672.21
Other financial assets	-	-	469.74	469.74	469.74
Total	-	2566.41	27101.40	29667.82	29667.82
Financial liabilities					
Borrowings	-	-	5974.00	5974.00	5974.00
Lease Liabilities	-	-	2051.68	2051.68	2051.68
Trade payables	-	-	10766.35	10766.35	10766.35
Other financial liabilities	-	-	250.51	250.51	250.51
Total financial liabilities	-	-	19042.54	19042.54	19042.54

#### As at March 31, 2022

₹ in Lakhs

	FVTOCI	FVTPL	Amortised cost	Total fair value	Carrying amount
Financial assets					
Investments	-	1248.70	1672.50	2921.20	2921.20
Trade receivables	-	-	13283.29	13283.29	13283.29
Cash and cash equivalents	-	-	4199.64	4199.64	4199.64
Other bank balances	-	-	363.01	363.01	363.01
Loans	-	-	5968.74	5968.74	5968.74
Other financial assets	-	-	621.10	621.10	621.10
Total	-	1248.70	26108.29	27356.99	27356.99
Financial liabilities					
Borrowings	-	-	12374.40	12374.40	12374.40
Lease Liabilities			2425.80	2425.80	2425.80
Trade payables	-	-	2585.42	2585.42	2585.42
Other financial liabilities	-	-	112.77	112.77	112.77
Total financial liabilities	-	-	17498.40	17498.40	17498.40

#### Fair value estimation

For financial instruments measured at fair value in the Balance Sheet, a three level fair value hierarchy is used that reflects the significance of inputs used in the measurements. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1 measurements) and lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements).

The categories used are as follows:

- Level 1: quoted prices for identical instruments
- Level 2: directly or indirectly observable market inputs, other than Level 1 inputs; and
- Level 3: inputs which are not based on observable market data.

For assets and liabilities which are carried at fair value, the classification of fair value calculations by category is summarised below:

			₹ in Lakhs
March 31, 2023	Level	Level 2	Level 3
Assets at fair value - Investments	2,566.4	-	-
			₹ in Lakhs
March 31, 2022	Level	Level 2	113
17141-011-31, 2022	Level	LCVCIZ	Level 3

There were no significant changes in classification and no significant movements between the fair value hierarchy classifications of financial assets and financial liabilities during the year.

#### 42 Financial risk factors

The Company's principal financial liabilities comprise loans and borrowings, advances and trade and other payables. The purpose of these financial liabilities is to finance the Company's operations and to provide to support its operations. The Company's principal financial assets include loans, trade and other receivables and cash and cash equivalents that derive directly from its operations.

The Company's activities exposes it to Liquidity Risk, Market Risk and Credit risk. The Board of Directors reviews and agrees policies for managing each of these risks, which are summarised as below.

#### (a) Liquidity risk

The risk that an entity will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities that are settled by delivering cash or another financial asset. Liquidity risk management implies maintenance sufficient cash including availability of funding through an adequate amount of committed credit facilities to meet the obligations as and when due.

The Company manages its liquidity risk by ensuring as far as possible that it will have sufficient liquidity to meet its short term and long term liabilities as and when due. Anticipated future cash flows are expected to be sufficient to meet the liquidity requirements of the Company.

#### (i) Financing arrangements

The Company has access to the following undrawn borrowing facilities as at the end of the reporting period:

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Secured working capital credit facility from Banks	8,742.09	4,685.20

#### (ii) The following is the contractual maturities of the financial liabilities:

₹ in Lakhs Carrying Payable on More than 12 Particulars 1-12 months amount" demand months As at 31st March 2023 Non-derivative liabilities Borrowings 5,974.00 4,880.96 1,093.04 Lease Liabilities 2,051.68 574.57 1,477.11 10,766.35 Trade payables 10,766.35 Other financial liabilities 250.51 250.51 19,042.54 16,472.39 2,570.15

				₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	Carrying amount"	Payable on demand	1-12 months	More than 12 months
As at 31st March 2022				
Non-derivative liabilities				
Borrowings	12,374.40	-	10,897.13	1,477.27
Lease Liabilities	2,425.80	-	462.55	1,963.25
Trade payables	2,585.42	-	2,585.42	-
Other financial liabilities	112.77	-	112.77	-
	17,498.40	-	14,057.87	3,440.53

#### (b) Market risk

Market risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risk comprises three types of risk: interest rate risk, currency risk and other price risk, such as equity price risk and commodity risk. Financial instruments affected by market risk includes investment, deposits, foreign currency receivables and payables. The Company's treasury team manages the Market risk, which evaluates and exercises independent control over the entire process of market risk management.

#### (i) Foreign currency risk

Currency risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates. The Company has foreign currency loan and trade payables and is therefore exposed to foreign exchange risk. The exchange rates have been volatile in the recent years and may continue to be volatile in the future. Hence the operating results and financials of the Company may be impacted due to volatility of the rupee against foreign currencies.

#### Unhedged Foreign currency exposure

₹ in Lakhs

	Trade payables	Loan to Subsidiary	Advances Recoverable & Advances to Suppliers
As at 31st March 2023			
- In AED	463.75	252.71	-
- In USD	-	-	-
- In equivalent INR	10,372.19	5,652.06	-
As at 31st March 2022			
- In AED	96.09	289.46	2.50
- In USD	-	-	-
- In equivalent INR	2,022.69	5,950.69	50.00

#### (ii) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of the financial instruments will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. According to the Company, interest rate risk exposure is only for floating rate borrowings. The Company is not significantly exposed to the interest rate risk, since the borrowings of the Company are on Fixed interest rate basis.

#### (iii) Commodity risk

Commodity price risk arises due to fluctuation in prices of crude oil. Volatility in Crude Oil prices, Currency fluctuation of Rupee vis-à-vis other prominent currencies coupled with demand–supply scenario in the world market affect the effective price and availability. The Company manages this risk by widening its source base, appropriate contracts and commitments and well planned procurement.

#### (c) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the Company if a customer or counter-party fails to meet its contractual obligations. The Company is exposed to credit risks from its operating activities, primarily trade receivables, cash and cash equivalents, deposits with banks and other financial instruments.

Credit risk is managed by the Company through credit approvals, establishing credit limits and continuously monitoring the credit worthiness of customers to which the Company grants credit terms in the normal course of business.

As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
5,672.21	5,968.74
469.74	621.10
	₹ in Lakhs
	31st March 2023 5,672.21

		₹ in Lakhs
Exposure to the Credit risks	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Financial assets for which loss allowance is measured using Life time Expected Credit Losses (ECL)		
- Trade Receivables	16,487.13	13,283.29

#### Trade and other receivables

The Company considers the probability of default upon initial recognition of assets and whether there has been a significant increase in credit risks on an ongoing basis throughout each reporting period.

To assess whether there is a significant change increase in credit risk, the Company compares the risks of default occurring on the assets as at the reporting date with the risk of default as at the date of initial recognition. It considers the reasonable and supportive forward looking information such as:

16692.01

13388.88

- (i) Actual or expected significant adverse changes in business.
- (ii) Actual or expected significant changes in the operating results of the counterparty.
- (iii) Financial or economic conditions that are expected to cause a significant change to the counterparty's ability to meet its obligations.
- (iv) Significant increase in credit risk on other financial instruments of same counter party.

#### Ageing of the accounts receivables ₹ in Lakhs As at As at **Particulars** 31st March 2023 31st March 2022 0-90 days 11,962.89 8,589.55 90-180 days 700.25 739.51 >180 days 4,028.87 4,059.83

#### Movement in provisions of doubtful debts/ Expected Credit Loss ₹ in Lakhs For the year For the year **Particulars** ended March 31, ended March 31, 2023 2022 105.59 Opening provision 122.42 Add: Provision made / (reversed) during the year 99.29 (16.43)Less: Provision utilised during the year (0.40)Closing provision 204.88 105.59

#### 43 (a) Capital management

The Company's objectives when managing capital are to:

- (i) safeguard their ability to continue as a going concern, so that they can continue to provide returns for shareholders and benefits for other stakeholders, and
- (ii) maintain an optimal capital structure to reduce the cost of capital.

In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Company may issue new shares, adjust the amount of dividends paid to shareholders etc. The Company's policy is to maintain a stable and strong capital structure with a focus on total equity so as to maintain investor, creditors and market confidence and to sustain future development and growth of its business. The Company will take appropriate steps in order to maintain, or if necessary adjust, its capital structure.

The Company monitors capital using a gearing ratio being a ratio of net debt as a percentage of total capital.

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Total equity	29,770.88	23,748.32
Net debt (Total borrowings including current maturities less cash & cash equivalents and Other bank balances)	3,174.18	7,811.75
Total capital (Borrowings and Equity)	32,945.06	31,560.07
Gearing ratio	9.63%	24.75%

#### (b) Dividends

The Company follows the policy of Dividend for every financial year as may be decided by Board considering financial performance of the company and other internal and external factors enumerated in the Company's dividend policy.

\* in Lakhs

Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Final Dividend paid		
Final dividend for the year ended 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2022 of Rs. 2.00 (as at 31-March 2021 Rs. 1.80) per fully paid up share	289.16	224.38
Dividends not recognised at the end of reporting period		

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Since year end, the directors have recommended the payment of final dividend of Rs. 2.50 per dully paid up equity share (31st March, 2022 - Rs. 2.00 per fully paid up equity shares)

#### **44 Segment Reporting**

The Company's Board of Directors consisting of Managing Director together with the Chief Financial Officer has been identified as the Chief Operating Decision Maker (CODM) as defined under Ind AS 108 "Operating Segments". The CODM evaluates the Company's performance and allocated the resources based on an analysis of various performance indicators . The Company is principally engaged in the business activities of Ancillary Infra i.e. manufacturing and trading of Bitumen and Allied Products, Logistics of Bitumen and Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LPG) and energy generation through Wind Mills. The Company has accordingly identified these 3 activities as Operating segments in accordance with requirements of Ind AS 108 on 'Operating segments'.

#### Operating segments

- (a) Ancillary Infra Bitumen & Allied products
- (b) Logistics
- (c) Windmill

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Segment Revenue		
a) Ancillary Infra - Bitumen & Allied Products	170,310.43	134,836.90
b) Logistics	5,936.79	5,688.67
c) Windmill	99.12	123.72
d) Other (Unallocable)	1,339.33	836.88
Total	177,685.67	141,486.17
Less Intersegment Revenue	-	-
Net Sales/Income From Operations	177,685.67	141,486.17
Segment Result Profit before tax and interest from Each Segment		
a) Ancillary Infra - Bitumen & Allied Products	5,985.34	5,277.87
b) Logistics	344.80	214.57
c) Windmill	11.77	37.69
Total	6,341.91	5,530.14
Less: i) Finance Costs	1,005.84	1,154.04
ii) Other Un-allocable Expenditure net off	38.49	-
iii) Un-allocable Income	(1,339.33)	(836.88)
Total Profit Before Tax	6,636.91	5,212.97
Segment assets & liabilities		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	
Segment Assets		
a) Ancillary Infra - Ritumen & Allied Products	36 500 81	30 570 67

Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Segment Assets		
a) Ancillary Infra - Bitumen & Allied Products	36,590.81	30,570.67
b) Logistics	2,531.87	3,007.23
c) Windmill	396.96	454.69
d) Other (Unallocable)	10,225.42	9,132.23
Total Assets	49,745.06	43,164.83
Segment Liabilities		
a) Ancillary Infra - Bitumen & Allied Products	18,759.03	18,184.19
b) Logistics	517.34	458.77
c) Windmill	-	-
d) Other (Unallocable)	697.81	773.54
Total Liability	19,974.18	19,416.50

#### 45 Related party disclosure under Ind AS 24

Name and description of related parties

#### (a) Key Managerial Personnel (KMP)

Mr. Jaiprakash Agarwal, Managing Director

Mr. Ramchandra Agarwal, Whole Time Director

Mr. Mahendra Agarwal, Director

Mr. Lalit Agarwal, Whole Time Director

Mr. Vipin Agarwal, Chief Financial Officer

Ms. Dipali Pitale, Company Secretary

#### (b) Wholly Owned Subsidisry

Bituminex Cochin Private Limited (Indian Subsidiary)

AICL Overseas FZ-LLC, UAE (Overseas Subsidiary)

Agarwal Translink Private Limited (Indian Subsidiary)

AICL Finance Private Limited (Indian Subsidiary)

#### (c) Relatives of KMP

Mr. Nilesh Agarwal

Mr. Mukul Agarwal

Mr. Virel Agarwal

Jai Prakash Agarwal HUF

Mr. Jugalkishore Agarwal

Jugalkishore Agarwal HUF

Mr. Kishan Agarwal

Kishan Agarwal HUF

Mr. Lakshya Agarwal

Lalit Agarwal HUF

Mahendra Agarwal HUF

Mangilal Agarwal HUF

Ms. Namrata Agarwal

Nilesh Agarwal HUF

Mr. Yash Agarwal

Mrs. Padma Agarwal

Mrs. Pooja V.Agarwal

Mrs. Pooja N.Agarwal

Ramchandra Agarwal HUF

Mrs. Rekha Agarwal

Mr. Shailesh Agarwal

Mrs. Sudha Agarwal

Mrs. Sushiladevi Agarwal

Mrs. Uma Agarwal

Mrs. Usha Agarwal

#### (d) Concerns in which KMP are interested

**ANZ Transporters** 

**Agarwal Gas Carriers** 

Agarwal Motor Repairs

Bright Bitumen Private Limited

#### (e) Concerns in which Relatives of KMP are interested

Balaji Tyre

Shree Balaji Engineering Work

Murlidhar Ishwardas

#### Transaction with the related parties during the year

Name of Party	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Key Managerial Personnel (KMP)		
Directors remuneration		
Jaiprakash Agarwal	75.00	60.00
Ramchandra Agarwal	75.00	54.00
Lalit Agarwal	75.00	54.00
Salary		
Vipin Agarwal	30.00	18.00
Dipali Pitale	5.39	4.79
Rent Paid		
Jaiprakash Agarwal	13.80	13.20
Lalit Agarwal	12.00	17.04
Purchase of Equity Shares of Agarwal Translink Private Limited by way of issue of Equity Shares of Company for consideration other wise than in cash	5	
Jaiprakash Agarwal	-	66.91
Ramchandra Agarwal	-	2.25
Mahendra Agarwal	-	19.63
Lalit Agarwal	-	48.03
Vipin Agarwal	-	84.85
Relatives of KMP		
Salary		
Nilesh Agarwal	18.00	14.40
Mukul Agarwal	18.00	15.00
Virel Agarwal	15.00	6.00
Yash Agarwal	12.00	-
Rent Paid		
Pooja Agarwal	2.03	-
Purchase of Equity Shares of Agarwal Translink Private Limited by way of issue of Equity Shares of Company for consideration other wise than in cash		
Jai Prakash Agarwal HUF	-	50.94
Jugalkishore Agarwal	-	39.44
Jugalkishore Agarwal HUF	-	38.32
Kishan Agarwal	-	30.60
Kishan Agarwal HUF	-	38.21
Lakshya Agarwal	-	0.23
Lalit Agarwal HUF	-	56.52
Mahendra Agarwal HUF	-	41.92
Mangilal Agarwal	-	32.05
Mukul Agarwal	-	0.23

₹ in Lakhs

Name of Party	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Namrata Agarwal	-	3.78
Nilesh Agarwal	-	84.98
Nilesh Agarwal HUF	-	15.78
Padma Agarwal	-	108.08
Pooja Agarwal	-	20.15
Ramchandra Agarwal HUF	-	18.93
Rekha Agarwal	-	86.07
Shailesh Agarwal	-	68.30
Sudha Agarwal	-	91.88
Sushiladevi Agarwal	-	58.77
Uma Agarwal	-	50.08
Usha Agarwal	-	79.14
Virel Agarwal	-	6.99
Yash Agarwal	-	6.76
Subsidiary		
Freight Paid		
Agarwal Translink Private Limited	755.49	635.45
Transportation Charges Received		
Agarwal Translink Private Limited	333.51	373.19
Labour Charges Received		
Agarwal Translink Private Limited	4.73	4.03
Purchase of HSD & Oil		
Agarwal Translink Private Limited	809.70	602.62
Sale of Spare Parts & Oil		
Agarwal Translink Private Limited	5.09	3.72
Sale of Material		2
Bituminex Cochin Private Limited	242.33	135.75
Security commission paid		
Bituminex Cochin Private Limited	1.15	1.15
Interest received		
AICL Overseas FZ-LLC	570.29	545.99
Guarantee Commission received	3,0.23	3 13.33
AICL Overseas F7-LLC	97.16	50.00
Loan Given during the year (*)		22122
AICL Overseas FZ-LLC	-	728.30
Loan received back during the year (*)		, 20.30
AICL Overseas FZ-LLC	816.65	_
Guarantee issued for Borrowing (*)	010.03	
AICL Overseas FZ-LLC	5,992.70	_
Payment made on behalf	3,332.70	
AICL Finance Private Limited	4.18	

₹ in Lakhs
year ended

Name of Party	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Concern in which KMP are interested		
Freight Paid		
ANZ Transporters	276.76	370.92
Agarwal Gas Carriers	155.55	166.96
Transportation Charges Received		
ANZ Transporters	131.76	216.59

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₹ in Lakhs

Name of Party	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022	
Agarwal Motor Repairs	303.37	337.83	
Labour Charges Received			
ANZ Transporters	6.79	7.32	
Agarwal Gas Carriers	6.86	6.62	
Sale of Spare Parts & Oil			
ANZ Transporters	5.55	6.70	
Agarwal Gas Carriers	6.25	6.62	
Purchase of Material			
Bright Bitumen Private Limited	76.14	-	
Advance against supply			
Bright Bitumen Private Limited	150.00	325.00	
Concern in which relatives of KMP are interested			
Purchase of HSD & Oil			
Murlidhar Ishwardas	14.19	11.76	
Purchase of Tyre & Spare Parts			
Balaji Tyres	117.98	93.82	
Vehicle Running Expenses - Repairing charges			
Shree Balaji Engineering Work	-	1.26	

#### Balance outstanding as at year end

₹ in Lakhs

Name of Party	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022	
Subsidiary			
Advances recoverable in cash or kind			
Agarwal Translink Private Limited	456.17	635.36	
AICL Finance Private Limited	4.18	-	
Investment in equity shares			
Bituminex Cochin Private Limited	232.50	232.50	
AICL Overseas FZ-LLC	190.13	190.13	
Agarwal Translink Private Limited	1,249.82	1,249.82	
Loan Given (Including Interest)			
AICL Overseas FZ-LLC	5,652.06	5,950.69	
Guarantee issued for Borrowing			
AICL Overseas FZ-LLC	8,492.70	2,500.00	
Receivable			
AICL Overseas FZ-LLC	-	50.00	
Concern in which KMP are interested			
Receivables / Trade Receivables			
ANZ Transporters	35.38	88.47	
Agarwal Gas Carriers	-	121.12	
Agarwal Motor Repairs	4.14	3.38	
Advance to Suppliers			
Bright Bitumen Private Limited	475.00	325.00	
Concern in which relatives of KMP are interested			
<u>Payable</u>			
Agarwal Gas Carriers	1.01	-	
Balaji Tyres	4.40	14.78	
Shree Balaji Engineering Work	-	6.27	
Murlidhar Ishwardas	0.97	0.60	

## 46 Disclosure required under section 186 (4) of the Companies Act, 2013 for Loans, Guarantees, Securities & Investments

₹ in Lakhs

Sr no	Name	Relation	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022	
1	Loans				
	AICL Overseas FZ-LLC	Subsidiary	5,652.06	5,950.69	
2	Guarantees				
	AICL Overseas FZ-LLC	Subsidiary	8,492.70	2,500.00	
3	Securities		Nil	Nil	
4	Investments				
	Bituminex Cochin Private Limited	Subsidiary	232.50	232.50	
	AICL Overseas FZ-LLC	Subsidiary	190.13	190.13	
	Agarwal Translink Private Limited	Subsidiary	1,249.82	1,249.82	

a) Above inter-corporate loan has been given for general business purposes and guarantee has been given to enable the subsidiary to avail loan for general business purposes.

#### 47 New Subsidiary - Incorporations and Acquisition of 100% stake

#### a. Formation of new Subsidiary "AICL Finance Private Limited"

During the current financial year, the Company have incorporated a new wholly owned subsidiary company in India with the objectives to carry on the business activities of non-banking financial companies.

The initial process of incorporations of company have been completed with the name of wholly owned subsidiary as "AICL Finance Private Limited."

The company is in the process of completing the other required compliances of Reserve Bank of India (RBI) and of Ministry of Corporate Affiars (MCA) so as to get the Certificate of Registration under RBI Act, 1934 and to get the certificate of commencement of business under the Companies Act.

#### b. Acquisition of 100% stake in Agarwal Translink Private Limited ('ATPL')

During the previous financial year 2021-22, on 9th April, 2021, the Company has acquired 100% equity shares of Agarwal Translink Private Limited (ATPL) for a consideration of Rs. 1,249.82 lakhs by way of purchase of 11,08,980 fully paid-up equity shares from selling shareholders of ATPL in pursuance of Share Purchase Agreement dated 15th January, 2021. Pursuant to the Acquisition, ATPL has become wholly owned subsidiary of the Company with effective from 9th April 2021.

Agarwal Translink Private Limited is a private company which is principally engaged in the logistics business activities of Bitumen and Trading of Petroleum Products through its Petrol pump.

The purchase consideration of Rs. 1,249.82 lakhs have been paid by the Company by allotments of 11,88,042 fully paid-up Equity Shares of face value of Rs. 10 each at Rs. 105.20 per equity shares including a share premium of Rs. 95.20 per equity share aggregating to Rs. 1,249.82 lakhs for consideration other wise than in cash.

b) Also Refer Note 3 for Investments.



## **48 Key Financial Ratios**

Sr. No.	Ratios	Numerator	Denominator	F.Y.2022-23	F.Y.2021-22	% variance	Reason (If variation is more than 25%)
1	Current Ratio	Current Assets	Current Liabilities	2.03	1.75	15.68%	N.A.
2	Debt Equity Ratio	Total Debt (Borrowings including Lease Liability)	Shareholder's Equity	0.27	0.62	-56.74%	Debt Equity ratio is decreased due to decrease in total borrowings.
3	Debt Service Coverage Ratio	Earnings available for Debt service	Finance Costs + repayment of borrowings	3.34	3.00	11.14%	N.A.
4	Return on Equity Ratio	Profit for the period	Avg. Shareholders Equity	18.44%	19.14%	-3.65%	N.A.
5	Inventory Turnover Ratio	Cost of Goods sold	Average Inventory	19.16	23.60	-18.79%	N.A.
6	Trade Receivables Turnover Ratio	Net Credit Sales	Average Trade Receivables	11.83	11.00	7.59%	N.A.
7	Trade Payables Turnover Ratio	Total Purchases	Average Trade Payables	49.41	113.46	-56.45%	Trade Payables Turnover Ratio is decreased due to incrase in trade payables. Trade payables have increased due to year end purchases.
8	Net Capital Turnover Ratio	Net Sales	Working Capital	10.03	11.97	-16.19%	N.A.
9	Net Profit Ratio	Net Profit	Net Sales	2.80%	2.74%	2.08%	N.A.
10	Return on Capital employed	EBIT	Capital Employed	21.21%	17.45%	21.55%	N.A.
11	Return on Investment	Return/Profit/ Earnings	Investment				
	a) Return on Mutual Funds			5.44%	5.10%	6.71%	N.A.

#### **Trade Receivables Ageing Schedule** 49

₹ in Lakhs

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					Outstanding	for followin	g periods fr	om due do	ate of payment	
Particu	lars	Unbilled	Not due	Less than 3 months	3 months to 6 months	6 months to 1 year	1 year to 2 years	2 years to 3 years	More than 3 years	As at 31st March2023
Trade Unsec	Receivables - ured									
a)	Undisputed, considered good	-	-	11,959.48	700.25	685.64	434.75	262.83	1,038.12	15,081.09
b)	Undisputed, which have significant increase in credit risk	-	-	3.41	-	-	53.01	262.95	1,291.55	1,610.93
c)	Undisputed, credit impaired	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
d)	Disputed, considered good	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
e)	Disputed, which have significant increase in credit risk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
f)	Disputed, credit impaired	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	11,962.89	700.25	685.64	487.77	525.78	2,329.68	16,692.01
Less :	Expected Credit Loss nce	-	-	0.34	3.50	6.86	10.18	31.55	152.45	204.88

Total	_	- 11.962.55	696.75	678.78	477.59	494.23	2.177.23	16.487.13

₹ in Lakhs

			Outstanding for following periods from due date of payment						
Particulars	Unbilled	Not due	Less than 3 months	3 months to 6 months	6 months to 1 year	1 year to 2 years	2 years to 3 years	More than 3 years	As at 31st March2022
Trade Receivables - Unsecured									
a) Undisputed, considered good	-	-	8,589.55	739.51	307.35	531.23	120.02	1,057.93	11,345.59
b) Undisputed, which have significant increase in credit risk	-	-	-	-	2.01	613.13	489.20	938.95	2,043.30
c) Undisputed, credit impaired	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
d) Disputed, considered good	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
e) Disputed, which have significant increase in credit risk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
f) Disputed, credit impaired	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	8,589.55	739.51	309.37	1,144.36	609.22	1,996.88	13,388.88
Less : Expected Credit Loss Allowance			-	3.70	3.15	29.84	20.77	48.14	105.59
Total	-	-	8,589.55	735.81	306.21	1,114.52	588.45	1,948.75	13,283.29

#### **50 Recent accounting pronouncements**

#### New Standards issued or amendments to the existing standard but not yet effective:

Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") notifies new standards or amendments to the existing standards under Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules as issued from time to time.

On March 31, 2023, MCA amended the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Amendment Rules, 2023, as below (a) Ind AS 1 - Presentation of Financial Statements - This amendment requires the entities to disclose their material accounting policies rather than their significant accounting policies. The effective date for adoption of this amendment is annual periods beginning on or after April 1, 2023. The Company has evaluated the amendment and the impact of the amendment is insignificant in the standalone financial statements.

- (b) Ind AS 8 Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors This amendment has introduced a definition of 'accounting estimates' and included amendments to Ind AS 8 to help entities distinguish changes in accounting policies from changes in accounting estimates. The effective date for adoption of this amendment is annual periods beginning on or after April 1, 2023. The Company has evaluated the amendment and there is no impact on its standalone financial statements.
- (c) Ind AS 12 Income Taxes This amendment has narrowed the scope of the initial recognition exemption so that it does not apply to transactions that give rise to equal and offsetting temporary differences. The effective date for adoption of this amendment is annual periods beginning on or after April 1, 2023. The Company has evaluated the amendment and there is no impact on its standalone financial statement."

#### 51 Event after reporting date

There have been no events after the reporting date.

#### 52 Details of Benami Property Held

No proceedings have been initiated during the financial year or pending as at the end of the financial year against the Company for holding any benami property under the Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Act, 1988 (45 of 1988) and rules made thereunder.

#### 53 Wilful Defaulter

The Company has not been declared as a wilful defaulter by any bank or financial institution or other lender in the current or preceding financial year.

#### 54 Compliance with number of layers of companies

The Company has complied with the number of layers prescribed under clause (87) of section 2 of the Act read with Companies (Restriction on number of Layers) Rules, 2017 for the financial years ended 31st March 2023 and 31st March 2022.

#### 55 Utilisation of borrowed funds and share premium

No funds have been advanced or loaned or invested (either from borrowed funds or share premium or any other sources or kind of funds) by the Company to or in any other persons or entities, including foreign entities ("Intermediaries") with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Intermediary shall lend or invest in party identified by or on behalf of the Company (Ultimate Beneficiaries). The Company has also not received any fund from any parties (Funding Party) with the understanding that the Company shall whether, directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified by or on behalf of the Funding Party ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.

#### 56 Compliance with approved Scheme(s) of Arrangements

There is no any scheme of Arrangement or Amalgamation initiated or approved by the Board of Directors and Shareholders of the Company during the year ended 31st March 2023 and 31st March 2022.

#### 57 Undisclosed income

There is no income surrendered or disclosed as income during the year in tax assessments under the Income Tax Act,1961 (such as search or survey), that has not been recorded in the books of account.

#### 58 Title deeds of Immovable Properties not held in name of the Company

The title deeds of the immovable properties possess by the Company are held in the name of the Company (other than properties where the Company is the lessee and the lease agreements are duly executed in favour of the lessee).

#### **59 Details of Crypto Currency or Virtual Currency**

The Company has not traded or invested in Crypto currency or Virtual currency during the current or preceeding financial year.

#### 60 Registration of charges or satisfaction with Registrar of Companies (ROC)

All charges or satisfaction are registered with ROC and the Company does not have any charges or satisfaction of charges which is yet to be registered with Registrar of Companies within the statutory period for the financial years ended 31st March 2023 and 31st March 2022.

#### **61** Relationship with Struck off Companies

The Company have not entered into any transaction during the current or previous financial year with the companies whose names have been struck off under section 248 of Companies Act, 2013 or section 560 of Companies Act, 1956 and there is no outstanding receivable from / payable to such companies as at the end of year.

## 62 Information about the Loans and Advances in the nature of loans to related parties

				₹ in Lakhs	
Type of Borrower	As 31st Mai		As at 31st March 2022		
	Amount Outstanding	% of Total Loans	Amount Outstanding	% of Total Loans	
Promoters	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	
Directors	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	
Key Managerial Person	-	0.00%	-	0.00%	
Related Parties - Wholly Owned Subsidiary	5,652.06	99.64%	5,950.69	99.70%	

<sup>63</sup> The Company is yet to receive balance confirmations in respect of certain financial assets and financial liabilities. The Management does not expect any material difference affecting the current year's financial statements due to the same.

- 64 The financial statements were approved for issue by the Board of Directors on 23rd May, 2023.
- 65 The figures of the previous year's have been regrouped or reclassified wherever necessary to make them comparable.

As per our report of even date For **Ladha Singhal & Associates** Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No : 120241W)

**Ajay Singhal** 

Partner Membership No. 104451

Place : Mumbai Date : 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2023 For and on behalf of Board of Directors of **Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited** CIN: L99999MH1995PLC084618

Jaiprakash AgarwalMahendra AgarwalManaging DirectorDirector(DIN: 01379868)(DIN: 01366495)

Lalit Agarwal Vipin Agarwal Dipali Pitale
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Whole Time Director Chief Financial Officer Company Secretary (DIN: 01335107)

## **AGARWAL INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION LIMITED**

## AUDITED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2023

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

#### To The Members of Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited

#### **Report on the Consolidated Financial Statements**

- We have audited the consolidated financial statements of **Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited** (hereinafter referred to as "the Holding Group") and its subsidiaries, Bituminex Cochin Private Limited, AICL Overseas FZ LLC and Agarwal Translink Private Limited (the holding Group and its subsidiaries constitute "the Group"), which comprise the consolidated Balance Sheet as at 31st March 2023, and the consolidated Statement of Profit and Loss (including other comprehensive income), the Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity and the Consolidated Cash Flow Statement for the year then ended and, notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information (hereinafter referred to as "the consolidated financial statements").
- 2. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the aforesaid consolidated financial statements give the information required by the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act") in the manner so required and give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the consolidated state of affairs of the Group as at 31st March 2023, and of its consolidated profit and other comprehensive income, consolidated changes in equity and its consolidated cash flows statement for the year ended on that date.

#### **Basis of Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing (SAs) specified under section 143(10) of the Act. Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the consolidated financial statements under the provisions of the Act and the Rules thereunder, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion on the consolidated financial statements.

#### **Key Audit Matters**

4. Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the consolidated financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

5.

The Key Audit Matter	How was the matter addressed in our audit
Revenue is one of the key profit drivers and is therefore susceptible to misstatement. Cut-off is the key assertion insofar as revenue recognition is concerned, since an inappropriate cut-off can result in material misstatement of result for the year.	Our audit procedures with regard to revenue recognition included testing controls, automated and manual, around dispatches / deliveries, inventory reconciliations and circularization of receivable balances, substantive testing of cut-off and analytical review procedure.

## Information other than the financial statements and auditors' report thereon

- 6. The Holding Company's management and Board of Directors are responsible for the preparation of the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Holding Company's Annual Report, but does not include the consolidated financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. The Annual report is expected to be made available to us after the date of this auditor's report.
- 7. Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.
- 8. In connection with our audit of the consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements or our knowledge obtained during the course of our audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

## Management's Responsibility for the Consolidated Financial Statements

The Holding Company's management and Board of Directors are responsible for the matters stated in section 134(5) of the Act with respect to the preparation of these consolidated financial statements that give a true and fair view of the consolidated state of affairs, consolidated profit and other comprehensive income, consolidated statement of changes in equity and consolidated cash flows of the Group in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in India, including the Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) specified under Section 133 of the Act. The respective management and board of directors of the companies included in the group for maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provision of the Act for safeguarding the assets of each company and for preventing and detecting the frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls, that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the consolidated financial statements that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

10. In preparing the consolidated financial statements, respective management and Board of Directors of the companies included in the group are responsible for assessing the ability of each company to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the respective board of directors intends to liquidate the company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so. The respective Board of Directors of the companies included in the group is also responsible for overseeing the financial reporting process of each company.

## Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

- 11. Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements.
- 12. As part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:
  - Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal controls.
  - Obtain an understanding of internal financial controls relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances. Under section 143(3)(i) of the Act, we are also responsible for expressing our opinion on internal financial controls with reference to the consolidated financial statements and the operating effectiveness of such controls based on our audit.

- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of such entities  $or business \, activities \, within \, the \, Group \, to \, express \, an \,$ opinion on the consolidated financial statements, of which we are the independent auditors. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the audit of financial information of such entities. For the other entities included in the consolidated financial statements, which have been audited by other auditors, such other auditors remain responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the audits carried out by them. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion. Our responsibilities in this regard are further described in the section titled 'Other Matters' in this audit report.

We believe that the audit evidence obtained by us along with the consideration of audit reports of the other auditors referred to in the Other Matters paragraph below, is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion on the consolidated financial statements.

13. Materiality is the magnitude of misstatements in the Consolidated Financial Statements that, individually or in aggregate, makes it probable that the economic decisions of a reasonably knowledgeable user of the Consolidated Financial Statements may be influenced. We consider quantitative materiality and qualitative factors in (i) planning the scope of our audit work and in evaluating the results of our work; and (ii) to evaluate the effect of any identified misstatements in the Consolidated Financial Statements.

- 14. We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.
- 15. We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.
- 16. From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the consolidated financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

#### Other Matter

- 17. We did not audit the financial statements of Bituminex Cochin Private Limited and AICL Overseas FZ-LLC, subsidiaries included in the consolidated financial statements, whose financial statements reflect total assets (before consolidation adjustment) of Rs. 29.983.89 lakhs as at 31st March, 2023, total revenues (before consolidation adjustment) of Rs. 18,125.12 lakhs, total net profit after tax (before consolidation adjustment) of Rs. 4,193.02 lakhs, total comprehensive income of Rs. 4,795.42 lakhs and net cash out flows (before consolidation adjustment) (net) of Rs. 151.49 lakhs for the year ended on that date, as considered in the consolidated financial statements. These financial statements have been audited by other auditors whose reports have been furnished to us by the Management and our opinion on the consolidated financial statements, in so far as it relates to the amounts and disclosures included in respect of these subsidiaries, and our report in terms of sub-sections (3) and (11) of Section 143 of the Act, in-so-far as it relates to aforesaid subsidiaries, is based solely on the report of the other auditors.
- 18. Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements, and our report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements below, is not modified in respect of the above matters with respect to our reliance on the work done and the reports of the other auditor.

#### Report on other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

19. As required by section 197(16) of the Act, in our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us and based on the reports of the statutory auditors of subsidiary companies which were not audited by us, we report that the Holding Company, and its subsidiary company incorporated in India and covered under the Act, paid remuneration to their

- respective directors during the year in accordance with the provisions of and limits laid down under section 197 of the Act read with Schedule V to the Act.
- 20. As required by section 143(3) of the Act, based on our audit and on the consideration of reports of the other auditors on separate financial statements of such subsidiaries as were audited by other auditors, as noted in the 'Other Matters' paragraph, we report, to the extent applicable, that:
  - a) We have sought and obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit of aforesaid consolidated financial statements.
  - b) In our opinion proper books of account as required by law relating to preparation of the aforesaid consolidated financial statements have been kept so far as it appears from our examination of those books and the reports of the other auditors.
  - c) The Consolidated Balance Sheet, the Consolidated Statement of Profit and Loss including other comprehensive income, Consolidated Statement of Change in Equity and the Consolidated Cash Flow Statement dealt with by this Report are in agreement with the relevant books of account maintained for the purpose of preparation of the consolidated financial statements.
  - In our opinion, the aforesaid consolidated financial statements comply with the Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) specified under Section 133 of the Act.
  - e) On the basis of written representations received from the directors of the Holding Company as on 31st March 2023, taken on record by the Board of Directors of the Holding Company and on the basis of the report of the statutory auditor of its subsidiary companies incorporated in India, none of the directors is disqualified as on 31st March 2023, from being appointed as a director in terms of Section 164(2) of the Act.
  - f) With respect to the adequacy of the internal financial controls over financial reporting of the Group and the operating effectiveness of such controls, refer to our report in "Annexure A" which is based on the auditors' reports of the Parent Company and subsidiary company incorporated in India.
  - g) With respect to the other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with Rule 11 of Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, in our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us and based on the consideration of the reports of the other auditors on separate financial statements of the subsidiary, as noted in the 'Other Matters' paragraph:
  - i) The Consolidated financial statements disclosed the impact of pending litigation as at 31st March

2023 on the consolidated financial position of the Group – Refer Note 37 to the consolidated financial statements;

- ii) The Group did not have any long-term contracts including derivatives contracts for which there were any material foreseeable losses; and
- iii) There has been no delay in transferring amounts, required to be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund by the Parent and its subsidiary company incorporated in India.
- (a) The respective managements of the parent and its subsidiary incorporated in India whose financial statements have been audited under the Act have represented to us and the other auditors of such subsidiary, to the best of their knowledge and belief, as disclosed in the notes to the accounts, no funds have been advanced or loaned or invested (either from borrowed funds or share premium or any other sources or kind of funds) by the group to or in any other person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities ("Intermediaries"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Intermediary shall, directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the group ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any augrantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.
  - (b) The respective Management of the Parent and its subsidiary which are companies incorporated in India whose financial statements have been audited under the Act have represented to us and the other auditors of such subsidiary, to the best of their knowledge and belief, as disclosed in the notes to accounts, no funds have been received by the group from any person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities ("Funding Parties"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the group shall, directly or indirectly, lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Funding Party ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any augrantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.
  - (c) Based on the audit procedures that has been considered reasonable and appropriate in the circumstances, nothing has come to our notice that has caused us to believe that the

representations under sub-clause (i) and (ii) of Rule 11(e), as provided under (a) and (b) above, contain any material misstatement.

- v) The dividend proposed in the previous year, declared and paid by the Parent during the year is in accordance with Section 123 of the Act, as applicable.
  - As stated in Note 15(A) to the Consolidated Financial Statements, the Board of Directors of the Parent have proposed dividend for the year which is subject to the approval of the members at the ensuing Annual General Meeting. The amount of dividend proposed is in accordance with Section 123 of the Act, as applicable.
- vi) Proviso to Rule 3(1) of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014 for maintaining books of account using accounting software which has a feature of recording audit trail (edit log) facility is applicable w.e.f. 1st April, 2023 to the Parent and its subsidiaries which are companies incorporated in India, and accordingly, reporting under Rule 11(g) of Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 is not applicable for the financial year ended 31st March, 2023.
- 21. With respect to the matters specified in clause (xxi) of paragraph 3 and paragraph 4 of the Companies (Auditor's Report) Order, 2020 ("CARO"/ "the Order") issued by the Central Government in terms of Section 143(11) of the Act, according to the information and explanations given to us and based on the CARO reports issued by us for the Company and on consideration of CARO reports by statutory auditors of subsidiaries included in the consolidated financial statements of the Company to which reporting under CARO is applicable, we report that there are no qualifications or adverse remarks by the respective auditors in the CARO reports of the said companies included in the Consolidated Financial Statements.

#### For Ladha Singhal & Associates

Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No. 120241W)

#### **Ajay Singhal**

(Partner)

Membership No. 104451

UDIN: 23104451BGWAOQ4188

Place: Mumbai

Dated: 23rd May 2023

## Annexure A to Independent Auditor's 4. Report

Referred to as 'Annexure A' in paragraph 20(f) of the Independent Auditors' Report of even date to the members of **Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited** on the consolidated financial statements for the year ended on 31st March, 2023.

# Report on the Internal Financial Controls under Clause (i) of Sub-section 3 of Section 143 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act")

 We have audited the internal financial controls over financial reporting of Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited ("the Holding Company") and its subsidiary company which are incorporated in India, as on 31st March, 2023 in conjunction with our audit of the consolidated financial statements of the Company for the year ended and as on that date.

## Management's Responsibility for Internal Financial Controls

The Respective Board of Directors of the Holding Company and its subsidiary company incorporated in India, are responsible for establishing and maintaining internal financial controls based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the Company considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ("the Guidance Note"). These responsibilities include the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls that were operating effectively for ensuring the orderly and efficient conduct of its business, including adherence to company's policies, the safeguarding of its assets, the prevention and detection of frauds and errors, the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, and the timely preparation of reliable financial information, as required under the Companies Act, 2013.

#### Auditors' Responsibility

3. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Holding Company's internal financial controls over financial reporting based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Guidance Note and the Standards on Auditing prescribed under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013, to the extent applicable to an audit of internal financial controls over financial reporting. Those Standards and the Guidance Note require that we comply with the ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether adequate internal financial controls over financial reporting was established and maintained and if such controls operated effectively in all material respects.

- 4. Our audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the adequacy of the internal financial controls system over financial reporting and their operating effectiveness. Our audit of internal financial controls over financial reporting included obtaining an understanding of internal financial controls over financial reporting, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, and testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of internal control based on the assessed risk. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error.
- 5. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained and the audit evidence obtained by the other auditor of the subsidiary company incorporated in India, in terms of their reports referred to in sub-paragraph 9 of the Other Matter paragraph below, is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion on the Group's internal financial controls system over financial reporting.

## Meaning of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting

A company's internal financial control over financial reporting is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. A company's internal financial control over financial reporting includes those policies and procedures that (1) pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the company; (2) provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and that receipts and expenditures of the company are being made only in accordance with authorisations of management and directors of the company; and (3) provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorised acquisition, use, or disposition of the company's assets that could have a material effect on the financial statements.

## Inherent Limitations of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting

7. Because of the inherent limitations of internal financial controls over financial reporting, including the possibility of collusion or improper management override of controls, material misstatements due to error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projections of any evaluation of the internal financial controls over financial reporting to future periods are subject to the risk that the internal financial control over financial reporting may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.

#### **Opinion**

8. In our opinion, the Holding Company and its subsidiary company incorporated in India, have, in all material respects, an adequate internal financial controls system over financial reporting and such internal financial controls over financial reporting were operating effectively as at 31st March 2023, based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the Company and its subsidiary company incorporated in India considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note.

#### For Ladha Singhal & Associates

Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No. 120241W)

#### **Ajay Singhal**

(Partner)

Membership No. 104451

UDIN: 23104451BGWAOQ4188

Place: Mumbai

Dated: 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2023

#### Other Matter

- 9. Our aforesaid report under section 143(3)(i) of the Act on the adequacy and operating effectiveness of the internal financial controls over financial reporting insofar as it relates to its subsidiary company incorporated in India, is based on the corresponding reports of the auditors of such company incorporated in India.
- 10. Our opinion is not modified in respect of the above matters.

#### Consolidated Balance Sheet as at 31st March, 2023

No.   March 2023   March 2023				₹ in Lakhs
Non - Current Assets   Property   Proto and Equipment   2(a)   31,683.78   18,96.46   Capital work-in-progress   2(b)   694.83   286.5   Capital work-in-progress   2(b)   694.83   286.5   Capital work-in-progress   2(c)   37,44   37.4   3	Particulars	Note No.	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Property, Plant and Equipment	ASSETS			
Capital work-in-progress   2(b)   694.83   286.5   286.7   286.7   287.4   37.5   37.4   37.5   37.4   37				
Investment Property (20, 37.44 37.4 (20, 19.21.10 2.399.3 Goodwill on Consolidation Financial Assets   20, 488.81 488.8 Financial Assets   3 0.09 0.00 Other Financial Assets 4 396.90 631.0 Other Non-current assets 5 73.42 71.5 Current Assets   5 73.42 71.5   5 73.42 71.5   5 73.42 71.5   5 73.42 71.5   5 73.42 71.5   5 73.42 71.5   5 73.42 71.5   5 73.42 71.5   5 73.42 71.5   5 73.42 71.5   5 73.42 71.5   5 73.42 71.5   5 73.42 71.5   5 73.42 71.5   5 73.42 71.5   5 73.42 71.5   5 73.42 71.5   5 73.42 71.5   6 11,610.14 6,535.8   6 11,610.14 6,535.8   1			31,683.78	18,964.61
Right of Use Asset				286.51
Assert	Investment Property			37.44
Financial Assets   3			1,922.10	2,399.35
Investments	Goodwill on Consolidation	2(e)	488.81	488.81
Other Financial Assets	Financial Assets			
S   73,42   71,5	Investments	3	0.09	0.09
Current Assets   Inventories   6   11,610.14   6,535.8   Financial Assets   Investments   7   2,566.41   1,248.7   1,248.7   1,748.7	Other Financial Assets	4	396.90	631.08
Current Assets   Inventories   6   11,610.14   6,535.8     Investments   7   2,566.41   1,248.7     Investments   7   2,566.41   1,248.7     Trade Receivables   9   2,930.89   4,638.3     Bank Bolances other than Cash and Cash Equivalents   10   421.75   368.4     Loans   11   22.29   20.1     Other Financial Assets   12   105.65   20.6     Current Tax Assets (net)   13   160.42   189.8     Other Current Assets   14   2,488.19   2,290.0     TOTAL ASSETS   14   2,488.19   2,290.0     TOTAL ASSETS   74,958.23   54,312.3     EQUITY AND LIABILITIES     Equity   50   50   50     Equity Share Capital   15(A)   1,495.78   1,320.8     Current Equity   15(B)   38,875.20   28,135.2     Liabilities   15(B)   1,495.78   1,320.8     Borrowings   16   6,874.73   3,144.0     Lease Liabilities   35   1,477.11   1,963.2     Other Financial Liabilities   17   9,50   6.5     Forovisions   18   68.09   51.3     Current Liabilities   17   9,50   6.5     Forovisions   18   68.09   51.3     Current Liabilities   17   9,50   6.5     Current Liabilities   17   9,50   6.5     Trade Payables   19   6,873.12   11,532.6     Lease Liabilities   17   9,50   6.5     Trade Payables   16,76   2.7     Total Outstanding dues of Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises   16,76   2.7     Total Outstanding dues of reditors other than Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises   16,76   2.7     Total Outstanding dues of reditors other than Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises   1,70.97   1,313.4     Other Financial Liabilities   2   1,100.97   1,313.4     Other Financial Liab	Other Non-current assets	5	73.42	71.57
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Financial Assets	Inventories	6	11.610.14	6.535.81
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Trode Receivables		7	2 566 41	1 248 70
Cash & Cash Equivalents   9   2,930.89   4,638.3				
Bank Balances other than Cash and Cash Equivalents   10   421.75   368.4				
Loans				
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Current Tax Assets (net)				
Other Current Assets       14       2,488.19       2,290.0         TOTAL ASSETS       74,958.23       54,312.3*         EQUITY AND LIABILITIES         Equity Share Capital       15(A)       1,495.78       1,320.8         Other Equity       15(B)       38,875.20       28,135.2*         Liabilities         Non - Current Liabilities         Financial Liabilities       40,370.98       29,456.1*         Borrowings       16       6,874.73       3,144.0         Lease Liabilities       35       1,477.11       1,963.2         Other Financial Liabilities       35       1,477.11       1,963.2         Provisions       18       68.09       51.3         Deferred Tax Liabilities (net)       34       313.37       378.0         Current Liabilities         Financial Liabilities       18       68.09       51.3         Deferred Tax Liabilities       35       5,742.79       5,543.2         Current Liabilities       35       574.57       462.5         Total Outstanding dues of Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises       16,76       2.7         Total Outstanding dues of Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises				
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Equity Share Capital	EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Other Equity       15(B)       38,875.20       28,135.2         Liabilities       40,370.98       29,456.1°         Non - Current Liabilities       Financial Liabilities         Borrowings       16       6,874.73       3,144.0         Lease Liabilities       35       1,477.11       1,963.2         Other Financial Liabilities       17       9.50       6.5         Provisions       18       68.09       51.3         Deferred Tax Liabilities (net)       34       313.37       378.0°         Current Liabilities       8,742.79       5,543.2°         Financial Liabilities       19       6,873.12       11,532.6°         Lease Liabilities       35       574.57       462.5         Trade Payables       19       6,873.12       11,532.6°         Lease Liabilities       35       574.57       462.5         Total Outstanding dues of Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises       16,76       2.7         Total Outstanding dues of creditors other than Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises       16,353.38       5,513.0         Other Financial Liabilities       21       576.06       123.3         Other Financial Liabilities       21       576.06       123.3	Equity			
Mon - Current Liabilities   Second Provisions   Second Provision	Equity Share Capital	15(A)	1,495.78	1,320.88
Liabilities   Son - Current Liabilities   Sin - Current	Other Equity	15(B)		28,135.29
Non - Current Liabilities   Financial Liabilities	Fig. 96.		40,370.98	29,456.1
Financial Liabilities   16   6,874.73   3,144.0     Lease Liabilities   35   1,477.11   1,963.2     Other Financial Liabilities   17   9,50   6,55     Provisions   18   68.09   51.3     Deferred Tax Liabilities (net)   34   313.37   378.0     Enterprises   35   574.57   462.5     Trade Payables   19   6,873.12   11,532.6     Lease Liabilities   35   574.57   462.5     Total Outstanding dues of Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises   16,76   2.7     Total Outstanding dues of creditors other than Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises   16,353.38   5,513.0     Enterprises   21   576.06   123.3     Other Financial Liabilities   21   576.06   123.3     Other Financial Liabilities   22   1,100.97   1,313.4     Provisions   23   9,86   7,9     Current Tax Liabilities (net)   24   339.74   357.2     TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES   74,958.23   54,312.3     Significant Accounting Policies   1     The accompanying notes are integral part of these financial statements   2 to				
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	Significant Accounting Policies			
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As per our report of even date For **Ladha Singhal & Associates** Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No : 120241W)

**Ajay Singhal** 

Partner

Membership No. 104451

Place : Mumbai Date : 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2023 For and on behalf of Board of Directors of **Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited** CIN: L99999MH1995PLC084618

Jaiprakash Agarwal

**Mahendra Agarwal** Director

Managing Director (DIN: 01379868)

(DIN: 01366495)

**Lalit Agarwal** 

Vipin Agarwal

Dipali Pitale

Whole Time Director (DIN: 01335107)

Chief Financial Officer Company Secretary

#### Consolidated Statement of Profit and Loss for the year ended 31st March, 2023

				₹ in Lakhs
	Particulars	Note No.	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
ı	Income			
	Revenue from Operations	25	201,501.43	159,824.36
	Other Income	26	907.13	374.70
	Total Income		202,408.55	160,199.06
Ш	Expenses			
	Cost of Materials Consumed	27	28,639.12	34,711.01
	Purchases of Stock-in-Trade		142,510.07	96,919.25
	Changes in inventories of Finished goods, Stock-in-Trade and work-in-progress	28	(4,287.32)	(1,340.84)
	Manufacturing, Operating and Other Direct Expenses	29	18,381.57	15,595.01
	Employee Benefits Expense	30	883.41	733.38
	Other Expenses	31	1,824.03	2,630.68
	Total Expenses		187,950.88	149,248,50
Ш	Earning Before Interest, Tax, Depreciation and Amortisation		14,457.67	10,950.57
	Finance Costs	32	1,213.07	1,223.69
	Depreciation and Amortization Expenses	33	2,268.56	1,973.38
IV			10,976.04	7,753.49
	Exceptional Items		-	
٧	Profit Before Tax		10,976.04	7,753.49
	Tax Expense:	34		.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
••	(a) Current Tax	- 31	1,784.87	1,403.36
	(b) Deferred Tax (Asset) / Liability		(63.32)	(18.61)
	(c) Short Provision for Tax for earlier years		28.70	(0.14)
	Total Tax Expense		1,750.26	1,384.61
VII	Profit for the Year		9,225.79	6,368.89
	Other Comprehensive Income / (Loss)		3,223.73	0,500.05
V 111	A. Items that will not be reclassified to Profit or Loss			
	(i) Remeasurement of the defined benefit plans		(5.59)	1.72
	·		1.41	(0.43)
	(ii) Income tax on remeasurement of the defined benefit plans  B. Items that will be reclassified to Profit or Loss		1.41	(0.43)
	(i) Exchange difference arising on translation of financial statements of		602.40	136.57
			002.40	130.37
	foreign operations		E00 21	127.05
IV	Total Other Comprehensive Income		598.21	137.85
IX	,		9,824.00	6,506.74
	Out of the Total Comprehensive Income above			
	(a) Profit for the year attributable to:		0.225.70	6 260 00
	(i) Owners of the Company		9,225.79	6,368.89
	(ii) Non-controlling interests		-	-
	(b) Other comprehensive income / (Loss) attributable to:		500.04	107.05
	(i) Owners of the Company		598.21	137.85
	(ii) Non-controlling interests		-	-
	(c) Total comprehensive income attributable to:		0.004.00	0.500.74
	(i) Owners of the Company		9,824.00	6,506.74
	(ii) Non-controlling interests		-	-
X	<u> </u>			
	Weighted average no. of shares (Basic & Diluted)	39	14,464,142	12,462,114
	(1) Basic (in Rs.)		63.78	51.10
	(2) Diluted (in Rs.)		63.78	51.10
	Significant Accounting Policies	1		
	The accompanying notes are integral part of these financial statements	2 to		
		63		

As per our report of even date For **Ladha Singhal & Associates Chartered Accountants** (Firm Registration No: 120241W)

**Ajay Singhal** 

Partner Membership No. 104451

Place : Mumbai Date: 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2023

For and on behalf of Board of Directors of Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited CIN: L99999MH1995PLC084618

Jaiprakash Agarwal Managing Director

(DIN: 01379868)

**Lalit Agarwal** 

Whole Time Director (DIN: 01335107)

Mahendra Agarwal

Director (DIN: 01366495)

Dipali Pitale

Vipin Agarwal Chief Financial Officer Company Secretary

## Consolidated Cash Flow Statement for the year ended 31st March, 2023

₹ in Lakhs

		₹ in Lakhs
PARTICULARS	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
A. CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Profit before tax	10,976.04	7,753.49
Adjustments for :		
Depreciation	1,674.91	1,388.78
Amortisation of Right of Use	593.65	584.61
Interest & Finance Charges	1,005.89	1,046.61
Interest on Lease Liabilities	207.18	177.08
Interest Received	(60.93)	(55.37)
Rent from Investment Property	(43.34)	(43.34)
(Profit) / Loss on sale of Mutual Funds	(79.98)	(32.10)
(Profit) / Loss on sale / impairment of fixed assets	(79.49)	4.67
Expected credit loss allowance / (reversal)	96.87	(15.36)
Bad Debts written off	63.58	1,261.15
Fair valuation impact on Financial Assets	(31.05)	(24.53)
Operating profit before working capital changes	14,323.33	12,045.71
Changes in Working Capital		
Adjustments for (increase) / decrease in operating assets:		
Inventories	(5,074.33)	(1,696.46)
Trade receivables	(3,394.62)	(3,002.26)
Other financial assets (Current & Non-Current)	100.90	(535.54)
Other assets (Current & Non-Current)	(199.96)	(1,119.73)
Adjustments for increase / (decrease) in operating liabilities:	(100.00)	(1/113173)
Trade payables	10,854.37	1,476.70
Other financial liabilities (Current & Non-Current)	455.74	(22.23)
Other liabilities (Current & Non-Current)	(199.49)	503.66
Adjustments for increase / (decrease) in Foreign Currency Translation Reserve	602.40	136.57
Cash generated from operations	17,468.34	7,786.40
Income Tax Paid (net of refund)	(1,801.65)	(1,318.18)
Net cash generated from / (used in) operating activities (A)	15,666.70	6,468.22
B. CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	13,000.70	0,100.22
Capital expenditure on fixed assets	(14,869.65)	(6,554.18)
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets	146.74	86.30
Purchase of Mutual Fund-Current Investment	(3,058.50)	(800.17)
Sale of Mutual Fund-Current Investment	1,844.65	204.51
Interest Received	60.93	55.37
Rent from Investment Property	43.34	43.34
Net cash generated from / (used in) investing activities (B)	(15,832.49)	(6,964.83)
C. CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES	(13,032.43)	(0,504.03)
Money received against share warrents / issue of equity shares	1,379.96	2,313.61
Increase / (Decrease) in Short Term Borrowings (Net)	(4,662.40)	2,541.73
Proceeds / (Repayment) from / of Long Term Borrowings (Net)	3,726.96	(1,029.91)
Payment of Lease Liabilities	(697.69)	(682.50)
Interest & Finance Charges	(999.30)	(1,017.85)
Dividend Paid		
	(289.16)	(224.38)
Net cash generated from / (used in) financing activities (C)	(1,541.63)	1,900.69
Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents (A+B+C)  Cash acquired on acquirition (refer note no. 46)	(1,707.42)	1,404.08
Cash acquired on acquisition (refer note no. 46)  Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	4,638.31	42.21 <b>3,192.03</b>
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year  Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	2,930.89	4,638.31

#### NOTES:

#### (1) Net Debt Reconciliations

₹ in Lakhs

	As at 31st March 2022	On acquisition of subsidiary	Cash Flows	Other - Borrowing Cost	As at 31st March 2023
Borrowings (Current)	11,532.68	-	(4,662.40)	2.84	6,873.12
Borrowings (Non-Current)	3,144.02	-	3,726.96	3.75	6,874.73
Total	14,676.70	-	(935.44)	6.59	13,747.85

The accompanying notes 1 to 63 are integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

#### Notes:

- 1) The above Statement of Cash Flow has been prepared under the 'Indirect method' as set out in Ind AS 7 on 'Statement of Cash Flows'.
- 2) During the year, the Company has incurred an amount of Rs. 69.21 lakhs in cash (31st March 2022: Rs. 87.41 lakhs) towards corporate social responsibility (CSR) expenditure (refer note no. 40).

As per our report of even date For **Ladha Singhal & Associates** Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No : 120241W)

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Partner Membership No. 104451

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#### Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity for the year ended 31st March, 2023

#### (A) Equity Share Capital

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Balance as at the beginning of the year	1,320.88	1,025.87
Changes in equity share capital due to prior period error	-	-
Restated balance at the beginning of the year	1,320.88	1,025.87
Changes in share capital during the year [refer note no 15(A)]	174.90	295.00
Balance as at the end of the year	1,495.78	1,320.88

#### (B) Other Equity

₹ in Lakhs

				Reserves	ınd Surplus				
Particulars	Securities premium	Capital Investment Subsidy	Investment Allowance Reserve (Utilised)	Retained Earning	Other Comprehensive income	Share Forfeiture	Capital Reserve	Share Warrants	Total
Balance as at 1 <sup>st</sup> April, 2021	5,126.58	0.76	0.62	13,003.14	26.28	82.12	345.00	-	18,584.51
Profit for the year	-	-	-	6,368.89	-	-	-	-	6,368.89
Other comprehensive income for the year	-	-	-	-	137.85	-	-	-	137.85
Total Comprehensive Income for the year	-	-	-	6,368.89	137.85	-	-	-	6,506.74
Dividend paid during the year	-	-	-	(224.38)	-	-	-	-	(224.38)
Share Warrents Issued during the year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,313.61	2,313.61
Share Warrents Converted in equity shares during the year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1,853.62)	(1,853.62)
Received on issue of equity share [refer note no 15(A) and 15(B)]	2,808.44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,808.44
Balance as at 31st March, 2022	7,935.02	0.76	0.62	19,147.65	164.13	82.12	345.00	459.99	28,135.29
Profit for the year	-	-	-	9,225.79	-	-	-	-	9,225.79
Other comprehensive income for the year	-	-	-	-	598.21	-	-	-	598.21
Total Comprehensive Income for the year	-	-	-	9,225.79	598.21	-	-	-	9,824.00
Dividend paid during the year	-	-	-	(289.16)	-	-	-	-	(289.16)
Share Warrents Issued during the year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,379.96	1,379.96
Share Warrents Converted in equity shares during the year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1,839.95)	(1,839.95)
Received on issue of equity share [refer note no 15(A) and 15(B)]	1,665.05	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,665.05
Balance as at 31st March, 2023	9,600.07	0.76	0.62	28,084.28	762.35	82.12	345.00	-	38,875.20

The accompanying notes 1 to 63 are integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

As per our report of even date For **Ladha Singhal & Associates** Chartered Accountants

(Firm Registration No : 120241W)

**Ajay Singhal** 

Partner Membership No. 104451

Place : Mumbai Date : 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2023 For and on behalf of Board of Directors of **Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited** CIN: L99999MH1995PLC084618

**Jaiprakash Agarwal** Managing Director

(DIN: 01379868)

**Mahendra Agarwal** Director

Director (DIN: 01366495)

**Lalit Agarwal**Whole Time Director

**Vipin Agarwal**Chief Financial Officer Company Secretary

(DIN: 01335107)

# Notes to the consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31st March, 2023

#### 1 (A). CORPORATE INFORMATION:

The consolidated financial statements comprises financial statements of -

- Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited (Parent Company)
- 2) Bituminex Cochin Private Limited (Indian wholly owned subsidiary)
- AICL Overseas FZ LLC (Overseas wholly owned subsidiary)
- 4) Agarwal Translink Private Limited (Indian wholly owned subsidiary) (hereinafter to be referred as the Group) for the year ended 31st March, 2023

The Parent Company, Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited was originally incorporated with the name, Bombay Baroda Roadways (India) Limited in the year 1995 as a public limited Company under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1956. Subsequently, in the year 2008, the name of parent company was changed from Bombay Baroda Roadways (India) Limited to Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited. The equity shares of the Parent Company are listed on the National Stock Exchange (NSE) and Bombay Stock Exchange (BSE). The Group is principally engaged in the business activities of Ancillary Infra i.e. manufacturing and trading of Bitumen and Allied Products, Logistics of Bitumen and Liquified Petroleum Gas (LPG), Energy generation through Wind Mills, Ship Operating and Chartering and Trading in petroleum products through authorised petrol pump of Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited.

In previous year, on 9th April, 2021, the Parent Company has acquired 100% equity shares of Agarwal Translink Private Limited (ATPL) for a consideration of Rs. 1,249.82 lakhs by way of purchase of 11,08,980 fully paid-up equity shares from selling shareholders of ATPL in pursuance of Share Purchase Agreement dated 15th January, 2021. The purchase consideration of Rs. 1,249.82 lakhs have been paid by the parent Company by allotments of 11,88,042 fully paid-up Equity Shares of face value of Rs. 10 each at Rs. 105.20 per equity shares including a share premium of Rs. 95.20 per equity share aggregating to Rs. 1,249.82 lakhs for consideration other than in cash.

Pursuant to the Acquisition, ATPL has become wholly owned subsidiary of the Company with effective from 9th April 2021. Agarwal Translink Private Limited is principally engaged in the logistics activities of Bitumen and Trading of Petroleum Products through its Petrol pump.

During the current financial year, the Company have incorporated a new wholly owned subsidiary company in India with the objectives to carry on the business activities of non-banking financial companies. The initial process of incorporation of company have been completed with the name of wholly owned subsidiary as "AICL Finance Private Limited".

The company is in the process of completing the other required compliances of Reserve Bank of India (RBI) and of Ministry of Corporate Affiars (MCA) so as to get the Certificate of Registration under RBI Act, 1934 and to get the certificate of commencement of business under the Companies Act.

## 1 (B). SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

## 1. Basis of Preparation of Consolidated Financial Statements:

These consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Indian Accounting Standards (hereinafter referred to as the 'Ind AS') as notified by Ministry of Corporate Affairs pursuant to Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act') read with the Companies (Indian Accounting standards) Rules as amended from time to time and other related provisions of the Act.

The consolidated financial statements of the Group are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting and historical cost convention except for the following material items that have been measured at fair value as required by the relevant Ind AS:

- (i) Certain financial assets and liabilities are measured at Fair value (refer note 7 below)
- (ii) Defined benefit employee plan (refer note 13

The accounting policies are applied consistently to all the periods presented in the consolidated financial statements. All assets and liabilities have been classified as current or non current as per the Group's normal operating cycle and other criteria set out in the Schedule III to the Companies Act, 2013.

#### **Basis of Consolidatation**

The consolidated financial statements comprise the financial statements of the Parent Company and its subsidiaries as at 31st March, 2023.

#### **Subsidiaries**

Subsidiaries are entities over which the Group has control. Control is achieved when the Group is exposed, or has rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the investee.

Specifically, the Group controls an investee if and only if the Group has

- (a) Power over the investee (i.e. existing rights that give it the current ability to direct the relevant activities of the investee)
- (b) Exposure, or rights, to variable returns from its involvement with the investee
- (c) The ability to use its power over the investee to affect its returns

Consolidation of a subsidiary begins when the group obtains control over the subsidiary and ceases when the Group losses control of the subsidiary.

#### **Consolidatation Procedure**

**Subsidiaries** 

- (a) Combine, on line by line basis like items of assets, liabilities, equity, income, expenses and cash flows of the Parent with those of its subsidiaries.
- (b) Offset (eliminate) the carrying amount of the Parent's investment in each subsidiary and the Parent's portion of equity of each subsidiary. Business combinations policy explains how to account for any related goodwill.
- (c) Eliminate in full intra-group assets and liabilities, equity, income, expenses and Cash flows relating to transactions between entities of the group (profits or losses resulting from intra-group transactions that are recognised in assets, such as inventory and property, plant and equipment (PPE), are eliminated in full). Intra-group losses may indicate an impairment that requires recognition in the consolidated financial statements. Ind AS 12 Income Taxes applies to temporary differences that arise from the elimination of profits and losses resulting from intra-group transactions.
- (d) Profit or loss and each component of other comprehensive income are attributed to the owners of the Parent Company and to the noncontrolling interests. Total comprehensive income of subsidiaries is attributed to the owners of the Parent Company and to the non-controlling interests even if this results in the non-controlling interests having a deficit balance.
- (e) Consolidated Financial Statements are prepared using uniform accounting policies for like transactions and other events in similar circumstances. If a member of the Group uses accounting policies other than those adopted in the consolidated financial statements for like transactions and events in similar circumstances, appropriate

adjustments are made to that Group member's financial statements in preparing the consolidated financial statements to ensure conformity with the Group's accounting policies.

Changes in the Group's ownership interest in existing subsidiaries:

Changes in the Group's ownership interests in subsidiaries that do not result in the Group losing control over the subsidiaries are accounted for as equity transactions. The carrying amounts of the Group's interests and the non-controlling interests are adjusted to reflect the changes in their relative interests in the subsidiaries. Any difference between the amount by which the non-controlling interests are adjusted and the fair value of the consideration paid or received is recognised directly in equity and attributed to owners of the group.

When the Group loses control of a subsidiary, a gain or loss is recognised in consolidated statement of profit and loss and is calculated as the difference between (i) the aggregate of the fair value of the consideration received and the fair value of any retained interest and (ii) the previous carrying amount of the assets (including goodwill), and liabilities of the subsidiary and any noncontrolling interests.

The consolidated financial statements are presented in INR, the functional currency of the Group.

#### 2. Use of Estimates and judgments:

The preparation of the consolidated financial statements requires the Management to make, judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, disclosure of contingent liabilities as at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. The recognition, measurement, classification or disclosure of an item or information in the financial statements is made relying on these estimates. The estimates and judgements used in the preparation of the consolidated financial statements are continuously evaluated by the management and are based on historical experience and various other assumptions and factors (including expectations of future events) that the management believes to be reasonable under the existing circumstances. Actual results may differ from those estimates. Any revision to accounting estimates is recognised prospectively in current and future periods.

Critical accounting judgements and key source of estimation uncertainty

The Group is required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying

amount of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an on-going basis.

- (a) Recognition and measurement of defined benefit obligations, key actuarial assumptions - refer note 13 below.
- (b) Estimation of current tax expenses and payable refer note 14 below
- (c) Estimation of Right-of-Use and Lease Liabilities - refer note 19 below

#### 3. Property, plant and equipment (PPE)

Property, plant and equipment is stated at acquisition cost net of accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses, if any.

The cost of an item of property, plant and equipment comprises its purchase price, including import duties and non-refundable purchase taxes, after deducting trade discounts and rebates, any directly attributable costs of bringing the asset to its working condition for its intended use and estimated costs of dismantling and removing the item and restoring the item and restoring the site on which it is located.

If significant parts of an item of property, plant and equipment have different useful lives, then they are accounted for as separate items (major components) of property, plant and equipment. Subsequent expenditure and subsequent costs are included in the assets carrying amount or recognized as a separate asset, as appropriate only if it is probable that the future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Group and that the cost of the item can be reliably measured.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with carrying amount. These are included in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

Assets that are subject to depreciation and amortization are reviewed for impairment, whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that carrying amount may not be recoverable.

Property, plant and equipment which are not ready for intended use as on the date of Balance Sheet are disclosed as "Capital work-in-progress".

#### 4. Intangible assets

Intangible assets are carried at cost less any accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment losses, if any.

#### 5 Depreciation and Amortization:

#### (a) Property plant and equipment (PPE)

Depreciation is provided on a pro-rata basis on the straight line method based on estimated useful life prescribed under Schedule II to the Companies Act, 2013. The Group, based on technical assessment made by technical experts, have estimated the useful live of 35 years of ocean going bulk carriers ship from their making year which, managment belives is realistic and reflect fair approximation of the period over which ships are likely to be used.

The residual values, useful lives and method of depreciation of property, plant and equipment is reviewed at each financial year end and adjusted prospectively, if appropriate.

#### (b) Intangible assets

The useful lives of intangible assets are assessed as either finite or indefinite. Finite-life intangible assets are amortised on a straight-line basis over the period of their expected useful lives.

The amortisation period and the amortisation method for finite life intangible assets is reviewed at each financial year end and adjusted prospectively, if appropriate. For indefinite life intangible assets, the assessment of indefinite life is reviewed annually to determine whether it continues, if not, it is impaired or changed prospectively on the basis of revised estimates."

#### 6. Investment Properties:

Property that is held for long-term rental yields or for capital appreciation or both, and that is not occupied by the Group, is classified as investment property. Investment property is measured at its cost, including related transaction costs and where applicable borrowing costs less depreciation and impairment if any.

Depreciation on Investment Property is provided using the written down value method based on the useful lives specified in Schedule II to the Companies Act, 2013.

#### 7. Financial Instruments:

Financial assets - Initial recognition:

Financial assets are recognised when the Group becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instruments. On initial recognition, a financial asset is recognised at fair value, in case of Financial assets which are recognised at fair value through profit and loss (FVTPL), its transaction cost are recognised in the statement of profit and loss. In other cases, the transaction cost are attributed to the acquisition value of the financial asset.

#### Subsequent measurement:

Financial assets are subsequently classified and measured at:

- amortised cost
- fair value through profit & loss (FVTPL)
- fair value through other comprehensive income (FVTOCI)

The above classification is being determined considering the:

- (a) the entity's business model for managing the financial assets and
- (b) the contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial asset.

Financial assets are not reclassified subsequent to their recognition, except if and in the period the group changes its business model for managing financial assets.

#### (i) Measured at amortised cost:

Financial assets are subsequently measured at amortised cost, if these financial assets are held within a business module whose objective is to hold these assets in order to collect contractual cash flows and the contractual terms of the financial asset that give rise on specified date to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

#### (ii) Measured at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVTOCI):

Financial assets are measured at FVTOCI, if these financial assets are held within a business model whose objective is achieved by both collecting contractual cash flows that give rise on specified dates to solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding and by selling financial assets. Fair value movements are recognized in the other comprehensive income (OCI). Interest income measured using the Effective Interest Rate method and impairment losses, if any are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss. On derecognition, cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in OCI is reclassified from the equity to 'other income' in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### (iii) Measured at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL):

Financial assets other than equity instrument are measured at FVTPL unless it is measured at amortised cost or at FVTOCI on initial recognition. Such financial assets are measured at fair value with all changes in fair value, including interest income and

dividend income if any, recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### **Equity instruments:**

On initial recognition, the Group can make an irrevocable election (on an instrument-byinstrument basis) to present the subsequent changes in fair value in other comprehensive income pertaining to investments in equity instruments. This election is not permitted if the equity investment is held for trading. These elected investments are initially measured at fair value plus transaction costs. Subsequently, they are measured at fair value with gains and losses arising from changes in fair value recognised in other comprehensive income and accumulated in the 'Reserve for equity instruments through other comprehensive income'. The cumulative gain or loss is not reclassified to Statement of Profit and Loss on disposal of the investments.

Dividends on these investments in equity instruments are recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss when the Group's right to receive the dividends is established, it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the dividend will flow to the entity, the dividend does not represent a recovery of part of cost of the investment and the amount of dividend can be measured reliably. Dividends recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss are included in the 'Other income' line item.

#### Impairment

The Group recognises a loss allowance for Expected Credit Losses (ECL) on financial assets that are measured at amortised cost and at FVTOCI. The credit loss is difference between all contractual cash flows that are due to an entity in accordance with the contract and all the cash flows that the entity expects to receive (i.e. all cash shortfalls), discounted at the original effective interest rate. This is assessed on an individual or collective basis after considering all reasonable and supportable including that which is forward looking.

The Group's trade receivables or contract revenue receivables do not contain significant financing component and loss allowance on trade receivables is measured at an amount equal to life time expected losses i.e. expected cash shortfall, being simplified approach for recognition of impairment loss allowance.

Under simplified approach, the Group does not track changes in credit risk. Rather it recognizes impairment loss allowance based on the lifetime ECL at each reporting date right from its initial recognition. The Group uses a provision matrix to determine impairment loss allowance on the portfolio of trade receivables. The provision matrix is based on its historically observed default rates over the expected life of the trade receivable and is adjusted for forward looking estimates. At every

reporting date, the historical observed default rates are updated and changes in the forwardlooking estimates are analysed.

For financial assets other than trade receivables, the Group recognises 12-months expected credit losses for all originated or acquired financial assets if at the reporting date the credit risk of the financial asset has not increased significantly since its initial recognition. The expected credit losses are measured as lifetime expected credit losses if the credit risk on financial asset increases significantly since its initial recognition. If, in a subsequent period, credit quality of the instrument improves such that there is no longer significant increase in credit risks since initial recognition, then the Group reverts to recognizing impairment loss allowance based on 12 months ECL. The impairment losses and reversals are recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss. For equity instruments and financial assets measured at FVTPL, there is no requirement of impairment testing.

#### Derecognition

The Group derecognises a financial asset when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the financial asset expire, or it transfers rights to receive cash flows from an asset, it evaluates if and to what extent it has retained the risks and rewards of ownership. When it has neither transferred nor retained substantially all of the risks and rewards of the asset, nor transferred control of the asset, the Group continues to recognise the transferred asset to the extent of the Group's continuing involvement.

In that case, the Group also recognises an associated liability. The transferred asset and the associated liability are measured on a basis that reflects the rights and obligations that the Group has retained.

#### **Financial Liabilities**

#### Initial Recognition and measurement

Financial liabilities are recognised when the Group becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instruments. Financial liabilities are initially recognised at fair value net of transaction costs for all financial liabilities not carried at fair value through profit or loss.

The Group's financial liabilities includes trade and other payables, loans and borrowings including bank overdrafts.

**Subsequent measurement:** Financial liabilities measured at amortised cost are subsequently measured at using Effective Interest Rate (EIR) method. Financial liabilities carried at fair value through profit or loss are measured at fair value with all changes in fair value recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

**Loans & Borrowings :** After initial recognition, interest bearing loans and borrowings are subsequently measured at amortised cost using EIR method. Gains and losses are recognized in profit & loss when the liabilities are derecognized as well as through EIR amortization process.

Financial Guarantee Contracts: Financial guarantee contracts issued by the Group are those contracts that require payment to be made or to be reimbursed to the holder for a loss it incurs because the specified debtor fails to make payment when due in accordance with the term of a debt instrument. Financial guarantee contracts are recognized initially as a liability at fair value, adjusted for transaction costs that are directly attributable to the issuance of the guarantee.

#### De-recognition

A financial liability is derecognised when the obligation under the liability is discharged or cancelled or expires. When an existing financial liability is replaced by another from the same lender on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing liability are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification is treated as the derecognition of the original liability and the recognition of a new liability. The difference in the respective carrying amounts is recognized in the statement of profit or loss.

#### Derivative financial instruments

The Group uses derivative financial instruments, such as forward foreign exchange contracts, to hedge its foreign currency risks. Such derivative financial instruments are initially recognised at fair value on the date on which a derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently remeasured at fair value, with changes in fair value recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### Offsetting of financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset and the net amount is reported in the Balance Sheet if there is a currently enforceable legal right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, to realise the assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously.

#### 8. Fair Value Measurement

The Group measures financial instruments, such as, derivatives, investments at fair value at each balance sheet date. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The fair value measurement is based on the presumption that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability takes place either:

- (a) In the principal market for the asset or liability, or
- (b) In the absence of a principal market, in the most advantageous market for the asset or liability.

The principal or the most advantageous market must be accessible by the Group. The fair value of an asset or a liability is measured using the assumptions that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability, assuming that market participants act in their economic best interest.

A fair value measurement of a non-financial asset takes into account a market participant's ability to generate economic benefits by using the asset in its highest and best use or by selling it to another market participant that would use the asset in its highest and best use. The Group uses valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value, maximising the use of relevant observable inputs and minimising the use of unobservable inputs. All assets and liabilities for which fair value is measured or disclosed in the financial statements are categorised within the fair value hierarchy, described as follows, based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole:

- (i) Level 1 Quoted (unadjusted) market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- (ii) Level 2 Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is directly or indirectly observable.
- (iii) Level 3 Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is unobservable.

For assets and liabilities that are recognised in the financial statements on a recurring basis, the Groupdetermines whether transfers have occurred between levels in the hierarchy by re-assessing categorisation (based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole) at the end of each reporting period.

For the purpose of fair value disclosures, the Group has determined classes of assets and liabilities on the basis of the nature, characteristics and risks of the asset or liability and the level of the fair value hierarchy as explained above.

#### 9. Inventory:

Inventories are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value. Cost is computed on First-in-First-Out (FIFO) basis. Cost of finished goods and work-in-progress include all costs of purchases, conversion costs and other costs incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition. The net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business less the estimated costs of completion and estimated costs necessary to make the sale.

#### 10. Cash and Cash Equivalents:

Cash and Cash equivalents include cash and Cheque in hand, bank balances, demand deposits with banks and other short-term highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value where original maturity is three months or less.

#### 11. Foreign Currency Transactions:

#### a) Initial Recognition

Transactions in foreign currency are recorded at the exchange rate prevailing on the date of the transaction. Exchange differences arising on foreign exchange transactions settled during the year are recognized in the Statement of Profit and Loss of the year.

#### b) Measurement of Foreign Currency Items at the Balance Sheet Date

Foreign currency monetary items of the Group are restated at the closing exchange rates. Non monetary items are recorded at the exchange rate prevailing on the date of the transaction. Exchange differences arising out of these transactions are charged to the Statement of Profit and Loss.

## Translation of Financial Statements of foreign entities

On Consolidation, the assets and liabilities of foreign operations are translated into Indian Rupees at the exchange rate prevailing at the reporting date and their statements of profit and loss are translated at exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions. For practical reasons, group uses an average rate to translate income and expenses items. The exchange difference arising on translation for consolidation are recognised in Consolidated Statement of OCI.

#### 12. Revenue Recognition:

Revenue is measured at the value of the consideration received or receivable. Amounts disclosed as revenue are net of returns, trade allowances, rebates, discounts, loyalty discount, value added taxes and amounts collected on behalf of third parties.

The Group recognizes revenue, whenever control over distinct goods or services is transferred to the customer; i.e. when the customer is able to direct the use of the transferred goods or services

and obtains substantially all of the remaining benefits, provided a contract with enforceable rights and obligations exists and amongst others collectability of consideration is probable taking into account customer 's creditworthiness. It is probable that future economic benefits will flow to the Group and specific criteria have been met for each of the Group's activities as described below.

#### Sale of Goods

Revenues are recognized at a point in time when control of the goods passes to the buyer, usually upon either at the time of dispatch or delivery. In case of export sale, it is usually recognised based on the shipped-on board date as per bill of lading.

#### Rendering of Services

Income from services rendered is recognised based on agreements / arrangements with the customers as the service is performed / rendered.

#### Interest

Revenue is recognised on a time proportion basis taking into account the amount outstanding and the interest rate applicable and based on Effective interest rate method.

#### Dividend

Dividend Income is recognized when right to receive the same is established.

#### 13. Employee Benefits:

The Group has provides following postemployment plans:

- (a) Defined benefit plans such a gratuity and
- (b) Defined contribution plans such as Provident fund

#### a) Defined-benefit plan:

The liability or asset recognised in the balance sheet in respect of defined benefit gratuity plan is the present value of defined benefit obligations at the end of the reporting period less fair value of plan assets. The defined benefit obligations is calculated annually by actuaries through actuarial valuation using the projected unit credit method. The Group recognises the following changes in the net defined benefit obligation as an expense in the statement of profit and loss:

- (a) Service costs comprising current service costs, past-service costs, gains and losses on curtailment and non-routine settlements; and
- (b) Net interest expense or income

The net interest cost is calculated by applying the discount rate to the net balance of the defined benefit obligation and fair value of plan assets. This cost is included in employee benefit expenses in the statement of the profit & loss.

Re-measurement comprising of actuarial gains and losses arising from

- (a) Re-measurement of Actuarial (gains)/losses
- (b) Return on plan assets, excluding amount recognized in effect of asset ceiling
- (c) Re-measurement arising because of change in effect of asset ceiling

are recognised in the period in which they occurdirectly in Other comprehensive income. Re-measurement are not reclassified to profit or loss in subsequent periods.

Ind AS 19 requires the exercise of judgment in relation to various assumptions including future pay rises, inflation and discount rates and employee and pensioner demographics. The Group determines the assumptions in conjunction with its actuaries, and believes these assumptions to be in line with best practice, but the application of different assumptions could have a significant effect on theamounts reflected in the income statement, other comprehensive income and balance sheet. There may be also interdependency between some of the assumptions.

#### b) Defined-contribution plan:

Under defined contribution plans, provident fund, the Group pays pre-defined amounts to separate funds and does not have any legal or informal obligation to pay additional sums. Defined Contribution plan comprise of contributions to the employees' provident fund with the government, superannuation fund and certain state plans like Employees' State Insurance and Employees' Pension Scheme. The Group's payments to the defined contribution plans are recognised as expenses during the period in which the employees perform the services that the payment covers.

#### 14. Taxes on Income:

Income tax comprises current and deferred tax. Income tax expense is recognized in the statement of profit and loss except to the extent it relates to items directly recognized in equity or in other comprehensive income.

Current tax is based on taxable profit for the year. Taxable profit is different from accounting profit due to temporary differences between accounting and tax treatments, and due to items that are never taxable or tax deductible. Tax provisions are included in current liabilities. Interest and penalties on tax liabilities are provided for in the tax charge. The Group offsets, the current tax assets and

liabilities (on a year on year basis) where it has a legally enforceable right and where it intends to settle such assets and liabilities on a net basis or to realise the assets and liabilities on net basis.

Deferred income tax is recognized using the balance sheet approach. Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are recognized for deductible and taxable temporary differences arising between the tax base of assets and liabilities and their carrying amount in financial statements. Deferred income tax asset are recognized to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences, and the carry forward of unused tax credits and unused tax losses can be utilized. Deferred tax assets are not recognised where it is more likely than not that the assets will not be realised in the future.

The carrying amount of deferred income tax assets is reviewed at each reporting date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred income tax asset to be utilized. Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period when the asset is realized or the liability is settled, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date.

Deferred tax items are recognised in correlation to the underlying transaction either in OCI or directly in equity.

#### 15. Borrowing Cost:

General and specific borrowing costs that are directlyattributable to the acquisition, construction or production of qualifying assets are capitalized as a part of Cost of that assets, during the period till all the activities necessary to prepare the Qualifying assets for its intended use or sale are complete during the period of time that is required to complete and prepare the assets for its intended use or sale. Qualifying assets are assets that necessarily take a substantial period of time to get ready for their intended use or sale.

Other borrowing costs are recognized as an expense in the period in which they are incurred.

#### 16. Segment Reporting:

Operating segments are reported in a manner consistent with the internal reporting provided to the chief operating decision maker of the Parent Company.

#### 17. Earnings Per Share:

Basic earnings per shares are calculated by dividing the net profit or loss after tax for the period attributable to equity shareholders by the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the period. For the purpose of calculating diluted earnings per share, the net profit or loss for the period attributable to the equity shareholders and the weighted average number of shares outstanding during the period is adjusted for the effects of all dilutive potential equity shares.

#### 18. Measurement of EBITDA

The Group has opted to present earnings before interest (finance cost), tax, depreciation and amortisation (EBITDA) as a separate line item on the face of the Statement of Profit and Loss for the period. The Group measures EBITDA based on profit/(loss) from continuing operations.

#### 19. Leases:

The Group has adopted Ind AS 116-Leases using the modified retrospective method. The Group has applied the standard to its leases with the cumulative impact recognised on the date of initial application.

The Group's lease asset classes primarily consist of leases for Land, Buildings and Plant & Machinery. The Group assesses whether a contract is or contains a lease, at inception of a contract. A contract is, or contains, a lease if the contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration. To assess whether a contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset, the Group assesses whether:

- (a) the contract involves the use of an identified asset.
- (b) the Group has substantially all of the economic benefits from use of the asset through the period of the lease and
- (c) the Group has the right to direct the use of the asset.

At the date of commencement of the lease, the Group recognises a right-of-use asset ("ROU") and a corresponding lease liability for all lease arrangements in which it is a lessee, except for leases with a term of twelve months or less (short term leases) and leases of low value assets. For these short term and leases of low value assets, the Group recognises the lease payments as an operating expense on a straight-line basis over the term of the lease.

The right-of-use assets are initially recognised at cost, which comprises the initial amount of the lease liability adjusted for any lease payments made at or prior to the commencement date of the lease plus any initial direct costs less any lease incentives. They are subsequently measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses, if any. Right-of-use assets are depreciated from the commencement

date on a straight-line basis over the shorter of the lease term and useful life of the underlying asset.

The lease liability is initially measured at the present value of the future lease payments. The lease payments are discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease or, if not readily determinable, using the incremental borrowing rates. The lease liability is subsequently remeasured by increasing the carrying amount to reflect interest on the lease liability, reducing the carrying amount to reflect the lease payments made. A lease liability is remeasured upon the occurrence of certain events such as a change in the lease term or a change in an index or rate used to determine lease payments. The remeasurement normally also adjusts the leased assets.

Lease liability and ROU asset have been separately presented in the Balance Sheet and lease payments have been classified as financing cash flows.

## 20. Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets:

A provision is recognised if, as a result of a past event, the group has a present legal or constructive obligation that can be estimated reliably, and it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation. Provisions for onerous contracts are recognized when the expected benefits to be derived by the Group from a contract are lower than the unavoidable costs of meeting the future obligations under the contract. A disclosure for contingent liabilities is made where there is a possible obligation or a present obligation that may probably not require an outflow of resources or an obligation for which the future outcome cannot be ascertained with reasonable certainty. When there is a possible or a present obligation where the likelihood of outflow of resources is remote, no provision or disclosure is made.

Contingent assets are neither recognized nor disclosed in financial statements.

# 2 (a) Property, Plant & Equipment:

											₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	Land	Land - Lease Hold	Vehicles	Furniture & Fixtures	Office Equipments	Factory Building	Office Building	Plant & Equipment	Ship / Vessels	Wind Mill	Total
Gross carrying amount											
Balance as at 1st April, 2021	102.44	533.02	4,439.33	164.70	44.91	344.20	1	2,210.94	9,002.33	711.03	17,552.90
Additions			239.35	2.25	13.68	7.60		603.36	5,216.97		6,083.21
Addition on acquisition of subsidiary company	39.97		421.60	3.44	68.9	80.0	18.88			•	490.86
Disposals		1	(563.75)	1	(2.08)		(0.14)			1	(268.97)
Translation Difference		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	281.99	1	281.99
Transferred to Investment Property	•	1	1	•		1	1	1	-	1	
Balance as at 31st March, 2022	142.41	533.02	4,536.53	170.39	60.40	351.88	18.74	2,814.30	14,501.29	711.03	23,839.99
Additions	1	1	582.65	3.09	25.22	11.85		411.15	12,262.50	1	13,296.47
Disposals	•	1	(610.87)	(1.13)	(5.39)	1		(7.93)		1	(625.32)
Translation Difference	-	•							1,275.27		1,275.27
Balance as at 31st March, 2023	142.41	533.02	4,508.32	172.35	80.24	363.73	18.74	3,217.52	28,039.06	711.03	37,786.41
Accumulated depreciation											
Accumulated depreciation as at 1st April, 2021	1	1	2,610.38	82.66	32.92	56.09	1	464.69	362.72	233.71	3,843.17
Depreciation charge for the year	•	•	636.79	16.64	10.29	11.64	0.67	124.98	541.01	46.74	1,388.78
On acquisition of subsidiary company			99.12	69:0	1.09		0.70				101.60
Disposals	•	-	(473.04)	•	(4.82)	-	(0.05)	-		1	(477.92)
Translation Difference	•		•	•	•	•	1	1	19.75	1	19.75
Accumulated depreciation as at 31st March, 2022	1	1	2,873.24	66.66	39.48	67.74	1.32	589.67	923.48	280.45	4,875.38
Depreciation charge for the year	-	•	554.13	16.28	9.16	11.25	0.63	152.84	883.89	46.74	1,674.91
Disposals		1	(539.18)	(0.85)	(2.07)	1	1	(5.18)	1	1	(550.28)
Translation Difference	'	•	1						102.61		102.61
Accumulated depreciation as at 31st March, 2023	•	•	2,888.19	115.42	43.57	78.99	1.95	737.33	1,909.98	327.20	6,102.62
Net carrying amount											
Net carrying amount as at 31st March, 2022	142.41	533.02	1,663.29	70.40	20.92	284.14	17.41	2,224.63	13,577.81	430.58	18,964.61
Net carrying amount as at 31st March, 2023	142.41	533.02	1,620.13	56.93	36.66	284.74	16.79	2,480.20	26,129.08	383.83	31,683.78

# Notes:

- 1. Refer note no. 38 for disclosure on contractual commitments for the acquisition of property, plant and equipment.
- 2. Title deed in respect of all immovable properties are held in the name of the Parent and Indian Subsidiaries.
- 3. Lease Hold lands are not amortised as the same are of long term nature with the option to extent the lease period.
- 4. The Group has not revalued any of its property, plant and equipment during the years ended 31st March 2023 and 31st March 2022. Hence, the amount of change in gross and net carrying amount due to revaluation and impairment losses/reversals are nil.

#### 2 (b) Capital work-in-progress (CWIP):

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Building	259.71	-
Land development	33.20	-
Bulk Storage Tank	-	119.55
Plant & Machinery	371.09	166.96
Others	30.83	-
Total	694.83	286.51

#### Capital Work- in- progress Ageing Schedule

₹ in Lakhs

	Amou				
Capital Work- in- progress	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	2 to 3 years	More than 3 years	Total
As at 31st March 2023					
Projects in progress	528.84	97.68	27.01	41.30	694.83
As at 31st March 2022					
Projects in progress	218.20	27.01	41.30	-	286.51

There are no capital work-in-progress projects whose completion is overdue against original planned timelines or where estimated cost exceeded its original planned cost as on 31st March, 2023 and 31st March, 2022.

#### 2 (c) Investment Property:

#### Reconciliation of carrying amount:

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	Land	Total
Gross carrying amount		
Balance as at 1 <sup>st</sup> April, 2021	37.44	37.44
Additions	-	-
Balance as at 31st March, 2022	37.44	37.44
Additions	-	-
Balance as at 31st March, 2023	37.44	37.44
Accumulated depreciation		
Accumulated depreciation as at 1 <sup>st</sup> April, 2021	-	-
Depreciation charge for the year	-	-
Accumulated depreciation as at 31st March, 2022	-	-
Depreciation charge for the year	-	-
Accumulated depreciation as at 31st March, 2023	-	-
Net carrying amount		
Net carrying amount as at 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2022	37.44	37.44
Net carrying amount as at 31st March, 2023	37.44	37.44

#### Information regarding income and expenditure of Investment Property

Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	
Rental income dereived from Investment Property	43.34	43.34
Direct Operating Expenses	-	-
Profit arising from investment property before depreciation	43.34	43.34
Less: Depreciation	-	-
Profit arising from Investment Property	43.34	43.34

- (a) The Group's investment property consists of land in India.
- (b) Based on the intention, land owned by the Group, which was classified as Property, Plant and Equipment has been considered as being held for generating rental income rather than for business purposes. Hence, the Group has reclassified the same from Property, Plant and Equipment to Investment Property.

#### 2 (d) Right of Use Assets: Movement in Net Carrying Amount

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	Land	Building	Plant&Machinery	Total
Net Carrying Amount				
Balance as at 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2021	196.63	24.57	1,757.47	1,978.67
Additions	8.23	-	997.07	1,005.29
Depreciation charge for the year	8.80	24.57	551.24	584.61
Deletions	-	-	-	-
Balance as at 31st March 2022	196.06	-	2,203.30	2,399.35
Additions	21.60	62.89	31.90	116.39
Depreciation charge for the year	9.46	20.96	563.22	593.65
Deletions	-	-	-	-
Balance at 31st March 2023	208.19	41.93	1,671.97	1,922.10

All lease agreements are duly executed in favour of the Companies in the group.

#### 2 (e) Goodwill on consolidation (refer note 46):

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Bituminex Cochin Private Limited	226.30	226.30
Agarwal Translink Private Limited	262.51	262.51
Total	488.81	488.81

#### 3 Investments - Non-current

Aggregate amount of unquoted investments

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Investment in Unquoted Government Securities - measured at Cost		
National Saving Certificate (lying with government authority)	0.08	0.08
Other Investment - measured at Cost		
Shares of Chemical & Alkali Industrial and Warehousing Co-op Society Limited	0.01	0.01
TOTAL	0.09	0.09
Note:		
Aggregate amount of quoted investments and market value thereof	-	-

#### 4 Other Financial Assets - Non-current

₹ in Lakhs

0.09

0.09

Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Security Deposit - Unsecured, Considered good	94.30	90.25
Bank deposits with more than 12 months maturity	302.60	540.83
TOTAL	396.90	631.08

#### 5 Other non-current assets

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Unsecured, Considered good		
Capital advances	50.13	55.36
Advances other than capital advances		
Security Deposit	23.29	16.21
TOTAL	73.42	71.57

#### 6 Inventories

₹ in Lakh:		
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
(Valued at lower of Cost or Net Realizable Value)		
Finished Goods	1,211.88	1,284.66
Semi Finished Goods	90.68	140.04
Raw Material	929.96	641.26
Stock-in-trade (acquired for trading) (Including stock in transit Rs.7250.98 lakhs (as at 31 March 2022 Rs. Nil)	8,591.30	4,181.84
Stores, Spares & Packing Material	786.32	288.01
(The Group has availed working capital facilities which are secured by hypothecation of inventories)		
TOTAL	11,610.14	6,535.81

#### 7 Investments - Current

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Investment in Quoted Mutual Funds measured at FVTPL		
31532.425 (31532.43) units of Tata Flexi Cap Fund Regular Plan Growth	4.71	4.90
Nil (299890.306) units of ICICI Prudential equity Saving Fund cumulative	-	51.58
1650.691 (838.782) units of DSP Equity Opportunities Fund	5.81	2.86
Nil (1247.448) units of DSP Equity & Bond Fund Opportunities Fund	-	2.85
1607.676 (1607.676) units of ICICI Prudential Liquid fund	5.32	5.04
431725.782 (431725.782) units of Nippon India Equity Saving Fund-Segregated Portfolio	1.25	1.25
13911.38 (13911.38) units of Kotak Balance Advantage fund	2.08	2.00
190.849 (Nil) units of Kotak money market Fund Regular Plan Growth	7.26	-
49997.50 (Nil) units of Mirare Asset Mutual Fund	5.02	-
99995.00 (Nil) units of ICICI Prudential Long Short Fund Series II Classs B 13	103.14	-
295425.405 (Nil) units of ICICI Prudential Regular Gold SF-DP Growth	58.31	-
760048.344 (Nil) units of ICICI Prudential Silver ETF FOF DP Growth	87.22	-
47671.974 (93305.465) units of ICICI Prudential Ultra Short Term Fund - Growth	11.26	20.92
Nil (3727473.630) units of ICICI Prudential Ultra Short Term Fund-Monthy Dividend	-	891.27
65918.415 (7538.088) units of Nippon India Ultra Short Duration Fund - Growth Option Growth plan	2,275.04	266.03
TOTAL	2,566.41	1,248.70
Note:		
Aggregate amount of quoted investments and market value thereof	2,566.41	1,248.70
Aggregate amount of unquoted investments	-	-

#### 8 Trade Receivables

₹ in Lakh		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Trade Receivables - Unsecured *		
a) Undisputed, considered good	17,955.41	14,162.24
b) Undisputed, which have significant increase in credit risk	1,610.93	2,073.06
c) Undisputed, credit impaired	-	-
d) Disputed, considered good	-	-
e) Disputed, which have significant increase in credit risk	-	-
f) Disputed, credit impaired	-	-
	19,566.34	16,235.30
Less : Expected Credit Loss Allowance	(211.24)	(114.37)
TOTAL	19,355.10	16,120.93

<sup>\*</sup>For Trade Receivables dues from related parties refer note 45 and, For Trade Receivables Ageing Schedule refer note 47.

#### 9 Cash and Cash Equivalents

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Cash on Hand	37.84	60.14
Balance with Banks		
- Current Accounts	966.84	798.79
<ul> <li>Cash Credit &amp; Overdraft Accounts (refer note no.19 for detail of security, terms of facility and rate of interest)</li> </ul>	1,380.21	3,279.89
- Fixed Deposit Accounts maturing within 3 months (refer note no. 19 for FDR hypothicated with bank)	536.54	494.08
Cheques, Drafts on Hand	9.45	5.42
TOTAL	2,930.89	4,638.31

#### 10 Bank Balances other than Cash and Cash Equivalents

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Balance with banks		
- Unpaid Dividend Accounts	5.96	8.92
<ul> <li>Fixed Deposit Accounts maturing between 3 to 12 months (refer note no. 19 for FDR hypothicated with bank)</li> </ul>	415.79	359.55
TOTAL	421.75	368.47

#### 11 Loans

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	As at 31st March 2023 "	As at 31st March 2022
Loans Receivables considered good - Secured	-	-
Loans Receivables considered good - Unsecured		
- Advances to Staff	22.29	20.18
Loans Receivables which have significant increase in Credit Risk	-	-
Loans Receivables - credit impaired	-	-
TOTAL	22.29	20.18

#### **12 Other Financial Assets - Current**

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Security Deposit - Unsecured, Considered good	21.12	-
Accrued Interest on Fixed Deposit	84.53	20.61
TOTAL	105.65	20.61

#### **13 Current Tax Assets (net)**

Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Advance Income Tax and Tax Deducted at Source (net of Provision)	160.42	189.83
TOTAL	160.42	189.83

#### **14 Other Current Assets**

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Unsecured, Considered good		
Other Advances		
- Advances recoverable in cash or in kind or for value to be received	1,175.75	1,140.64
[Includes Rs.35.38 lakhs (as at 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2022 Rs. Nil) due from a firm in which directors are partners]		
<ul> <li>Advance to Supplier [Includes Rs. 475 lakhs (as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2022 Rs.325 lakhs) due from a company in which director is director]</li> </ul>	502.60	523.23
- Prepaid Expenses	91.70	59.53
Balance with Government Authorities		
- Deposit with Sales Tax Authority - Under Protest	28.23	28.23
- Income Tax Paid - Under Protest	196.90	196.90
- GST Paid - Under Protest	2.47	2.47
- Input Tax Credit under GST Receivable	490.01	338.56
- Custom Duty Refund Receivable	0.53	0.53
TOTAL	2,488.19	2,290.08

### **15 (A) Equity Share Capital**

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Authorised:		
1,70,00,000 (as at 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2022 : 1,70,00,000) Equity Shares of Rs. 10 each	1,700.00	1,700.00
TOTAL	1,700.00	1,700.00
Issued, Subscribed and Paid up:		
1,49,57,789 (as at 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2022 : 1,32,08,789) Equity Shares of Rs.10 each with voting rights, fully paid up	1,495.78	1,320.88
TOTAL	1,495.78	1,320.88

#### (i) Reconciliation of number of shares outstanding at the beginning and at the end of the year:

				₹ in Lakhs
Fully paid up Equity Shares	As at 31st March 2023		As at 31st March 2022	
	No. of Shares	Amount	No. of Shares	Amount
At the beginning of the year	13,208,789	1,320.88	10,258,747	1,025.87
Changes in equity share capital due to prior period error	-	-	-	-
Restated balance at the beginning of the current year	13,208,789	1,320.88	10,258,747	1,025.87
Add: Equity shares issued during the year				
- on conversion of share warrants	1,749,000	174.90	1,762,000	176.20
- on acquisition of subsidiary (Refer Note no. 46)	-	-	1,188,042	118.80
Number of shares at the end of the year	14,957,789	1,495.78	13,208,789	1,320.88

#### **Conversion of Warrants -**

On 9th June, 2022, the Company allotted 12,49,000 Equity Shares of face value of Rs.10 each fully paid up issued at a premium of Rs. 95.20 per equity share to the Promoters group upon exercise of option of conversion of 12,49,000 warrants. The Issue Price of the warrant was Rs. 105.20 per warrant of which 25% was paid on subscription on 9th April, 2021 and the balance 75% i.e. Rs. 78.90 per warrant being the warrant Exercise Price was paid by those Promoter allottees. The entire proceeds have been utilised for the objects of the Preferential Issue. Pursuant to allotment of the Equity Shares in the Preferential Issue, the paid-up share capital of the Company stood increased on 9th June, 2022 from Rs. 13,20,87,890 to Rs. 14,45,77,890 comprising of 1,44,57,789 equity shares of face value of Rs. 10 each and securities premium reserve by Rs. 11,89,04,800.

On 6th October, 2022, the Company allotted 5,00,000 Equity Shares of face value of Rs.10 each fully paid up issued at a premium of Rs. 95.20 per equity share to non-promoters upon exercise of option of conversion of 5,00,000 warrants. The Issue Price of the warrant was Rs. 105.20 per warrant of which 25% was paid on subscription on 9th April, 2021 and the balance 75% i.e. Rs. 78.90 per warrant being the warrant Exercise Price was paid by those non-promoter allottees. The entire proceeds have been utilised for the objects of the Preferential Issue. Pursuant to allotment of the Equity Shares in the Preferential Issue, the paid-up share capital of the Company stood increased on 6th October, 2022 from Rs. 14,45,77,890 to Rs. 14,95,77,890 comprising of 1,49,57,789 equity shares of face value of Rs. 10 each and securities premium reserve by Rs. 4,76,00,000.

#### (ii) Terms/rights attached to Equity Shares

The Company has only one class shares referred to as equity shares having a par value of Rs 10 per share which rank pari-passu in all respects including voting rights and entitlement to dividend. Each holder of Equity Shares is entitled to one vote per share. In the event of liquidation of the company, the holders of equity shares will be entitled to receive remaining assets of the Company, after distribution of all preferential amounts. The distribution will be in proportion to the number of equity shares held by the shareholders.

The Board of Directors of Company, at its meeting held on 23rd May, 2023 have recommended payment of dividend of Rs. 2.50 (Rupees two and fifty paise only) per equity share of the face value of Rs. 10 each for the financial year ended 31st March, 2023. If approved, the total dividend for the financial year 2022-23 will be Rs. 2.50 (Rupees two and fifty paise only) per equity share of the face value of Rs. 10 each.

Pursuant to the dividend for the financial year 2021-22 approved by the shareholders at the 28th Annual General Meeting held on 30th September, 2022, the Company paid the equity dividend of 20% (Rs. 2.00 per equity share of nominal face value of Rs. 10/- each fully paid up) aggregating to Rs. 2,89,15,578/- (gross) subject to deduction of tax at source as per the applicable rate(s) to the eligible shareholders. The payment was made on 4th October, 2022.

## (iii) Detail of shares held by the holding company, the ultimate holding company, their subsidiaries and associates are Nil (as at 31st March 2022: Nil)

#### (iv) Details of shareholders holding more than 5% shares in the company:\*

Name of Share Holder	As at 31st March 2023		As at 31st March 2022	
	No. of Shares	% of Holding	No. of Shares	% of Holding
Jaiprakash Agarwal	875,453	5.85%	875,453	6.63%
Mahendra Agarwal	827,762	5.53%	509,762	3.86%
Nexpact Limited	948,450	6.34%	500,000	3.79%

<sup>\*</sup> As per the records of the Company, including its register of members.

#### (v) Shares held by promoters as defined in the Companies Act, 2013 at the end of the year:

Promoter name	As at 31st March 2023		As at 31st March 2022		% change during
	No. of Shares	% of Holding	No. of Shares	% of Holding	the year
Jaiprakash Agarwal	875,453	5.85%	875,453	6.63%	-0.77%
Ramchandra Agarwal	561,668	3.76%	561,668	4.25%	-0.50%
Usha Agarwal	533,509	3.57%	533,509	4.04%	-0.47%
Kishan Agarwal	736,311	4.92%	527,311	3.99%	0.93%
Mahendra Agarwal	827,762	5.53%	509,762	3.86%	1.67%
Lalit Kumar Agarwal	527,283	3.53%	446,283	3.38%	0.15%

Promoter name		As at 31st March 2023		As at 31st March 2022	
	No. of Shares	% of Holding	No. of Shares	% of Holding	the year
Jugal Kishore Agarwal	574,495	3.84%	432,495	3.27%	0.57%
Rekha Agarwal	400,929	2.68%	400,929	3.04%	-0.35%
Padma Agarwal	392,842	2.63%	392,842	2.97%	-0.35%
Nilesh Agarwal	334,425	2.24%	360,425	2.73%	-0.49%
Uma Agarwal	345,208	2.31%	345,208	2.61%	-0.31%
Sushila Agarwal	327,968	2.19%	327,968	2.48%	-0.29%
Shailesh Agarwal	391,220	2.62%	296,220	2.24%	0.37%
Vipin Agarwal	284,635	1.90%	284,635	2.15%	-0.25%
Sudha Agarwal	246,380	1.65%	246,380	1.87%	-0.22%
Jaiprakash Agarwal HUF	184,297	1.23%	184,297	1.40%	-0.16%
Ramchandra Agarwal HUF	142,998	0.96%	142,998	1.08%	-0.13%
Mangilal Agarwal HUF	131,768	0.88%	131,768	1.00%	-0.12%
Lalit Agarwal HUF	125,225	0.84%	125,225	0.95%	-0.11%
Kishan Agarwal HUF	107,817	0.72%	107,817	0.82%	-0.10%
Mukul Agarwal	91,114	0.61%	91,114	0.69%	-0.08%
Virel Agarwal	79,942	0.53%	79,942	0.61%	-0.07%
Pooja Agarwal	73,005	0.49%	73,005	0.55%	-0.06%
Mahendra Agarwal HUF	64,852	0.43%	64,852	0.49%	-0.06%
Yash Agarwal	61,828	0.41%	61,828	0.47%	-0.05%
Jugal Kishore Agarwal HUF	55,424	0.37%	55,424	0.42%	-0.05%
Lakshya Agarwal	48,114	0.32%	48,114	0.36%	-0.04%
Nilesh Agarwal HUF	14,998	0.10%	14,998	0.11%	-0.01%
Namrata Agarwal	6,964	0.05%	6,964	0.05%	-0.01%
Sanchi Agarwal	4,500	0.03%	4,500	0.03%	0.00%
Aayushi Agarwal	2,500	0.02%	2,500	0.02%	0.00%
	8,555,434	57.20%	7,736,434	58.57%	

<sup>(</sup>vi) The aggregate number of equity shares issued, without payment being received in cash in immediately preceding five years ended on 31st March, 2023 is 11,88,042 (period of five years ended on 31st March, 2022 is 11,88,042).

#### (B) Other Equity

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
a) Security Premium	9,600.07	7,935.02
b) Capital Investment Subsidy	0.76	0.76
c) Investment Allowance Reserve (Utilised)	0.62	0.62
d) Retained Earning	28,084.28	19,147.65
e) Other comprehensive income	762.35	164.13
f) Share Forfeiture	82.12	82.12
g) Share Warrants	-	459.99
h) Capital Reserve	345.00	345.00
	38,875.20	28,135.29

#### Nature and purpose of reserves

#### a) Securities Premium:

The amount received in excess of face value of the equity shares is recognised in Securities premium. The reserve can be utilised only for limited purposes such as issuance of bonus shares in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013.

<sup>(</sup>vii) The parent have forfeited 14,20,100 equity shares of Rs. 10 each due to non payments of calls in the year 2012-13. Amounts paid up Rs 82,12,000 on such equity shares have been transfered to Share Forfeture on Re-issue of such shares in the year 2012-13 and is shown under other equity.

#### b) Capital Investment Subsidy

The reserve was created in compliance of prevailing provisions of Income Tax Act, 1961 to avail certain tax benefits.

#### c) Investment Allowance Reserve (Utilised)

The reserve was created in compliance of prevailing provisions of Income Tax Act, 1961 to avail certain tax benefits.

#### d) Retained earnings

Retained earnings or accumulated surplus represents total of all profits retained since Company's inception. Retained earnings are credited with current year profits, reduced by losses, if any, dividend payouts, transfers to General reserve or any such other appropriations to specific reserves.

#### e) Other comprehensive income

Other comprehensive income consist of FVOCI financial assets and financial liabilities, remeasurement of defined benefit assets and liability and foreign currency translation reserve.

#### f) Share Forfeiture

The reserve represents the part amounts paid on shares which have been for feited on account of calls remained unpaid.

#### a) Share Warrants

Application money received for preferential allotments of warrants, convertible into equity shares at a price of Rs. 105.20 (including share premium of Rs. 95.20).

#### h) Capital Reserve

The Capital Reserve is the amount received against share warrants convertible into equity shares which have lapsed due to non-compliance and hence, forfeited. The amount paid on such forfieted warrants have been transferred to Capital Reserve.

# 16 Borrowings - Non-Current

				₹ in Lakhs
	Non-Curre	nt Portion	Current	Portion
Particulars	As at As at As at 31st March 2023 31st March 2023		As at 31st March 2022	
Secured (carried at amortised cost) :				
Term Loans - From Banks				
(i) Vehicle Loans (see note i)	484.89	298.35	366.10	287.07
(ii) Working Capital Term Loans (see note ii)	961.28	1,332.75	419.48	444.25
(iii) Term Loan (see note iii)	5,428.56	1,512.92	1,814.92	523.38
	6,874.73	3,144.02	2,600.51	1,254.71
Less: Unamortised borrowing cost	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	6,874.73	3,144.02	2,600.51	1,254.71

#### Note:

i. Vehicle loans availed from banks is secured against Hypothecation of specific vehicle financed and is repayable in equated monthly installment over the tenure of the loans. These loans carries interest rate of 6.40% to 8.40% p.a.

Nature of borrowings	ROI	Sanction Limit	Outstanding as at 31st March 2023	Last Date of EMI	Security Detail
Kotak Mahindra Bank	7.30%	206.65	60.22	January 2024	Secured against
Kotak Mahindra Bank	7.30%	289.31	84.31	January 2024	the specific vehicle financed
Kotak Mahindra Bank	6.40%	210.00	124.80	January 2025	veriicie iiridriced
HDFC Bank Ltd	7.30%	35.00	18.08	October 2024	
HDFC Bank Ltd	7.60%	190.14	176.10	October 2026	
HDFC Bank Ltd	7.60%	280.65	254.67	September 2026	
HDFC Bank Ltd	7.30%	13.00	5.77	June 2024	
Axis Bank Ltd	8.40%	124.00	121.87	February 2028	
Axis Bank Ltd	7.95%	35.00	5.18	August 2023	

- ii. Working Capital Term Loan (WCTL) availed from banks by way of Guaranteed Emergency Credit Line (GECL) under ECLGS Scheme of National Credit Guarantee Trustee Company Limited (NCGTC) is secured against Hypothecation of existing Current Assets, Movable & Immovable fixed assets of the Company. The WCTL, after a moratorium period of 12 months, is repayable in 48 equated monthly installments, commencing from the next month after completion of moratorium i.e. starting with April 2022 and ending in March 2026. The WCTL carried interest @ of 7.45% to 10% p.a. See also note 19 for further details.
- iii. Term Loan availed by AICL Overseas FZ LLC (subsidiary) from HDFC Bank Ltd against the "Stand By Letter of Credit" Facility of Parent Company. Same is secured against Hypothecation of Stock, Book Debts, Current Assets, Movable & Immovable fixed assets of the Parent Company, Immovable property of its directors, and Personal guarantee of some of the Directors.

Nature of borrowings	ROI	Sanction Limit	Outstanding as at 31st March 2023	Last Date of EMI
HDFC Bank Ltd	LIBOR + 2.50%	2,509.00	1,684.16	February 2026
HDFC Bank Ltd	3M Term SOFR +200 bps	5,992.70	5,559.32	September 2027

#### 17 Other Financial Liabilities - Non Current

		₹ In Lakns
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Security deposits from customers	9.50	6.50
TOTAL	9.50	6.50

#### **18 Provisions - Non Current**

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Provision for Employee Benefits expense		
Provision for Gratuity (refer note 36)	68.09	51.37
TOTAL	68.09	51.37

# 19 Borrowings - Current

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Secured (carried at amortised cost) :		
Loans repayable on demand - From Banks		
Working Capital Finance (see note i & iii)	3,800.00	9,807.45
Overdraft from Banks (see note i & iv)	472.61	470.52
Current maturity of Long Term Borrowings (Refer Note No 16)	2,600.51	1,254.71
TOTAL	6,873.12	11,532.68

#### Note:

i. Detail of working capital loan, Terms of repayment, detail of security and rate of interest for cash credit facility, working capital term loan (WCTL), working capital demand loan (WCDL) and Overdraft from bank are as under:

Nature of borrowings	ROI	Sanction Limit	Outstanding as at 31st March 2023	Last Date of EMI	Security Detail
Working Capital Term loan (refer note 16)					
HDFC Bank Ltd	7.50% to 8.90%	475.00	356.25	March 2026	See note ii
Kotak Mahindra Bank	7.45% to 9.95%	517.00	406.97	March 2026	See note ii
Kotak Mahindra Bank	7.45% to 9.95%	483.00	379.97	March 2026	See note ii
Kotak Mahindra Bank	7.50% to 10.00%	302.00	237.58	March 2026	See note ii

Nature of borrowings	ROI	Sanction Limit	Outstanding as at 31st March 2023	Last Date of EMI	Security Detail
Working Capital Facility (Including wor	king capital Deman	d Loan)			
Kotak Mahindra Bank	7.00% to 8.50 %	2,950.00	-	WCDL not Utilised	See note iii
	8.45% - 9.85%	2,950.00	(480.39)	Credit balance in Cash Credit Account	See note iii
IDFC First Bank	7.50% to 7.80%	2,500.00	-	WCDL not Utilised	See note iii
	8.60% - 9.25%	2,500.00 SS	(189.32)	Credit balance in Cash Credit Account	See note iii
HDFC Bank Ltd	7.20% to 8.80%		3,800.00	WCDL Utilised	See note iii
	8.00% - 9.65%	4,000.00		Credit balance in Cash Credit Account	See note iii
CITI Bank	7.50% to 8.50%	1.700.00	-	WCDL not Utilised	See note iii
	8.50% - 10.25%	1,700.00	(435.02)	Credit balance in Cash Credit Account	See note iii
Kotak Mahindra Bank	8.50%	100.00	(27.67)	Credit balance in Cash Credit Account	See note iii
Overdraft from banks against Fixed Deposit					
HDFC Bank Ltd	1% OFDR	228.00	199.58	Demand Loan	See note iv
Union Bank of India	1% OFDR	292.00	273.03	Demand Loan	See note iv
Union Bank of India	7.70%	2.00	(0.29)	Demand Loan- Credit balance	See note iv
Union Bank of India	1% ODR	9.00	(7.84)	Demand Loan- Credit balance	See note iv

- ii. Working Capital Term Loan (WCTL) availed from banks by way of Guaranteed Emergency Credit Line (GECL) under ECLGS Scheme of National Credit Guarantee Trustee Company Limited (NCGTC) is secured against Hypothecation of existing Current Assets, Movable & Immovable fixed assets of the Company. The WCTL, after a moratorium period of 12 months, is repayable in 48 equated monthly installments, commencing from the next month after completion of moratorium i.e. starting with April 2022 and ending in March 2026. The WCTL carried interest @ of 7.45% to 10% p.a.
- iii. Working Capital Finance availed from banks are repayable on demand and renewed every year. These loans are secured against Hypothecation of Stock, Book Debts, Current Assets, Movable & Immovable fixed assets of respective Companies of group, Immovable property of its directors, Personal guarantee of some of the Directors and Factory Plot of land of Subsidiary, M/s Bituminex Cochin Private Limited for loan availed by parent.
- iv. Overdraft facility is availed from banks are repayable on demand. Same is secured against the fixed deposits of Rs. 577.27 Lakhs held with respective banks.

# 20 Trade Payables

₹ in Lakhs As at As at **Particulars** 31st March 2023 31st March 2022 Trade Payables: Payable for Goods & Services Total outstanding dues to micro and small enterprises (refer note below)\* 16.76 2.77 Total Outstanding dues of creditors other than Micro Enterprises and Small Enterprises 16,353.38 5,513.01 **TOTAL** 16,370.14 5,515.78

<sup>\*</sup>Disclosure under the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006 ("MSMED Act, 2006") as at 31st March 2023 and 31st March 2022 :

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	Particulars	31 March 2023 (Rs.)	31 March 2022 (Rs.)
i)	The principal amount and the interest due thereon remaining unpaid to any supplier as at the end of each accounting year;	16.76	2.77
ii)	The amount of interest paid by the buyer in terms of section 16, along with the amounts of the payment made to the supplier beyond the appointed day during each accounting year;		-
iii)	The amount of interest due and payable for the period of delay in making payment (which have been paid but beyond the appointed day during the year) but without adding the interest specified under this Act;	-	-
iv	The amount of interest accrued and remaining unpaid at the end of each accounting year; and	-	-
v)	The amount of further interest remaining due and payable even in the succeeding years, until such date when the interest dues as above are actually paid to the small enterprise, for the purpose of disallowance as a deductible expenditure under section 23.	-	-
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The above information regarding Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises has been determined to the extent such parties have been identified on the basis of information available with the Group.

#### **Trade Payables Ageing Schedule**

₹ in Lakhs

	Outstanding for following periods from due date of payment				A
Particulars	Less than 1 year	1 year to 2 years	2 years to 3 years	More than 3 years	As at 31st March 2023
Trade Payables					
a) MSME	7.14	5.88	-	3.74	16.76
b) Other than MSME	16,332.13	8.21	5.23	7.80	16,353.38
c) Disputed dues - MSME	-	-	-	-	-
d) Disputed dues - Other than MSME	-	-	-	-	-
Total	16,339.27	14.09	5.23	11.54	16,370.14

₹ in Lakhs

	Outstanding f				
Particulars	Less than 1 year	1 year to 2 years	2 years to 3 years	More than 3 years	JIST MULTILITY
Trade Payables					
a) MSME	1.77	1.00	-	-	2.77
b) Other than MSME	5,489.29	7.80	5.59	10.33	5,513.01
c) Disputed dues - MSME	-	-	-	-	-
d) Disputed dues - Other than MSME	-	-	-	-	-
Total	5,491.06	8.80	5.59	10.33	5,515.78

# **21 Other Financial Liabilities - Current**

₹ in Lakhs

		₹ In Lakns
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Payable towards expenses	410.33	74.64
Payable towards capital expenditure	113.76	28.90
Unclaimed Dividend	5.96	8.91
Interest Accrued	46.01	8.36
Other Liability	-	2.51
TOTAL	576.06	123.32

# **22 Other Current Liabilities**

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Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Statutory dues	89.65	104.52
Advances from customer	163.72	1,043.95
Revenue received in advance	847.60	165.00
	1,100.97	1,313.47

#### 23 Provisions - Current

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Provision for Employee benefits expense		
Provision for Gratuity (refer note 36)	9.86	7.97
TOTAL	9.86	7.97

# 24 Current Tax Liabilities (net)

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Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Provision for income tax (net of taxes paid)	339.74	357.22
TOTAL	339.74	357.22

# **25 Revenue from Operations**

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Sales of goods	176,988.49	140,734.05
Sale of Services		
Vehicle Freight Income	6,696.79	5,983.48
Ship Operating & Chartering Income	17,702.74	12,981.37
Labour Charges	14.29	14.55
Other operating revenue		
Sale of Power - Wind mill	99.12	110.92
TOTAL	201,501.43	159,824.36

Revenue disaggregation as per nature of products and services has been included in segment information (refer note 44).

# **26 Other Income**

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Foreign exchange fluctuation gain	524.68	193.58
Interest on fixed deposits with banks	60.93	55.37
Interest - other	35.18	12.79
Rent from investment property	43.34	43.34
Income from current investments	79.98	32.10
Net Gain arising on financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss	31.05	24.53
Net gain on disposal of Property, Plant & Equipment	80.15	-
Miscellaneous income	51.81	13.00
TOTAL	907.13	374.70

# **27 Cost of Materials Consumed**

Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Opening Stock	642.17	320.29
Add:- Purchases during the year	28,928.13	35,032.89
	29,570.30	35,353.18
Less: - Closing Stock	931.18	642.17
TOTAL	28,639.12	34,711.01

# 28 Changes in inventories of Finished goods, Stock-in-Trade and work-in-progress

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Stock at the beginning of the year		
Finished goods	1,284.66	65.72
Stock-in-trade (acquired for trading)	4,181.84	4,108.25
Work-in-progress	140.04	91.73
Stock at the end of the year		
Finished goods	1,211.88	1,284.66
Stock-in-trade (acquired for trading)	8,591.30	4,181.84
Work-in-progress	90.68	140.04
TOTAL	(4,287.32)	(1,340.84)

# 29 Manufacturing, Operating and Other Direct Expenses

₹ in Lakhs

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Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Transportation charges	777.54	774.57
Labour charges	53.16	45.49
Port charges	657.29	707.21
Repairs and maintenance - machinery	775.72	272.84
Electricity, power and fuel	5,130.95	4,821.51
Storage terminal rent	20.24	25.50
Heating and fuel charges	143.67	192.46
Crew charges	2,561.73	1,931.74
Other direct expenses	76.23	42.60
Other vessel running expenses	2,068.20	1,353.58
Vehicle running and maintenance expenses	5,382.79	4,911.10
Freight paid	693.46	477.12
Wind mill expenses	40.60	39.28
TOTAL	18,381.57	15,595.01

# 30 Employee Benefits Expense

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Salaries and wages	505.97	425.78
Directors remuneration	309.00	238.42
Contribution towards employees welfare fund	2.12	1.49
Gratuity (refer note no. 36)	13.02	10.73
Staff welfare	53.30	56.96
TOTAL	883.41	733.38

# **31 Other Expenses**

Particulars	F	or the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
(A) Administrative Expenses			
Rent, rates and taxes		108.52	86.90
Payment to auditors			
- Statutory audit fees		6.60	6.20
- Tax audit fees		1.43	1.47
- Certification work		0.75	0.75
- Other services		0.14	0.88
Insurance		558.78	314.70

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Share transfer fees	2.31	5.68
Legal and professional charges	118.31	108.81
Bank charges and commission	13.07	12.67
Electricity expenses	12.16	10.88
Listing fees and custodian charges	7.11	5.40
Postage and telephone	11.46	8.20
Security charges	20.33	30.52
Printing and stationery	19.32	31.49
Vehicle expenses	21.24	14.18
Travelling and conveyance	155.05	95.11
Bad debts written off	63.58	1,261.15
Expected credit loss allowance / (reversal)	96.87	(15.36)
Repairs to building	0.96	4.86
Repairs - other	37.63	25.35
Expenditure on corporate social responsibility (refer note no. 40)	68.00	46.61
Miscellaneous expenses	158.46	83.05
	1,482.07	2,139.52
(B) Selling and Distribution Expenses		
Advertisement and business promotion expenses	111.68	46.04
Commission paid	230.28	445.12
	341.96	491.15
TOTAL	1,824.03	2,630.68

# **32 Finance Costs**

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Interest on bank borrowings	949.03	922.19
Interest - others	2.14	5.32
Interest on lease liability	207.18	177.08
Exchange loss on working capital loan	9.65	52.13
Bank guarantee commission	38.49	38.22
Other borrowing cost	6.59	28.75
TOTAL	1,213.07	1,223.69

# 33 Depreciation and Amortisation Expenses

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Depreciation on property plant and equipment	1,674.91	1,388.78
Amortisation of right of use	593.65	584.61
TOTAL	2,268.56	1,973.38

#### 34 Income Tax

# (a) Tax expense recognised in the Statement of profit and loss:

	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Current tax		
Current year	1,784.87	1,403.36
Short Provision for Tax for earlier years	28.70	(0.14)
Total current tax	1,813.57	1,403.22
Deferred tax		
Relating to origination and reversal of temporary difference	(63.32)	(18.61)
Total deferred income tax expense/(credit)	(63.32)	(18.61)
Total income tax expense	1,750.26	1,384.61

A reconciliation between the statutory income tax rate applicable to the Group and the effective income tax rate of the Group is as follows:

#### (b) Reconciliation of effective tax rate

₹ in Lakhs

	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Profit /(loss) before taxation	10,976.04	7,753.49
Enacted income tax rate in India	25.17%	25.17%
Tax at the enacted income tax rate	2,762.45	1,951.40
Reconciliation line items:		
Effect of non-deductible expenses	19.44	13.85
Due to non-taxable income for Indian tax purposes	(1,044.53)	(611.19)
Tax pertaining to Earlier Years	28.70	(0.14)
Others (Including the effect of change in the tax rate)	(15.80)	30.70
Tax expense	1,750.26	1,384.61

# (c) The movement in deferred tax assets and liabilities during the year ended 31st March, 2023 and 31st March, 2022:

#### For the year ended 31st March 2023

₹ in Lakhs

	As at April 01, 2022	Charge / (Credit) in Statement of profit and loss	Acquired on acquisition of subsidiary	As at 31st March 2023
Deferred tax liability / (assets) (net)				
On Account of Depreciation	407.72	(4.20)	-	403.52
Due to disallowances under Income Tax	(43.72)	(29.06)	-	(72.78)
On account of Fair valuation of Financial assets and liabilities	7.43	7.82	-	15.25
On Right of Use	6.66	(39.27)	-	(32.61)
	378.09	(64.72)	-	313.37

#### For the year ended 31st March 2022

₹ in Lakhs

	As at April 01, 2021	Charge / (Credit) in Statement of profit and loss	Acquired on acquisition of subsidiary	As at 31st March 2022
Deferred tax liability / (assets) (net)				
On Account of Depreciation	427.80	(42.31)	22.24	407.72
Due to disallowances under Income Tax	(40.91)	1.68	(4.49)	(43.72)
On account of Fair valuation of Financial assets and liabilities	5.74	1.69	-	7.43
On Right of Use	(8.79)	15.44	-	6.66
Due to unabsorbed losses	-	5.32	(5.32)	-
	383.84	(18.18)	12.43	378.09

#### 35 Leases

Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") through Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Amendment Rules, 2019 and Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Second Amendment Rules, has notified Ind AS 116 Leases which replaces the existing lease standard, Ind AS 17 Leases and other interpretations. Ind AS 116 sets out the principles for the recognition, measurement, presentation and disclosure of leases for both lessees and lessors. It introduces a single, on-balance sheet lease accounting model for lessees.

The Group has adopted Ind AS 116 ""Leases"" using modified retrospective approach. The group's lease asset classes primarily consist of leases for Land, buildings and Plant & Machinery. These leases were classified as "Operating Leases" under Ind AS 17. On transition to Ind AS 116 "Leases", for these leases, lease liabilities were measured at the present value of remaining lease payments, discounted at the Company's incremental borrowing rate as at April 01, 2019. Right to Use if measured either at an amount equal to the lease liability adjusted by the amount of any prepaid or accrued lease payments.

Due to transition, the nature of expenses in respect of operating leases has changed from "lease rent" to "depreciation cost" and "finance cost" for the right-of-use assets and for interest accrued on lease liability respectively."

# The Group has used following practical expedient, when applying Ind AS 116 to leases previously classified as operating leases under Ind AS 17.

- (1) The Group didn't recognize Right to Use and Lease liabilities for lease for which the lease terms ends within 12 months on the date of initial transition and low value assets.
- (2) The Group excluded initial direct cost from measurement of the Right to Use assets at the date of initial application.
- (3) The Group uses hindsight in determining the lease term where the contract contains options to extend or terminate the lease.

The weighted average lessee's incremental borrowing rate applied to the lease liabilities is 9%.

The difference between the lease obligation under Ind AS 17 and the value of the lease liability is primarily on account of inclusion of extension and termination options reasonably certain to be exercised in measuring the lease liability in accordance with Ind AS 116 and discounting the lease liabilities to the present value under Ind AS 116.

#### Following are the changes in the carrying value of right of use assets for the year ended March 31, 2023:

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	Land	Building	Plant & Machinery	Total
Balance as at 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2021	196.63	24.57	1,757.47	1,978.67
Additions	8.23	-	997.07	1,005.29
Deletions	-	-	-	-
Depreciation and amortisation expenses	8.80	24.57	551.24	584.61
Balance as at 1st April 2022	196.06	-	2,203.30	2,399.35
Additions	21.60	62.89	31.90	116.39
Deletions	-	-	-	-
Depreciation and amortisation expenses	9.46	20.96	563.22	593.65
Balance as at 31st March 2023	208.19	41.93	1,671.97	1,922.10

#### Following is the movement in lease liabilities during the year ended March 31, 2023:

₹ in Lakhs

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Particulars	Land	Building	Plant & Machinery	Total
Balance as at 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2021	186.96	27.10	1,729.69	1,943.75
Additions	8.23	-	979.24	987.47
Interest accrued during the year	17.57	1.34	158.18	177.08
Deletions	-	-	-	-
Payment of lease liabilities	12.53	28.44	641.54	682.50
Balance as at 1st April 2022	200.22	-	2,225.58	2,425.80
Additions	21.60	62.89	31.90	116.39
Interest accrued during the year	18.82	4.88	183.48	207.18
Deletions	-	-	-	-
Payment of lease liabilities	16.64	24.00	657.05	697.69
Balance as at 31st March 2023	223.99	43.78	1,783.91	2,051.68

#### Break-up of the contractual maturities of lease liabilities on an undiscounted basis:

#### As at 31st March 2023

Particulars	Land	Building	Plant & Machinery	Total
Less than one year	0.01	20.91	553.66	574.57
One to five years	4.42	22.87	1,230.25	1,257.54
More than 5 years	219.57	-	-	219.57

#### As at 31st March 2022 ₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	Land	Building	Plant & Machinery	Total
Less than one year	(7.11)	-	469.66	462.55
One to five years	(15.94)	-	1,755.92	1,739.97
More than 5 years	223.28	-	-	223.28

#### Short-term leases expenses incurred

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Rental expense	29.11	29.72

#### 36 DISCLOSURE PURSUANT TO IND AS - 19 "EMPLOYEE BENEFITS"

**Gratuity:** In accordance with the applicable laws, the Parent Company provides for gratuity, a defined benefit retirement plan ("The Gratuity Plan") covering eligible employees. The Gratuity Plan provides for a lump sum payment to vested employeesonretirement (subject to completion of five years of continuous employment), death, incapacitation or termination of employment that are based on last drawn salary and tenure of employment. Liabilities with regard to the Gratuity Plan are determined by actuarial valuation on the reporting date.

The disclosure in respect of the defined Gratuity Plan are given below:

#### A. Balance Sheet

₹ in Lakhs

	Defined benefit plans	
	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Present value of plan liabilities	77.95	59.34
Fair value of plan assets	-	-
Asset/(Liability) recognised	77.95	59.34

#### B. Movements in plan assets and plan liabilities

	Present value of obligations	Fair Value of Plan assets
As at 1st April 2022	59.34	-
On account of acquisition of subsidiary	-	-
Current service cost	8.76	-
Past service cost	-	-
Interest Cost/(Income)	4.26	-
Return on plan assets excluding amounts included in net finance income/cost	-	-
Actuarial (gain)/loss arising from changes in financial assumptions	(1.79)	-
Actuarial (gain)/loss arising from experience adjustments	7.38	-
Employer contributions	-	-
Benefit payments	-	-
As at 31st March 2023	77.95	-

	Present value of obligations	
As at 1st April 2021	40.13	-
On account of acquisition of subsidiary	10.17	-
Current service cost	7.34	-
Past service cost	-	-
Interest Cost/(Income)	3.42	-
Return on plan assets excluding amounts included in net finance income/cost	-	-

	Present value of obligations	Fair Value of Plan assets
Actuarial (gain)/loss arising from changes in financial assumptions	(2.80)	-
Actuarial (gain)/loss arising from experience adjustments	1.08	-
Employer contributions	-	-
Benefit payments	-	-
As at 31st March 2022	59.34	-

#### C. Statement of Profit and Loss

		₹ in Lakhs
	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Employee Benefit Expenses:		
Current service cost	8.76	7.33
Interest cost/(income)	4.26	3.40
Total amount recognised in Statement of Profit & Loss	13.02	10.73
Remeasurement of the net defined benefit liability:		
Return on plan assets excluding amounts included in net finance income/(cost)	-	-
Actuarial gains/(losses) arising from changes in financial assumptions	(1.79)	(2.80)
Experience gains/(losses)	7.38	1.08
Total amount recognised in Other Comprehensive Income	5.59	(1.72)

#### D. Assumptions

With the objective of presenting the plan assets and plan liabilities of the defined benefits plans at their fair value on the balance sheet, assumptions under Ind AS 19 are set by reference to market conditions at the valuation date.

The significant actuarial assumptions were as follows:

		₹ in Lakhs
	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Financial Assumptions		
Discount rate	7.34 to 7.38 %	7.11 to 7.19 %
Salary Escalation Rate	5.00%	5.00%

#### E. Sensitivity

The sensitivity of the overall plan liabilities to changes in the weighted key assumptions are:

₹ in Lakhs

	Impact o	Impact on defined benefit obligation		
	Change in assumption	Increase in assumption	Decrease in assumption	
Discount rate	1.00%	69.81	87.77	
Salary Escalation Rate	1.00%	87.55	69.82	

The sensitivity analysis above have been determined based on reasonably possible changes of the respective assumptions occurring at the end of the reporting period and may not be representative of the actual change. It is based on a change in the key assumption while holding all other assumptions constant. When calculating the sensitivity to the assumption, the same method used to calculate the liability recognised in the balance sheet has been applied. The methods and types of assumptions used in preparing the sensitivity analysis did not change compared with the previous period.

#### F. The defined benefit obligations shall mature after year end 31st March, 2023 as follows:

5	,	₹ in Lakhs
Expected payments for future years	As a 31st March 2023	
Within the next 12 months	9.86	7.97
Between 1 and 2 years	2.24	0.97
Between 2 and 3 years	12.13	1.51
Between 3 and 4 years	1.87	10.69
Between 4 and 5 years	1.34	1.48
Thereafter	50.51	36.73

# 37 Contingent liabilities

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
a) Claims against the Group not acknowledged as debts :		
liabilities that may arise in respect of disputed matters in relation to :		
- Entry Tax	43.72	43.72
- Goods and Services Tax	2.47	2.47
- Income Tax	750.55	750.55
- Local Body Tax	14.11	14.11
- Special Additional Duty	81.99	81.99
- Municipal Corporation Tax	11.78	11.78
	904.62	904.62

Note: - The Group's pending litigations comprise of claims against the Group and proceedings pending with tax and other authorities. The Group has reviewed all its pending litigations and proceedings and has made adequate provisions, wherever required and disclosed the contingent liabilities, wherever applicable, in its financial statements. The Group reasonably expect that the outcome of these proceedings will not have a material impact on its financial statements.

#### 38 Commitments

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2023
Estimated amount of commitments remaining to be executed		
- Capital (net of advances)	109.64	7.94
	109.64	7.94

# 39 Earning Per share

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Profit after tax available for equity shareholders	9,225.79	6,368.89
Weighted average number of equity shares	14,464,142	12,462,114
Nominal value of equity shares	10.00	10.00
Basic and diluted Earning Per Share	63.78	51.10

# 40 Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) expenditure

- a) The CSR activities of the group shall include, but not limited to any or all of the sectors/activities as may be prescribed by Schedule VII of the Companies Act, 2013 amended from time to time.
- b) During the year ended 31 March 2023, the group has incurred an expenditure of Rs. 69.21 lakhs (31 March 2022: Rs. 87.41 lakhs) towards CSR activities which includes contribution / donations made to the trusts which are engaged in activities prescribed under section 135 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Schedule VII to the said Act.

#### c) Amount required to be spent and amount spent towards CSR activities by the group -

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Amount required to be spent as per section 135 of the Act		
(i) Unspent amount as at the beginning of the year	(43.22)	(2.42)
(ii) Amount provisioned during the year based on average of preceding three year profits	68.00	46.61
Total amount required to be spent	24.78	44.19
Amount spent during the year on :		
(i) Construction/acquisition of assets	-	-
(ii) On purpose other than above	69.21	87.41
(Excess) / Unspent amount as at the end of the year	(44.43)	(43.22)

#### d) Nature of CSR activities undertaken by the Company -

- i) Eradicating hunger, poverty and malnutrition
- ii) Promoting health care including preventive health care and sanitation
- iii) Promoting education, including special education and employment enhancing vocation skills

#### **41 Financial instruments**

The fair values of the financial assets and liabilities are included at the amount at which the instrument could be exchanged in a current transaction between willing parties, other than in a forced or liquidation sale.

The following methods and assumptions were used to estimate the fair values:

- Fair value of cash and short-term deposits, trade and other short term receivables, trade payables, other current liabilities, short term loans from banks and other financial institutions approximate their carrying amounts largely due to short term maturities of these instruments.
- Financial instruments with fixed and variable interest rates are evaluated by the Group based on parameters such as interest rates and individual credit worthiness of the counterparty. Based on this evaluation, allowances are taken to account for expected losses of these receivables. Accordingly, fair value of such instruments is not materially different from their carrying amounts.

The Group uses the following hierarchy for determining and disclosing the fair value of financial instruments by valuation technique:

- Level 1: quoted (unadjusted) prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2: other techniques for which all inputs which have a significant effect on the recorded fair value are observable, either directly or indirectly.
- Level 3: techniques which use inputs that have a significant effect on the recorded fair value that are not based on observable market data.

The carrying amounts and fair values of financial instruments by category are as follows:

#### As at March 31, 2023

₹ in Lakhs

	FVTOCI	FVTPL	Amortised cost	Total fair value	Carrying amount
Financial assets					
Investments	-	2,566.41	0.09	2,566.50	2,566.50
Trade receivables	-	-	19,355.10	19,355.10	19,355.10
Cash and cash equivalents	-	-	2,930.89	2,930.89	2,930.89
Other bank balances	-	-	421.75	421.75	421.75
Loans	-	-	22.29	22.29	22.29
Other financial assets	-	-	502.55	502.55	502.55
Total	-	2,566.41	23,232.67	25,799.08	25,799.08
Financial liabilities					
Borrowings	-	-	13,747.85	13,747.85	13,747.85
Lease Liabilities	-	-	2,051.68	2,051.68	2,051.68
Trade payables	-	-	16,370.14	16,370.14	16,370.14
Other financial liabilities	-	-	585.56	585.56	585.56
Total financial liabilities	-	-	32,755.23	32,755.23	32,755.23

#### As at March 31, 2022

	FVTOCI	FVTPL	Amortised cost	Total fair value	Carrying amount
Financial assets					
Investments	-	1,248.70	0.09	1,248.79	1,248.79
Trade receivables	-	-	16,120.93	16,120.93	16,120.93
Cash and cash equivalents	-	-	4,638.31	4,638.31	4,638.31
Other bank balances	-	-	368.47	368.47	368.47
Loans	-	-	20.18	20.18	20.18
Other financial assets	-	-	651.69	651.69	651.69
Total	-	1,248.70	21,799.66	23,048.36	23,048.36



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₹ in Lakhs

	FVTOCI	FVTPL	Amortised cost	Total fair value	Carrying amount
Financial liabilities					
Borrowings	-	-	14,676.70	14,676.70	14,676.70
Lease Liabilities	-	-	2,425.80	2,425.80	2,425.80
Trade payables	-	-	5,515.78	5,515.78	5,515.78
Other financial liabilities	-	-	129.82	129.82	129.82
Total financial liabilities	-	-	22,748.09	22,748.09	22,748.09

#### Fair value estimation

For financial instruments measured at fair value in the Balance Sheet, a three level fair value hierarchy is used that reflects the significance of inputs used in the measurements. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1 measurements) and lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements).

The categories used are as follows:

- Level 1: quoted prices for identical instruments
- Level 2: directly or indirectly observable market inputs, other than Level 1 inputs; and
- Level 3: inputs which are not based on observable market data.

For assets and liabilities which are carried at fair value, the classification of fair value calculations by category is summarised below:

			₹ in Lakhs
March 31, 2023	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Assets at fair value - Investments	2,566.41	-	-
			₹ in Lakhs
March 31, 2022	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Assets at fair value - Investments	1,248.70		

There were no significant changes in classification and no significant movements between the fair value hierarchy classifications of financial assets and financial liabilities during the year.

#### **42 Financial risk factors**

The Group's principal financial liabilities comprise loans and borrowings, advances and trade and other payables. The purpose of these financial liabilities is to finance the Group's operations and to provide to support its operations. The Group's principal financial assets include trade and other receivables and cash and cash equivalents that derive directly from its operations.

The Group's activities exposes it to Liquidity Risk, Market Risk and Credit risk. The Board of Directors reviews and agrees policies for managing each of these risks, which are summarised as below.

#### (a) Liquidity risk

The risk that an entity will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities that are settled by delivering cash or another financial asset. Liquidity risk management implies maintenance sufficient cash including availability of funding through an adequate amount of committed credit facilities to meet the obligations as and when due.

The Group manages its liquidity risk by ensuring as far as possible that it will have sufficient liquidity to meet its short term and long term liabilities as and when due. Anticipated future cash flows are expected to be sufficient to meet the liquidity requirements of the Group.

#### (i) Financing arrangements

The Group has access to the following undrawn borrowing facilities as at the end of the reporting period:

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Secured working capital credit facility from Banks	8,886.60	4,780.91

#### (ii) The following is the contractual maturities of the financial liabilities:

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	Carrying amount	Payable on demand	1-12 months	More than 12 months
As at 31st March 2023				
Non-derivative liabilities				
Borrowings	13,747.85	-	6,873.12	6,874.73
Lease Liabilities	2,051.68	-	574.57	1,477.11
Trade payables	16,370.14	-	16,370.14	-
Other financial liabilities	585.56	-	576.06	9.50
	32,755.23	-	24,393.89	8,361.34

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Particulars	Carrying amount	Payable on demand	1-12 months	More than 12 months
As at 31st March 2022				
Non-derivative liabilities				
Borrowings	14,676.70	-	11,532.68	3,144.02
Lease Liabilities	2,425.80	-	462.55	1,963.25
Trade payables	5,515.78	-	5,515.78	-
Other financial liabilities	129.82	-	123.32	6.50
	22,748.09	-	17,634.32	5,113.77

#### (b) Market risk

Market risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risk comprises three types of risk: interest rate risk, currency risk and other price risk, such as equity price risk and commodity risk. Financial instruments affected by market risk includes investment, deposits, foreign currency receivables and payables. The Group's treasury team manages the Market risk, which evaluates and exercises independent control over the entire process of market risk management.

#### (i) Foreign currency risk

Currency risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates. The Group has foreign currency borrowing and trade payables and is therefore exposed to foreign exchange risk. The exchange rates have been volatile in the recent years and may continue to be volatile in the future. Hence the operating results and financials of the Group may be impacted due to volatility of the rupee against foreign currencies.

#### Unhedged Foreign currency exposure

₹ in Lakhs

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	Trade payables	
As at 31st March 2023		
- In AED	463.75	
- In USD	-	
- In equivalent INR	10,372.19	
As at 31st March 2022		
- In AED	96.09	
- In USD	-	
- In equivalent INR	2,022.69	

#### (ii) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of the financial instruments will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. According to the Group, interest rate risk exposure is only for floating rate borrowings. The Group is not significantly exposed to the interest rate risk, since the borrowings of the Group are on Fixed interest rate basis.

#### (iii) Commodity risk

Commodity price risk arises due to fluctuation in prices of crude oil. Volatility in Crude Oil prices, Currency fluctuation of Rupee vis-à-vis other prominent currencies coupled with demand-supply scenario in the world

market affect the effective price and availability. The Group manages this risk by widening its source base, appropriate contracts and commitments and well planned procurement.

#### (c) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the Group if a customer or counter-party fails to meet its contractual obligations. The Group is exposed to credit risks from its operating activities, primarily trade receivables, cash and cash equivalents, deposits with banks and other financial instruments.

Credit risk is managed by the Group through credit approvals, establishing credit limits and continuously monitoring the credit worthiness of customers to which the Group grants credit terms in the normal course of business.

		₹ in Lakhs
Exposure to the Credit risks	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Financial assets for which loss allowance is measured using 12 months Expected Credit Losses (ECL)		
- Loans	22.29	20.18
- Other Financial Assets	502.55	651.69
		₹ in Lakhs
Exposure to the Credit risks	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Financial assets for which loss allowance is measured using Life time Expected Credit Losses (ECL	)	
- Trade Receivables	19,355.10	16,120.93

#### Trade and other receivables

The Group considers the probability of default upon initial recognition of assets and whether there has been a significant increase in credit risks on an ongoing basis throughout each reporting period.

To assess whether there is a significant change increase in credit risk, the Group compares the risks of default occurring on the assets as at the reporting date with the risk of default as at the date of initial recognition. It considers the reasonable and supportive forward looking information such as:

- (i) Actual or expected significant adverse changes in business.
- (ii) Actual or expected significant changes in the operating results of the counterparty.
- (iii) Financial or economic conditions that are expected to cause a significant change to the counterparty's ability to meet its obligations.
- (iv) Significant increase in credit risk on other financial instruments of same counter party.

#### Ageing of the accounts receivables

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	
0-90 days	14,173.23	9,552.20
90-180 days	746.09	1,882.04
>180 days	4,647.02	4,801.06
	19,566.34	16,235.30

#### Movement in provisions of doubtful debts/ Expected Credit Loss

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Opening provision	114.37	130.13
Add: Provision made / (reversed) during the year	96.87	(15.36)
Less: Provision utilised during the year	-	(0.40)
Closing provision	211.24	114.37

₹ in Lakha

#### 43 (a) Capital management

The Group's objectives when managing capital are to:

- (i) safeguard their ability to continue as a going concern, so that they can continue to provide returns for shareholders and benefits for other stakeholders, and
- (ii) maintain an optimal capital structure to reduce the cost of capital.

In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Parent Company may issue new shares, adjust the amount of dividends paid to shareholders etc. The Group's policy is to maintain a stable and strong capital structure with a focus on total equity so as to maintain investor, creditors and market confidence and to sustain future development and growth of its business. The Group will take appropriate steps in order to maintain, or if necessary adjust, its capital structure.

The Group monitors capital using a gearing ratio being a ratio of net debt as a percentage of total capital.

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Total equity	40,370.98	29,456.17
Net debt (Total borrowings including current maturities less cash & cash equivalents and Other bank balances)	10,395.21	9,669.93
Total capital (Borrowings and Equity)	50,766.18	39,126.10
Gearing ratio	20.48%	24.71%

# (b) Dividends

The Parent Company follows the policy of Dividend for every financial year as may be decided by Board considering financial performance of the company and other internal and external factors enumerated in the Parent Company's dividend policy.

		< In Lakns
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Final Dividend paid		
Final dividend for the year ended 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2022 of Rs. 2.00 (as at 31-March 2021 Rs. 1.80) per fully paid up share	289.16	224.38
Dividends not recognised at the end of reporting period		
Since year end, the directors have recommended the payment of final dividend of Rs. 2.50 per fully paid up equity share (31st March, 2022 - Rs. 2.00 per fully paid up equity shares)	373.94	289.16

# **44 Segment Reporting**

The Parent Company's Board of Directors consisting of Managing Director together with the Chief Financial Officer has been identified as the Chief Operating Decision Maker (CODM) as defined under Ind AS 108 "Operating Segments". The CODM evaluates the Group's performance and allocated the resources based on an analysis of various performance indicators . The Group is principally engaged in the business activities of Ancillary Infra i.e. manufacturing and trading of Bitumen and Allied Products, Logistics of Bitumen and Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LPG) energy generation through Wind Mills, Ship Operating and Chartering and trading in petroleum products through authorised petrol pump of Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited. The Group has accordingly identified these 5 activities as Operating segments in accordance with requirements of Ind AS 108 on 'Operating segments'.

#### Operating segments

- (a) Ancillary Infra Bitumen & Allied products
- (b) Ship Operating and Chartering
- (c) Petroleum Products
- (d) Logistics
- (e) Windmill

₹ in Lakhs

Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Segment Revenue		
a) Ancillary Infra - Bitumen & Allied products	170,490.53	134,926.21
b) Ship Operating and Chartering	17,702.74	12,981.37
c) Petroleum Products	7,508.77	6,512.24
d) Logistics	7,557.55	6,664.23
e) Windmill	99.12	123.72
f) Other (Unallocable)	1,339.33	836.88
Total	204,698.04	162,044.65
Less Intersegment Revenue	2,289.49	1,845.58
Net Sales/Income From Operations	202,408.55	160,199.06
Segment Result Profit/(Loss) before tax and interest from Each Segment		
a) Ancillary Infra - Bitumen & allied products	6,041.57	5,289.31
b) Ship Operating and Chartering	5,001.01	3,081.55
c) Petroleum Products	57.40	48.28
d Logistics	405.47	279.45
e) Windmill	11.77	37.69
f) Other (Unallocable)	-	-
Total	11,517.23	8,736.29
Less: i) Finance Costs	1,213.07	1,223.69
ii) Inter segment profit	667.45	595.99
iii) Other Un-allocable Expenditure net off	-	-
iv) Un-allocable Income	(1,339.33)	(836.88)
Total Profit Before Tax	10,976.04	7,753.49

# Segment assets & liabilities

		₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	As at 31st March 2023	As at 31st March 2022
Segment Assets		
a) Ancillary Infra - Bitumen & allied products	36,757.36	30,685.25
b) Ship Operating and Chartering	29,816.83	16,773.75
c) Petroleum Products	564.94	292.54
d) Logistics	3,934.41	3,972.91
e) Windmill	389.12	454.69
f) Other (Unallocable)	3,495.57	2,133.24
Total Assets	74,958.23	54,312.39
Segment Liabilities		
a) Ancillary Infra - Bitumen & allied products	18,777.37	18,193.31
b) Ship Operating and Chartering	13,687.90	5,048.83
c) Petroleum Products	143.24	86.95
d) Logistics	1,235.18	723.57
e) Windmill	-	-
f) Others (Unallocable)	743.56	803.56
Total Liability	34,587.25	24,856.22

#### 45 Related party disclosure under Ind AS 24

#### Name and description of related parties

#### (a) Key Managerial Personnel (KMP)

Mr. Jaiprakash Agarwal, Managing Director

Mr. Ramchandra Agarwal, Whole Time Director

Mr. Mahendra Agarwal, Director

Mr. Lalit Agarwal, Whole Time Director

Mr. Kishan Kumar Agarwal, Director

Mr. Vipin Agarwal, Chief Financial Officer

Ms. Dipali Pitale, Company Secretary

#### (b) Relatives of KMP

Mr. Nilesh Agarwal

Mr. Mukul Agarwal

Mr. Virel Agarwal

Mrs. Rekha Agarwal

Jai Prakash Agarwal HUF

Mr. Jugalkishore Agarwal

Jugalkishore Agarwal HUF

Kishan Agarwal HUF

Mr. Lakshya Agarwal

Lalit Agarwal HUF

Mahendra Agarwal HUF

Mangilal Agarwal HUF

Ms. Namrata Agarwal

Nilesh Agarwal HUF

Mr. Yash Agarwal

Mrs. Padma Agarwal

Mrs. Pooja V.Agarwal

Mrs. Pooja N.Agarwal

Ramchandra Agarwal HUF

Mrs. Rekha Agarwal

Mr. Shailesh Agarwal

Mrs. Sudha Agarwal

Mrs. Sushiladevi Agarwal

Mrs. Uma Agarwal

Mrs. Usha Agarwal

#### (c) Concerns in which KMP are interested

**ANZ Transporters** 

**Agarwal Gas Carriers** 

**Agarwal Motor Repairs** 

#### (d) Concerns in which Relatives of KMP are interested

Balaji Tyre

Shree Balaji Engineering Work

Murlidhar Ishwardas

Bright Bitumen Private Limited

# Transaction with the related parties during the year

		₹ in Lakhs
Name of Party	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Key Managerial Personnel (KMP)		
Directors remuneration		
Jaiprakash Agarwal	75.00	60.00
Ramchandra Agarwal	75.00	54.00
Lalit Agarwal	75.00	54.00
Mahendra Agarwal	42.00	36.00
Kishan Agarwal	42.00	36.00
Salary		
Vipin Agarwal	30.00	18.00
Dipali Pitale	5.39	4.79
Rent Paid		
Jaiprakash Agarwal	13.80	13.20
Lalit Agarwal	16.20	17.04
Purchase of Equity Shares of Agarwal Translink Private Limited by way of issue of Equity		
Shares of Company for consideration other wise than in cash		
Jaiprakash Agarwal	-	66.91
Ramchandra Agarwal	-	2.25
Mahendra Agarwal	-	19.63
Lalit Agarwal	_	48.03
Kishan Agarwal	-	30.60
Vipin Agarwal	_	84.85
Relatives of KMP		0 1.03
Salary		
Nilesh Agarwal	18.00	14.40
Mukul Agarwal	18.00	15.00
Virel Agarwal	15.00	6.00
Yash Agarwal	12.00	- 0.00
Rekha Agarwal	12.00	9.60
Rent Paid		5.00
Pooja Agarwal	2.03	
Purchase of Equity Shares of Agarwal Translink Private Limited by way of issue of Equity	2.03	-
Shares of Company for consideration other wise than in cash		
Jai Prakash Agarwal HUF		50.94
Jugalkishore Agarwal		39.44
Jugalkishore Agarwal HUF		38.32
Kishan Agarwal HUF		38.21
Lakshya Agarwal		0.23
Lalit Agarwal HUF		56.52
Mahendra Agarwal HUF	-	41.92
Mangilal Agarwal	-	32.05
Mukul Agarwal	-	0.23
Namrata Agarwal	-	3.78
Nilesh Agarwal	-	84.98
Nilesh Agarwal HUF	-	15.78
Padma Agarwal	-	108.08
Pooja Agarwal	-	20.15
Ramchandra Agarwal HUF	-	18.93

₹ in Lakhs

Name of Party	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Rekha Agarwal	-	86.07
Shailesh Agarwal	-	68.30
Sudha Agarwal	-	91.88
Sushiladevi Agarwal	-	58.77
Uma Agarwal	-	50.08
Usha Agarwal	-	79.14
Virel Agarwal	-	6.99
Yash Agarwal	-	6.76
Concern in which KMP are interested		
Freight Paid		
ANZ Transporters	642.45	632.24
Agarwal Gas Carriers	392.25	280.07
Transportation Charges Received		
ANZ Transporters	131.76	217.27
Agarwal Motor Repairs	303.37	337.83
Labour Charges Received		
ANZ Transporters	6.79	7.32
Agarwal Gas Carriers	6.86	6.62
Sale of Spare Parts & Oil		
ANZ Transporters	5.55	6.70
Agarwal Gas Carriers	6.25	6.62
Purchase of Material		
Bright Bitumen Private Limited	76.14	-
Advance against supply		
Bright Bitumen Private Limited	150.00	325.00
Sale of Petroleum products		
Agarwal Gas Carriers	109.96	80.52
ANZ Transporters	107.43	79.44
Concern in which relatives of KMP are interested		
Purchase of HSD & Oil		
Murlidhar Ishwardas	14.19	11.76
Purchase of Tyre & Spare Parts		
Balaji Tyres	151.24	117.33
Vehicle Running Expenses - Repairing charges		
Shree Balaji Engineering Work	-	1.26

# Balance outstanding as at year end

Name of Party	As at 31st March 2023"	As at 31st March 2022
Concern in which KMP are interested		
Receivables		
ANZ Transporters	-	88.47
Agarwal Gas Carriers	-	121.12
Agarwal Motor Repairs	4.14	3.38
Balaji Tyres	21.95	3.80
Advance to Suppliers		
Bright Bitumen Private Limited	475.00	325.00
Concern in which relatives of KMP are interested		
<u>Payable</u>		
ANZ Transporters	232.04	-
Agarwal Gas Carriers	1.01	-
Shree Balaji Engineering Work	-	6.27
Murlidhar Ishwardas	0.97	0.60

# 46 Acquisition of 100% stake in Agarwal Translink Private Limited ('ATPL')

In previous year, on 9th April, 2021, the Company has acquired 100% equity shares of Agarwal Translink Private Limited (ATPL) for a consideration of Rs. 1,249.82 lakhs by way of purchase of 11,08,980 fully paid-up equity shares from selling shareholders of ATPL in pursuance of Share Purchase Agreement dated 15th January, 2021. The purchase consideration of Rs. 1,249.82 lakhs have been paid by the Company by allotments of 11,88,042 fully paid-up Equity Shares of face value of Rs. 10 each at Rs. 105.20 per equity shares including a share premium of Rs. 95.20 per equity share aggregating to Rs. 1,249.82 lakhs for consideration other than in cash.

Pursuant to the Acquisition, ATPL has become wholly owned subsidiary of the Company with effective from 9th April 2021. Agarwal Translink Private Limited is principally engaged in the logistics activities of Bitumen and Trading of Petroleum Products through its Petrol pump.

# Details of purchase consideration, net assets acquired and goodwill₹ in LakhsParticularsAmount11,88,042 fully paid up equity shares of face value of Rs. 10 each issued @ 105.20 per share1,249.82Total Consideration transferred1,249.82

Identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed	₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	Amount
Property, plant & equipment	389.26
Investments & Other financial assets	26.70
Inventory	66.38
Trade Receivables	883.13
Cash and cash equivalents	42.21
Other bank balances	10.43
Other Current Assets	401.11
Current Tax Assets	26.10
Total value of assets acquired	1,845.30
Value of liabilities acquired	
Borrowings	117.51
Other financial liabilities	18.79
Trade payables	679.75
Other current liabilities & provisions	29.53
Deferred tax liability	12.43
Value of liabilities acquired	858.00
Total Net Assets acquired	987.31

The gross contractual amounts and the fair value of trade and other receivables acquired is Rs. 883.13 lakhs. None of the trade and other receivables are credit impaired and it is expected that the full contractual amounts will be recoverable.

#### Goodwill

	₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	Amount
Consideration transferred	1,249.82
Non-controlled interest in the acquired entity	-
Net identifiable assets acquired	987.31
Goodwill	262.51

Total

# **47** Trade Receivables Ageing Schedule

										₹ in Lakhs	
				Outstanding for following periods from due date of payment							
Particulars		Unbilled	Not due	Less than 3 months	3 months to 6 months	6 months to 1 year	1 year to 2 years	2 years to 3 years	More than 3 years	31st March 2023	
Trade Unsec	Receivables - ured										
a)	Undisputed, considered good	-	-	14,169.82	746.09	694.20	510.93	790.72	1,043.66	17,955.41	
b)	Undisputed, which have significant increase in credit risk	-	-	3.41	-		53.01	262.95	1,291.55	1,610.93	
c)	Undisputed, credit impaired	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
d)	Disputed, considered good	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
e)	Disputed, which have significant increase in credit risk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
f) impair	Disputed, credit red	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
		-	-	14,173.23	746.09	694.20	563.94	1,053.66	2,335.21	19,566.34	
Less :	Expected Credit Loss	-	-	0.34	3.73	6.94	10.94	36.83	152.46	211.24	

										₹ in Lakhs
				Outst	anding for foll	owing perio	ds from due	date of pa	yment	As at
Particulars		Unbilled	nbilled Not due	Less than 3 months	3 months to 6 months	6 months to 1 year	1 year to 2 years	2 years to 3 years	Morethan 3 years	31st March 2022
Trade	Receivables - Unsecured									
a)	Undisputed, considered good	-	-	9,552.20	1,882.04	413.74	1,136.31	120.02	1,057.93	14,162.24
b)	Undisputed, which have significant increase in credit risk	-	-	-	-	31.78	613.13	489.20	938.95	2,073.06
c)	Undisputed, credit impaired	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
d)	Disputed, considered good	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
e)	Disputed, which have significant increase in credit risk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
f)	Disputed, credit impaired	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	9,552.20	1,882.04	445.52	1,749.44	609.22	1,996.88	16,235.30
Less : I	Expected Credit Loss Ince	-	-	-	4.17	5.41	35.89	20.77	48.14	114.37
Total		_	-	9,552.20	1,877.88	440.11	1,713.55	588.45	1,948.75	16,120.93

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#### **48 Recent accounting pronouncements**

#### A) New Standards issued or amendments to the existing standard but not yet effective:

Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") notifies new standards or amendments to the existing standards under Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules as issued from time to time.

On March 31, 2023, MCA amended the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Amendment Rules, 2023, as below:

- (a) Ind AS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements This amendment requires the entities to disclose their material accounting policies rather than their significant accounting policies. The effective date for adoption of this amendment is annual periods beginning on or after April 1, 2023. The Company has evaluated the amendment and the impact of the amendment is insignificant in the standalone financial statements.
- (b) Ind AS 8 Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors This amendment has introduced a definition of 'accounting estimates' and included amendments to Ind AS 8 to help entities distinguish changes in accounting policies from changes in accounting estimates. The effective date for adoption of this amendment is annual periods beginning on or after April 1, 2023. The Company has evaluated the amendment and there is no impact on its standalone financial statements.
- (c) Ind AS 12 Income Taxes This amendment has narrowed the scope of the initial recognition exemption so that it does not apply to transactions that give rise to equal and offsetting temporary differences. The effective date for adoption of this amendment is annual periods beginning on or after April 1, 2023. The Company has evaluated the amendment and there is no impact on its standalone financial statement.

# 49 Additional disclosure mandated by Schedule III of Companies Act, 2013

						₹ in Lakhs
Particulars	Parent Company - Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited	Wholly Owned Indian Subsidiary - Bituminex Cochin Private Limited	Wholly Owned Indian Subsidiary - Agarwal Translink Private Limited	Wholly Owned Foreign Subsidiary - AICL Overseas FZ-LLC, RAKEZ, UAE	Adjustment arising on consolidation	Total
Net assets i.e. total assets - total liabilities						
Amount	29,770.88	148.30	1,158.57	10,476.87	(1,183.64)	40,370.98
As a % of Consolidated net assets	73.74%	0.37%	2.87%	25.95%	-2.93%	100.00%
Share in Profit & Loss						
Amount	4,934.64	42.78	98.13	4,150.24	-	9,225.79
As a % of Consolidated Profit or Loss	53.49%	0.46%	1.06%	44.99%	0.00%	100.00%
Share in Other Comprehensive Income / (Loss)						
Amount	(2.89)	-	(1.30)	602.40	-	598.21
As a % of Consolidated other Comprehensive Income	-0.48%	0.00%	-0.22%	100.70%	0.00%	100.00%
Share in Total Comprehensive Income						
Amount	4,931.75	42.78	96.83	4,752.64	-	9,824.00
As a % of Consolidated total Comprehensive Income	50.20%	0.44%	0.99%	48.38%	0.00%	100.00%

#### 50 Event after reporting date

There have been no events after the reporting date.

#### 51 Details of Benami Property Held

The Parent and Indian subsidiaries do not have any benami property in their name. No proceedings have been initiated on or are pending against the Parent and Indian subsidiaries for holding benami property under the Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Act, 1988 (45 of 1988) and Rules made thereunder.

#### 52 Wilful Defaulter

The Parent and Subsidiaries has not been declared as a wilful defaulter by any bank or financial institution or other lender in the current or preceding financial year.

#### 53 Compliance with number of layers of companies

The Group has complied with the number of layers prescribed under clause (87) of section 2 of the Act read with Companies (Restriction on number of Layers) Rules, 2017 for the financial years ended 31 March 2023 and 31 March 2022.

#### 54 Utilisation of borrowed funds and share premium

No funds have been advanced or loaned or invested (either from borrowed funds or share premium or any other sources or kind of funds) by the Parent and Subsidiaries to or in any other persons or entities, including foreign entities ("Intermediaries") with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Intermediary shall lend or invest in party identified by or on behalf of the Parent or Subsidiary (Ultimate Beneficiaries). The Parent or Subsidiaries has also not received any fund from any parties (Funding Party) with the understanding that the Parent or Subsidiaries shall whether, directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified by or on behalf of the Funding Party ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.

#### 55 Compliance with approved Scheme(s) of Arrangements

There is no any scheme of Arrangement or Amalgamation initiated or approved by the Board of Directors and Shareholders of the Parent during the year ended 31st March 2023 and 31st March 2022.

#### 56 Undisclosed income

There is no income surrendered or disclosed as income during the year in tax assessments under the Income Tax Act, 1961 (such as search or survey), that has not been recorded in the books of account of Parent or Indian Subsidiaries.

#### 57 Title deeds of Immovable Properties not held in name of the Group

The title deeds of the immovable properties possess by the Companies in the Group are held in the name of the respective Companies (other than properties where the such Company is the lessee and the lease agreements are duly executed in favour of the lessee).

#### 58 Details of Crypto Currency or Virtual Currency

None of the companies in the Group has traded or invested in Crypto currency or Virtual currency during the current or preceeding financial year.

#### 59 Registration of charges or satisfaction with Registrar of Companies (ROC)

All charges or satisfaction are registered with ROC and the Parent and Indian Subsidiaries do not have any charges or satisfaction of charges which is yet to be registered with Registrar of Companies within the statutory period for the financial years ended 31st March 2023 and 31st March 2022.

#### 60 Relationship with Struck off Companies

The Parent and Subsidiaries have not entered into any transaction during the current or previous financial year with the companies whose names have been struck off under section 248 of Companies Act, 2013 or section 560 of Companies Act, 1956 and there is no outstanding receivable from / payable to such companies as at the end of year.

- 61 The Group is yet to receive balance confirmations in respect of certain financial assets and financial liabilities. The Management does not expect any material difference affecting the current year's financial statements due to the same.
- **62** The financial statements were approved for issue by the Board of Directors on 23rd May, 2023.
- 63 The figures of the previous year's have been regrouped or reclassified wherever necessary to make them comparable.

As per our report of even date For Ladha Singhal & Associates **Chartered Accountants** (Firm Registration No: 120241W)

**Ajay Singhal** 

Partner Membership No. 104451

Place: Mumbai Date : 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2023 For and on behalf of Board of Directors of **Agarwal Industrial Corporation Limited** CIN: L99999MH1995PLC084618

Jaiprakash Agarwal Managing Director (DIN: 01379868)

**Lalit Agarwal** 

Whole Time Director (DIN: 01335107)

Mahendra Agarwal

Director (DIN: 01366495)

Vipin Agarwal Dipali Pitale Chief Financial Officer Company Secretary

#### Form AOC-1

(Pursuant to first proviso to sub-section (3) of section 129 read with rule 5 of Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014)

Statement containing salient features of the financial statement of subsidiaries/associate companies/joint ventures

# Part "A": Subsidiaries

		₹ in Lakhs
Sr. No.	Particulars	Details
1	Name of the subsidiary	Bituminex Cochin Private Limited
2	Reporting period for the subsidiary concerned, if different from the holding company's reporting period	01/04/2022 to 31/03/2023
3	Reporting currency and Exchange rate as on the last date of the relevant Financial year in the case of foreign subsidiaries	INR
4	Share capital	6.20
5	Other Equity	142.10
6	Total assets	167.06
7	Total Liabilities	167.06
8	Investments	Nil
9	Turnover	423.76
10	Profit before taxation	57.39
11	Provision for taxation	14.61
12	Profit after taxation	42.78
13	Other Comprehensive Income	Nil
14	Total Comprehensive Income	42.78
15	Proposed Dividend	Nil
16	% of shareholding	100%

Sr. No.	Particulars	Details
1	Name of the subsidiary	AICL Overseas FZ LLC
2	Reporting period for the subsidiary concerned, if different from the holding company's reporting period	01/01/2022 to 31/12/2022
3	Reporting currency and Exchange rate as on the last date of the relevant Financial year in the case of foreign subsidiaries	AED & Closing Rate 22.3658 & Average Rate 21.8371
4	Share capital	190.13
5	Other Equity	10286.74
6	Total assets	29816.83
7	Total Liabilities	29816.83
8	Investments	Nil
9	Turnover	17702.74
10	Profit before taxation	4150.24
11	Provision for taxation	Nil
12	Profit after taxation	4150.24
13	Other Comprehensive Income/(Loss)	602.40
14	Total Comprehensive Income	4752.64
15	Proposed Dividend	Nil
16	% of shareholding	100%



Sr. No.	Particulars	Details
1	Name of the subsidiary	Agarwal Translink Private Limited
2	Reporting period for the subsidiary concerned, if different from the holding company's reporting period	01/04/2022 to 31/03/2023
3	Reporting currency and Exchange rate as on the last date of the relevant Financial year in the case of foreign subsidiaries	INR
4	Share capital	110.90
5	Other Equity	1047.67
6	Total assets	2521.56
7	Total Liabilities	2521.56
8	Investments	Nil
9	Turnover	9415.82
10	Profit before taxation	131.51
11	Provision for taxation	33.38
12	Profit after taxation	98.13
13	Other Comprehensive Income	(1.30)
14	Total Comprehensive Income	96.83
15	Proposed Dividend	Nil
16	% of shareholding	100%

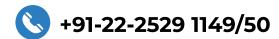
#### Notes:

- 1. Names of subsidiaries which are yet to commence operations: AICL Finance Private Limited
- 2. Names of subsidiaries which have been liquidated or sold during the year: NIL

# Part "B": Associates and Joint Ventures

There are no Joint Venture or Associate Companies related to your Company

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