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**ANNUAL REPORT 2022-23** 



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124 Standalone 192 Consolidated The story of Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited (KKCL) unfolds, a journey from denimfocused roots to a vibrant lifestyle brand. With more than three decades of experience, the evolution of KKCL is not just a response to change, but a deliberate effort that has significantly helped shape India's fashion culture.

Central to our journey is innovation – it is our advanced manufacturing capabilities that have propelled us forward. Collaborations with our channel partners have woven into our growth story, expanding our reach and impact.

Our transition from denim-centric to a comprehensive lifestyle entity, showcases adaptability which is firmly anchored in a sustainable business ethos.

"Innovate. Collaborate. Grow." is more than a theme line; we believe that it has ingrained in our identity. This ongoing narrative invites you to be a part of a journey where innovation takes the lead, collaborations flourish and growth knows no limits. As we continue to redefine possibilities, we continue to root for innovation, collaboration and growth to converge.



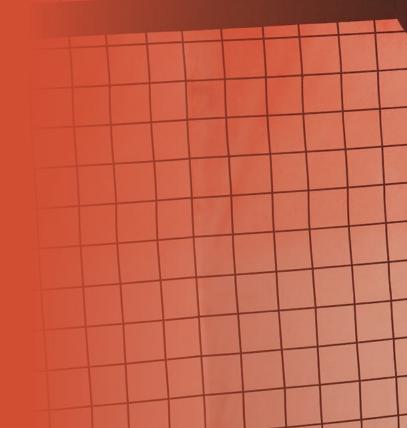
FY 2022-23 Highlights





~2,89,000 SOFT

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### **ABOUT US**

# REDEFINING STYLE, REDEFINING Y U

Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited (KKCL) is one of the leading manufacturers of branded apparels and accessories in India. Our integrated play across the value chain – from designing to manufacturing, branding and retailing – ensures quality that blends style and comfort seamlessly.

We are continuously contributing to India's evolving fashion culture through our iconic brands. We boast a diverse portfolio of in-house fashion brands such as Killer, Integriti, LawmanPg3, Easies and Desi Belle captivating apparel and accessory lovers nationwide. Our exclusive retail store K-Lounge and accessories division Addiction adds to modern India's fashion movement.

### Vision

To be a world-class business organisation which enables value, best services and enhancement of net worth for all the stakeholders.

### Mission

**Driving excellence** through our people, business partners and other stakeholders.

**Focusing on consumer** satisfaction and executing a customer-centric business module.

**Executing the business** based on the three core growth principles of: Stability, Sustainability and Scalability.

Adopting international standards and best practices across our operations.

### Business Ethos

+ MORALITY + RIGHTNESS + ETHICAL PRACTICES

### Our Core Values<sup>¬</sup>

### Experience

The Company enjoys an experience of more than three decades in this industry.

### **Diversified Product Base**

The Company's all-encompassing product portfolio artfully caters to the discerning requirements of its esteemed customers.

### **Environment-friendly**

With a steadfast commitment to sustainability, the Company prudently invests in state-of-the-art, environmentfriendly manufacturing techniques, ensuring the production of consumerfriendly apparel.

### State-of-the-art manufacturing Facilities

Embracing cutting-edge technologies in our manufacturing process is the cornerstone of our success. Our commitment towards innovation and continuous improvement, empowers us with core competence, allowing us to craft the finest products that delight our customers.

### **Strong Distribution Network**

Our expansive presence reaches far and wide, as we proudly serve customers across 26 states and over 199 towns and cities in India.

### **Impeccable Quality**

Our brand's value is underscored by product quality and environmental certifications, reflecting our commitment to excellence. We prioritise both quality and sustainable practices.



### From Denim to Captivating Lifestyle Brands – Since 1980's

We embarked on a remarkable journey, transitioning from a denim-focused brand to establishing a fashion house of captivating lifestyle brands. Our roots trace back to the 1980's and since then, we have thrived as a true trailblazer in the Indian apparel fashion scene.

We have continued to contribute to the evolving fashion culture in India through our portfolio. Each one of our offerings reflects our integrated approach across the value chain, from designing to manufacturing, branding and retailing, ensuring that we present only the best in terms of quality and style. With our commitment to reach every fashion enthusiast, we have created a widespread distribution network that spans the entire nation. From our Exclusive Brand Outlets (EBO's) and Large Format Stores (LFS), to the digital realm of E-commerce and the traditional Multi-Brand Outlets (MBO's), we have left no stone unturned in bringing our cherished products closer to our customers.

As we embrace the future with open arms, our diverse portfolio stands as a testament to our success as one of India's most cherished and successful apparel fashion brands.

### PRODUCT PORTFOLIO

# DISTINCT PREFERENCES. ICONIC BRANDS.

At KKCL, we place a profound emphasis on understanding the desires of our customers, shaping each of our brands meticulously to resonate with specific market segments, making them an expression of their unique preferences and attitudes.

Each of our carefully crafted brands represents an exquisite expression of the specific market segments they cater to, making us a true Brand Powerhouse.

With a wide-ranging product portfolio that capitalises on the strength of our established brands and embraces rising brand aspirations, we have seamlessly transitioned from being denim-focused to a dynamic lifestyle brand.

Within our offerings lie a treasure trove of fashion essentials, from classic denim jeans and stylish shirts to trendy T-shirts, elegant women's wear and versatile trousers. Completing the ensemble are our accessories, adding that perfect touch of finesse to every outfit.

Our iconic brands, including Killer, Easies, Integriti, Desi Belle and LawmanPg3 resonate with the distinctive personalities of our cherished customers, reflecting their unique attitudes and desires.



### KILLERX

### **Premium Casuals**

Our flagship brand "Killer" redefines denim by giving it a bold personality and ingrains it with the sleek attitude of today's youth.





### **O**Integriti

### **Youth Culture**

Presents a genuine and trusted value proposition across work and informal attire, reflecting and resonating the ambition and enthusiasm of youth.







An Western womenswear brand that caters to modern women existing at the confluence of contemporary style with desi touch.







### **Contemporary Semi-formal**

"Easies" is changing corporate fashion in India by blending traditional and modern styles, with its collection of semi-formal menswear crafted from the finest fabric and linen.





LAMAN Pg<sup>3</sup>

### **Fashion Capital**

"LawmanPg3," a stylish lifestyle brand, specialises in latest partywear and denim for young adults.



### **ADDICTIONS**

### **Accessories Division**

Addictions plays as a brand extension. This accessories division of KKCL, offers lifestyle products like deodorants, watches, wallets, belts and undergarments.









🗇 Jeans 🎹 Trousers 👚 T-shirts 👚 Shirts 🔟 Women's wear 🦾 Accessories

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### **KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS**

# DELIVERING SUSTAINED VALUE

MRP Turnover (₹ in Lakh)





Net Profit Before Tax (₹ in Lakh)

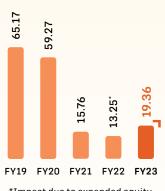


Revenue (₹ in Lakh)



Earnings Per Share (₹)

**19.36** 



\*Impact due to expanded equity capital on account of bonus issue in the ratio of 4:1 in FY2022.

CAGR Change
Growth CAGR

Operating Profit (₹ in Lakh)

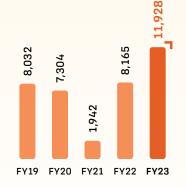
15,194



### **Profit After Tax** (₹ in Lakh)

11,928





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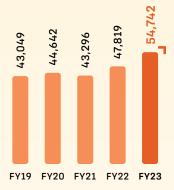
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Embracing a long legacy of over three decades, we have ingeniously crafted a business model that continuously channels growth and fosters equitable returns for our esteemed shareholders.

**Net Worth** (₹ in Lakh)

54,742

**^ 14.48**%



Dividend Per Share (₹)

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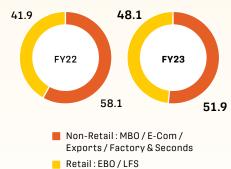
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Channelwise Sales Performance (%)

48.1/51.9





### CHAIRMAN & MD'S MESSAGE

# A JOURNEY OF Progress and impact

"Our achievements are resultant of our focused renewed efforts for achieving high sales growth backed by the inherent soundness and balance sheet strength and impeccable management team."



### Dear Shareholders,

The FY 2022-23 has been a milestone year on all counts for your Company supported by a buoyant Indian economy, which emerged as a shining star by exhibiting robust resilience amidst a global turmoil.

Your Company achieved an all-round strong performance with volume and value growth. We achieved record operating revenues of ₹77,945.35 Lakh as against ₹60,760.98 Lakh, registering an impressive growth of 28.28% Y-o-Y backed by an impressive margin profile with EBITDA of ₹15,194.43 Lakh and EBITDA margin of 19.49%.

Your Company's market cap crossed the ₹3,500 Crore mark. These achievements are resultant of our focused renewed efforts for achieving high sales growth backed by the inherent soundness and balance sheet strength and impeccable management team.

Another exciting and a proud moment for your Company was to get associated with the Indian Cricket Team as a Official Sponsor through strategic partnership with Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI). Additionally, we were the title sponsor for the India v/s Bangladesh Test series and also carried out aggressive in-stadium brand advertisement during the India v/s Australia series and India v/s South Africa series as well.

We believe that our association with cricket across these mediums had a positive impact on enhancing our brand visibility and aspirational value as it has helped the Brand 'Killer' to reach out to the millions of cricket fans, across gender, across age that are spread across the country and overseas. This was in line with Company's brand building strategy aligned to the growth objectives of enhancing brand value.

Aiding this further has been our aggressive marketing campaign through the year – from outdoor advertising to event sponsorship to other sport sponsorships as well as advertisement across multiplexes and theatres. These spends are aimed to strengthening our brand aspirational values and increase our market share to seize the huge Indian market potential in discretionary spending.

We have always believed and aimed towards nurturing all our stakeholders. Be it timely payment to our creditors, regular servicing of loans from Banks, providing work environment for our employees that is professional, maintain high standards of corporate governance



for its shareholders and one that reinforces our values of integrity, your Company has always aimed to create a conducive ecosystem that is resilient to volatile market conditions. With the ethos of sustained business, your Company has always targeted to deliver high quality products at attractive price and value to all our consumers.

The performance in FY 2022-23 is a testimony to the fact that our targeted consumers have acknowledged the value of a world class fashion experience through an increased connect with your Company's brands. Your Company caters to the continuously evolving demands of today's youth through its plethora of apparel and accessories. "We believe that our association with the game of cricket has helped the Brand 'Killer' to reach out to the millions of cricket fans, across gender, across age that are spread across the country and overseas."

### **CHAIRMAN & MD'S MESSAGE**

Your Company today offers a wide range of comfortable and superiorquality clothing and chic accessories across many categories. Our branded lifestyle products, ranging from daily casual wear to party and office wear, are made available at various price points, affirming our strong market position.

Our strategic initiatives like strengthening distribution channel through increase in EBO's, increase in product categories and bringing efficiencies in supply chain planning have propelled us to strengthen our position and aim for a strong future growth.

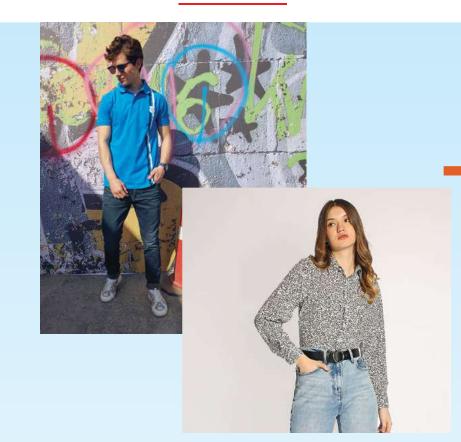
"With our comprehensive branded portfolio play in Indian fashion industry, all our new initiatives have demonstrated signs of success."

Our intensified focus on strengthening the distribution by maintaining a judicious balance enabled increasing our presence through Brand Focussed EBO's. Your Company added net 97 EBO's in FY 2022-23 taking the tally to 453 EBO's as at March 31, 2023 from 356 as on March 31, 2022. Additionally, 49 stores are under development. Company's growing EBO network and rising presence through LFS distribution channel has helped to diversify across India thereby leading to high visibility of its brands. The renewed focus to increase number of EBO's (mix of both COCO and FOFO) not only helps your Company to neutralise the revenue stream from a particular distribution channel but also acts as a brand awareness medium.

The robust distribution model was well supported by our drive for expansion of Product Categories enabling the amazing performance of your Company in the financial year 2022-23. Your Company is on a constant pursuit to enhance the product offerings and looking for opportunities to fill any gap there might be in the targeted consumer segment. The core brands of your Company have evolved over time from being denim focused brands to lifestyle brand. In line with this strategy, it has in recent years aggressively introduced newer product categories like winterwear, casual blazers, athleisure collection, etc. Concentrated efforts towards this objective has helped in (i) faster turnaround of inventory, (ii) creating product range for all seasons, (iii) higher wallet share of the consumer and thereby making store economics more profitable.

Addressing network expansion and new category extensions without strengthening the manufacturing and supply chain would have left the growth propellors without steam. We believe the inherent manufacturing expertise which your Company possesses provides us an edge over our competitors to emerge stronger and more committed of pursuing sustainable and profitable growth catering to the rising demand.

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Your Company's in-house technical capabilities with over three decades of experience and state-of-the-art manufacturing facilities ensures to achieve quality and timely deliveries. Our design and merchandising team, together with our marketing and procurement teams, are continuously focused in developing innovative design concepts across product categories and consistently working towards developing new and differentiated products and respond to evolving market trends and our customers' preferences. This coupled with our initiative of bi-vearly trade shows wherein we connect with the merchandising teams of our LFS clients and our distributors, has helped in supply chain planning and inventory management.

With our comprehensive branded portfolio play in Indian fashion industry, all our new initiatives have demonstrated signs of success and with our inherent strength of robust balance sheet support, we are confident that we are on the right path to execute our strategy. India emerges as most attractive destination and the apparel segment throws open a huge growth opportunity to be addressed. Consumption is all set to grow with inherent advantages of (i) favourable demographics with a large young workforce who are fashion oriented, (ii) rise in per capita income to drive increased consumption, (iii) rapid urbanization, (iv) digital revolution leading to widespread availability of affordable internet access, budget-friendly smartphones and the growth of social media platforms contributing to enhanced accessibility to latest fashion trends and consciousness and ability to keep up with the global fashion trends. There has been a major shift in consumer aspirational values, which has clearly paved the way towards shift to branded apparels leading to a strong demand for organised players.

We will continue further entrench the dynamic Indian markets with significant growth potential to consistently pursue a disciplined expansion strategy and navigating successfully by emerging stronger with focused execution and customer-centric approach by creating innovative and attractive design high quality products. By following our business approach working on the primary principles to achieve the '3S' of Business - Business Stability, Business Sustainability and Business Scalability, we have proved time and again that our vision and strategies are resilient and can stand the test of time for a long period of time. We will keep pushing our limits and reaching new milestones to rise above.

Your Company is confident of navigating through tough competitive industry dynamics and would continue to invest in its capabilities to understand and deliver attractive designs to satisfy the consumer needs in our quest to deliver sustainable long-term performance. Our business focused DNA with growth focused strategy encourages us to take calculated risks. Backed by experienced promoters and fresh talent in our midst, our strong Balance Sheets, robust cash flows, the eye on the customer and unrelenting focus on delivering shareholder value, we are on a path of positive future. The year ahead I believe will be the one when we reinforce what we have achieved in recent years and further bear the fruits of the several initiatives that are currently underway. I take this opportunity to thank all our stakeholders for the faith reposed in the Company and look forward to your continued support in this journey.

### Kewalchand P. Jain

Chairman & Managing Director

# STORIES THAT DEFINED ( IR GROWTH



### **STORIES THAT DEFINED OUR GROWTH**

# REDEFINING IN-HOUSE INNOVATION AND MANUFACTURING

Championing innovation, creativity and craftsmanship, KKCL continues to redefine style, leaving an everlasting impression on fashion enthusiasts across the nation.

At KKCL, our pursuit of excellence is intertwined with sustainable practices. Through cutting-edge technology, efficient supply chain management and a strong focus on environmental responsibility, we continue to set new industry standards, redefining what it means to be a leading fashion house which encompasses designing, manufacturing and retailing.

### Manufacturing – A Pivotal MOAT

### **Comprehensive Capabilities**

Our in-house capabilities are truly comprehensive, covering every aspect from design and procurement to washing, stitching, labelling, packing and retail.

### **Cutting-Edge Technology**

Our state-of-the-art manufacturing facilities boast cutting-edge technology and advanced machinery, setting the stage for exceptional craftsmanship and innovation in every product we offer.





### Ozone System for Denim Wash

Leading the charge in eco-conscious manufacturing, we have implemented an Ozone System for Denim Wash, unlocking multiple benefits like water-saving, stain removal with minimal water usage and the purification of chemicals during the manufacturing process.

### **Technology-driven Expertise**

Assisted by a team of international professionals at our research and technology wing, we continuously strive to develop new products and enhance our existing range, staying at the forefront of innovation.

### Seamless Supply Chain Management

With years of experience in manufacturing, our seasoned experts possess a strong acumen in managing the supply chain smoothly, ensuring efficiency at every step.

### **Certified Quality**

Our manufacturing facilities underscore our commitment to quality and environmental stewardship.

### **Balanced Approach**

We take a balanced approach to manufacturing, focusing on deriving cost advantages by housing key value-added processes in-house while outsourcing less critical functions.

### **Environment-friendly Practices**

By adopting certified green chemicals, the latest blue technology and energy conservation initiatives, we aim to be one of the best environment-friendly organisations in the industry.

### **Best-in-class Washing Facility**

Our in-house washing facility employs high-end machines with a clear objective of conserving water, purifying chemicals and saving resources like time and energy.

### **STORIES THAT DEFINED OUR GROWTH**

# LEVERAGING Collaborations For Success

Through strategic collaborations, KKCL has attained remarkable success, exemplified by the iconic 'KILLER' brand gracing the upper chest of the Indian Cricket Team's jersey.



This game-changing partnership has not only captured the hearts of millions of cricket fans, both domestically and internationally, but also elevated the brand's visibility and aspirational value to unprecedented heights.

Embracing the power of collaboration, KKCL actively engages in bi-annual trade shows, fostering crucial connections with channel partners, enabling seamless feedback sharing, and optimising supply chain planning through order bookings, ensuring minimised risks of obsolete inventory.





Additionally, KKCL extends unwavering support to their channel partners, offering cost-sharing for End of Season Sales (EOSS), implementing shop-in-shop arrangements, and providing a diverse product range that caters to different categories and seasons.



At the core of KKCL's success lies their passion for leveraging collaborations, driving innovation, and setting new standards of excellence in the dynamic world of fashion.

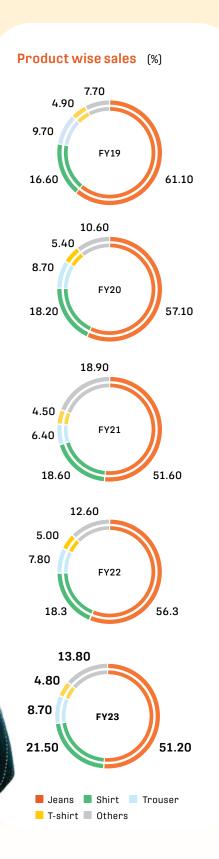
### **STORIES THAT DEFINED OUR GROWTH**

# WHERE VISION MEETS GROWTH

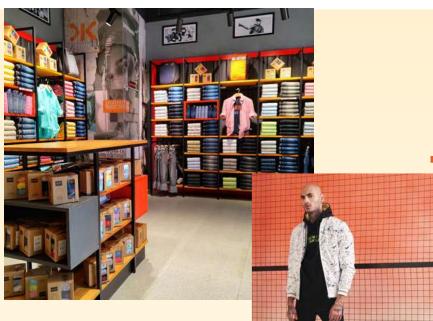
As we have embraced a new dawn of growth, our pursuit of excellence has led to the expansion of our product categories, strategically diversifying our revenue streams and securing increased shelf space for our offerings.

The growth of our brand-focused Exclusive Brand Outlets (EBOs) has become the cornerstone of our success, amplifying our visibility and expanding our coverage in the ever-evolving fashion landscape.

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Complementing our progress, biannual trade shows play a crucial role in streamlining our supply chain planning, empowering us to stay ahead of the curve and set new benchmarks in the industry. Driven by our persistent commitment to achieving high sales growth with sustainable margins, we continue to soar in this paradigm of fashion.



### **Conquering the Distribution Landscape**

With a widespread distribution network encompassing Exclusive Brand Outlets (EBOs), Multi-Brand Outlets (MBOs), e-commerce platforms, and traditional retail channels, we maintain a robust presence and reach across India.

Our footprint extends further with a significant presence in Multi-Brand Outlets (MBOs) across India, powered by a strong network of over 80 distributors, covering an impressive expanse of more than 3,000 MBOs.

EBO's in FY23	8
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Period	As of March '23
COCO/FOCO Nos.	28
FOFO Nos.	425
Total	453

### **Break up of EBOs**

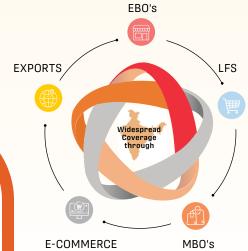
K-Lounge

Killer Brand EBOs 24 Other Brand EBOs

**EBOS UNDER DEVELOPMENT** 

**D1** Factory Outlet

### **Widespread Distribution Across Channels**



### MBO

Widespread MBO presence through traditional Distributional Channel: 80+ Distributors covering ~3,000+ MBOs across India.

### LFS

Select Key Stores: Reliance Retail, Max, Lifestyle, Shoppers Stop & Others 2,000+ counters across regions.

### E-Comm

Present across multiple e-commerce platforms like Amazon and Flipkart.

Our strategic partnerships with key retail giants, including Reliance Retail, Max, Lifestyle and others, ensure the availability of our products in select stores across various regions. In addition to our physical retail dominance, KKCL's digital footprint is equally compelling, with a thriving presence on popular e-commerce platforms like Flipkart and Amazon, opening doors to countless online shoppers, further expanding our reach and cementing our position as one of the industry frontrunners.

# KEV DRIVERS



### **MARKETING INITIATIVES**

# INSPIRING BRAND L YALTY

Embracing a marketing-focused approach, KKCL places its brands at the heart of its communication strategy, emphasising brand positioning as the driving force behind its endeavours.

Each brand possesses unique traits, with well-defined short-term and long-term goals, ensuring a targeted and purposeful marketing approach for individual brand growth.

In crafting our mode of advertising, we recognise the diversity of our brands and their distinct target audiences. Leveraging an array of advertising channels, from impactful print advertisements to sponsorships of movies, events, and sports, as well as eye-catching outdoor advertising, we aim to connect with consumers at multiple touch points.

### **Recent Brand Promotions**

Official Sponsor of the Indian Cricket Team Title Sponsor of India vs Bangladesh Cricket Test Series

Team Sponsorships - Pro Kabaddi League India vs South Africa – In-stadium Brand Advertisement Our recent marketing focus revolves around creating a dedicated following for our brands, inspiring pride and aspiration among customers to associate with us.

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TEST Series

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To achieve this, we strategically capitalise on outdoor advertisements, large sports sponsorships, and meaningful collaborations on social media platforms.

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### **Brand DNA**

Killer	Easies	Lawman PG3	Integriti	Desi Belle
Attitude	Corporate Happenings	Glamour	Youth	Women Western Wear

### **OUR PEOPLE**

# EMP WERING THR UGH ENGAGEMENT

At KKCL, human capital is an essential building block for creating value. People are our most precious resource and their effective management is critical to our continued success. We proactively seek out, engage and develop people's potential.

We understand the role of human capital in the value creation process and strongly believe that investment in human capital contributes to economic and business growth for the benefit of our employees, employers, and the wider economy.

Our constant objective is to groom and develop internal talent and provide them with suitable career opportunities. With a belief that a better-trained workforce brings increased productivity, and with a commitment to be dynamic and adaptive to change, we strive to bring in the right fit, aligned with our philosophy of fostering diversity and inclusion.

With a key focus on employee development and well-being, we are targeting to have an engaged workforce and enhanced productivity.



The Company ensures equal access to opportunities in the areas of recruitment, learning & development, career progression and advancement. This is regardless of gender, age, racial/ethnic background, religion or social status. As a Company, we have always placed our priorities in the best interests of our people. We believe if our employees are holistically taken care of, then they will bring long-term value to our Company. With this philosophy, we listen to our employees about what they do and what they need, shaping our policies and programmes that can help them maximise their potential. We have been extremely fortunate to have had resilient. perseverant, and skilled employees who take our work quality towards new milestones every day.

Our retail shelves and corporate backend have people willing to learn, bringing their technical expertise and best foot forward to align with our vision and line of business and this has been one of the major reasons behind our success. We have a strong Ethics Code of Conduct and therefore, conduct frequent awareness sessions both for new joiners and existing employees to make them understand the right way of doing and conducting business.

### **Training and Development**

On one hand, it is important to have skilled people in the team for better quality and productivity. On the other, employees also need to expand and work on their current roles and responsibilities by exploring and working in various domains, and getting relevant knowledge and experience to take up higher responsible roles.

Recognising these areas, we conduct workshops and training programmes around leadership, functional training, behavioural training, and much more. We train our team on retail foundational aspects that help them understand the world of retail and get a handson of the field.



Trainings

Employee



Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited out of 719 entries on **Dream** Companies to Work For under Retail Category has been conferred in top most Dream Companies to Work For-Retail category.

Christmas Eve, Retail Employee Day and National Day celebrations. Safety Week celebrations are a few of these initiatives that keep our employees' engagement levels high.

Despite external environmental challenges, KKCL has continued to demonstrate resilience. We relentlessly focused on our 'Business Growth & Diversification' strategy, to consistently deliver a stronger future-ready.



### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

# PIONEERING FASHION'S FUTURE











### Kewalchand P. Jain

Chairman & Managing Director

Mr. Jain, a keen student of finance and our hands-on manager, was instrumental in introducing the branded apparel segment to KKCL. He oversees the Company's finance functions and is responsible for the overall management of the Company's affairs. He is also the acting Trustee of Smt. Jatnobai Karmchandji Ratanparia Chauhan Charitable Trust.

### Hemant P. Jain

### **Joint Managing Director**

Mr. Jain has played a key role in launching Killer and Easies brands. He is in charge of the Killer and Easies brands and supervises operations of the Desi Belle brand. He also oversees the retail business of the Company. He is one of the Trustees of Smt. Jatnobai Karmchandji Ratanparia Chauhan Charitable Trust.

### **Dinesh P. Jain**

Whole-time Director

Mr. Jain manages the manufacturing operations of the Company. His specialisation lies in production, human resources and industrial relations. His leadership ensures optimum utilisation of the Company's production facilities, its personnel and overall development. He is one of the Trustees of Smt. Jatnobai Karmchandji Ratanparia Chauhan Charitable Trust.

### Vikas P. Jain

### Whole-time Director

Mr. Jain spearheads the LawmanPg3 and Integriti brands, alongside supervising Addictions, the lifestyle accessories division. He also manages the retail business of the Company. He is one of the trustees of Smt. Jatnobai Karmchandji Ratanparia Chauhan Charitable Trust.

### Dr. Prakash A. Mody

### **Independent Director**

Dr. Mody has a doctorate in Organic Chemistry from University of Mumbai. He pursued Marketing Management from Jamnalal Bajaj Institute of Management Studies, University of Mumbai and is a graduate alumnus of the Harvard Business School, the Owner Presidents' Management Programme. He is the Chairman and Managing Director of Unichem Laboratories Limited and brings onboard rich experience in marketing, research and production. KKCL is guided by a focused and experienced Board of Directors, bringing invaluable expertise and vision to steer the Company towards greater heights. Comprising industry veterans and visionaries, our esteemed Board plays a pivotal role in shaping our strategic decisions, fostering innovation and ensuring a sustainable growth trajectory. Their collective wisdom and commitment empower us to navigate challenges with confidence and capitalise on opportunities with a shared vision of success.



### Nimish G. Pandya Independent Director

Mr. Pandya is a renowned lawyer and a founding partner at Pandya Juris LLP, International Lawyers & Tax Consultants and proprietor at Pandya and Co., Advocates and Notary. He is a member of the Bar Council of Maharashtra and was appointed as Notary Public by the Government of Maharashtra in 1993. He specialises in mergers and acquisitions, litigation and arbitration, trust and charities, corporate commercial and financial planning and execution including transaction support and contracts, intellectual property, technology, media and communications and competition and trade, conveyance and real estate and family and personal law. He is the Trustee of Shree Satya Sai Trust, Maharashtra and Trustee of Sri Satya Sai Education in Human Values Trust . He is All-India President of Shree Satya Sai Seva Organisation and Vice Chairman of Sri Satya Sai Global Council.



### **Yogesh A. Thar**

**Independent Director** 

Mr. Thar is a member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India and a Senior Partner in Bansi S. Mehta & Co., a renowned chartered accountancy firm in Mumbai. He has more than 32 years of experience in business mergers, acquisitions and restructuring, business valuations, corporate taxation and taxation of non-resident citizens and foreign companies. He is a Member of the Direct Tax Committee of the Chamber of Tax Consultants.



### Drushti R. Desai

**Independent Director** 

Ms. Desai is a member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India and is one of the partners in Bansi S. Mehta & Co. She brings with her over 21 years of experience in valuation of shares, businesses and intangibles and advisory services on schemes relating to mergers, acquisitions, spinoffs and other forms of corporate restructuring and family settlements, financial and management advice and corporate and individual taxation (income tax, wealth tax and gift tax, among others).

### AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

# HONOURED For innovation

KKCL has recently garnered a few awards and accolades, recognising our dedication to innovation, quality, and customer satisfaction.

These honours highlight our commitment to delivering exceptional fashion experiences and setting new industry standards. We are humbled by the recognition and remain focused on our mission to create stylish, sustainable and customer-centric apparel that resonates with fashion enthusiasts across the nation.



Economic Times – Best Brands 2022

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Economic Times – Iconic Brands of India 2022



Economic Times – Asian Business Leaders 2022-23

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World HRD Congress – Dream Companies to Work for – Retail Sector

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### **ECONOMY OVERVIEW**

The Indian economy staged a broad-based recovery across sectors, ascending to the pre-pandemic growth path in FY2023 on account of recovery from pandemic-induced contraction, Russian-Ukraine conflict and inflationary pressure.

Global economic recovery was well on track since the disruptions caused by the COVID-19 pandemic, however it was short lived until the Russia-Ukraine conflict broke out in February 2022. The conflict has now continued for almost a year, disrupting the restoration of the supply chains disrupted earlier by lockdowns and limited trade traffic. The Russian-Ukraine conflict led to a worldwide surge in inflation. Then, the central banks across economies led by the Federal Reserve responded with synchronised policy rate hikes to curb inflation. The rate hike by the US Fed drove capital into the US markets causing the US Dollar to appreciate against most currencies. This led to the widening of the Current Account Deficits (CAD) and increased inflationary pressure in net importing economies. The frailties of the Chinese economy further contributed to weakening the growth forecasts.

However, on the other hand for India, 2022 was special. It marked the 75<sup>th</sup> year of India's Independence. India became the world's fifth largest economy, measured in current dollars. The Indian economy exhibited robust resilience in 2022-23 amidst a global turmoil and recorded a growth of 7.0%, the highest among major economies in the world. Barring the Omicron wave scare early in the year 2022, the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic was largely receding for most part of the year helping in restoration of consumer and business confidence. Sound macroeconomic fundamentals, a resilient financial system and a deleveraged corporate sector imparted resilience to counter the adverse global spillovers.

The second advance estimates (SAE) of national income that were released by the National Statistical Office (NSO) on February 28, 2023 indicated that aggregate demand, measured by real GDP, registered a growth of 7.0% in 2022-23 vis-à-vis 9.1% growth a year ago. This optimistic growth stem in part from the resilience of the Indian economy seen in the rebound of private consumption seamlessly replacing the export stimuli as the leading driver of growth. The uptick in private consumption has also given a boost to production activity resulting in an increase in capacity utilisation across sectors.

Private final consumption expenditure (PFCE) registered a steady growth of 7.3%, buoyed by an uptick in the contact intensive activity including travel and tourism and an upbeat festival time demand in 2022-23. A well-rounded resumption and pent-up demand in discretionary consumption spearheaded private consumption in the first half of the year. A resilient farm sector and an improvement in labour market conditions relative to the pandemic period supported the revival in consumption. Household's spending was buoyant for both essential and non-essential items with an expectation of a rise in non-essential outlay over the next year. Industrial output measured by the index of industrial production (IIP) expanded by 5.1% during 2022-23 as compared to 11.4% last year.

CPI headline inflation in India remained above the upper tolerance level of 6% for 10 successive months since January 2022, before moderating during November-December on



seasonal easing in food prices. Inflation picked up again in January-February 2023 before easing to 5.7% in March 2023. The pick-up in headline inflation during the year was broadbased resulting from pass-through of higher global commodity prices (crude oil, metals and food prices) and adverse domestic weather conditions. After reaching a peak in April 2022 following the war in Ukraine, inflation eased with gradual improvement in global supply conditions, record domestic food production, targeted supply side measures undertaken by the government including excise duty cuts on petrol and diesel along with lower import duties and imposition of export restrictions on some inflation sensitive agricultural items. Cumulative tightening of policy repo rate by 250 basis points (bps) during May 2022-February 2023 also aided in containing price pressures in the second half of 2022-23.

While both consumption and investment demand gained traction, adverse external demand conditions and the resultant larger deficit in net exports dragged down growth in 2022-23. India's exports, after exhibiting remarkable recovery post-COVID with a growth of 29.3% in 2021-22, tapered to 11.5% in 2022-23. As the growth in imports at 18.8% outpaced the growth in exports, the drag from net exports further widened to 2.9% of GDP in 2022-23 from 1.3% in the preceding year. Even as domestic economic recovery kept import demand high, a slowdown in global demand weighed on India's exports. These, together with the adverse net terms of trade shock associated with record high global commodity prices, expanded India's merchandise trade deficit during the year. Exports of cotton yarn/fabrics, etc. contracted by 28.4% during 2022-23. Commodity-wise, cotton yarn exports reduced to about half their level a year ago. Exports of cotton yarn/fabrics, etc. to Bangladesh, which alone constituted 42.0% of cotton yarn exports of India in 2021-22, reduced to almost half in 2022-23. Stronger dollar



and lower capacity utilisation amid power crisis and stockpiling of old yarn by textile manufacturers impacted cotton imports into Bangladesh, a net cotton importer. Exports to China also plunged significantly due to COVID-19 lockdowns and weak apparel demand. Additionally, a duty of 11.0% on imported cotton amid lack of cheaper domestic raw material adversely impacted margins of spinners and manufacturers, leading to a fall in exports of cotton fabrics.

## **ECONOMY OUTLOOK**

Global growth is expected to slow down in 2023 and may remain subdued in the medium run. Potential financial risks from high debt levels and the recent banking sector developments in the US and Europe highlight the scope for unanticipated build-up of stress with strong adverse spillovers across the global financial system. Overall, the prospects for the global economy continue to be shadowed by high inflation, the adverse effects of geo-economic fragmentation operating through restrictions on movements of trade, labour, capital and potential amplification of financial sector vulnerabilities.

Domestic Indian economic activity does face challenges from an uninspiring global outlook going forward, but resilient domestic macroeconomic and financial conditions, expected dividends from past reforms and new growth opportunities from global geo-economic shifts, place India at an advantageous position. The fundamentals of the Indian economy are sound as it enters its Amrit Kaal, the 25-year journey towards its centenary as a modern, independent nation. Monetary policy remains focused on withdrawal of accommodation to ensure that inflation progressively aligns with the target, while supporting growth. The March 2023 round of the Reserve Bank's consumer confidence survey reveals that the current situation is perceived by consumers to have improved on account of optimism in the general economic situation and in household income. Future expectations also remain positive.

Households' spending on non-essential items is expected to rise over the year ahead. Robust balance sheets of corporates and banks, coupled with high-capacity utilisation, would aid in strengthening the momentum in private investment. Burgeoning credit growth, especially housing and personal loans, reflects steady domestic household demand. This is also mirrored in several high frequency indicators of rural and urban demand such as rising sales of tractor and fertiliser, improvement in the labour participation rate in rural areas, domestic air passenger traffic, passenger vehicle sales and robust goods and services tax collections. Private investment growth is also expected to strengthen with the productionlinked incentive (PLI) scheme providing additional filip.

Taking into account softer global commodity and food prices, good rabi crop prospects, sustained buoyancy in contactintensive services, the government's continued thrust on capex, higher capacity utilisation in manufacturing, double digit credit growth, receding drag on purchasing power from high inflation and rising optimism among businesses and consumers, real GDP growth for 2023-24 is projected at 6.5% with risks evenly balanced.

## **APPAREL SECTOR OVERVIEW**

The textiles and apparel industry in India has strengths across the entire value chain from fiber, yarn, fabric to apparel. The Indian textile and apparel industry is highly diversified with a wide range of segments ranging from products of traditional handloom, handicrafts, wool, and silk products to the organised textile industry in India. The domestic apparel & textile industry in India contributes approx. 2% to the country's GDP, 7% of industry output in value terms and has a share of 5% of the global trade in textiles and apparel.

The sector faced turbulent times once again in early 2022 given the demand slowdown in export markets due to high inflation and the supply chain disruptions during the COVID-led lockdowns which affected inventory levels, and the record high commodity costs which severely hit margin. After navigating these unpleasant events, the sector started showing signs of a revival. A sequential improvement in demand due to normalised inventory levels at the retailers' end, correction in cotton prices and freight costs (amid the cool off in inflation) and better utilisation provided a much needed boost to EBITDA margin. India's textile and apparel exports (including handicrafts) stood at US\$ 44.4 billion in FY22, a 41% increase Y-o-Y. During April-October in FY23, the total exports of textiles stood at US\$ 21.15 billion. India's textile and apparel exports to the US, its single largest market, stood at 27% of the total export value in FY22. Exports of readymade garments including cotton accessories stood at US\$ 6.19 billion in FY22.

Resurgence in economic activities boosted sales recovery and sales bounced back swiftly after being impacted by the third wave in January and February 2022. Revenues have surged past the pre-pandemic levels. Higher inflation and increase in prices of essential goods have been impacting overall consumption. However, the demand environment is expected to normalise on account of moderating inflation, rural revival, government spending and high remittances. This, in turn, is expected to result in footfall recovery in FY24.

The future of the Indian textile and apparel industry looks promising, buoyed by strong domestic consumption boosted by favourable demographics, rising disposable incomes and low penetration of organised retail. India has one of the youngest populations globally compared to other leading economies. A younger consumer class absorbs fashion trends faster and has a higher tendency towards discretionary spend and is also more digitally connected & exposed than their counterparts were in the past. The young age population bodes well for the apparel consumption categories on account of these factors and inturn puts India in the higher demand bracket.

With consumerism and disposable income on the rise, the retail sector has experienced a rapid growth in the past decade and the growth is expected to continue. With continued government support, will just aid this growth potential for the players. The ₹ 10,683 crore (US\$ 1.44 billion) PLI scheme is expected to be a major boost for the manufacturers. The scheme proposes to incentivise MMF (man-made fibre) apparel, MMF fabrics and 10 segments of technical textiles products. The Textile Ministry of India earmarked ₹ 690 crore (US\$ 106.58 million) for setting up 21 readymade garment manufacturing units in seven states for development and modernisation of the Indian textile sector. With all these positive factors, the Indian textile and apparel industry is expected to grow at 10% CAGR from 2019-20 to reach US\$ 190 billion by 2025-26. India has a 4% share of the global trade in textiles and apparel.

## **COMPANY PERFORMANCE**

#### Revenues

With focused and concentrated efforts, our strategic growth levers have propelled us to deliver an impressive revenue growth in FY 2023. We achieved record operating revenues of ₹ 77,945.35 lakhs as against ₹ 60,760.98 lakhs, registering an impressive growth of 28.28% y-o-y. Operating Income growth was led by volume growth of 23.29% coupled with a nearly 4% rise in average realisation. This spectacular revenue achievement is a reflection of our growing size and scale resultant of our continued perseverance for achieving double digit growth.

The Total Revenue (including Other Income) stood at  $\gtrless$  79,969.90 lakhs as against  $\gtrless$  62,447.12 lakhs in FY2022 with a growth of 28.06% y-o-y.

### Costs

### Cost of Goods Sold (COGS):

COGS includes Costs of Material Consumed, Purchase of Stock in trade , Change in inventories of finished goods, work in progress and stock in trade and Manufacturing & operating expenses. COGS stood at ₹ 44,886.76 lakhs in FY2023 as compared to ₹ 35,871.72 lakhs in the previous year. The COGS percentage to Revenue from Operations improved substantially to 57.59% in FY2023 as compared to 59.04% in FY2022. There has been a substantial savings in terms of COGS percentage to operating income on account of various factors including better average realisation in the apparel category as well as partial positive impact of reduction in cotton prices.

### **Employee Benefit Expenses:**

Employee Benefit Expenses increased to ₹ 9,786.28 lakhs in FY2023 from ₹ 7,976.85 lakhs in FY2022 with a rise of nearly 22.68% which was primarily led by increase in salary, wages and allowances on account of increase in employee strength from 1,648 employees as on March 31, 2022 to 1,823 employees as on March 31, 2023 as well as increments coupled with increase in staff welfare expenses. The increase in employees was primarily on account of strengthening our retail business operations as well as induction of professionals towards implementation of our renewed growth strategy.

#### Selling and distribution expenses:

Selling and distribution expenses increased to ₹ 4,445.03 lakhs in FY2023 from ₹ 3,365.87 lakhs in FY2022. The Company has realised that increased selling and distribution expenses would be needed so as to ensure heightened brand recognition leading to a sustainable demand growth. We have carried out aggressive marketing campaign during the year – from outdoor hoardings to event sponsorship. A major part of this spend was utilised towards sport sponsorships including :

- Strategic partnership with BCCI for India's Kit Sponsor for the Indian Cricket Team
- Title Sponsor of India v/s Bangladesh Cricket Test Series
- In-stadium Brand Advertisement during the India V/s South Africa series.



All of this we believe has helped the Brand Killer to reach out to the millions of cricket fans, across gender, across age that are spread across the country and overseas and enhance "Killer" Brand's visibility and aspirational value.

Though in absolute terms these expenses would have increased by 32.06%, however the Selling and distribution expenses as a percentage of Revenue from Operations increased only marginally from 5.54% in FY 2022 to 5.70% in FY 2023 primarily commensurating with the relative growth in sales.

### Administrative and other expense:

Administrative and other expenses increased stood at ₹ 3,632.85 lakhs in FY2023 as compared to ₹ 3,542.80 lakhs in FY2022, an increase of a meagre 2.54%. However, on account of increased sales and operating leverage, the Administrative and other expense as percentage of Revenue from Operations decreased from 5.83% in FY2022 to 4.66% in FY2023.

### Profitability

## EBITDA (Operating Profit) and EBITDA margin (Operating Profit Margin):

EBITDA, excluding Other Income increased to ₹ 15,194.43 lakhs as compared to ₹ 10,003.75 lakhs in the previous year. EBITDA margin stood at 19.49% as compared to 16.46% in the previous year, an improvement of nearly 300 bps. This is primarily on account of higher operating leverage and positive impact of reduction in COGS. The Company typically targets and plans out the growth and margin strategy on an annual basis. Though there could be fluctuation on a Q-o-Q basis given the seasonal dynamics and spread of marketing budget, the target on an annual basis would be to achieve an EBIDTA margin in the range of 18% to 20% over the near future.



## Profit before Tax (PBT):

PBT increased to ₹ 15,707.40 lakhs in FY2023 as compared to ₹ 10,534.64 lakhs in FY2022 reflecting a staggering growth of 49.10% y-o-y.

### Profit after Tax (PAT) (Net Profit):

The Company on the back of an impressive all-round robust performance reported an increase in its net profit on a yearly basis. The profit after tax for the first time in the Company's history crossed the ₹ 100 crore mark and increased to an all time high of ₹ 11,928.09 lakhs in FY2023 as against ₹ 8,165.47 lakhs in FY2022. Net Profit Margin rose to 14.92% in FY2023 as compared to 13.08% in FY2022.

## Earnings per Share (EPS):

The EPS for the year was ₹19.36 as compared to ₹13.25 in the previous year, an impressive rise of 46.08%

### **Return on Capital Employed (ROCE):**

The ROCE from operations stood at 26.66% in FY2023.

## Return on Net Worth (RONW):

The RONW of the Company stood at 23.26% in FY2023 as compared to 17.92% in the FY2022. The rise in RONW as compared to previous financial year was primarily on account of better operating sales and resultant profitability.

## **Financial Position and Cash Flows**

Our primary sources of liquidity and capital resources is cash generated from operating activities. Our primary requirements for liquidity and capital are working capital and general corporate needs, including manufacturing related expenses, operating costs, marketing and payroll related expenditures.

The financial risk profile of the Company is expected to remain strong backed by healthy capital base as on March 31, 2023, comfortable debt protection metrics and strong liquidity backed with cash flows from profitable operations. The Company continues to have strong liquidity of ₹ 33,048.47 lakhs as on March 31, 2023, in the form of cash & cash equivalents, bank balance and current and non-current investments against nil non-current Term debt and current debt of ₹ 5082.13 lakhs. The Company has a strong financial position with net cash balance (Cash & Investments minus borrowings) of ₹ 27,966.34 lakhs. The Company has a very comfortable interest coverage ratio of 2.92 as on March 31, 2023 as compared to 1.42 as on March 31, 2022 and a Debt:Equity ratio of 0.12x as on March 31, 2023 as against 0.17x as on March 31, 2022, showcasing the excess cash the Company is able to maintain on a consistent basis. Company's prudent cash conservation practices have helped it to weather difficult times and enforce upon the confidence to face any uncertainty in the future if it were to arise on account of external factors. The overall improvement was on account of higher profitability backed by strong performance compared to previous year.

The Company was able to maintain reasonable control on the net working capital cycle with strong focus on collections and inventory management. The debtor days as pegged to operating revenues stood at 80 days. The debtors turnover ratio stood at 4.57 in FY2023 as compared to 4.02 in FY2022 primarily on account of improvement in business environment leading to better receivable management. The inventory turnover ratio stood at 5.60 in FY2023 as compared to 7.43 in FY2022. The current ratio stood at 2.55 in FY2023 as compared to 2.35 in FY2022.

Further on account of impressive performance, the Company has declared a Total dividend per share for FY 2023 to ₹ 5 per share.

#### **Business Progressive Fund**

The Business Progressive Fund stood at ₹ 4,000 lakhs. The Company had taken a first-of-its-kind initiative in FY 2012-13 by setting up a 'Business Progressive Fund'. The genesis of this fund was to create and build up a reserve from the profits of the Company to address potential market volatility that are inherent to the industry due to potential macro-economic events that impact consumer sentiment and spending behaviour. In these difficult times, initiatives like these clearly showcases Company's outlook to run as a continuous operating Company withstanding the vagaries of uncertain situations. The amount of fund is specifically earmarked and invested in safe and highly liquid investments.

### **CREDIT RATING**

CRISIL has reaffirmed the Company's debt rating as AA-/Stable (high degree of safety), which will enable superior credit terms from the financial market and banks.

### BRANDS

We cater to multiple categories including apparel and accessories with a strong portfolio of owned brands. Our brands operate across segments which include Premium Luxury segment, Premium Mid-Market segment and premium mass market segment and focused fashionwear/partywear brand. Through our own brands, we cater to men's wear and women's wear across various products and price categories. We strongly believe, that Branding drives aspiration, commands premium and sense of stickiness with the end consumers and hence having brands with high recall value provides an added advantage. Today, we can proudly say that the Company from being labelled as a Denim focused brand Company have evolved as a leading Lifestyle Brand Company. The Company's brands today reflect the attitude of today's youth - the "Killer" instinct to achieve; high on "Integriti"; bold as "Lawman Pg3" and friendly and relaxed as "Easies". Driven by these power brands and accompanied with the high level of governance and fiscal prudence, the Company has firmly established itself as a credible, long term player in world of branded fashion wear.



### Killer

The Company's flagship brand Killer imbibes in it the cool confidence of today's youth and redefines denims, giving a bold character to them. Killer is a powerful and iconic brand and is regarded as one of the established and well-regarded denim brands in India. Killer continues to be the flagship brand amongst our brand portfolio which contributed to more than 60% of total income from sales of apparel and lifestyle accessories.

### Integriti

Reflecting and resonating the ambition and energy of youth, Integriti offers a credible, trusted and value proposition across work and casual wear and helps to offer product range to a different price segment. Integriti is the second largest brand for the Company.

#### Lawman Page 3

A glamorous, lifestyle brand, LawmanPg3 specialises in trendsetting denim and partywear for young adults. The brand plays a unique role in bringing the glamour quotient to the fashion wardrobe. In the last year, the Company had signed Rohit Shetty as the brand ambassador for the Brand LawmanPg3.

### Easies - By Killer

A blend of classic and contemporary preferences, Easies - By Killer is reshaping corporate fashion in India through its range of semi-formal menswear, made from the most premium range of fabric and linen. Easies a well-established brand known for its collection of chinos, shirts and has a dedicated customer following supported by the increasing trend of semi-formal wear.

### Desi Belle

Desi Belle, the emerging brand amongst our portfolio is an Indo-Western womenswear focused brand that exists at the confluence of modern style and desi touch, catering to the contemporary woman.

### **PRODUCT WISE SALES**

The Company over the years has transformed itself from being a Denim focused brand to a Lifestyle Brand. With this objective and focus, the Company has consistently made efforts to increase its product categories which not only helps to enhance aspirational value of the brand by providing a larger bouquet of products but also helps to gain a larger wallet share of a consumer. The Company's product portfolio today consists of a mix of quality bottom wear and topwear products spread across jeans, trousers, shirts, t-shirts, jackets, pullovers etc. Further, in FY2023, the Company also focused higher on the winterwear category which has helped to develop a strong foothold into Northern region and has enabled the Company to target higher growth from these regions as well. Additionally, it has made recent launch of its Athleisure collection in FY2023 along with casual blazers.

In addition to the product category, the Company as a long term vision also intends to diversify across gender and age. Desi Belle, the womenswear brand would continue to be in incubation stage and Company would continue to focus on learnings in this segment and would take it slowly and steadily ahead. In the Kidswear Category, Company has experienced with an online portal through a licensing arrangement.

Some of the key products of the Company which primarily drives sales are as follows :

- Jeans: Jeans sales stood at ₹ 39,630.35 lakhs contributing to 51.19% of the total income from sales of apparel and lifestyle accessories in FY2023 as compared to ₹ 34,056.38 lakhs in the previous year contributing to 56.28% of the total income from sales of apparel and lifestyle accessories. However there has been an absolute growth in terms of value from this category, the percentage fall in revenue contribution from Denims clearly reflects the concentrated efforts of the Company to diversify its revenue streams across product categories.
- Trousers: Trousers sales stood at ₹ 6,746.42 lakhs in FY2023 as compared to ₹ 4,708.73 lakhs in the previous year. Trousers contributed 8.71% of total income from sales of apparel and lifestyle accessories revenues as compared to 7.78% in the previous year.
- Shirts: Shirts contribution to total income from sales of apparel and lifestyle accessories stood at 21.51% with sales of ₹ 16,651.85 lakhs in FY2023 compared to ₹ 11,082.22 lakhs in the previous year.
- **T-shirts:** T-Shirts sales stood at ₹ 3,706.64 lakhs contributing to 4.79% of the total income from sales of apparel and lifestyle accessories from ₹ 3,025.72 lakhs in the previous year.

## SALES AND DISTRIBUTION CHANNEL

KKCL operates through its multiple channel and robust distribution model. The Company maintains a judicious balance through its extensive footprint of directly operated and franchise operated carefully selected exclusive-brand outlets (EBOs), presence in large format stores (LFS) with national presence, multi-brand outlets (MBOs) across various formats to drive sales growth, along with maintaining discipline to mitigate inventory and payments risk. The Company has been focused on the traditional distribution channels which has been the key to profitability and its long term association with channel partners has been its major success driver. In line with the modern day requirements, the Company has been taking calculative approach to digital adoption as well as increased presence in national chain lifestyle stores keeping the visibility factor in mind with a balanced approach towards expected sales and margins. Company's growing EBO network and rising presence through LFS distribution channel has helped to diversify across India thereby leading to high visibility of its brands. The renewed focus to increase number of EBOs (mix of both COCO and FOFO) not only helps the Company to neutralise the revenue stream from a particular distribution channel but also acts as a growth engine as well as brand awareness medium. In addition to its focus on the domestic market, the Company has been maintaining a consistent share of the export channel as well in order to have an international presence.

The Company has presence in 27 states and 3 Union Territory and cover more than 220+ towns and cities in India and also sells in select markets globally catering to international customers. The distribution network spreads across 453 EBOs, widespread MBO presence through 80+ Distributors covering 3000+ stores and presence in the LFS segment through Reliance Retail, Max, Lifestyle and other marquee stores with presence across 2000+ counters.





The Company henceforth would be presenting the channel wise sales performance clubbed under two major categories – (i) Retail and (ii) Non-Retail category. Retail category channel would constitute sales from EBO and LFS channel and Non-Retail category constitutes sales from MBO, Factory Retail, Exports and E-commerce sales. In FY 2023, the Company has seen very robust performance in the Retail Channel sales which contributed to 48.06% of total income from sales of apparel and lifestyle accessories as against 41.94% in the previous year, primarily led by increase in the number of EBOs and increase in counters across the LFS stores. Non-Retail Channel contributed 51.94% of total income from sales of apparel and lifestyle accessories as against 58.06% in the previous year.

With the rising store count of EBOs and increasing presence across counters in LFS stores, we believe that there is an opportunity to leverage our brand equity and trust that we enjoy with our customers. We aim to implement our distribution strategy in an evolved and balanced manner without losing the core business principles of profitability and cash generation. We would evaluate this strategy on a cost benefit analysis in terms of visibility and potential sales generation. Additionally, in order to devise a robust receivable management, we intend to limit our sales to one particular party upto a comfortable limit such that in an untoward incident, the operations of the Company are not hampered.

## **RETAIL STORES**

The Company has 453 existing retail stores as on March 31, 2023 and 49 stores are in work in progress phase. Of the 453 stores, 206 stores are in K-Lounge format, 222 stores are Killer Brand EBOs, 24 are other Brand EBOs and 1 is a factory outlet format. The Company has added net 97 stores during the FY2023 and continues to focus on adding more such EBOs.

### **OUTLOOK, OPPORTUNITIES AND THREATS**

In the year gone by, the Company saw a very strong sales performance and the high levels of inventory turn the business has delivered. This performance was possible due to strong sales execution. Notwithstanding the uncertainty over the short to medium term, India is expected to return to a strong growth trajectory in the apparel and retail sector, given the underlying growth drivers reflecting the changing consumer trend and increasing usage of casual wear in offices as well as home. Fashion consciousness and retail therapy have become a core part of human lifestyle and are likely to recover and gain momentum eventually. With growing multiple channel of distribution, the market its within easy reach to the end consumer driving growing demand for the apparel sector.

On account of inflationary pressure as well as understanding the difficult art of carrying out manufacturing and inventory management has lead to a challenging environment for many apparel manufacturers and eventually lead to many shutting down operations. Further, the industry has also seen a general concentration towards a few manufacturers who have been able to wave through these difficulties. With the rise of multiple distribution platforms on account of digital formats as well as national chain stores, the sourcing of the finished apparel products across categories especially for branded apparels will hold key towards fulfilling the rising demand from consumers in India. We believe only companies with inherent manufacturing expertise, balance sheet strength and wellestablished network backed with strong brand appeal would emerge stronger and more committed of pursuing sustainable and profitable growth catering to the rising demand.

Based on its well-capitalised balance sheet, prudent financial practices, debt-free status and disciplined cost control, the Company has the ability to protect interests of all its stakeholders. With the added strength of its superior manufacturing practices, strong brands and robust pan India distribution network the Company is well positioned to meet the near-term challenges and emerge stronger and more committed to its long-term vision of pursuing sustainable and profitable growth.

### **RISK AND CONCERNS**

Fashion wear is a discretionary expenditure and in times of higher inflationary pressure, the impact on the consumer confidence has a protracted impact on discretionary spending. Increasing competition has resulted in pricing pressure. Further, the Indian markets have attracted foreign brands who spend heavily on advertisement and promotion to establish their presence, thereby increasing costs for the Company to maintain its visibility in the market. The branded apparel industry needs continuous product innovation to track fashion trends and changes in consumer preferences. The ability to create products in line with changing trends at affordable price points is critical to maintain the brand pull and connect with the consumer. With shifts in consumer taste the Company may be left with unsold inventory or mark down in value of stocks. KKCL is uniquely placed in the sector with an integrated business model from designing, manufacturing and sourcing, distribution and logistics and retailing. The Company has inhouse team of designers that track national and international trends to create innovative fashionable products that consumers would relate to. Our design and merchandising team, together with our marketing and procurement teams, are focused in developing innovative design concepts across product categories which we have been growing over the years and believe that our innovative and organised design process as well as our experienced marketing team allows us to develop new and differentiated products and respond to evolving market trends and our customers' preferences. The Company has state-of-the-art manufacturing facilities that ensure quality and timely deliveries in a short period of time.

### **Credit Risk**

Credit risk is the risk that a counter-party will not meet its obligations under a financial instrument or customer contract. Our operations involve extending credit for periods of time, ranging typically from 60 to 95 days, to our franchisee operated exclusive brand outlets, large format national chain stores, multi-brand stores and online retailers and consequently, we face the risk of the uncertainty regarding the receipt of these outstanding amounts.

To mitigate credit risk related to trade receivables, we closely monitor the creditworthiness of debtors through internal systems that are configured to define credit limits of customers, thereby, limiting the credit risk to pre-calculated amounts. We assess increases in credit risk on an ongoing basis for amounts receivable that become past due. Credit risk



is managed by monitoring the recoverability of such amounts continuously, while at the same time internal control systems are in place to ensure the amounts are within defined limits. In respect of trade receivables, we consider provision for lifetime expected credit loss. If our franchisees, large format national chain stores, multi-brand stores and online retailers delay or default in making payments in the future, our profits margins and cash flows may be adversely affected. We assess and manage credit risk on the basis of assumptions, inputs and various market driven factors. The Company also have instituted steps to mitigate / reduce the risk of recovery by taking bank guarantee and / or security deposits from the channel partners. These steps assist the Company to strengthen the recovery process and reduce the uncertainties associated with recovery.

## Commodity risk

We are exposed to the price risk associated with purchasing our raw materials, which form a significant component of our expenses. We typically do not enter into long terms arrangements with our vendors and typically source raw materials based on periodic purchase orders and price negotiations. Our cost of goods sold is impacted by the amount of raw materials procured by us and the price at which such raw materials are procured may fluctuate from time to time due to a number of factors beyond our control, including economic factors, seasonal factors, environmental factors and changes in government policy and regulation. Therefore, fluctuations in the price and availability of raw materials may affect our business, cash flows and results of operations.

### Inflation risk

India has experienced fluctuations in inflation in the recent past. High fluctuation in inflation rates may make it more difficult for us to accurately estimate or control our costs. Any increase in our raw material expenses on account of inflationary pressure, employee benefit payments or other expenses as a result of increase in inflation in India, which we are unable to pass on to our customers, whether entirely or in part, may adversely affect our business, cash flow, results of operations and financial condition. Especially, the apparel sector in which the Company operates is a price deflationary sector wherein the price points across apparel category have tend to remain constant over a long period of time inspite of inflation and thereby it is very critical for Companies like us to keep a continuous check on how best cost could be controlled to achieve the desired margins.

## INTERNAL CONTROL SYSTEMS AND THEIR ADEQUACY

Sound internal control systems are a prerequisite for building and enhancing shareholder value in the long run and managing risk effectively is fundamental to the way we manage our business. The Company always looks to move gradually and seek to make sensible and balanced business decisions through our risk appetite and balanced business framework. We have established a risk management framework underpinned by a comprehensive suite of policies, operational processes, procedures and governance structures. These are important in maintaining adequate internal measures commensurate with the size and complexity of operations. Internal control systems comprising policies and procedures are designed to ensure sound management of our operations, safekeeping of our assets, optimal utilisation of resources, reliability of our financial information and compliance. The systems and procedures are periodically reviewed and routinely tested and cover all functions and business areas.

The Company has a sound system of internal controls commensurate with the size of the Company and the nature of its business to ensure that all assets are safe guarded and protected against loss from unauthorised use or disposition and that transactions are authorised and recorded reported correctly and adequately. The Company's internal control are supplemented by internal audits, review by management and documented policies, guidelines and procedures. The internal control is designed to ensure that financial and other records are reliable for preparing financial information and for maintaining accountability of assets.

The key constituents of the internal control system are:

- Establishment and review of business plans
- Identification of key risks and opportunities
- Clear and well-defined organisational structure and limits of financial authority
- Continuous identification of area requiring strengthening of internal controls
- Operating procedures to ensure effectiveness of business process
- Systems of monitoring compliance with statutory regulations
- Well-defined principles and procedures for evaluation of new business proposals capital expenditure
- A robust management information system
- Strong internal audit and review system

The Company has appointed a reputed firm of Chartered Accountants to conduct its Internal Audit. The Audit Committee of the Board of Directors actively reviews the adequacy and effectiveness of internal controls systems and suggests improvement for strengthening them. The Company has a strong Management Information System, which is an integral part of the control mechanism. The Company continues to strengthen its risk management and internal control capabilities by improving its policies and procedures and introducing advanced risk management tools.



## **HUMAN RESOURCE**

Our employees are one of our most important assets and are critical to us maintaining our competitive position in our industry. The performance of the Company is driven by a highly motivated and professional team of employees. Over the recent times, the Company has made significant efforts to primarily strengthen employee base to support our retail business operations as well as induction of Professionals towards implementation of our renewed growth strategy. The sales / EBO expansion is primarily being led by professionals with years of industry experience.

Our business majorly depends on our ability to recruit, train and retain frontline associates, managerial and creative professionals. The Company believes in providing an equal opportunity to employee and strive to maintain diversity in our employee base and creating a culture and environment that allows human resources utilise their skills, knowledge and leadership abilities in order to facilitate the growth of the operations. The Company has also taken steps to further strengthen the employee morale by enhancing internal communication mechanism and aligning the employees with the Company's strategic vision and initiatives to promote business excellence.

Additionally, the focus at the Company has been on retaining and grooming the best talent available. The Company continues to invest in building competence in the organisation through employee training and development and compensation structure that rewards performance. We have instituted inclusivity initiatives for our employees and have in place a rewards and recognition program and award employees based on performance and the impact they have made. The Company continued to maintain excellent industrial relations with all its employees at manufacturing facilities. Further, we are also committed to maintaining high standards of workplace health and safety and we will continue to improve the same on ongoing basis. Our human resource department continually focuses on employee engagement and motivation, recruitment, continuous development and addressing employee grievances, if any, in a timely manner.

Our human resource policies focus on recruiting talented and qualified personnel, whom we believe integrate well with our current workforce., irrespective of their seniority, department or location. Our employee programmes are focused on taking regular feedback and facilitating interaction between new employees and senior management. In addition to compensation that includes salary, allowances (including performance linked bonuses) and reward plans, we provide our employees other benefits which include insurance coverage and paid leave. We have medical and accident insurance for our employees and have also introduced wellness and physical health programs.

As on March 31, 2023, the Company had 1797 employees. In addition, we have entered into arrangements with third party personnel companies for the supply of contract labour which we appoint on a part-time basis to support our seasonal needs of labour, for example during large-scale product launches, festive periods and discount campaigns. The number of contract labourers varies from time to time based on the nature and extent of work contracted to independent contractors.

## **TECHNOLOGY**

The Company believes that a robust IT infrastructure and keeping abreast with technological innovations is essential for ensuring strong operational efficiencies and enhancing productivity. We continue to focus on building and improving our IT capabilities while promoting innovation throughout our processes. We have implemented a range of technological initiatives across our operational network with the aim of enhancing the operational efficiency.



The Company has been using logic ERP as an end to end solution which caters to most of the operational and financial operational areas as follows:

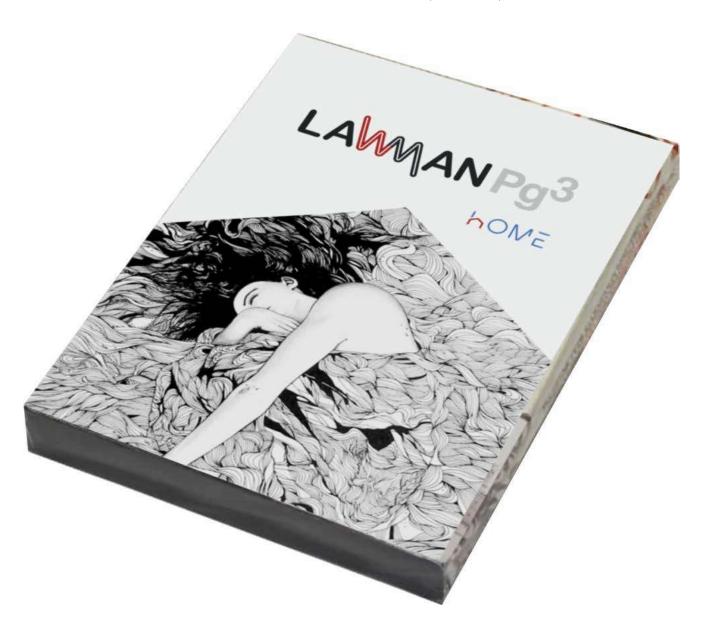
- a) **Procurement:** Right from raising purchase order to in-ward (GRN) of raw material / semi-finished / finished goods and posting of accounting entries relating to purchases is executed in this module.
- b) Order processing / Billing: Generating sale order and subsequent reservation/delivery order, converting D.O to ready for despatch (RFD) and finally converting those RFDs into Invoices with posting of accounts is done in this module. Additionally, E-way bill and E-invoice generation is part of this module.
- c) Production: Production module covers generating job order on the basis of the sales order. Subsequent movement of production lot size through various process such as cutting, stitching, washing, finishing, conversion of semi-finished goods to finished product with segregation of product into fresh/seconds/ damaged is done through this module. The finished goods once segregated are transferred to finished warehouse for order processing. In between issue of raw material required for every process is recorded with quantity and value. For every process, tailor payment is generated based on the rates defined and lot completed, this again is the base for wages generation and linked with payroll module.
- d) Payroll: In payroll module salary of staff and wages of workers is processed and generated. As mentioned above, data of wages flow through production module and is processed automatically through reverse calculation. Attendance for salary is pulled through Cosec (Attendance managing software) for monthly processing.
- e) Finance and Accounts : Finance is the core to the entire system as it is linked with all the above modules. All accounting entries related to all the above modules are posted automatically in this module. Apart from positing of accounts, trial balance generation and balance sheet related data is part of the finance and accounting module.
  - **WMS :** Warehouse management system is the latest module which has been implemented towards efficient warehouse management. This would contribute in organising the warehouse helping in streamlining the warehouse as far as order processing and inventory management. On account of this module racking and stacking of material is done in such a way that it reduces the time in locating material and ensures accurate and timely delivery of goods.

IT Infrastructure for the B2B and B2C business operations: Apart from the above modules which form core of the ERP, the Company has a separate system created for the B2B (Distribution channel) and B2C – POS (Retail Channel) which are operated as independent modules with offline connectivity with the core module. Schemes and offers are part of the POS which also includes online discount approval through mobile app and e-invoice as the key features. In these modules, sales and inventory of both the channels are maintained. The franchisee and distributors have an option to opt for accounts module if required.

Apart from the above, the Company has a strong hardware and network infrastructure with multiple layers of security in form of fire wall and end point security such as anti-virus not to mention multiple layers of switches and devices which are controlled and managed in active directory environment. In order to ensure business continuity, the organisation has maintained DR facility using ARC server as a tool. Such technology applications have allowed us to quickly and efficiently expand our operations. With the implementation of our technology initiatives, we intend to streamline our operations further and expect to decrease our operational expenses which we believe will drive our revenue growth.

### **CAUTIONARY STATEMENT**

This discussion contains certain forward-looking statements within the meaning of applicable securities laws. Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forwardlooking statements, which reflects management's analysis describing our objectives and expectations based on certain information and assumptions. Our operations are dependent on various internal and external factors within and outside the control of the management. We assume no responsibility in respect of the forward-looking statements herein, which may undergo changes in future on the basis of subsequent developments, information or events. Actual results may differ from those expressed or implied herein.









DIRECTORS' REPORT

То

The Members,

Your Board of Directors are pleased to present the 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Report together with the Audited Accounts of the Company for the year ended March 31, 2023.

## FINANCIAL SUMMARY & HIGHLIGHTS (STANDALONE)

		(₹ In lakhs)
Particulars	Year Ended March 31, 2023	Year Ended March 31, 2022
Net Sales/Income from operations	77,945.34	60760.98
Other Income	2,024.56	1686.14
Total Expenditure	64,262.49	51912.47
Gross profit (Before deducting any of the following)	17218.98	11689.88
Finance charges	638.53	452.60
Depreciation/Amortisation	873.04	702.63
Tax provision	3779.31	2369.17
Net profit for the Period	11,928.10	8165.48
Other Comprehensive Income	(75.61)	54.84
Total of Comprehensive Income (net of tax)	11,852.49	8220.32
Profit b/f from previous years	28,784.51	24261.71
Appropriation of profit	4,930.02	3697.51
i) Dividend on equity shares	4,930.02	3697.51
ii) Transfer to Business Progressive fund	-	-
Dividend (in ₹) per ordinary share	5	19*
Paid up Equity capital	6162.52	6162.52
Reserves except revaluation reserve	12872.38	12872.38
	Net Sales/Income from operations         Other Income         Total Expenditure         Gross profit (Before deducting any of the following)         Finance charges         Depreciation/Amortisation         Tax provision         Net profit for the Period         Other Comprehensive Income         Total of Comprehensive Income (net of tax)         Profit b/f from previous years         Appropriation of profit         i) Dividend on equity shares         ii) Transfer to Business Progressive fund         Dividend (in ₹) per ordinary share         Paid up Equity capital	ParticularsMarch 31, 2023Net Sales/Income from operations77,945.34Other Income2,024.56Total Expenditure64,262.49Gross profit (Before deducting any of the following)17218.98Finance charges638.53Depreciation/Amortisation873.04Tax provision3779.31Net profit for the Period111,928.10Other Comprehensive Income(75.61)Total of Comprehensive Income (net of tax)11,852.49Profit b/f from previous years28,784.51Appropriation of profit4,930.02i) Dividend on equity shares5Paid up Equity capital6162.52

\*Note : ₹ 10 dividend was declared before the bonus issue and ₹ 9 dividend declared after bonus issue.

## OVERALL PERFORMANCE AND STATE OF COMPANY AFFAIRS

The Company achieved record operating revenues of ₹ 77,945.34 lakhs in FY 2023 as against ₹ 60,760.98 lakhs in FY 2022, registering an impressive growth of 28.28% y-o-y backed by an impressive margin profile with EBITDA of ₹ 15,194.42 lakhs in FY 2023 as compared to ₹ 10,003.74 lakhs in the previous year. EBITDA margin stood at 19.49% in FY 2023 as compared to 16.46% in the previous year, an improvement of nearly 300 bps. The Company on the back of an impressive all-round robust performance reported an increase in its net profit on a yearly basis. The profit after tax for the first time in the Company's history crossed the ₹ 100 crore mark and increased to an all time high of ₹ 11,928.10 lakhs in FY2023 as against ₹ 8,165.48 lakhs in FY2022. Net Profit Margin rose to 14.92% in FY2023 as compared to 13.08% in FY2022.

## OVERVIEW OF INDUSTRY AND IMPORTANT CHANGES IN THE INDUSTRY

After navigating the unpleasant events during the COVID-19 hit period, the sector started showing signs of a revival. A sequential improvement in demand due to normalised inventory levels at the retailers' end, correction in cotton prices and freight costs (amid the cool off in inflation) and better utilisation provided a much needed boost to EBITDA margin. India's textile and apparel exports (including handicrafts) stood at US\$ 44.4 billion in FY22, a 41% increase Y-o-Y. Resurgence in economic activities boosted sales recovery and sales bounced back swiftly after being impacted by the third wave in January and February 2022. Revenues have surged past the pre-pandemic levels. Higher inflation and increase in prices of essential goods have been impacting overall consumption. However, the demand environment is expected to normalise on account of moderating inflation, rural revival, government spending and high remittances. This, in turn, is expected to result in footfall recovery in FY24. The future of the Indian textile and apparel industry looks promising, buoyed by strong domestic consumption boosted by favourable demographics, rising disposable incomes and low penetration of organised retail.

With continued government support, will just aid this growth potential for the players. The ₹ 10,683 crore (US\$ 1.44 billion) PLI scheme is expected to be a major boost for the manufacturers. The scheme proposes to incentivise MMF (man-made fibre) apparel, MMF fabrics and 10 segments of technical textiles products. The Textile Ministry of India earmarked ₹ 690 crore (US\$ 106.58 million) for setting up 21 readymade garment manufacturing units in seven states for development and modernisation of the Indian textile sector. With all these positive factors, the Indian textile and apparel industry is expected to grow at 10% CAGR from 2019-20 to reach US\$ 190 billion by 2025-26. India has a 4% share of the global trade in textiles and apparel.

# EXTERNAL ENVIRONMENT AND ECONOMIC OUTLOOK

The Indian economy exhibited robust resilience in 2022-23 amidst a global turmoil, and recorded a growth of 7.0%, the highest among major economies in the world. Barring the

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Omicron wave scare early in the year 2022, the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic was largely receding for most part of the year helping in restoration of consumer and business confidence. Sound macroeconomic fundamentals, a resilient financial system and a deleveraged corporate sector imparted resilience to counter the adverse global spillovers. The second advance estimates (SAE) of national income that were released by the National Statistical Office (NSO) on February 28, 2023 indicated that aggregate demand, measured by real GDP, registered a growth of 7.0% in 2022-23 vis-à-vis 9.1% growth a year ago. This optimistic growth stem in part from the resilience of the Indian economy seen in the rebound of private consumption seamlessly replacing the export stimuli as the leading driver of growth. The uptick in private consumption has also given a boost to production activity resulting in an increase in capacity utilisation across sectors.

Domestic Indian economic activity does face challenges from an uninspiring global outlook going forward, but resilient domestic macroeconomic and financial conditions, expected dividends from past reforms and new growth opportunities from global geo-economic shifts, place India at an advantageous position. The fundamentals of the Indian economy are sound as it enters its Amrit Kaal, the 25-year journey towards its centenary as a modern, independent nation and the real GDP growth for 2023-24 is projected at 6.5% with risks evenly balanced.

## **TRANSFER TO RESERVES**

During the year under review no amount was transferred to the reserves.

## **SHARE CAPITAL**

There is no change in share capital during the financial year 2022-23.

## DIVIDEND

The total dividend for the year ended March 31, 2023 stood at  $\overline{\mathbf{x}}$  5/- per share (on a equity share capital of 6,16.25,185 shares of  $\overline{\mathbf{x}}$  10/- each) as compared to  $\overline{\mathbf{x}}$  19/- per share (on a equity share capital of 1,23,25,037 shares of  $\overline{\mathbf{x}}$  10/- each) in the previous year ended March 31, 2022.

Your Board of Directors had in their meeting held on October 21, 2022 declared the 1<sup>st</sup> interim dividend of ₹ 3/- (30%) per equity share absorbing a sum of ₹1848.75 lakhs. The record date for the purpose of payment of interim dividend was November 7, 2022 and the said interim dividend was paid in November 2022.

Your Board of Directors had in their meeting held on April 27, 2023 declared the 2<sup>nd</sup> interim dividend of ₹ 2/- (20%) per equity share absorbing a sum of ₹1232.50 lakhs. The record date for the purpose of payment of interim dividend was May 11, 2023 and the said interim dividend was paid in May 2023.

Your Board has decided not to recommend final dividend for the financial year ended March 31, 2023.

## **DIVIDEND DISTRIBUTION POLICY**

Your Company has formulated Dividend Distribution policy in terms of Regulation 43A of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

The Annual dividend generally consists of a few interim dividend and a final dividend at the year end. The Board of Directors seeks to balance member needs of returns and company's requirement of long term growth. After meeting internal cash balance towards any strategic investments, the Company will endeavour to return the rest of the free cash generated to shareholders through regular dividend. The said policy as approved by your Board of Directors has been uploaded on the website of the Company. The dividend distribution policy is available on <u>https://kewalkiran.com/</u> uploads/2018/12/Dividend\_Distribution\_policy.pdf

### MATERIAL CHANGES AND COMMITMENTS AFFECTING THE FINANCIAL POSITION OF YOUR COMPANY

There have been no material changes and commitments, which affect the financial position of your company which have occurred between the end of the financial year to which the financial statements relate and the date of this Report. There is no change in the nature of business of your Company.

## DISCLOSURES RELATING TO SUBSIDIARIES, ASSOCIATES AND JOINT VENTURES

White Knitwears Private Limited is a joint venture of your Company and K-Lounge Lifestyle Limited is a wholly owned subsidiary of your Company.

### FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Your Company has prepared the Consolidated Financial Statement in accordance with the applicable Accounting Standards. The audited consolidated financial statements together with the Auditor's Report form part of the Annual Report.

White Knitwears Private Limited and K-Lounge Lifestyle Limited are yet to commence its respective business.

Pursuant to Section 129(3) of the Companies Act, 2013 a statement containing the salient features of the financial statements of the Joint Venture and the subsidiary is attached to the Financial Statements in Form AOC-1.

The Financial Statements of your Company, Consolidated Financial Statements along with relevant documents and separate audited accounts in respect of joint venture and the subsidiary, are available on the website of your Company www.kewalkiran.com

## **CASH FLOW STATEMENT**

In conformity with the provisions of Regulation 34(2)(c)of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the Standalone and Consolidated Cash Flow Statements for the year ended March 31, 2023 forms a part of this Annual Report.

### **BUSINESS RESPONSIBILITY AND SUSTAINABILITY REPORT (BRSR)**

In conformity with the provisions of Regulation 34 (2)(f) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, interalia the Business Responsibility and Sustainability Report forms a part of this annual report.

## **CREDIT RATING**

CRISIL, India's leading ratings, research, risk and policy advisory company has assigned 'AA- / Stable' for the banking facilities of the company. This will further ensure superior credit terms from the financial market and banks.

## INVESTOR EDUCATION AND PROTECTION FUND (IEPF)

#### **Unclaimed Dividend**

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 124(5) of the Companies Act, 2013, if the dividend transferred to the Unpaid Dividend Account of the Company remains unpaid or unclaimed for

a period of seven years from the date of such transfer then such unclaimed or unpaid dividend shall be transferred by the Company along with interest accrued, if any to the Investor Education and Protection Fund ('the IEPF'), a fund established under sub-section (1) of section 125 of the Act. The details of unclaimed/unpaid dividend are available on the website of your Company viz. www.kewalkiran.com

The Company had during the financial year, accordingly, transferred to IEPF, the unpaid and unclaimed dividend amounts pertaining to 4<sup>th</sup> interim 2014-15 of ₹ 4365/-, Final Dividend 2014-15 of ₹ 3,805/-, 1st Interim Dividend 2015-16 of ₹ 64,820/- 2<sup>nd</sup> Interim Dividend 2015-16 of ₹ 13,796/-, 3<sup>rd</sup> Interim Dividend 2015-16 of ₹ 23,968/-.

### Mandatory Transfer of Shares to Demat Account of Investors Education and Protection Fund Authority (IEPFA) in case of unpaid/ unclaimed dividend on shares for a consecutive period of seven years

In terms of Section 124(6) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 6 of the Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Rules, 2016, (as amended from time to time) (IEPF Rules) shares on which dividend has not been paid or claimed by a shareholder for a period of seven consecutive years or more are to be credited to the Demat Account of Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (IEPFA) within a period of thirty days of such shares becoming due to be so transferred. Upon transfer of such shares, all benefits (like bonus, etc.), if any, accruing on such shares shall also be credited to such Demat Account and the voting rights on such shares shall remain frozen till the rightful owner claims the shares. Shares which are transferred to the Demat Account of IEPFA can be claimed back by the shareholders from IEPFA by following the procedure prescribed under the aforesaid rules. The Company sends out individual communication to the concerned Members whose shares are liable to be transferred to IEPFA on a continuous basis, to take immediate action in the matter.

An aggregate of 2,035 shares are transferred to the IEPFA till date.

The below mentioned is the information relating to outstanding dividend accounts and the due dates for claiming dividends.

Financial year	Date of allotment/ declaration	Unclaimed Dividend (in ₹)	Last date for claiming dividend
Final Dividend 2015-16	September 7, 2016	9891	October 13, 2023
1 <sup>st</sup> Interim Dividend 2016-17	October 27, 2016	18756	December 2, 2023
2 <sup>nd</sup> Interim Dividend 2016-17	January 27, 2017	23222	March 4, 2024
Final Dividend 2016-17	September 7, 2017	3207	October 13, 2024
1 <sup>st</sup> Interim Dividend 2017-18	April 25, 2017	20272	May 25, 2024
2 <sup>nd</sup> Interim Dividend 2017-18	October 14, 2017	16750	November 20, 2024
3 <sup>rd</sup> Interim Dividend 2017-18	January 18, 2018	56259	February 23, 2025
4 <sup>th</sup> Interim Dividend 2017-18	March 10, 2018	18595	April 15, 2025
Final Dividend 2017-18	September 4, 2018	9060	October 8, 2025
1 <sup>st</sup> Interim Dividend 2018-19	July 21, 2018	24556	August 23, 2025
2 <sup>nd</sup> Interim Dividend 2018-19	October 25, 2018	35440	November 29, 2025
3 <sup>rd</sup> Interim Dividend 2018-19	January 23, 2019	63940	February 26, 2026
4 <sup>th</sup> Interim Dividend 2018-19	March 7, 2019	31095	April 13, 2026
Final Dividend 2018-19	September 18, 2019	6870	October 19, 2026

Financial year	Date of allotment/ declaration	Unclaimed Dividend (in ₹)	Last date for claiming dividend
1 <sup>st</sup> Interim Dividend 2019-20	June 20, 2019	37642	July 23, 2026
2 <sup>nd</sup> Interim Dividend 2019-20	October 22, 2019	35160	November 22, 2026
3 <sup>rd</sup> Interim Dividend 2019-20	January 28, 2020	64350	March 3, 2027
4 <sup>th</sup> Interim Dividend 2019-20	May 26, 2020	23140	July 2, 2027
Final dividend 2019-2020	September 15, 2020	7812	October 22, 2027
1 <sup>st</sup> Interim Dividend 2020-21	October 22, 2020	52979	November 27, 2027
2 <sup>nd</sup> Interim Dividend 2020-21	January 22, 2021	60690	February 25, 2028
1 <sup>st</sup> Interim Dividend 2021-22	October 28, 2021	52477	December 3, 2028
2 <sup>nd</sup> Interim Dividend 2021-22	January 27, 2022	125681	March 4, 2029
3 <sup>rd</sup> Interim Dividend 2021-22	May 11, 2022	144112	June 11, 2029
1 <sup>st</sup> Interim Dividend 2022-23	October 21, 2022	292599	November 23,2029

The web-addresses of the company and IEPF Authority, where the details of unpaid and unclaimed amounts lying with the company are uploaded, are <u>https://kewalkiran.com/investor.</u> html#Unpaid+Dividend+Data and http://www.iepf.gov.in/

## **NODAL OFFICER**

The nodal officer appointed by your company under the provisions of IEPF is Mr. Abhijit Warange, Vice President – Legal & Company Secretary and the web-address on which the said details are available is <a href="https://kewalkiran.com/investor">https://kewalkiran.com/investor</a>. https://kewalkiran.com/investor.

## DIRECTORS

## Re-appointment of Director retiring by rotation

In accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Articles of Association of your company, Mr. Dinesh P. Jain (DIN: 00327277), Director of your Company would retire by rotation at the ensuing Annual General Meeting and being eligible has offered himself for re-appointment.

## **KEY MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL**

Your Company has recognised the following persons as Key Managerial Personnel (KMP) in accordance with the Companies Act, 2013.

- 1. Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain Chairman and Managing Director
- 2. Mr. Hemant P. Jain Joint Managing Director
- 3. Mr. Dinesh P. Jain Whole-time Director
- 4. Mr. Vikas P. Jain Whole-time Director
- 5. \*Mr Bharat Adnani Chief Financial Officer (CFO)
- 6. \*Mr. Nimesh Anandpara Deputy Chief Financial Officer
- 7. Mr. Abhijit Warange Vice President Legal & Company Secretary

\*Mr Bharat Adnani was appointed as CFO & KMP w.e.f January 21, 2023 \* Mr. Nimesh Anandpara was appointed as KMP w.e.f. May 11, 2022.

## COMPLIANCE WITH THE CODE OF CONDUCT

Your company has put in place a Code of Conduct effective January 14, 2006, for its Board Members and Senior Management Personnel. Declaration of compliance with the Code of Conduct has been received from all the Board Members and Senior Management Personnel as stipulated under Regulation 26(3) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. A certificate to this effect from the Chairman & Managing Director forms a part of this Report.

## COMPLIANCE WITH THE CODE OF INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS

Your company has put in place a Code of Independent Director approved in the Board Meeting held on May 10, 2014, for its Independent Directors. Declaration of compliance with the code has been received from all the Independent Directors of your Company as required under Section 134 (3) (d) of Companies Act, 2013 and SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. A certificate to this effect from the Chairman and Managing Director forms a part of this Report.

## **DECLARATION BY INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS**

The Company has received declarations from all the Independent Directors of the Company confirming that they meet with the criteria of independence as prescribed under Sub Section (6) of Section 149 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 6(1) and (2) of the Companys (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014 together SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

## GENERAL

Your Directors state that no disclosure or reporting is required in respect of the following items as there were no transactions on these items during the year under review:

- 1. Issue of Equity Shares with differential rights as to dividend, voting or otherwise.
- 2. Issue of shares (including Sweat Equity Shares) to employees of the Company under any scheme and ESOS.

- Issue of shares pursuant to SEBI (Employees Stock Option scheme) Regulations and SEBI (Share Based Employee Benefit) Regulation, 2014.
- Issue of shares on Preferential basis pursuant to Section 62 of Companies Act, 2013 and SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

### **BOARD MEETINGS**

The details of the number and dates of meetings of the Board of Directors held during the Financial Year 2022-23 forms part of the Corporate Governance Report.

## COMMITTEES

The disclosure of composition of all Committees constituted by your Board under the Act and the Listing Regulations and the changes if any in the composition of such Committees during the year as well as the number and dates of the meetings of the Committee are given in the Corporate Governance report, which forms part of this Annual Report.

## DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to the requirement under Section 134(3)(c) read with Section 134(5) of the Companies Act, 2013 with respect to Director's Responsibility Statement, it is hereby confirmed that:

- (a) in the preparation of the annual accounts for the financial year ended March 31, 2023, the applicable accounting standards had been followed along with proper explanation relating to material departures;
- (b) the directors have selected such accounting policies and applied them consistently and made judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent so as to give true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company at the end of the financial year and of the profit and loss of the Company for that period;
- (c) the directors had taken proper and sufficient care for the maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 for safeguarding the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting fraud and other irregularities;
- (d) the directors had prepared the accounts for the financial year ended March 31, 2023 on a 'going concern' basis;
- (e) the directors had laid down internal financial controls to be followed by the company and that such internal financial controls are adequate and were operating effectively;
- (f) the directors had devised proper systems to ensure compliance with the provisions of all applicable laws and that such systems were adequate and operating effectively.



## INTERNAL FINANCIAL CONTROLS WITH REFERENCE TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Your Company has an Internal Control system, commensurate with the size, scale and complexity of its operations. The Internal Auditors monitor and evaluate the efficacy and adequacy of the Internal Control System in the Company, its compliance with operating systems, accounting procedures and policies at all the Company locations. Based on the report of Internal Auditors, process owners undertake corrective action in their respective areas and thereby strengthen the controls.

The Audit Committee of the Board of Directors actively reviews the adequacy and effectiveness of the Internal Control System and suggests improvements to strengthen the same.

The Audit Committee of the Board of Directors, Statutory Auditors and the Business Heads are periodically apprised of the Internal Audit findings and corrective actions taken. Audit plays a key role in providing assurance to the Board of Directors. Significant audit observations and corrective actions thereon are presented to the Audit Committee of the Board.

Your Board has also reviewed the Internal Processes, System and the Internal Financial Control and the Directors' Responsibility Statement contain a confirmation as regards adequacy of the Internal Financial Controls.

Details of Internal Financial Controls and its adequacy are included in the Management Discussion and Analysis Report ('MDAR') which forms part of this Report.

## **AUDITORS**

The Members of the Company in the 31<sup>st</sup> Annual General Meeting held on September 6, 2022 had appointed M/s. Jain & Trivedi, Chartered Accountant, as the Statutory Auditors and M/s. N.A. Shah Associates LLP as the Joint Statutory Auditors of the Company for a period of five years i.e. to hold office from the conclusion of 31<sup>st</sup> Annual General Meeting till the conclusion of the 36<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of the Company to be held in the year 2027.



## **AUDIT REPORT**

There are no Qualification or Adverse Remark in the Auditors report which require any explanation from the Board of Directors. The Auditors Report on financial statements forming part of this Annual Report is self-explanatory and do not call for any further comments. During the year under review, no frauds were reported by the auditor under section 143(12) of Companies Act, 2013.

## **DEPOSITS**

Your Company has not accepted any public deposits within the meaning of Section 73 and 74 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Companies (Acceptance of Deposit) Rules, 2014 during Financial Year 2022-23.

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

Other than a loan for an amount of ₹ 286.12 Lacs (including interest) to its wholly owned subsidiary K-Lounge Lifestyle Limited your Company has not given any other loans or guarantee during the financial year 2022-23. The acquisitions of securities of any other body corporate are within the limit specified u/s 186 of the Companies Act, 2013. The details of the same are given in the notes to financial statements.

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

The details of conservation of Energy, Technology Absorption and Foreign Exchange Earnings and Outgo stipulated under Section 134(3)(m) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 8 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014 is given as Annexure I.

### **RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

Suitable disclosure as required by the Accounting Standard (AS-24) has been made in the notes to the Financial Statement.

### PARTICULARS OF CONTRACTS OR ARRANGEMENTS WITH RELATED PARTIES REFERRED TO IN SUB-SECTION (1) OF SECTION 188 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013

The particulars of contracts or arrangements with related parties referred to in Section 188(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 is given in Annexure – II.

There were no material related party transaction during the year under review with Promoters, Directors or Key Managerial Personnel which may have potential conflict of interest with the company at large. The Company has developed a Related Party transactions framework through standard operating procedures for the purpose of identification and monitoring of such transactions.

All Related Party Transactions are placed before the Audit Committee. A statement of all Related Party Transactions is placed before Audit Committee for its review on a quarterly basis, specifying the nature, value and terms and conditions of the transactions for approval. The policy on Related Party transactions as approved by the Board of Directors has been uploaded on the website of the Company. The weblink to the Related Party Policy is <u>https://kewalkiran.com/</u> uploads/2019/01/Related\_party\_policy.pdf

### **RISK MANAGEMENT**

Your Company has a Risk Management Committee which has been entrusted with the responsibility to assist the Board in (a) Overseeing and approving the Company's enterprise wide risk management framework; and (b) Overseeing that all the risks that the organisation faces such as strategic, financial, credit, market, liquidity, security, property, IT, legal, regulatory, reputational and other risks have been identified and assessed and there is an adequate risk management infrastructure in place capable of addressing those risks.

The Committee has adopted a Risk Management Policy in accordance with Companies Act, 2013 and SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 which has been approved by Board of Directors.

Your Company manages, monitors and reports on the principal risks and uncertainties that can impact its ability to achieve its strategic objectives. Your Company's management systems, organisational structures, processes, standards, code of conduct and behaviours together governs how the Group conducts the business of the Company and manages associated risks.

## VIGIL MECHANISM / WHISTLE BLOWER POLICY

Fraud free and corruption free work culture has been core of your company. In view of the potential risk of fraud and corruption due to rapid growth and geographic spread of operation, your company has put an even greater emphasis to address this risk.

To meet this objective your company has adopted a Whistle Blower Policy establishing Vigil Mechanism to provide a formal mechanism to the Directors and employees to report their concern about unethical behavior, actual or suspect fraud or violation of the Company's Code of Conduct or ethics policy. The Policy provides for adequate safeguards against victimisation of employee who avail of the mechanism and also provides for direct access to the Chairman of the Audit Committee.

It is affirmed that no personnel of the company have been denied access to the Audit Committee in the Financial Year 2022-23.

The Policy on whistle blower/ vigil mechanism may be accessed on the Company website at <a href="https://kewalkiran.com/uploads/2019/01/Whistle\_Blower\_Policy.pdf">https://kewalkiran.com/uploads/2019/01/Whistle\_Blower\_Policy.pdf</a>

### SIGNIFICANT AND MATERIAL ORDERS PASSED BY THE REGULATORS OR COURTS OR TRIBUNALS

There are no significant and/or material orders passed by the Regulators or Courts or Tribunal which would impact the going concern status of the Company and its future operation.

### SECRETARIAL AUDIT

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 204 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with rule 9 of Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014, the Company has appointed Mr. Ummedmal P. Jain, proprietor of M/s U. P. Jain & Co (C.P. No. 2235) to undertake the Secretarial Audit of the Company. The Secretarial Audit Report is included as Annexure III and forms an integral part of this report.

There are no Qualification, Reservation or Adverse Remark in the Secretarial Audit report which require any explanation from the Board of Directors.

### SECRETARIAL STANDARDS

Your company has complied with all applicable Secretarial Standards issued by Institute of Company Secretaries of India on Meetings of Board of Directors, General Meeting, Dividend and The Board's Report.

## COMPANY'S POLICY ON DIRECTOR'S APPOINTMENT, REMUNERATION AND EVALUATION

In terms of the applicable provision of the Companies Act, 2013 read with rules made thereunder and SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, your Board had approved the Nomination and Remuneration Policy and Evaluation Policy as recommended by Nomination and Remuneration Committee, in the Board Meeting held on October 10, 2014. The Nomination and Remuneration Committee has incorporated the criteria for determining qualifications, positive attribute and independence of Director in the Nomination and Remuneration and Evaluation Policy in terms of provision of Section 178(3) and Regulation 19 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. Company's policy on directors' appointment and remuneration and the criteria for determining qualifications, positive attributes and independence of a Director is given at https://kewalkiran.com/uploads/2018/12/nomination\_and\_ remuneration\_policy.pdf

The said policy envisages the criteria for selection and appointment of Board Members like determining qualification, positive attributes and independence of director, etc. It also lays down the framework in relation to remuneration of Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and Senior Management of the Company. The detail of the remuneration policy of the Company is given in the Corporate Governance Report, which forms part of this Annual Report. The said policy also lays down the criterion for payment of remuneration to Non-Executive Directors and the web-link of the same is <u>https://</u> kewalkiran.com/uploads/2018/12/criteria-for-payment-tonon-executive-directors.pdf

### **ANNUAL BOARD EVALUATION**

Your Board has adopted a formal mechanism for evaluating its performance and as well as that of its committee and individual directors, including the chairman of the Board.

The criteria for performance evaluation of the Board include aspects like Board composition and structure effectiveness of Board processes, information and functioning, experience, competencies, etc. The exercise was carried out through a structured evaluation process covering various aspects of the Boards functioning such as composition of the Board and Committees, experience and competencies, performance of specific duties and obligations, governance issues etc. Separate exercise was carried out to evaluate the performance of Individual Directors including the Board Chairman who was evaluated on parameters such as attendance, contribution at the meetings and otherwise, independent judgment, safeguarding of minority shareholders interest, etc.

The evaluation of the Independent Directors was carried out by the entire Board and that of the Chairman and the Non-Independent Directors were carried out by the Independent Directors. The Directors were satisfied with the evaluation results, which reflected the overall engagement of the Board and its Committees with the Company.

### **REMUNERATION OF DIRECTORS AND EMPLOYEES**

The information required under section 197(12) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with rule 5(2) and 5(3) of Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014 and forming part of the Directors' report for the year ended March 31, 2023 and the prescribed particulars of employees required under Rule 5(1) of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014 are attached as 'Annexure-IV' and forms part of this report.

Save and except the relation between the Executive Directors inter se (the executive directors are brothers) none of the employees listed in the said annexure is a relative of any Director of the company. None of the employees (save and except the Executive Directors) hold (by himself or along with his/her spouse and dependent children) more than two percent of the equity shares of the company.

### CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY (CSR) REPORT

The Corporate Social Responsibility Committee has formulated and recommended to the Board a Corporate Social Responsibility Policy of the Company indicating the activities to be undertaken by the Company which has been approved by the Board. The CSR Policy may be accessed on the Company's website at <u>https://kewalkiran.com/</u> <u>uploads/2018/12/CSR\_policy.pdf</u>. The Company considers CSR spend in the areas of Healthcare, Education, Animal



welfare and such other areas as the Board may deem fit from time to time so as to qualify as a Corporate Social Responsibility spend pursuant to the Corporate Social Responsibility Policy of the Company and in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act 2013 and the rules made there under.

The report on Corporate Social Responsibility initiatives as required under Companies (Corporate Social Responsibility Policy) Rules, 2014 is given as Annexure-V.

## **EXTRACT OF ANNUAL RETURN**

Pursuant to amendment to Section 92 of the Act read with the Rule 12 of Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, your Company is not required to provide extract of Annual Return (Form MGT-9) as part of the Board's Report. Annual Return as at March 31, 2023 is available on website of the Company <u>www.kewalkiran.com</u>

## **ENVIRONMENT AND SAFETY**

Your Company is conscious of the importance of environmentally clean and safe operations. Your Company's policy requires conduct of operations in such a manner, so as to ensure safety of all concerned, compliances with environmental regulations and preservation of natural resources. The Company provides a safe and healthy workplace focussing on creating right safety culture across the organisation and aims to achieve ultimate goal of zero injuries to all its employees and all stakeholders associated with the Company's operations.

### MAINTENANCE OF COST RECORD

Your Company is not required to maintain cost record as specified by the Central Government under section 148(1) of the Companies Act, 2013.

## MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS REPORT

A detailed review of Industry Structure and Developments, Internal Control System, Risk and Concern, operations, performance and future outlook of the company is given separately under the head Management Discussion and Analysis Report as stipulated under Regulation 34(2)(e) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and forms a part of this Annual Report.

## **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE**

Your Company is committed to maintain the highest standards of Corporate Governance and adhere to the Corporate Governance requirements set out by SEBI. Your Company has also implemented several best Corporate Governance practices as prevalent globally.

The report on Corporate Governance as stipulated under SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 forms a part of the Annual Report.

The requisite certificate from the Auditors, M/s. Jain & Trivedi, Chartered Accountants and M/s N.A Shah Associates LLP, Chartered Accountants, confirming the compliance of conditions of Corporate Governance as stipulated under SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 forms a part of this report.

### DISCLOSURES PERTAINING TO THE SEXUAL HARASSMENT OF WOMEN AT THE WORKPLACE (PREVENTION, PROHIBITION AND REDRESSAL) ACT, 2013

The company has in place a Policy for prevention of Sexual Harassment at the Workplace in line with the requirements of the Sexual Harassment of Women at the Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition & Redressal) Act, 2013. Internal Complaints Committee (ICC) has been set up to redress complaints received regarding sexual harassment. All employees (permanent, contractual, temporary, trainees) are covered under this policy.

The following is a summary of sexual harassment complaints received and disposed of during the year:

- (a) Number of complaints pending at the beginning of the year; 0
- (b) Number of complaints received during the year: 0
- (c) Number of complaints disposed of during the year: 0
- (d) Number of cases pending at the end of the year: Not Applicable

### ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Your Board would like to place on record its sincere appreciation for the wholehearted support and contribution made by its customers, its shareholders and all its employees across the country, as well as the various Government Departments, Banks, Distributors, Suppliers and other business associates towards the conduct of efficient and effective operations of your Company.

For and on behalf of the Board

Place: Mumbai Dated: August 2, 2023 Kewalchand P. Jain Chairman & Managing Director DIN: 00029730

#### **ANNEXURE I**

### A. CONSERVATION OF ENERGY

Your company had taken up energy conservation activities, guided by a professional firm with 40 years' experience, M/s Econ Engineers, on several fronts, from the Head office and other offices, to all manufacturing units.

The major steps taken at various locations were as under:

- Energy Conservation Teams were formed at all large facilities and were provided with all relevant monitoring instruments.
- 2. Energy Efficiency of Air Conditioning Systems and equipment was improved:
  - i. At the Offices since air conditioning was the major load, your company set up regular monitoring of all the air conditioning equipment, assessing the three major energy efficiency parameters of temperature difference between supply and return air, flow rate and the power used, for all the air conditioning equipment, including Ductables, Cassette, Split and Window Air conditioners. Whereever short falls were detected, corrective action was immediately taken to restore the equipment to rated parameters.
  - ii. The practice of monitoring of the air conditioning equipment was adopted at all the factories also.



Regular monitoring resulted in both improved performance and energy saving.

- iii. Old air conditioners were replaced by 5 Star ones: At a number of locations, wherever the air conditioners were very old, or working for long periods, they were replaced by the modern energy efficient 5 Star Split air conditioners. This added to the energy savings.
- 3. Lighting Energy Conservation:
  - Illumination levels were checked at all locations; excess lights were removed and lights were switched on only when required;
  - ii. Energy efficient lights were adopted, including the use of LEDs
  - Improving Power Factor:

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The power factor was being controlled mostly by Automatic Power Factor Controllers. However, these were studied to optimise the maintenance of P.F. above 0.98; the monthly bonuses earned in the electricity bills will offset the investments in short periods.

- 5. Improving Efficiency of Boilers at the Factories:
  - i. Regular Monitoring of the various parameters important for maintaining high efficiency in Boilers yielded ways to improve their efficiency. This was diligently taken up; maintenance was improved and done regularly resulting in useful fuel savings.
  - ii. Systems were installed to monitor the distribution of steam, including at pressure reducing stations and at steam traps, to ensure that the required steam quality and pressure was available at the various equipment using steam, e.g. tumble driers, washers, steam irons, etc. This enabled high productivity of the equipment.
- 6. Improving efficiency of driers, ashers, steam irons, etc. at the Factories:
  - i. Regular Monitoring of the various parameters important for maintaining high efficiency in the driers and washers, etc., ensured that the cycles were completed not only within rated times but also often ahead of time.
  - ii. In washer's steam usage was restricted to those cycles where temperature required was 90°C.

For all other cycles the recovered hot water was used. This yielded useful savings in the use of steam, electricity and operation period.

- 7. Regular monitoring of all important parameters relating to improved maintenance were adopted in a dedicated way, to improve plant and equipment availability.
- 8. Leakages of steam and compressed air were minimised and plant productivity improved.



## UTILISING ALTERNATE SOURCES OF ENERGY

The Company already has a 600 KW Wind Generator in Gujarat which provides most of the electricity at your company's Vapi Factory.

Serious efforts are on to explore the feasibility of Roof Top Solar Power Generation. The Central Govt. has offered to provide the necessary impetus and funds, and the State Governments are gearing up to accept all the surplus energy generated allowing direct feeding into their Grid. Hence we expect this will soon be viable and we will consider their use at our factories.

The capital investment on energy conservation equipment is estimated as approx. ₹ 5,00,000/-

## B. TECHNOLOGY ABSORPTION

Your company continues to use the latest technologies for improving the productivity and quality of its products. The company's operations do not require significant import of technology.

## C. FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNINGS AND OUTGO

Activities relating to exports, initiatives taken to increase exports, development of new export markets for products and services and export plans.

Total Foreign Exchange used and earned:

FOB Value earned	₹22,16,14,070
Total Foreign Exchange outgo	₹ 1,61,18,275

### **ANNEXURE-II**

### Form No. AOC-2

Particulars of Contracts/Arrangement with related parties (Pursuant to clause (h) of sub-section (3) of section 134 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 8(2) of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014)

This form pertains to the 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 transactions under the third proviso thereto

- 1. Details of contracts or arrangements or transactions not at arm's length basis
- A. Leave and License of premises owned by the promoters
  - (a) Name(s) of the related party and nature of relationship: Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain, Mr. Hemant P. Jain, Mr. Dinesh P. Jain, Mr. Vikas P. Jain and Mrs. Shantaben P. Jain.

Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain is the Chairman and Managing Director, Mr. Hemant P. Jain is the Joint Managing Director, Mr. Dinesh P. Jain and Mr. Vikas P. Jain are Wholetime Directors of the Company. Mrs. Shantaben P. Jain is one of the promoters of the company and the mother of Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain, Mr. Hemant P. Jain, Mr. Dinesh P. Jain and Mr. Vikas P. Jain.

(b) Nature of contracts/ arrangements/ transactions – Leave and license of premises from Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain, Mr. Hemant P. Jain, Mr. Dinesh P. Jain, Mr. Vikas P. Jain and Mrs. Shantaben P. Jain



- (c) Duration of the contracts/ arrangements/ transactions – September 1, 2019 to August 31, 2024.
- (d) Salient terms of the contracts or arrangements or transactions including the value, if any - Leave and license of premises as detailed below:-
  - Premises being Unit No. A-1, Synthofine Estate, Opp Virwani Industrial Estate, Goregaon (East), Mumbai – 400 063 from Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain, Chairman and Managing Director on monthly rent of ₹34,500/- (Rupees Thirty Four Thousand Five Hundred only);
  - b. Premises being Unit No. A-2, Synthofine Estate, Opp Virwani Industrial Estate, Goregaon (East), Mumbai – 400 063 from Mr. Vikas P. Jain, Wholetime Director on monthly rent of ₹ 23,000/- (Rupees Twenty Three Thousand only);
  - c. Premises being Unit No. A-3, Synthofine Estate, Opp Virwani Industrial Estate, Goregaon (East), Mumbai – 400 063 from Mr. Hemant P. Jain, Joint Managing Director on monthly rent of ₹ 23,000/-(Rupees Twenty Three Thousand only);
  - d. Premises being Unit No. A-4, Synthofine Estate, Opp Virwani Industrial Estate, Goregaon (East), Mumbai – 400 063 from Mr. Dinesh P. Jain, Wholetime Director on monthly rent of ₹ 23,000/-(Rupees Twenty Three Thousand only);
  - Premises being Unit No. A-5, Synthofine Estate, Opp Virwani Industrial Estate, Goregaon (East), Mumbai – 400 063 from joint owners Dinesh P. Jain and Vikas P. Jain, Wholetime Directors on monthly rent of ₹ 23,000/-(Rupees Twenty Three Thousand only);
  - f. Premises being Unit No. A-8, Synthofine Estate, Opp Virwani Industrial Estate, Goregaon (East), Mumbai – 400 063 from joint owners Kewalchand P. Jain, Chairman and Managing Director and Hemant P. Jain, Joint Managing Director on monthly rent of ₹ 18,000/-(Rupees Eighteen Thousand only);
  - g. Premises being Unit No. C-3, Synthofine Estate, Opp Virwani Industrial Estate, Goregaon (East), Mumbai – 400 063 from joint owners Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain, Chairman and Managing Director and Mr. Hemant P. Jain, Joint Managing Director

on monthly rent of ₹ 25,300/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand Three Hundred only);

- h. Premises being Unit No. C-4, Synthofine Estate, Opp Virwani Industrial Estate, Goregaon (East), Mumbai - 400 063 from joint owners Dinesh P. Jain and Vikas P. Jain, Wholetime Directors on monthly rent of ₹ 25,300/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand Three Hundred only);
- Premises being Unit No. 3, Devare House , Dadar (west) , Mumbai - 400 028 from joint owners Shantaben P. Jain, Promoter, and Kewalchand P. Jain, Chairman and Managing Director and Hemant P. Jain, Joint Managing Director on monthly rent of ₹ 1,08,000/-(Rupees One Lakh Eight Thousand only) and an interest free refundable security deposit of ₹ 6,48,000/- (Rupees Six Lakhs Forty Eight Thousand only);
- j. Premises being Unit No. 104, Devare House , Dadar (west), Mumbai - 400 028 from Shantaben P. Jain, Promoter on monthly rent of ₹ 22,500/- (Rupees Twenty Two Thousand Five Hundred only) and an interest free refundable security deposit of ₹ 1,35,000/-(Rupees One Lakhs Thirty Five Thousand only)
- (e) Justification for entering into such contracts or arrangements or transactions – A few premises are used by the company for operating its stitching units and a few other premises are used by the company to operate a retail outlet. The licensee fee for the said premises is lower than the ongoing market rent.
- (f) Date(s) of approval by the Board July 24, 2019
- (g) Amount paid as advance, if any No
- (h) Date on which the special resolution was passed in general meeting as required under first proviso to section 188 – NA

### B. Remuneration paid to Mr. Pankaj K. Jain, 'President - Retail' being relative of the Executive Director

- Name(s) of the related party and nature of relationship: Mr. Pankaj K. Jain is the son of Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain, Chairman and Managing Director of the Company.
- b. Nature of contracts/ arrangements/ transactions
   Employment with the company in the capacity of an employee
- c. Duration of the contracts/ arrangements/ transactions – From September 1, 2021
- d. Salient terms of the contracts or arrangements or transactions including the value, if any – Annual CTC of ₹ 50,00,000/-



- e. Justification for entering into such contracts or arrangements or transactions – Mr. Jain is a qualified Chartered Accountant and has experience in finance and retail operation and the company will be benefited with his expertise.
- f. Date(s) of approval by the Board May 26, 2021
- g. Amount paid as advance, if any No
- Date on which the special resolution was passed in general meeting as required under first proviso to section 188 – NA

### C. Remuneration paid to Mr. Hitendra H. Jain, 'President – Addictions' being relative of the Executive Director

- Name(s) of the related party and nature of relationship: Mr. Hitendra H. Jain is the son of Mr. Hemant P. Jain, Joint Managing Director of the Company
- b. Nature of contracts/ arrangements/ transactions
   Employment with the company in the capacity of an employee
- c. Duration of the contracts/ arrangements/ transactions – from September 1, 2021
- Salient terms of the contracts or arrangements or transactions including the value, if any – Annual CTC of ₹ 50,00,000/-
- e. Justification for entering into such contracts or arrangements or transactions – Mr. Jain holds a Masters of Science in International Business from the Leeds University Business School and has experience in retail operation and the company will be benefited with his expertise.

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- f. Date(s) of approval by the Board May 26, 2021
- g. Amount paid as advance, if any No
- h. Date on which the special resolution was passed in general meeting as required under first proviso to section 188 – NA

### D. Remuneration paid to Mr. Yash V. Jain, 'Manager -Sales' being relative of the Executive Director

- Name(s) of the related party and nature of relationship: Mr. Yash V. Jain is the son of Mr. Vikas P. Jain, Wholetime Director of the Company
- b. Nature of contracts/ arrangements/ transactions
   Employment with the company in the capacity of an employee
- c. Duration of the contracts/ arrangements/ transactions – from June 1, 2021
- Salient terms of the contracts or arrangements or transactions including the value, if any – Annual CTC of ₹ 20,00,000/-
- e. Justification for entering into such contracts or arrangements or transactions – Mr. Jain holds a degree of Bachelor in Management Studies from the University of Mumbai and has also perceived Executive Education Programme from London School of Business and Finance and the company will be benefited with his expertise.
- f. Date(s) of approval by the Board May 26, 2021
- g. Amount paid as advance, if any No
- Date on which the special resolution was passed in general meeting as required under first proviso to section 188 – NA

### E. Remuneration paid to Mr. Jai D. Jain, 'Manager – Production and Development' being relative of the Executive Director

- Name(s) of the related party and nature of relationship: Mr. Jai D. Jain is the son of Mr. Dinesh P. Jain, Wholetime Director of the Company
- b. Nature of contracts/ arrangements/ transactions
   Employment with the company in the capacity of an employee
- c. Duration of the contracts/ arrangements/ transactions – from June 1, 2021 upto September 30, 2022
- d. Salient terms of the contracts or arrangements or transactions including the value, if any Annual CTC of ₹ 10,00,000/-
- e. Justification for entering into such contracts or arrangements or transactions – Mr. Jain holds a degree of Bachelor in Commerce from the University of Mumbai and the company will be benefited with his expertise.
- f. Date(s) of approval by the Board May 26, 2021
- g. Amount paid as advance, if any No
- h. Date on which the special resolution was passed in general meeting as required under first proviso to section 188 – NA

### Remuneration paid to Ms. Nami D. Jain, 'Manager -HR' being relative of the Executive Director

- a. Name(s) of the related party and nature of relationship: Ms. Nami D. Jain is the daughter of Mr. Dinesh P. Jain, Wholetime Director of the Company
- b. Nature of contracts/ arrangements/ transactions
   Employment with the company in the capacity of an employee
- c. Duration of the contracts/ arrangements/ transactions – from February 1, 2020
- Salient terms of the contracts or arrangements or transactions including the value, if any – Annual CTC of ₹ 5,00,008/-
- e. Justification for entering into such contracts or arrangements or transactions – Ms. Jain holds a degree of Bachelor in Management Studies from University of Mumbai. Ms. Jain has done Management of Business Administration (MBA) from Welingkar Institute and the company will be benefited with her expertise.
- f. Date(s) of approval by the Board January 28, 2020.
- g. Amount paid as advance, if any No



 Date on which the special resolution was passed in general meeting as required under first proviso to section 188 – NA

### G. Professional Fees paid to M/s. Pandya & Co., Advocates & Notary

- a. Name(s) of the related party and nature of relationship: Mr. Nimesh G. Pandya, Independent Director of the Company
- b. Nature of contracts/ arrangements/ transactions
   Professional Fees for legal services
- c. Duration of the contracts/ arrangements/ transactions – One time engagement
- d. Salient terms of the contracts or arrangements or transactions including the value, if any -Annually ₹ 1,40,000/-
- e. Justification for entering into such contracts or arrangements or transactions – Mr. Nimesh G. Pandya is an eminent lawyer. The Company has availed his professional services to advise the company in some legal matters.
- f. Date(s) of approval by the Board 14<sup>th</sup> May 2015.
- g. Amount paid as advance, if any No
- h. Date on which the special resolution was passed in general meeting as required under first proviso to section 188 – NA

## H. Purchase of property

- Name(s) of the related party and nature of relationship: Kewal Kiran Enterprise.
   Mr. Kewalchand Jain, Mr. Hemant Jain, Mr Dinesh Jain and Mr. Vikas Jain are partners in Kewal Kiran Enterprise
- b. Nature of contracts/ arrangements/ transactions
   Purchase of property being land and factory shed at Daman, UT
- c. Duration of the contracts/ arrangements/ transactions – One time agreement
- d. Salient terms of the contracts or arrangements or transactions including the value, if any –
   ₹ 1,35,00,000/-
- e. Justification for entering into such contracts or arrangements or transactions The land and factory shed are adjoining the existing land and factories of the company at Daman, UT.
- f. Date(s) of approval by the Board January 21, 2023
- g. Amount paid as advance, if any No
- Date on which the special resolution was passed in general meeting as required under first proviso to section 188 – NA
- 2. Details of contracts or arrangements or transactions at arm's length basis Nil

ANNEXURE-III

### SECRETARIAL AUDIT REPORT

## FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 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

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## To,

The Members,

## Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited

Kewal Kiran Estate, 460/7, I. B. Patel Road, Near Western Express Highway, Goregaon (East) Mumbai – 400063

We have conducted the secretarial audit of the compliance of applicable statutory provisions and the adherence to good corporate practices by **KEWAL KIRAN CLOTHING LIMITED** [CIN: L18101MH1992PLC065136] (hereinafter called 'the Company'). Secretarial Audit was conducted in a manner that provided us a reasonable basis for evaluating the corporate conducts/statutory compliances and expressing our opinion thereon.

Based on our verification of the Company's books, papers, minute books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the Company and also the information provided by the Company, its officers, agents and authorised representatives during the conduct of secretarial audit, we hereby report that in our opinion, the Company has, during the audit period covering the financial year ended on **March 31**, **2023** 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:



- We have examined the Secretarial compliance based on the books, papers, minute books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the Company for the financial year ended on **March 31, 2023**, as shown to us during our audit, 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) The provisions of the Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 and the rules and regulations made thereunder to the extent of Foreign Direct Investment.
  - (v) The following Regulations and Guidelines prescribed under the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992:
    - **a.** The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011, to the extent applicable;
    - The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015, to the extent applicable.
    - c. Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, to the extent applicable and the Listing Agreements entered into by the Company with BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited.
- **II.** We further report that the Company has complied with the Secretarial Standards issued by The Institute of Company Secretaries of India.
- **III.** During the year under review the Company has complied with the applicable provisions of the Act, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Standards, etc. mentioned above, to the extent applicable, subject to following observations:

National Stock Exchange of India Limited and the BSE Limited imposed fine on the Company for alleged violation of Regulation 21(2) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 for the quarter July to September, 2022. The exchanges have upon considering the representation made by the company waived the fine.



- **IV.** We have relied on the representation made by the Company and its officers, and state that there are no other laws, rules / regulations specifically applicable to the industry under which the Company operates.
- V. The following Regulations and Guidelines prescribed under The Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992 were, in our opinion, not attracted during the financial year under report;
  - a. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits) Regulations, 2014;
  - **b.** The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018.
  - **c.** The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Debt Securities) Regulations, 2008;
  - The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Registrars to an Issue and Share Transfer Agents) Regulations, 1993 regarding the Act and dealing with client;

- e. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Delisting of Equity Shares) Regulations, 2009; and
- f. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 1998.
- VI. The provisions of the Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 and the rules and regulations made thereunder in relation to Overseas Direct Investment and External Commercial Borrowings were not attracted during the financial year under report.
- **VII.** We further report that;

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

Adequate notice is given to all the directors for all the scheduled Board Meetings during the year. The directors were served notice at least seven days in advance from the date of board meetings other than those held at shorter notice. Further, 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.

Decisions at the meetings of the Board of Directors of the Company were carried through on the basis of majority. There were no dissenting views by any member of the Board of Directors during the year under review.

- VIII. We have relied on the representation made by the Company and its officers for the compliance of various applicable laws, rules, regulations and guidelines and after examining the system and mechanism followed by the Company for compliances, we report that there are adequate systems and processes in the Company commensurate with the size and operations of the Company to monitor and ensure the compliance of applicable laws, rules, regulations and guidelines.
- **IX.** We further report that during the audit period, the following events occurred which had bearing on the Company's affairs in pursuance of the above referred laws, rules, regulations, guidelines etc.

For U. P. Jain & Co. Company Secretaries

Ummedmal P. Jain

Dated: August 2, 2023 Place: Mumbai Proprietor FCS-3735, CP-2235 PR 1253/ 2021 UDIN: F003735E000724136

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 the Secretarial Audit Report of KEWAL KIRAN CLOTHING LIMITED for the financial year ended March 31, 2023)

To,

### The Members, KEWAL KIRAN CLOTHING LIMITED

Kewal Kiran Estate, 460/7, I. B. Patel Road, Near Western Express Highway, Goregaon (East) Mumbai - 400063

Our report of even date is to be read along with this letter.

- 1. Maintenance of secretarial record is the responsibility of the management of the Company. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these secretarial records based on our audit.
- 2. We have followed the audit practices and processes as were appropriate to obtain reasonable assurance about the correctness of the contents of the secretarial records. The verification was done on test basis to ensure that the correct facts are reflected in secretarial records. We believe that the practices and processes, we followed provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.
- 3. We have not verified the correctness and appropriateness of financial records and Books of Accounts of the company.
- 4. Wherever required, we obtained management representation about the compliance of laws, rules, regulations, norms and standards and happening of events.
- 5. In respect of the filing of forms /returns by the Company, related to the period under audit, we have not observed any material non-compliance, which can have material bearing on the financial of the Company and hence have not reported in our audit report.
- 6. The compliance of the provisions of Corporate and other applicable laws, rules, regulations, norms and standards is the responsibility of management. Our examination was limited to the verification of procedure on test basis.
- 7. 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.

For U. P. Jain & Co. Company Secretaries

Dated: August 2, 2023 Place: Mumbai Ummedmal P. Jain Proprietor FCS-3735, CP-2235 PR 1253/ 2021

### DETAILS PERTAINING TO REMUNERATION AS REQUIRED UNDER SECTION 197(12) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013 READ WITH THE RULE 5 (1) OF THE COMPANIES (APPOINTMENT & REMUNERATION OF MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL) RULES, 2014

(i) The ratio of the remuneration of each Director to the median remuneration of the employees of the Company for the financial year 2022-23 and the percentage increase in the remuneration of each Director, Chief Financial Officer and Company Secretary during the financial year 2022-23 are as under: -

Sr. No	Name of Director/ KMP and Designation	Remuneration of the Director/ KMP for the financial year 2022-23 (In Rupees)	% increase in remuneration in the financial year 2022-23	Ratio of remuneration of each Director/ KMP to median remuneration of employees
1.	Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain, Chairman & Managing Director	1,24,99,930	17.87%	44: 1
2	Mr. Hemant P. Jain, Joint Managing Director	1,24,99,930	17.87%	44: 1
3	Mr. Dinesh P. Jain, Whole Time Director	1,24,99,930	17.87%	44: 1
4	Mr. Vikas P. Jain, Whole Time Director	1,24,99,930	17.87%	44: 1
5	Mr. Bharat Assudomal Adnani, Chief Financial Officer	55,17,258	N.A.	20: 1
6	Mr. Nimesh Anandpara Deputy Chief Financial Officer	56,37,625	24.30%	20:1
7	Mr. Abhijit Warange, Company Secretary	47,00,000	Nil	17: 1

Notes:

Gross remuneration figures are based on Cost to Company (CTC) and does not include gratuity to be paid at the time of separation or retirement from services.

The Non-Executive Independent Directors are paid only sitting fees which is not considered as remuneration.

- (ii) The Median remuneration of employees of the company during the financial year was ₹ 2.82 Lakhs. (Excluding CTC of Directors and KMP)
- (iii) In the financial year, there was increase of 2.87% in the median remuneration of the employees.
- (iv) There were 1797 permanent employees including Piece rate employees on the rolls of company as on March 31, 2023.
- (v) Average percentage increase made in the salaries of the employees (excluding wages) other than Key Managerial Personnel(s) in the financial year 2022-23 was 6.42% whereas, the increase in Key Managerial remuneration was 3.64%.
- (vi) It is hereby affirmed that the remuneration paid is as per the remuneration policy for Directors, Key Managerial Personnel(s) and other employees.

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S. S	Name	Designation	Nature of employment whether contractual or otherwise	Nature of Duties of the employee	Qualification	Age in years	Date of Commencement of employment	Total Experience in years	Gross Remuneration (₹)	Previous Employment/ Designation
	Kewalchand P. Jain	Chairman & Managing Director	Permanent	Finance & overall control of the company affairs	Under Graduate	61	January 30, 1992	38	1,24,99,930	Kewal Kiran & Co/Partners
[	Hemant P. Jain	Joint Managing Director	Permanent	Marketing - Killer & Easies	Under Graduate	59	January 30, 1992	36	1,24,99,930	Kewal Kiran & Co/Partner
1	Dinesh P. Jain	Wholetime Director	Permanent	Production	Under Graduate	53	October 2, 1997	31	1,24,99,930	Kewal Kiran & Co/Partner
	Vikas P. Jain	Wholetime Director	Permanent	Marketing- Lawman Integriti & K-Lounge Stores	B. Com	52	October 2, 1997	58	1,24,99,930	N.A
	Lakhbir Singh	Brand Head – Killer Permanent & Easies	Permanent	End to End operations of Killer brand	1. B. Com 2. M. Com 3. M.B.A. 4. M. Phil	42	September 21, 2018	20	96,04,947	Royal Classic Group (Classic Polo) – Business Head
	Himanshu Pant	Brand Head - Lawman Pg3 & Integriti	Permanent	End to End operations of Lawman Pg3 & Integriti brand	1. B.A 2. M.A	55	April 11, 2019	29	63,13,762	Pepe Jeans - Assistant General Manager - Distribution
	Nimesh Anandpara	Deputy Chief Financial Officer	Permanent	Financial Operations	1. B. Com 2. C.A.	39	January 7, 2008	19	56,37,625	Shruti Shah & Co – Audit and Taxation Manager
	Bharat Adnani	Chief Financial Officer	Permanent	Financial Operations & Control	1. B. Com 2. C. A. 3. M. FM	49	May 31, 2022	26	55,17,258	FXunlimited Financial Service P. Ltd. – Director
	Sangeeta Singh	Chief Human Resources Officer	Permanent	Human Resource Operations	1. B. Sc 2. P.G.D.M.	45	November 25, 2021	21	55,16,259	Essar Power Group – HR Head
10	Rohit Goyal	General Manager - NCS	Permanent	End to End operations of NCS	1. B. Com 2. M.B.A.	42	July 11, 2005	19	54,68,632	South India Watch Industries Pvt. Ltd. – Executive Retail Sales

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and Mr. Vikas P. Jain none of the other employees' aforesaid hold equity shares in the company either individually or together with their spouse or dependent children exceding Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain, Mr. Hemant P. Jain, Mr. Dinesh P. Jain and Mr. Vikas P. Jain are brothers. Save and except Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain, Mr. Hemant P. Jain, Mr. Dinesh P. Jain two percent of the total equity shares. The details of the shareholding of Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain, Mr. Hemant P. Jain, Mr. Dinesh P. Jain and Mr. Vikas P. Jain are detailed in the Corporate Governance Report which forms a part of the Annual Report.

Gross Remuneration figures are based on Cost to Company (CTC) as on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023 and does not include gratuity to be paid at the time of separation or retirement from service.

## CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY REPORT

1. Brief outline on CSR Policy of the Company.

Social and Environmental responsibility has always been at the forefront of Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited's operating philosophy and as a result the Company consistently contributes to socially responsible activities. Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) at Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited portrays the deep symbiotic relationship that the group enjoys with the communities it is engaged with. As a responsible corporate citizen, we try to contribute for social and environmental causes on a regular basis. We believe that to succeed, an organisation must maintain highest standards of corporate behavior towards its employees, consumers and societies in which it operates.

We are of the opinion that CSR underlines the objective of bringing about a difference and adding value to our stakeholders' lives. Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited's Corporate Social Responsibility Policy is rooted in the Company's core values of quality, reliability and trust guided by international standards and best practices, and driven by our aspiration for excellence in the overall performance of our business.

Pursuant to Section 135 of the Companies Act, 2013 and rules made there under the company had approved the Corporate Social Responsibility policy, as recommended by Corporate Social Responsibility Committee, in the Board Meeting held on January 31, 2015.

- Number of meetings of Number of meetings Sr. Name of Director Designation / Nature of Directorship CSR Committee held of CSR Committee No during the year attended during the year 1. Mr. Nimish G. Pandya Non Executive-Independent Director 1 1 2. Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain 1 1 Director З. Mr. Hemant P. Jain Director 1 1 Provide the web-link where Composition of CSR committee, CSR Policy https://kewalkiran.com/uploads/2022/07/ and CSR projects approved by the board are disclosed on the website of CSR Weblink.pdf the company. Provide the details of Impact assessment of CSR projects carried out in Not Applicable pursuance of sub-rule (3) of rule 8 of the Companies (Corporate Social responsibility Policy) Rules, 2014, if applicable (attach the report). Details of the amount available for set off in pursuance of sub-rule (3) of rule NIL 7 of the Companies (Corporate Social Responsibility Policy) Rules, 2014 And
- 2. Composition of CSR Committee:

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5.

6. Average net profit of the company as per section 135(5). ₹ 65,66,26,322/-7. (a) Two percent of average net profit of the company as per section 135(5)  $\gtrless$  1,31,51,000/-Surplus arising out of the CSR projects or programmes or activities of NIL (b) the previous financial years. Amount required to be set off for the financial year, if any (c) NIL (d) Total CSR obligation for the financial year (7a+7b-7c). ₹ 1,31,51,000/-8. CSR amount spent or unspent for the financial year: (a)

amount required for set off for the financial year, if any

			Amount Unspent (in ₹)		
Total Amount Spent for the Financial Year. (in ₹)	Total Amount transferred to Unspent CSR Account as per section 135(6).		Amount transferred to any fund specified under Schedul per second proviso to section 135(5).		
	Amount	Date of transfer	Name of the Fund	Amount	Date of transfer
1,31,51,000/-	N.A	N.A	N.A	N.A	N.A

(b) Details of CSR amount spent against ongoing projects for the financial year: Not Applicable

(c) Details of CSR amount spent against other than ongoing projects for the financial year:

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5	5)	(6)	(7)	(8	3)
<u> </u>	Name	Item from the list of activities	Local	Locatio proj		Amount spent	Mode of	Mode of impleme implement	
Sr. No	of the Project	in schedule VII to the Act.	area (Yes/ No).	State.	District.	for the project (in ₹).	implementati on -Direct (Yes/No).	Name.	CSR registration number.
1.	N.A	Promoting Health care including Preventive Health care	No	Rajasthan	Sadri	1,31,51,000/-	No	Smt. Jatnobai Karamchandji Ratanparia Chouhan Charitable Trust	CSR00005369

(d) Amount spent in Administrative Overheads- NIL

(e) Amount spent on Impact Assessment, if applicable.- N.A

(f) Total amount spent for the Financial Year (8b+8c+8d+8e) ₹ 1,31,51,000/-

(g) Excess amount for set off, if any:

Sr. No	Particulars	Amount (in ₹)
(i)	Two percent of average net profit of the company as per section 135(5)	1,31,51,000/-
(ii)	Total amount spent for the Financial Year	1,31,51,000/-
(iii)	Excess amount spent for the financial year [(ii)-(i)]	NIL
(iv)	Surplus arising out of the CSR projects or programmes or activities of the previous financial years, if any	NIL
(∨)	Amount available for set off in succeeding financial years [(iii)-(iv)]	NIL

9. (a) Details of Unspent CSR amount for the preceding three financial years: NIL

- (b) Details of CSR amount spent in the financial year for ongoing projects of the preceding financial year(s): Not Applicable
- 10. In case of creation or acquisition of capital asset, furnish the details relating to the asset so created or acquired through CSR spent in the financial year Not Applicable
- 11. Specify the reason(s), if the company has failed to spend two per cent of the average net profit as per section 135(5). Not Applicable

Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain (Chairman and Managing Director) DIN: 00029730 Mr. Nimish G. Pandya (Chairman CSR Committee) DIN: 00326966









The Directors present the Business Responsibility Report of the Company for the financial year ended on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2023, pursuant to Regulation 34(2) (f) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

# SECTION A: GENERAL DISCLOSURE

# I. Details of the listed entity

1	Corporate Identity Number (CIN) of the Listed Entity	L18101MH1992PLC065136
2	Name of the Listed Entity	Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited
3	Year of incorporation	30 <sup>th</sup> January 1992
4	Registered office address	Kewal Kiran Estate, 460/7, I.B. Patel Road, Near Western Express Highway, Goregoan (East) Mumbai: 400063
5	Corporate address	Kewal Kiran Estate, 460/7, I.B. Patel Road, Near Western Express Highway, Goregoan (East) Mumbai: 400063
6	E-mail	abhijit.warange@kewalkiran.com
7	Telephone	022-26814400
8	Website	https://www.kewalkiran.com/
9	Financial year for which reporting is being done	1 <sup>st</sup> April, 2022 to 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2023
10	Name of the Stock Exchange(s) where shares are listed	1. The BSE Limited, Mumbai, Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street, Mumbai: 400001.
		2. National Stock Exchange of India Limited, Exchange Plaza, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai: 400 051.
11	Paid-up Capital	₹ 6,162.51 lakhs (61,625,185 equity shares of ₹ 10 each)
12	Name and contact details (telephone, email address) of	Mr. Abhijit B. Warange, Company Secretary
	the person who may be contacted in case of any queries on the BRSR report	+91 22 26814545
	on the BRSR report	abhijit.warange@kewalkiran.com
		Kewal Kiran Estate, 460/7, I.B. Patel Road, Near Western Express Highway, Goregoan (East) Mumbai: 400063
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 under this report covers the standalone operations of Kewa Kiran Clothing Limited.

#### 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, Processing, Finishing and Dispatch of Garments and Accessories	Manufacturing and retailing of apparels and lifestyle accessories under fashion brands Killer, Integriti, Lawman, Easies and Desi Belle.	100%

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	Jeans	NIC code 141 - Manufacturing of wearing apparels, except fur apparels	51.2%
2	Shirt		21.5%
3	Trouser		08.7%
4	T-Shirt		04.8%
5	Others		13.8%

# 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	4	1	5
International	-	-	-

17. Markets served by the entity:

a. Number of locations

Locations	Number
National (No. of States)	25
International (No. of Countries)	2

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

Export contributes 2.72% of the total turnover of the company.

c. A brief on types of customers

KKCL's five apparel brands namely Killer, Lawman, Integriti, Easies & Desi Belle, comprise products that address the needs of all profiles of the menswear & womenswear consumers, be it diverse age groups, income levels or occasions.

With 453 exclusive brand outlets (EBO) and 80+ distributors covering 3,000+ multi-brand outlets (MBO) spread across India and presence across national chain stores and e-commerce portals the Company has a widespread distribution in India.

# IV. Employees

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

S. No. Particulars			Male		Female	
5. N	o. Particulars	Total (A) —	No. (B)	% (B/A)	No. (C)	% (C/A)
Emp	loyees					
1	Permanent (D)	782	644	82%	138	18%
2	Other than Permanent (E)	1699	1320	78%	379	22%
3	Total employee (D+E)	2481	1964	79%	517	21%
Wo	kers					
4	Permanent (F)	1031	918	89%	113	11%
5	Other than Permanent (G)	174	140	80%	34	20%
6	Total employee (F+G)	1205	1058	88%	147	12%

b. Differently abled Employees and workers:

6 N	o. Particulars	T-+-1(A)	Male		Female	
5. N	D. Particulars	Total (A) —	No. (B)	% (B/A)	No. (C)	% (C/A)
Diff	erently abled employees					
1	Permanent (D)	0	0	0%	0	0%
2	Other than Permanent (E)	0	0	0%	0	0%
3	Total employee (D+E)	0	0	0%	0	0%
Diff	erently abled Workers					
4	Permanent (F)	0	0	0%	0	0%
5	Other than Permanent (G)	0	0	0%	0	0%
6	Total employee (F+G)	0	0	0%	0	0%

# 19. Participation/Inclusion/Representation of women

	Total (A)	No. and percentage of Females		
	TOLAT (A)	No. (B)	% (B/A)	
Board of Directors	8	1	13%	
Key Management Personnel	3	0	0%	

# 20. Turnover rate for permanent employees and workers

	FY 2022-23			FY 2021-22			FY 2020-21		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Permanent Employees	20.69%	8.31%	17.85%	23.20%	39.45%	20.60%	19.58%	23.68%	18.80%
Permanent Workers	23.76%	9.78%	23.21%	23.20%	57.67%	25.03%	32.12%	38.91%	32.40%

# 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	K-Lounge Lifestyle Limited	Subsidiary	100%	No	
2	White Knitwears Private Limited (WKPL)	Joint Venture	33.33%	No	
2	White Knitwears Private Limited (WKPL)	Joint Venture	33.33%	No	

# VI. CSR Details

22.	i.	Whether CSR is applicable as per section 135 of Companies Act, 2013	: Yes
	ii.	Turnover (in ₹) :	60,761 Lakhs
	iii.	Net worth (in ₹)	: 47,819 Lakhs

#### 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	Grievance		FY 2022-23		FY 2021-22			
group from whom complaint is received	Redressal Mechanism in Place (Yes/No)	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	
Communities	Yes. The mechanism is in place to receive concerns from community, which are worked upon and redressed accordingly.	0	0	-	0	0	-	
Investors (other than shareholders	Yes. The Stakeholder Relationship Committee / Investor Grievance Committee oversees and reviews	0	0	-	0	0	-	
Shareholders	all matters connected with the redressal of Investor Grievances and complaints. Investor grievances can be reported at the e-mail ID, grievanceredressal@kewalkiran.com	1	0	The compliants were satisfactorily resolved	0	0	-	
Employees and workers	Yes. The mechanism is in place and the employee grievances can be reported at grievanceredressal@kewalkiran.com	0	0	-	0	0	-	

Crimere		FY 2022-23		FY 2021-22			
Grievance Redressal Mechanism in Place (Yes/No)	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	
Yes. The company has a mechanism to handle and address customer complaints.	30	0	The complaints were satisfactorily resolved	15	0	The complaints were satisfactorily resolved	
Yes. The company has a mechanism to handle and address the complaints of value chain partners.	0	0	-	0	0	-	
Yes. The company has a Whistle Blower Policy. <u>https://kewalkiran.</u> com/investor.html#Policies	0	0	-	0	0	-	
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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	In case of risk, approach to adapt or mitigate	Financial implications of the risk or opportunity (Indicate positive or negative implications)		
1	Availability of natural resources- based inputs	Risk	Energy and water are significant cost and risk factors for businesses due to their essentiality, scarcity and potential for price volatility,	<ol> <li>Investments in alternate energy sources and energy efficient technologies in order to decrease dependence on non-renewable sources.</li> </ol>	Positive: Reduced energy and water consumption.		
			supply disruption and environmental impact.	<ol> <li>Plans and actions are put in place at the plant level to obtain alternative sources of water, reusing water from effluent treatment plants, utilising rainwater and attaining water neutrality.</li> </ol>			
2	Disposal of Waste	Risk	The production process generates various waste materials that can pose a threat to the environment if not handled and disposed of properly.	Waste reduction and recycling program for effective waste management. Employee training, regular auditing and monitoring.	Negative		
3	Climate Change	Risk	The risks associated with climate change and global warming encompass risks related to environmental regulations, natural disasters caused by climate change and sustainability pressures at both the local and global levels.	Company with a distinctive opportunity to transition towards sustainable practices, such as exploring renewable energy and alternative resource and fuel	Positive		
4	Water Management	Risk	Any disruption to water supply or quality can affect operations and potentially lead to increased costs, delays, or reputational damage.	Water conservation and efficiency, Water quality management, ZLD, Regulatory compliance	Negative		

S. No.	Material issue identified	Indicate whether risk or opportunity. (R/O)	Rationale for identifying the risk / opportunity	In case of risk, approach to adapt or mitigate	Financial implications of the risk or opportunity (Indicate positive or negative implications)		
5	OHS	Risk	There are various types of	Training/ awareness/ technological	Negative		
	(Occupational Hazards)		risks that can be categorised as occupational hazards, including physical, psychosocial and biological hazards which are related to the Company's activities. These risks can pose both short-term and long-term threats to the well-being of employees in the workplace.	upgradation/ review at senior level and Board committee.			
6	Diversity and Equal Opportunity	Opportunity	Diversity within the workforce enhances the company's performance by fostering the presence of diverse individuals	Promoting equal opportunity employment and embracing diversity fosters creativity, drives innovation, and bolsters the agility of the workforce. We	Positive		
			in the workplace. It is equally crucial for an organisation to prevent discrimination and uphold human rights in such a diverse work environment.	are dedicated to upholding human rights, ensuring the dignified treatment of every individual, in all our operations.			

# 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.

Dis	Disclosure Questions		P1	P2	P3	P4	P5	P6	P7	P8	P9
Pol	icy a	and management processes									
1.	a.	Whether your entity's policy/ policies cover each principle and its core elements of the NGRBCs. (Yes/No)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
1.	b.	Has the policy been approved by the Board? (Yes/No)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
1.	C.	Web Link of the Policies, if available	KKCL's BI	RSR Policy i	s available a	it <u>https://ke</u> v	walkiran.con	n/investor.h	tml#Policies	-	
2.		nether the entity has translated e policy into procedures. (Yes / )	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
3.		the enlisted policies extend to ur value chain partners? (Yes/ )	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
4.	anc cer (e.g Fair Tru OF you	me of the national d international codes/ tifications/labels/ standards g. Forest Stewardship Council, rtrade, Rainforest Alliance, Istea) standards (e.g. SA 8000, ISAS, ISO, BIS) adopted by ur entity and mapped to each nciple.	Requirem Corporate	ents) Regul e Governan	ations, 2015 ce Voluntary	5 and Natio y Guidelines		e on Respoi P5);	ng Obligatic nsible Busine 13 (P8).		
5.	tar	ecific commitments, goals and gets set by the entity with fined timelines, if any.	Refer to E	SG commi	tments in Ar	nnual Repor	t				
6.	the and	formance of the entity against e specific commitments, goals d targets along-with reasons in se the same are not met.	addresses the Finan	s our specifi cial Year. M	c areas of fo	ocus on Env 1, we are de	vironmental,	Social, and	Governance	e (ESG) issue	es throughou

Disclosure Questions	Р	°1	Р	2	P3		P	1	P	5	P	6	P7	I	-8	P	9
Governance, leadership and oversight	t																
<ol> <li>Statement by director responsible (listed entity has flexibility regardi Please refer to the Chairman's statem</li> </ol>	ing the	place	ment	of this c	lisclos	ure)	-	-	-	6G rel	ated c	hallen	ges, targ	ets and a	achiev	ement	S
8. Details of the highest authority responsible for implementation and oversight of the Business Responsibility policy (ies).				Pukhraj ponsibil					~	~	ector	(DIN: (	002973	30) has b	een d	esigna	ted as
<ol> <li>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.</li> </ol>				ve direct ated issu		id th	e seni	or ma	inagei	ment	are res	sponsil	ole for d	ecision r	naking	on	
10. Details of Review of NGRBCs by	the Co	mpan	y:														
Subject for Review	Indica	ate wh	Cor	review w mmittee .ny other	of the	Boar	rd/	Dire	ctor /	Fre	equenc			lf yearly ase speci		erly/ A	Any
	P1	P2	P3	P4	P5 I	P6	P7	P8	P9	P1	P2	P3	P4 P	95 P6	P7	P8	P9
Performance against above policies and follow up action				Ň	Yes								Qua	rterly			
Compliance with statutory requirements of relevance to the principles, and, rectification of any non-compliances	The Company has been compliant with the statutory Quarterly requirements and there have been no instances of non-compliances.																
11. Has the entity carried out	P	°1	P	2	P3		P	1	P	5	P	6	P7		-8	P	9
independent assessment/ evaluation of the working of its policies by an external agency? (Yes/No). If yes, provide name of the agency.	Inste revie	ad, the w proc	e Senio cess er	, or Mana	ageme he effe	nt in	iternal	ly ass	essed	land	evalua	ted the	e entity's	of the er s policies the enti	. This	intern	al
12. If answer to question (1) above is			all Pr	inciples	are co	vere	ed by a	a poli	cy, rea	asons	to be	stated:					
Questions	P	21	P	2	P3		P4	1	P	5	P	6	P7		28	P	9
The entity does not consider the Principles material to its business (Yes/No)	Not a	applica	able.														
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)																	
It is planned to be done in the next financial year (Yes/No)																	
Any other reason (please specify)																	

## 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 categorised 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	% of persons in respective category covered by the awareness programmes		
Board of Directors	2	The Board of Directors and KMPs are updated and made aware of	100%		
Key Managerial Personnel		regulatory developments. The subjects covered include: Environment and safety are important, Companies Act, SEBI Listing Requirements, Corporate Governance, ESG & Sustainability	100%		
Employees other 90 than BoD and KMPs		Employees and workers underwent training on various topics and principles, including: Health and safety (P3), Prevention of sexual harassment (P5), Skill	91%		
Workers	32	upgradation (P3), Ethical standards (code of conduct) (P1)	84%		

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):

#### Monetary

	NGRBC Principle	Name of the regulatory/ enforcement agencies/ judicial institutions	Amount (In ₹)	Brief of the Case	Has an appeal been preferred? (Yes/No)
Penalty/ Fine	Nil	Not applicable	Nil	Not applicable	Not applicable
Settlement	Nil	Not applicable	Nil	Not applicable	Not applicable
Compounding	Principle 9	Legal Metrology	1,50,000	Discrepancy in declaration appearing on principal display panel of label	No

#### Non-Monetary

	NGRBC Principle	Name of the regulatory/ enforcement agencies/ judicial institutions	Brief of the Case	Has an appeal been preferred? (Yes/No)
Imprisonment	Nil	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Punishment	Nil	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

3. Of the instances disclosed in Question 2 above, details of the Appeal/ Revision preferred in cases where monetary or nonmonetary action has been appealed.

Case Details	Name of the regulatory/ enforcement agencies/ judicial institutions
Not applicable	

4. Does the entity have an anti-corruption or anti-bribery policy? If yes, provide details in brief and if available, provide a weblink to the policy.

Yes, the Company has an Anti-Bribery & Anti-Corruption policy. The policy is applicable to all the directors and employees of KKCL and they are expected to adhere to the policies in spirit and letter. The policy defines all forms of bribery and acts of corruption. The policy provides guidance on the violations of the policy, the reporting mechanism and the disciplinary actions. KKCL provides regular training on the policy, and the Executive Board is committed to supporting its implementation. The Policy provides for adequate safeguards against victimisation of employees who avail of the mechanism to report the breach of the Policy. The policy can be accessed on the website at <a href="https://kewalkiran.com/##">https://kewalkiran.com/##</a> Anti-Bribery & 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:

Parameter	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
Directors	Nil	Nil
Key Managerial Personnel (KMPs)	Nil	Nil
Employees	Nil	Nil
Workers	Nil	Nil

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

	FY 2022	-23	FY 2021-22		
	Number	Remarks	Number	Remarks	
Number of complaints received in relation to issues of Conflict of Interest of the Directors	0	-	0	-	
Number of complaints received in relation to issues of Conflict of Interest of the KMPs	0	-	0	-	

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. There are no cases on corruption and conflicts of interest

## **Leadership Indicators**

1. Awareness programmes conducted for value chain partners on any of the Principles during the financial year:

Total number of awareness held	Topics / principles covered under the training	% of value chain partners covered (by value with such partners under the awareness programs
-	-	-

2. Does the entity have processes in place to avoid/manage conflict of interests involving members of the Board? (Yes/No)

Yes. The Directors on a yearly basis and whenever there is any change in the disclosure already made also disclose their concern or interest in any company, bodies corporate, firms or other associations of individuals. The company has implemented a process and policy to avoid/ manage conflict of interests involving members of the Board. The Code of Conduct becomes applicable with the commencement of Directorship or Senior Management roles at KKCL. The Directors of the Company and the Senior Management acknowledge and execute an understanding of the Code of Conduct once a year or upon the revision of this Code. The Code of Conduct is available at <a href="https://kewalkiran.com/investor.html#Code+of+Conduct">https://kewalkiran.com/investor.html#Code+of+Conduct</a>.

If Yes, provide details of the same.

The company has a Code of Conduct for its Board of Directors and Senior Management that emphasises integrity, ethical conduct and compliance with regulations. This code requires them to act in the best interests of the company and its stakeholders, making informed decisions and adhering to their conferred authority. It emphasises honesty, integrity and fairness and prohibits engaging in any activities that create conflicts of interest. Compliance with all applicable laws is mandatory and any violations should be reported. Confidential information must be kept confidential and insider trading is strictly prohibited. Gifts, donations and benefits intended to influence business decisions are not allowed. The company's assets should be protected and used for business purposes only. The code is enforceable and disciplinary actions may be taken for non-compliance in a fair and transparent manner.

## 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.

	2022-23	2021-22	Details of improvements in environmental and social impacts
R&D	0	0	KKCL's investment practice contributes to increased efficiency of operations
Capex	100%	100%	and product sustainability, which creates a trickle-down effect along the value chain in terms of creating environmental and social impacts. However, we are yet to measure technology or innovation-wise environmental and social impacts.

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

KKCL has adopted sustainable sourcing procedures, with a strong emphasis on procuring the key raw materials responsibly. The company prioritises partnering with suppliers who follow eco-friendly practices, such as using organic fibers and implementing water and energy-saving measures during production. This approach is aimed at significantly reducing the environmental impact of the garments produced, contributing to the promotion of sustainable and responsible garments.

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

The organisation has established a thorough vendor selection and evaluation process that gives significant importance to environmental and social considerations. Vendors are chosen based on their long-term capabilities, commitment to environmental, health and safety policies, adherence to quality standards and competitive pricing. Approximately 44% of the inputs used are sourced sustainably.

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.

The Company's manufacturing sites are subject to Consents to Operate and authorisations as per the Hazardous Waste Management Rules, which mandate the declaration and proper disposal of all waste through authorised waste disposal service providers overseen by the State Pollution Control Board. In addition, the Company supports responsible disposal by supplying plastic containers to authorised recyclers for recycling purposes.

- (a) Plastic waste: Plastic waste generated at site is sent to authorised recyclers.
- (b) E-waste: Not applicable. The Company does not reclaim any electronic waste (e-waste) and any e-waste generated on site is given to certified vendors for safe disposal.
- (c) Hazardous waste: Not applicable. None of the product waste is hazardous. Hazardous waste generated (Used oil and Sludge) at site is collected by certified vendors for safe disposal.
- (d) Other waste: Not applicable
- 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. Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) is not applicable to the entity.

#### **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?

#### The Company has not conducted any life cycle assessment for the products till date.

NIC Code	Name of Product / Service	% of total Turnover contributed	Boundary for which the Life Cycle Perspective / Assessment was conducted	Whether conducted by independent external agency (Yes/No)	Results communicated in public domain (Yes/No) If yes, provide the web-link.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	

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.

Name of Product / Service	Description of the risk/concern	Action Taken	
-	-	-	

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).

Indicate input Material	Recycled o	r reused input material to total material		
mucate input Materiai	FY 2022-23 FY 202			
None				

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:

		FY 2022-23		FY 2021-22				
	Re-Used	Recycled	Safely Disposed	Re-Used	Recycled	Safely Disposed		
Plastics (including packaging)	-	-	-	-	-	-		
E-waste		1 0 0	aterials do not co	ntribute to the creat	ion of electro	nic waste or		
Hazardous waste	hazardous product	s.						
Other waste	-	-	-	-	-	-		

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

Indicate product category	Reclaimed products and their packaging materials as % of total products sold in respective category
Nil	Not applicable

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

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

		% of employees covered by										
Category	<b>T</b> + 1(A)	Health Insurance		Accident I	Accident Insurance N		Maternity benefits		benefits	Day care facilities		
	Total (A)	Number (B)	% (B/A)	Number (C)	% (C/A)	Number (D)	% (D/A)	Number (E)	% (E/A)	Number (F)	%(F/A)	
Permanent em	ployees											
Male	644	607	94%	644	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
Female	138	127	92%	138	100%	39	28%	0	0%	0	0%	
Total	782	734	94%	782	100%	39	28%	0	0%	0	0%	
Other than Per	manent emp	loyees										
Male	1320	1050	80%	1050	80%	5 0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
Female	379	317	84%	317	84%	5 0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
Total	1699	1367	80%	1367	80%	5 0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	

b. Details of measures for the well-being of workers:

					% of er	mployees cove	ered by					
Category	Tatal (A)	Health Insurance		e Acciden	Accident Insurance		Maternity benefits		Paternity benefits		Day care facilities	
	Total (A)	Number (B)	% (B/A)	Number (C)	% (C/A)	Number (D)	% (D/A)	Number (E)	% (E/A)	Number (F)	%(F/A)	
Permanent emple	oyees											
Male	918	918	100%	918	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
Female	113	113	100%	113	100%	113	100%	0	0%	0	0%	
Total	1031	1031	100%	1031	100%	113	100%	0	0%	0	0%	

					% of er	nployees cove	ered by					
Category	Total (A)	, Health Insurance		e Accident	Accident Insurance N		Maternity benefits		Paternity benefits		Day care facilities	
	Total (A)	Number (B)	% (B/A)	Number (C)	% (C/A)	Number (D)	% (D/A)	Number (E)	% (E/A)	Number (F)	%(F/A)	
Other than Peri	nanent emp	loyees										
Male	140	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
Female	34	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
Total	174	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	

2. Details of retirement benefits, for Current Financial Year and Previous Financial Year.

		FY 2022-23			FY 2021-22					
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 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.)				
PF	100%	100%	Y	100%	100%	Y				
Gratuity	100%	100%	Y	100%	100%	Y				
ESI	92%	98%	Y	91%	98%	Y				
Others – please specify	-									

#### 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.

KKCL is strongly committed to fostering diversity and ensuring equitable treatment of all employees. Our primary objective is to create an inclusive work environment that welcomes individuals from diverse backgrounds. In line with this commitment, we actively consider qualified candidates with disabilities based on their merits and qualifications. Our Equal Opportunity Policy fully aligns with the provisions outlined in The Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act of 2016. We continuously strive to enhance our premises to improve accessibility for differently-abled employees and workers, to ensure inclusivity across our operations.

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

Yes, the Company has implemented an Equal Employment Opportunities Policy in compliance with the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016. KKCL ensures that all employees and eligible job applicants are granted equal opportunities without unjust discrimination based on various factors such as race, caste, religion, color, ancestry, marital status, gender, sexual orientation, age, nationality, ethnic origin, disability or any other protected category specified by relevant legislation. The policy can be accessed on the website at https://kewalkiran.com/##Equal-Employment policy##

5. Return to work and Retention rates of permanent employees and workers that took parental leave.

Condex	Permanent E	mployees	Permanent Workers		
Gender	Return to Work Rate	Retention Rate	Return to Work Rate	Retention Rate	
Male*	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Female**	-	-	-	-	
Total	-	-	-	-	

\*Parental leave benefits only available for female employees and workers

\*\* Female employees and workers did not avail parental leave in this financial year.

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/No (If Yes, then give details of the mechanism in brief)
Permanent Workers	Yes
Other than Permanent Workers	Yes
Permanent Employees	Yes
Other than Permanent Employees	Yes

KKCL has implemented a grievance mechanism to address and resolve concerns raised by employees and workers. The mechanism provides a transparent and structured approach for employees to express grievances related to workplace culture, colleague interactions, management issues, harassment incidents and health and safety matters, with the option to escalate their concerns if necessary. Unit HR and CHRO (Chief Human Resources Officer) are responsible for conducting thorough investigation and taking appropriate actions to resolve the grievances, while maintaining records to ensure transparency and accountability throughout the process.

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

The company does not have any employee associations. The company, however, recognises the right to freedom of association and does not discourage collective bargaining.

	FY 2022-23			FY 2021-22			
Category	TotalNo. of employees / Workers in respective/ workers in respectivecategory, who are part of association(s) or Union (B)		% (B / A)	Total No. of employees employees Workers in respective / workers in category, who ar respective part of association(s category (C) or Union (D		% (C / D)	
Total Permanent Employees	782	0	0%	736	0	0%	
Male	644	0	0%	604	0	0%	
Female	138	0	0%	132	0	0%	
Total Permanent Workers	1031	0	0%	926	0	0%	
Male	918	0	0%	835	0	0%	
Female	113	0	0%	91	0	0%	

8. Details of training given to employees and workers:

			FY 2022-23	;				FY 2021-22		
Category	Total (A)	On Health and safety measures		On Skill upgradation		Total (D)	On Health and safety measures		On Skill upgradation	
		No. (B)	% (B/A)	No. (C)	% (C/A)		No. (E)	% (E/D)	No. (F)	% (F/D)
Employees										
Male	1964	60	3%	1682	86%	1578	35	2%	327	21%
Female	517	5	1%	159	31%	404	13	3%	5	1%
Total	2481	65	3%	1841	74%	1982	48	2%	332	17%
Workers										
Male	1058	518	49%	35	3%	923	22	2%	38	4%
Female	147	81	55%	6	4%	119	5	4%	3	3%
Total	1205	599	50%	41	3%	1042	27	3%	41	4%

Catagory	F	Y 2022-23		FY 2021-22			
Category —	Total (A)	No. (B)	%(B/A)	Total (C)	No. (D)	%(C/D)	
Employees							
Male	1964	35	2%	1578	30	2%	
Female	517	4	1%	404	1	0%	
Total	2481	39	2%	1982	31	2%	
Workers							
Male	1058	0	0%	923	0	0%	
Female	147	0	0%	119	0	0%	
Total	1205	0	0%	1042	0	0%	

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

#### Performance and career development reviews of workers are not done.

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

Yes. Wellbeing of our employees is of prime importance to us. We take a significant effort in maintaining the workplace health and safety standards as per industry norms. Our workers at the Vapi site are constantly exposed to noise and chemicals during dying, printing and washing of apparels. Our employees are required to use protective masks and gloves while operating the machinery. The Company has implemented an Occupational Health and Safety system that covers and applies to all employees and workers. The implementation of a comprehensive health and safety framework is visible throughout the organisation. Safety performance has been included in the appraisal system for management employees, demonstrating the Company's commitment to accountability. Regular safety training is provided to employees and Workers.

All our sites are equipped with first aid kits and fire extinguishers in case of any emergency. Adequate social distancing measures are undertaken in response to the pandemic.

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

The safety committee members and HR personnel both conduct daily plant round (Daily Gemba Walk) visits to identify work-related hazards. Employees are actively encouraged to report any work-related hazards or risks they encounter to the safety committee or the plant head. This collaborative effort ensures that potential hazards are identified and addressed promptly, promoting a safer work environment for all.

10. c. Whether you have processes for workers to report the work related hazards and to remove themselves from such risks. (Y/N)

Yes. To ensure the safety of our workers, we have established an internal platform for them to report any work-related hazards they may come across. Once reported, these hazards are closely monitored and addressed by the Department Safety Committee, which the respective Plant Heads support. In the safety committee meeting, members discuss incidents or accidents that occurred, review and evaluate the effectiveness of the current safety procedures, identify any new hazards, provide training and education on safety practices, and discuss any relevant legal or regulatory changes. The committee also discusses ways to improve workers' and management's communication and cooperation on safety matters.

10. d. Do the employees/ worker of the entity have access to non-occupational medical and healthcare services? (Yes/ No)

Yes. The Company offers medical benefits to its permanent employees and their families. Workers are eligible for medical benefits through group insurance policies provided by the Company, as well as medical support funded by the Company. If applicable, they may also receive statutory benefits under ESIC.

11. Details of safety related incidents, in the following format:

Safety Incident/Number	Category	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
Lost Time Injury Frequency Rate (LTIFR) (per one million-person hours	Employees	0	0
worked)	Workers	0	0
Total recordable work-related injuries	Employees	0	0
	Workers	0	0
No. of fatalities	Employees	0	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.

KKCL is dedicated to ensuring a healthy, safe, and clean working environment for its employees, contract workers, visitors and stakeholders. To uphold a zero-harm work culture, the company has implemented various continuous improvement measures. These include deriving safe operating procedures and guidelines from relevant Indian standard codes, establishing an EHS committee at all facilities to proactively manage occupational health and safety (OHS) activities, conducting regular safety meetings and EHS committee meetings, and implementing control measures to mitigate significant risks.

Employees and workers are trained on work-related hazards and safety measures through standard operating procedures and work instructions. The company conducts regular health and safety compliance audits and inspections. Safety training programs are conducted for employees, including leadership and management teams, to enhance their knowledge of safety management systems, incident investigation, audits and emergency management. Effective communication channels are developed to engage employees and encourage them to report safety-related incidents. Incident reporting and investigation follow the fishbone method to identify root causes and prevent recurrence.

The company provides comprehensive health check-ups, medical facilities and occupational health risk assessments to safeguard the well-being of employees. Ergonomic exercises are conducted to promote a healthy work culture and reduce occupational health risks.

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

		FY 2022-23		FY 2021-22		
Category	Filed during the year	Pending resolution at the end of year	Remarks	Filed during the year	Pending resolution at the end of year	Remarks
Working Conditions	0	0	NA	0	0	NA
Health & Safety	0	0	NA	0	0	NA

## 14. Assessments for the year:

	% of your plants and offices that were assessed (by entity or statutory authorities or third parties)
Health and safety practices	100% of all our units are accessed internally
Working Conditions	

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.

No safety incidents occurred during the assessment year. For all types of incidents, we have identified appropriate corrective actions and implemented necessary measures to resolve them. Our audit system, both internal and external, is well-established and thoroughly examines environmental and occupational health and safety aspects on a regular basis. In the event of safety incidents, a dedicated safety team conducts root cause analysis, which is subsequently monitored and reviewed by the Plant Head. Based on the identified root causes, corrective measures are implemented to prevent similar incidents from occurring in the future.

#### **Leadership Indicators**

- 1. Does the entity extend any life insurance or any compensatory package in the event of death of:
  - (A) Employees (Y/N) Yes

(B) Workers (Y/N) - Yes

2. Provide the measures undertaken by the entity to ensure that statutory dues have been deducted and deposited by the value chain partners.

The company ensures that contractor and vendors make timely PF and ESIC payments to their employees by releasing payment only after proof of compliance is received. Monthly reconciliation of GSTR-2B is conducted to ensure that vendors make timely GST payments and file GST returns to the government on time. The company ensures timely filing of GST returns to allow customers to avail GST credits on time and resolves any related issues promptly.

The company follows up with customers and vendors for TDS/TCS certificates (Form16A and Form27D) to ensure timely payments of TDS/TCS by them. Timely TDS/TCS payments are made and certificates are issued to vendors, customers and employees so that they can avail credits on time. Income tax returns are collected from vendors on a yearly basis to ensure proper levy of TDS rates and to ensure that vendors file their income tax returns on time.

The company collects TRC, NO PE certificates and 10F form on all foreign payments related to goods and services to prevent tax evasion by foreign entities and to regularise foreign currency payments. Timely payment of the labour welfare fund of employees is also ensured by the company.

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 affected employees/ workers		No. of employees/workers that are rehabilitated and placed in suitable employment or whose family members have been placed in suitable employment		
	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22	
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)

The company does not provide any transition assistance programs however, it plans to extend professional courses to its employees in the near future to facilitate continued employability. It also offers advisory roles to highly qualified retired employees.

5. Details on assessment of value chain partners:

	% of value chain partners (by value of business done with such partners) that were assessed
Health and safety practices	Value chain partners are not assessed during the assessment period.
Working Conditions	

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.

No Gaps/concerns were noted.

# PRINCIPLE 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.

The Company considers any individual, group or institution that contributes to its business chain as a stakeholder. At KKCL, stakeholders play an important role and the Company recognises the importance of partnering with them and addressing their concerns to achieve its ambitious targets as part of its vision. The Company's multi-stakeholder model aims to understand the needs of its stakeholders and respond to them through various initiatives and programs.

The Company's process of stakeholder engagement involves identifying internal and external stakeholders, analyzing their impact on the business and vice versa and prioritising key stakeholders to understand their expectations and concerns. Regular interactions with stakeholders through various channels have helped strengthen relationships and enhance the Company's organisational strategy. Key stakeholders have been identified and each of them contributes in their own way to create shared value.

2. List stakeholder groups identified as key for your entity and the frequency of engagement with each stakeholder group.

Whether identifiedStakeholderas VulnerableGroup& MarginalisedGroup (Yes/No)		Channels of Communication (Email, SMS, Newspaper, 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 engagement		
Customers	No	Customer feedback surveys, In-person meetings/letters, Social media, Company and corporate websites, Product information on	Ongoing / Need basis	<ul> <li>The Company believes that comprehending the requirements of its customers is essential in determining the quality and pricing of its products.</li> </ul>		
		packaging, Customer relationship development, Customer conferences, Email, SMS, Advertisements, Website		<ul> <li>The development of new and innovative products is driven by the needs of the customers.</li> </ul>		
		Advertisements, website		- The Company also strives to minimise the environmental and social impact of its products, thereby enabling customers to meet their sustainability goals.		
Employees No		Emails, Internal Communication platforms, Intranet, Notice Board, Team meetings, One-to-one meetings/briefings	Ongoing / Need basis	<ul> <li>The Company aims to enhance employee engagement and communication by promoting collaborative working, diversity, and well-being at the workplace.</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>The Company also seeks to provide employees with opportunities for accelerated career growth.</li> </ul>					
Suppliers and Value Chain Partners	No	Supplier evaluation questionnaires, Contractual meetings, Information requests, Email, SMS, Advertisement, Website, Tradeshows	Ongoing / Need basis	<ul> <li>The Company's objectives include maximising opportunities for suppliers across the value chain, integrating sustainability into procurement decisions and procuring high-quality raw materials and services at competitive prices.</li> </ul>		
Shareholders, Investors and Lenders	No	Annual General Meeting, Annual Reports, One-to-one meetings, Quarterly conference calls, Investor conferences, Road shows and plant visits	Annually /Ongoing / Need basis	<ul> <li>The Company aims to disclose sustainability Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) and integrate financial and non- financial factors to provide high-value information that generates significant long- term value to investors and shareholders.</li> </ul>		
				- The Company also engages with all its stakeholders to understand their priorities and address their queries and concerns, enriching business conduct.		
Local Communities	Yes	Community Meetings, Events, Advertisements, College/ Local functions, Social Media	Ongoing / Need basis	<ul> <li>The Company strives to establish robust partnerships with local communities and support its supply chain while maintaining its social engagements.</li> </ul>		

				Purpose and scope of engagement including key topics and concerns raised during such engagement		
Stakeholder Group	Whether identified as Vulnerable & Marginalised Group (Yes/No)	Channels of Communication (Email, SMS, Newspaper, Pamphlets, Advertisement, Community Meetings, Notice Board, Website), Others	Frequency of engagement (Annually/ Half yearly/ Quarterly/ others - please specify)			
Government and Regulators	No	Press Releases, Quarterly Results, Annual Reports, Sustainability / Integrated Reports, Stock Exchange	Need basis	<ul> <li>The Company aims to enhance its sustainability performance and improve compliance with regulations related to its activities.</li> </ul>		
		filings, issue specific meetings, representations		<ul> <li>The Company aims to contribute to nation-building through its products, taxes and royalties, as well as support the government's on-ground initiatives through corporate social responsibility (CSR) and contributions to the local economy.</li> </ul>		
Media	No	Media surveys, Interviews, Media briefings, Press releases, Social media	Need basis	<ul> <li>The Company aims to enhance its comprehension of the industry's positive impact on sustainability and climate change, as well as identify the drivers for further development in this regard.</li> </ul>		
NGOs and Other Groups	No	One-to-one meetings, Presentations, Participation in events	Need basis	<ul> <li>The Company aims to engage experts in the field for the effective implementation of CSR programs and regularly discuss and share updates to strengthen the existing programs.</li> </ul>		

#### **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.

The Company regularly engages with important stakeholders such as investors, customers, suppliers, communities and employees. The company engages in discussions with the Board on stakeholder concerns through various organisational functions responsible for specific stakeholders. These discussions occur during quarterly Board reviews, where the Board and other senior leaders representing these functions participate. The Marketing Head provides feedback on customer trends and issues, the CFO and his team provide feedback on investors, the Head HR and his team provide feedback on employees, the CS and his team provides regulatory updates and the respective Plant Heads provide feedback on sustainability issues, among others. The Company recognises that effective stakeholder engagement is crucial to achieve its sustainability goals for promoting inclusive growth.

The Company assesses and identifies the needs of the communities surrounding its manufacturing sites to determine support and intervention strategies. Surveys are conducted to identify areas for support and the CSR activities, implementation schedule and impact are presented to the Board of Directors annually for review and feedback.

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 engages with stakeholders on important issues that align with strategic objectives, using various modes of communication. Each stakeholder group has a designated internal representative. For instance, employee feedback is addressed through specific steps that improve communication and collaboration channels. Likewise, suppliers are provided with a streamlined order-to-payment process and given opportunities to address environmental and social concerns.

3. Provide details of instances of engagement with and actions taken to, address the concerns of vulnerable/ marginalised stakeholder groups.

Vulnerable group	Concerns	Action Taken	Impact
-	-	-	-

# PRINCIPLE 5 Businesses should respect and promote human rights

## **Essential Indicators**

<sup>1.</sup> Employees and workers who have been provided training on human rights issues and policy(ies) of the entity, in the following format:

		FY 2022-23		FY 2021-22			
Category	Total (A)	No. of employees/ workers covered (B)	%(B/A)	Total (C)	No. of employees/ workers covered (D)	%(C/D)	
Employees							
Permanent	782	567	73%	736	546	74%	
Other than permanent	1699	1699	100%	1246	1246	100%	
Total Employees	2481	2266	91%	1982	1792	90%	
Workers							
Permanent	1031	842	82%	926	754	81%	
Other than permanent	174	173	99%	116	115	99%	
Total Workers	1205	1015	84%	1042	869	83%	

2. Details of minimum wages paid to employees and workers, in the following format:

		F	Y 2022-23			FY 2021-22				
Category	Total (A)	Equal to minimu Fotal (A) wag		More than Minimum wage		Total (D)	Equal to minimum wage		More than Minimum wage	
		No. (B)	%(B/A)	No. (C)	%(C/A)		No. (E)	%(E/D)	No. (F)	%(F/D)
Employees										
Permanent	782	0	0	782	100%	736	59	8%	677	92%
Male	644	0	0	644	100%	604	50	8%	554	92%
Female	138	0	0	138	100%	132	9	7%	123	93%
Other than Permanent	1699	0	0	1699	100%	1246	0	0%	1246	100%
Male	1320	0	0	1320	100%	974	0	0%	974	100%
Female	379	0	0	379	100%	272	0	0%	272	100%
Workers										
Permanent	1031	0	0	1031	100%	926	0	0%	926	100%
Male	918	0	0	918	100%	835	0	0%	835	100%
Female	113	0	0	113	100%	91	0	0%	91	100%
Other than Permanent	174	0	0	174	100%	116	0	0%	116	100%
Male	140	0	0	140	100%	88	0	0%	88	100%
Female	34	0	0	34	100%	28	0	0%	28	100%

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

		Male	Female		
_	Number	Median remuneration/ salary/ wages of respective category	Number	Median remuneration/salary/ wages of respective category	
Board of Directors (BoD)	4	1,24,99,930	0	0	
Key Managerial Personnel	3	55,17,257	0	0	
Employees other than BoD and KMP	967	2,21,821	93	2,68,504	
Workers	1056	1,93,940	98	1,03,819	

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. Chief Human Resources Officer and the individual Plant Heads holds the responsibility for dealing with any human rights issues that are caused or have a contribution from the business.

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

The company has implemented a Vigil Mechanism/Whistleblower Policy to encourage employees to report any concerns they may have, assuring them that they will not face any negative consequences such as victimisation, discrimination, or disadvantages as a result. This policy includes a process for employees to report their concerns either to the Chairperson of the Audit Committee or to the Vigilance and Ethics Officer through designated channels. The Vigil Mechanism/ Whistleblower Policy is accessible to all stakeholders and can be found on the company's website for public access.

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

FY 2022-23			FY 2021-22		
Filed during the year	Pending resolution at the end of year	Remarks	Filed during the year	Pending resolution at the end of year	Remarks
-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-	-
	the year - - - - -	Filed during the year     Pending resolution at the end of year       -     -       -     -       -     -       -     -       -     -       -     -       -     -       -     -       -     -       -     -       -     -       -     -	Pending the year     Pending resolution at the end of year     Remarks       -     -     -       -     -     -       -     -     -       -     -     -       -     -     -       -     -     -       -     -     -       -     -     -       -     -     -       -     -     -       -     -     -	Filed during the year     Pending resolution at the end of year     Remarks     Filed during the year       -     -     -       -     -     -       -     -     -       -     -     -       -     -     -       -     -     -       -     -     -       -     -     -	Filed during the year     Pending resolution at the end of year     Remarks     Filed during the year     Pending resolution at the end of year       -     -     -     -     -       -     -     -     -     -       -     -     -     -     -       -     -     -     -     -       -     -     -     -     -       -     -     -     -     -       -     -     -     -     -       -     -     -     -     -

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

The Company is dedicated to providing equal opportunities and denounces discrimination or harassment based on various factors. The Company has implemented an Equal Employment Opportunity Policy to ensure inclusivity and zero tolerance for discrimination. The Company also has a policy to prevent and address sexual harassment at the workplace, with an Internal Complaints Committee responsible for conducting inquiries and safeguarding the identities of all involved parties. Regular sensitisation programs on sexual harassment prevention are conducted. The Company maintains confidentiality and anonymity for complainants. The Company has a Whistleblower Policy for reporting unethical behavior and noncompliance and employees are expected to adhere to a Code of Conduct promoting responsible actions and conduct.

8. Do human rights requirements form part of your business agreements and contracts? (Yes/No)

Yes. The Company has integrated the fulfillment of human rights requirements into its standard terms and conditions for Purchase Orders, Agreements/ Contracts entered into with the Suppliers and also as a part of Code of Conduct for Suppliers and Service Providers.

9. Assessments for the year:

	% of your plants and offices that were assessed (by entity or statutory authorities or third parties)
Child labour	100%. We conduct internal monitoring to ensure compliance with relevant laws and policies
Forced/involuntary labour	regarding these issues. No significant findings have been reported by local regulatory bodies or
Sexual harassment	<ul> <li>external parties throughout the year. We take proactive measures to prevent discrimination, child</li> <li>labor and sexual harassment within our value chain partnerships.</li> </ul>
Discrimination at workplace	
Wages	
Others – please specify	

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

Not applicable. No significant risks /concerns.

## **Leadership Indicators**

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

Not applicable. The Company has not received any grievances or complaints regarding human rights violations during the reporting period.

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

The Company's commitment to creating a culture of care and trust is evident in its various corporate policies, which include the Environment, Health & Safety (EHS) Policy, Whistleblower Policy, Sexual Harassment Policy and Equal Opportunity and Non-Discrimination policies. Upholding the dignity and respect of each employee is a core value that the Company embraces. To ensure compliance and responsibility, regular audits and inspections are carried out by the internal audit protocols of the EHS and HR departments, encompassing all locations and addressing issues related to EHS and human rights.

The Company is fully dedicated to meeting or surpassing the requirements of relevant local, state and national laws concerning human rights and workers' rights in all the states where it operates. Additionally, all business operations adhere to applicable regulations, striving to uphold labour rights and aligning with both national and international standards and regulations.

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. The Company has made provisions to ensure convenient access for individuals with disabilities at its manufacturing sites. Ramps have been constructed to facilitate easy movement for differently-abled visitors. The Head Office and R&D office, situated in commercial premises, have elevators and infrastructure for differently abled visitors. To assist deaf and mute visitors, displays and signages have been installed for effective communication. The Company has been continually working to enhance our premises to further enhance accessibility and support for differently-abled employees and workers.

4. Details on assessment of value chain partners:

	% of your plants and offices that were assessed (by entity or statutory authorities or third parties)
Sexual harassment	The company did not conduct any assessments with its value chain partners. However, it is
Discrimination at workplace	expected that the value chain partners comply with all applicable laws and regulations. In the
Child Labour	upcoming assessment year, the company plans to conduct assessments to ensure compliance with human rights.
Forced Labour/Involuntary Labour	
Wages	-
Others – please specify	

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

Not applicable.

#### 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:

Parameter	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
		in Giga Joules
Total electricity consumption (A)	15,981 GJ	13,124 GJ
Total fuel consumption (B)	22,83,873 GJ	22,27,405 GJ
Energy consumption through other sources (C)	155 GJ	-
Total energy consumption (A+B+C)	23,00,009 GJ	22,40,529 GJ
Energy intensity per rupee of turnover (Total energy consumption/ turnover in rupees)	28.76/ ₹ Lakh	35.88/ ₹ Lakh
Energy intensity (optional) – the relevant metric may be selected by the entity	-	-
Note: Indicate if any independent assessment/ evaluation/assurance has been carried ou	t by an external agency? (Y	/N) : <b>No</b>

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.

No. The Company does not fall under the category of industries mandated under the Performance, Achieve and Trade (PAT) Scheme of the Government of India.

3. Provide details of the following disclosures related to water, in the following format:

Parameter	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
Water withdrawal by source (in kiloliters)		
(i) Surface water	0	0
(ii) Groundwater	0	0
(iii) Third party water	1,16,778	1,14,073
(iv) Seawater / desalinated water	0	0
(v) Others	0	0
Total volume of water withdrawal (in kiloliters) (i + ii + iii + iv + v)	1,16,778	1,14,073
Total volume of water consumption(in kiloliters)	1,16,778	1,14,073
Water intensity per rupee of turnover (Water consumed / turnover)	1.46 KL/ ₹ Lakh	1.83 KL/ ₹ Lakh
Water intensity (optional) – the relevant metric may be selected by the entity	-	-
Note: Indicate if any independent assessment/ evaluation/assurance has been carried o	ut by an external agency? (	Y/N) : <b>No</b>

\*Synthofine, Dadar and Daman plants are located in Industrial Estate and there is no bifurcation of water bill since invoices raised for whole industrial estate. Water consumption given for Vapi and Head Office.

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

Trade effluents are only generated in the Vapi unit. In all other facilities, water is consumed mainly for domestic purposes. Domestic waste water in Daman is treated in-house and the treated water is reused for flushing and gardening.

The trade effluents generated in Vapi Unit is treated in in-house Effluent Treatment Plant. To reduce reject water, reverse osmosis system is instituted. 20% of the treated water from ETP is recycled back into the production process and ETP Waste generated through screw press is sun dried and collected in bags and then disposed to CEPT with Manifest. Zero Liquid Discharge is under study and implementation for the plant to eliminate risk of effluent transportation and disposal.

5. Please provide details of air emissions (other than GHG emissions) by the entity, in the following format:

Demonstern	Unit	Vapi		
Parameter		2022-23	2021-22	
NOx	ppm	11.7	13.5	
SOx	mg/Nm3	14.2	5.0	
Particulate matter (PM)	ppm	21.4	39.8	
	Persistent Organic Pollutants (POP), Volatile Organic			
Persistent organic pollutants (POP)	Persistent Organic Poll	utants (POP), Volatile Orga	nic	
Persistent organic pollutants (POP) Volatile organic compounds (VOC)	Compounds (VOC), Ha	zardous Air Pollutants (HAF		
	5	zardous Air Pollutants (HAF		
Volatile organic compounds (VOC)	Compounds (VOC), Ha	zardous Air Pollutants (HAF		

Not required to measure for Daman and Mumbai units.

6. Provide details of greenhouse gas emissions (Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions) & its intensity, in the following format:

Parameter	Unit	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
Total Scope 1 emissions (Break-up of the GHG into CO2, CH4, N2O, HFCs, PFCs, SF6, NF3, if available)*	Metric tonnes of CO2 equivalent	3,145	3,225
Total Scope 2 emissions(Break-up of the GHG into CO2, CH4, N2O, HFCs, PFCs, SF6, NF3, if available)	Metric tonnes of CO2 equivalent	3,507	2,880
Total Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions per rupee of turnover		0.085 CO2e /₹ Lakh	0.078 CO2e /₹ Lakh
Total Scope 1 and Scope 2 emission intensity (optional)– the relevant metric may be selected by the entity		-	

Note: Indicate if any independent assessment/ evaluation/assurance has been carried out by an external agency? (Y/N) If yes, name of the external agency

No.

7. Does the entity have any project related to reducing Green House Gas emission? If Yes, then provide details.

KKCL has taken considerable steps throughout the reporting year to reduce its own GHG emissions. Green energy like Wind and Solar energy are utilised at Vapi and Daman units and replaced 711 tCO2e with green energy.

In line with the long-term target, to reduce GHG emissions intensity, the following initiatives were adopted.

- Setting emission reduction targets and developing a roadmap to monitor execution
- · Carrying out feasibility studies to adopt and invest renewable energy technologies in various units
- Investing in energy-efficient technologies
- 8. Provide details related to waste management by the entity, in the following format:

Parameter	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
Total Waste generated (in metric tonnes)		
Plastic waste (A)	34.38	29.23
E-waste (B)	0	0
Bio-medical waste (C)	0	0
Construction and demolition waste (D)	0	0
Battery waste (E)	0	0
Radioactive waste (F)	0	0
Other Hazardous waste. Please specify, if any. (G) – Used oil and Sludge	35522.77	11347.18*
Other Non-hazardous waste generated (H). Please specify, if any. (Fabric waste and Packaging waste) (Break-up by composition i.e. by materials relevant to the sector)	204.21	179.21
Total (A+B + C + D + E + F + G + H)	35761.36	11556.14

Parameter	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
For each category of waste generated, total waste recovered thro tonnes)	ugh recycling, re-using or other recovery operation	ons (in metric
Hazardous Waste		
(i) Recycled	-	-
(ii) Re-used	-	-
(iii) Other recovery operations	-	-
Total	-	-
Non- Hazardous Waste		
(i) Recycled	-	-
(ii) Re-used	-	-
(iii) Other recovery operations	-	-
Total		
For each category of waste generated, total waste disposed by na	ture of disposal method (in metric tonnes)	
Hazardous Waste		
(i) Incineration	-	-
(ii) Landfilling	-	-
(iii) Other disposal operations	238.59	208.96
Total	238.59	208.96
Non-Hazardous Waste		
(i) Incineration	-	-
(ii) Landfilling	-	=
(iii) Other disposal operations	35522.77	11347.18
Total	35522.77	11347.18

\* In 2021-22, the COVID pandemic resulted in reduced production and a lower generation of ETP sludge when compared to the year 2022-23.

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.

The manufacturing process unavoidably generates waste, so the Company has implemented measures to make the most of it. Their aim is to avoid sending a large amount of waste to landfills, so they have adopted procedures that repurpose used material and reintroduce excess material back into the production process. The Company employs the '3R' approach, which is to reduce, reuse and recycle waste. They follow legally prescribed methods and environmentally safe disposal techniques for disposing of hazardous waste and sell non-hazardous waste to approved recyclers.

The company manages all waste in accordance with the Consent to Operate/Hazardous Waste authorisation of each site. By regularly refining the process and technology, the company employs a "Reduce, Reuse, Recycle, Recovery and Disposal" strategy to minimise the creation of hazardous waste.

The company either provides hazardous waste to authorised recyclers, disposes of it through Treatment Storage and Disposal Facilities (TSDF), or offers it to other industries as raw material.

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:

SI.No	Location of operations/offices	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.		
Nono	Nana of the exercise states are leasted within the care (huffer zone (within a 10 km radius) of any Ecologically Sensitive Area such as				

None of the operating sites are located within the core/buffer zone (within a 10 km radius) of any Ecologically Sensitive Area such as Protected Areas, National Parks, Wildlife Sanctuaries, Bio-Sphere Reserves, Wildlife Corridors, etc.

11. Details of environmental impact assessments of projects undertaken by the entity based on applicable laws, in the current financial year:

Name and brief details of project	EIA Notification No.	Date of Notification	Whether conducted by independent external agency? (Yes/No)	Results communicated in public domain (Yes/ No)	Relevant Web link		
None of the projects undertaken by KKCL in FY 2022-23 required Environmental Impact Assessments (EIA)							

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

Sl. 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
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Yes, the Company is in compliance with all 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, and Environment protection act and rules thereunder.

## **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 2022-23	FY 2021-22
From renewable sources		
Total electricity consumption (A)	3,238 GJ	3,187 GJ
Total fuel consumption (B)	-	-
Energy consumption through other sources (C)	-	-
Total energy consumption (A+B+C)	3,238 GJ	3,187 GJ
From non-renewable sources		
Total electricity consumption (D)	12,743 GJ	9,937 GJ
Total fuel consumption (E)	-	-
Energy consumption through other sources (F)	-	-
Total energy consumption (D+E+F)	12,743 GJ	9,937 GJ
Note: Indicate if any independent accompant ( a clustice (accurace back		

Note: Indicate if any independent assessment/ evaluation/assurance has been carried out by an external agency? (Y/N) : No

2. Provide the following details related to water discharged:

Parameter	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
Water discharge by destination and level of treatment (in kiloliters)		
(i) To Surface water		
- No treatment	-	-
- With treatment – please specify level of treatment	-	-
(ii) To Groundwater		
- No treatment	-	-
- With treatment – please specify level of treatment	-	-
(iii) To Seawater		
- No treatment	-	-
- With treatment – please specify level of treatment	-	-
(iv) Sent to third-parties		
- No treatment	-	-
- With treatment – please specify level of treatment	92,102	83,711
(v) Others		
- No treatment	7,598	8,273
- With treatment – please specify level of treatment	-	-
Total water discharged (in kiloliters)	99,700	91,984
Note: Indicate if any independent assessment/ evaluation/assurance has	been carried out by an external agency? (Y/N	I) : No

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

As per the report by the Central Ground Water Board, both the Vapi and Mumbai units fall under the 'Safe' – Water Stress category. However, the Daman unit is categorised as 'Over-Exploited'. The Daman Unit operates within the Industrial Green Zone and utilises water for domestic purposes at a rate of 25,000 liters per day, as well as 2,500 liters per day for boiler use. The unit efficiently treats domestic wastewater in-house, and approximately 25,000 liters of treated water are reused annually for flushing and gardening purposes.

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

Parameter	Unit	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
Total Scope 3 emissions (Break-up of the GHG into CO2, CH4, N2O, HFCs, PFCs, SF6, NF3, if available)	Metric tonnes of CO2 equivalent	Not calculated for the and 2022-23	year 2021-22
Total Scope 3 emissions per rupee of turnover			
Total Scope 3 emission intensity (optional) – the relevant metric may be selected by the entity	) )		

Note: Indicate if any independent assessment/ evaluation/assurance has been carried out by an external agency? (Y/N) If yes, name of the external agency: No

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.

The disclosure mentioned does not apply to our company. All our business operates from premises situated in industrial zones that are not situated near environmentally delicate 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:

Sl. No	Unit	Initiative undertaken	Details of the initiative (Web-link, if any, may be provided along-with summary)	Outcome of the initiative
1	Vapi	Ozone System for Denim	Ozone system implemented for washing	(i) Water Saver
Wash		Wash	Vash	
				(iii) purify chemicals used during denim manufacturing
2	All units	Use of Green Chemicals	Procurement of certified Green Chemicals for manufacturing	Environmental friendly operation
3	Daman	Reuse of waste water	RO waste water is reused for flushing.	25000 Lt/year reused
4	Vapi	Recycling of Water	20% water from ETP recycle in production	20% of water saved.

7. Does the entity have a business continuity and disaster management plan? Give details in 100 words/ web link.

A Business Continuity Plan (BCP) helps a company assess risks, develop mitigation strategies, test responses and plan for recovery from operational disruptions. Like all organisations, KKCL faces various risks of disruptions like natural disasters, cyber-attacks and other manmade events, which can result in revenue loss and increased costs. KKCL's BCP specifically guides us to respond effectively and restore operations swiftly.

Assigned teams ensure efficient crisis management, enabling timely restoration of operations and reducing impact through alternative courses of action. The BCP ensures business continuity post-emergency events, maintaining effective operations. The BCP can be accessed on the website at <a href="https://kewalkiran.com/">https://kewalkiran.com/</a>

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.

Nil. There are no significant impact to the environment, arising from the value chain of the Company.

9. Percentage of value chain partners (by value of business done with such partners) that were assessed for environmental impacts.

No value chain partners were assessed during the assessment year. The company plans to assess its value chain partners for the upcoming year.

# 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 had affiliations with 4 (four) trade and industry chambers / associations.
- 1. 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.

SI.No. Name of the trade and industry chambers/ associations		Reach of trade and industry chambers/ associations (State/National)
1	Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry.	National
2	All India Association of Industries	National
3	Retailers Association of India.	National

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

Name of authority	Brief of the case	Corrective action taken
Nil	Not applicable	Not applicable

No adverse order was received by the Company from regulatory authorities during the financial year 2022-23, hence no corrective action was required to be taken.

## Leadership Indicators

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

Sl.No	Public policy advocated	Method resorted for such advocacy	Whether information available in public domain? (Yes/No)	Frequency of Review by Board (Annually/ Half yearly/ Quarterly / Others - please specify)	Web Link, if available	
There is no public policy advocated as of now.						
Nil		NA	NA	NA	NA	

## 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.

None of the projects undertaken by KKCL in FY 2022-23 required Social Impact Assessments (SIA).

Name and brief details of project	SIA Notification No.	Date of Notification	Whether conducted by independent external agency? (Yes/No)	Results communicated in public domain (Yes/No)	Relevant Weblink
Nil	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

2. Provide information on project(s) for which ongoing Rehabilitation and Resettlement (R&R) is being undertaken by your entity, in the following format:

Not applicable. No rehabilitation and resettlement were undertaken by the entity during 2022-23.

SI.No	Name of Project for which R&R is ongoing	State	District	No. of Project Affected Families (PAFs)	% of PAFs covered by R&R	Amounts paid to PAFs in the FY (In ₹)
-	-	-	-	-	-	-

3. Describe the mechanisms to receive and redress grievances of the community.

The Company has established a system to receive and address grievances from the community, wherein a committee is formed at the site level comprising members from different departments like HR/Admin, Safety, Security, etc. There are provisions to receive both written and verbal grievances and take steps to resolve them in a timely manner, including conducting joint field visits and investigations. The grievances are documented and monitored until they are resolved.

Furthermore, the Company engages with the community proactively as part of its development efforts. It organises various informal and formal sessions throughout the year to facilitate interaction with the community, in addition to program-specific meetings that promote collaboration.

4. Percentage of input material (inputs to total inputs by value) sourced from suppliers:

Parameter	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
Directly sourced from MSMEs/ small producers	2.49%	1.83%
Sourced directly from within the district and neighbouring districts	Data on sourcing within the distric districts are currently not captured putting a process in place to captu within the district and neighbourin	. The Company is re the purchases made

## **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):

Details of negative social impact identified	Corrective action taken	
Nil	Not applicable	

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

The Company has implemented various corporate social responsibility (CSR) initiatives. However, it has not undertaken any CSR projects or activities in the designated aspirational districts that have been identified by government bodies.

Sl.No	State	Aspirational District	Amount spent (In ₹)	
-	-	-	-	

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

Yes. The company have preferential procurement policy. KKCL values diversity for community and company growth, aiming for a better and fairer world. Through our preferential procurement policy, we prioritise local companies, locally made products and various small and diverse suppliers whenever possible.

3. (b) From which marginalised /vulnerable groups do you procure?

Not applicable.

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

Not applicable.

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.

Not applicable as the Company did not acquire or own any intellectual properties based on traditional knowledge in the year 2022-23.

SI.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.

Name of authority	Brief of the case	Corrective action taken	
Not applicable			

6. Details of beneficiaries of CSR Projects:

SI.No	CSR Project No. of persons benefitted from CSR Projects		% of beneficiaries from vulnerable and marginalised groups		
1	Medical and health care facilities	16,200	Vulnerable and marginalised beneficiary are not measurable.		

## 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 has implemented a sophisticated and efficient complaint mechanism to provide exceptional customer service and address any concerns promptly and effectively. We offer our customers multiple avenues to voice their complaints, including through the feedback received from our physical stores and through mails.

Once a complaint is received, our diligent team conducts a meticulous review, carefully assessing the validity of each concern and identifying the underlying cause. We believe in transparency and open communication and our dedicated team works tirelessly to investigate and resolve every complaint to the utmost satisfaction of our customers. Regular reviews are conducted to ensure that all complaints receive proper attention and are handled in a timely manner, leading to their successful closure. Throughout the entire complaint resolution process, we maintain a strong focus on transparency, professionalism and effective communication.

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

Locations	As a percentage to total turnover
Environmental and social parameters relevant to the product	100% (For all garments sold)
Safe and responsible usage Recycling	
Recycling and/or safe disposal	

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

	FY 202	FY 2022-23		FY 2021-22		
	Received during the year	Pending resolution at end of year	Remarks	Received during the year	Pending resolution at end of year	Remarks
Data privacy	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Advertising	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Cyber-security	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Delivery of essential services	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Restrictive Trade Practices	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Unfair Trade Practices	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Other (product and transportation related)	30	0	All complaints resolved	15	0	All complaints resolved

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

Locations	Number	Reason for recall	
Voluntary recalls	Nil	Not applicable	
Forced recalls	Nil	Not applicable	

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.

Yes, Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited (KKCL) has implemented a comprehensive Cyber Security and Data Privacy Policy to protect information and ensure the responsible use of Information Technology Resources. The policy aims to prevent security breaches and maintain the confidentiality of personal and sensitive data. It applies to all individuals in India who have access to KKCL's IT resources, including employees, contractors, vendors and suppliers. The policy covers areas such as device protection, email safety, password management, secure data transfer and additional precautions to minimise security risks. It outlines the responsibilities of the IT team, provides a governance structure and establishes a mechanism for raising concerns. Disciplinary actions are specified for policy violations and the privacy policy addresses data collection, usage and disclosure. The policy can be accessed on the website at https://kewalkiran.com/ ##cyber-security###

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.

Not Applicable, as there were no issues or concerns related to advertising, delivery of essential services, cyber security, penalties or actions initiated by regulatory authorities for safety of Company's products

#### Leadership Indicators

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

The entity's products and services can be accessed through leading E-commerce portals as well as the company's own website https://kewalkiran.com/.

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

Yes, the company ensures that customers have access to comprehensive information by including wash care labels and fabric composition details on our garments. These labels provide detailed care instructions, while the fabric composition information allows customers to make informed choices based on their preferences and needs.

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

Not Applicable

4. Does the entity display product information on the product over and above what is mandated as per local laws? (Yes/No/Not Applicable)

Yes

If yes, provide details in brief.

The company provides wash care labels, composition of fabrics on the garments.

5. 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, the company collects customer feedback at each store. The company also maintains visitor's books for comments, suggestions and complaints and it reviews consumer feedbacks periodically. The company has customer care email id for enabling customers to reach out to the company.

- 6. Provide the following information relating to data breaches:
  - a. Number of instances of data breaches along-with impact Nil. There were no instances of data breaches.
  - b. Percentage of data breaches involving personally identifiable information of customers Nil









### I. COMPANY'S PHILOSOPHY ON CODE OF CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited is committed to good Corporate Governance in order to enhance stakeholders' value. Your company believes that Corporate Governance is not an end in itself but a catalyst in the process towards maximisation of stakeholder value. Your company's philosophy on Corporate Governance enshrines the goal of achieving the highest levels of transparency, accountability and equity in all spheres of its operations and in all its dealings with its stakeholders. It is your company's belief that good ethics make good business sense and our business practices are in keeping with the spirit of maintaining the highest level of ethical standards.

The SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 provide for stricter disclosure and protection of investor rights by listed entities. The regulations are aligned with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and are aimed to encourage companies to adapt best practices on Corporate Governance. Our Corporate Governance frame work has helped us be aligned with the Companies Act, 2013 and the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. We believe that an active, well informed and independent Board is necessary to ensure the highest standard of Corporate Governance. The Board of Directors of your company is at the core of our Corporate Governance practices. The Board thus overseas your company's management functions and protects the long term interest of our stakeholders.

In so far as compliance of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 is concerned, your company has complied in all material respects with the requirements of Corporate Governance specified in the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

Your Company continues to undertake the Audit of its secretarial records by Practicing Company Secretary in respect of compliance with the applicable provision of Companies Act, 2013, SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and the applicable regulations and guidelines issued by Securities and Exchange Board of India. A copy of the Secretarial Audit Report for the period under review is a part of the Annual Report.

### II. BOARD OF DIRECTORS

#### Composition of the Board:

The Board of Directors along with its Committees provides leadership and guidance to your Company's management as also direct, supervise and control the performance of the Company.

The Board of Directors of your company has an optimum combination of Executive and Non Executive Directors. As at March 31, 2023 the Board of Directors comprise of 8 Directors of which 4 are Independent Non-executive Directors including 1 Woman Director. The Executive Directors of your company have more than three decades of hands on experience in manufacturing and retailing of branded apparels. The Non Executive Independent Directors are eminent professionals with wide range of knowledge and experience in various spheres of business and industry, finance and law.

None of the Director on the Company's Board is a Member of more than ten (10) Committees and Chairman of more than five (5) Committees (Committees being Audit Committee and Stakeholder Relationship Committee) across all the public limited companies in which he/she is a Director. All the Director have made necessary disclosures regarding Committee position held by them in other Companies and do not hold the office of Director in more than twenty (20) companies, including ten (10) public companies. None of the Non-Executive Independent Director is acting as an Independent Director in more than seven (7) listed entities. None of the Non-Executive Independent Director who is serving as a Whole time Director in a listed entity is acting as an Independent Director in more than three (3) listed entities.

The composition of the Board and other relevant details relating to Directors as on March 31, 2023 are given below:

Name of the Director     Designation     Category of Directorship       Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain (DIN - 00029730)     Chairman & Managing Director     Promoter & Executive		No. of other Directorship	No. of Committee Chairmanship/ Membership	
		Promoter & Executive	6	1
Mr. Hemant P. Jain (DIN – 00029822)	Joint Managing Director	Promoter & Executive	5	1
Mr. Dinesh P. Jain (DIN - 00327277)	Whole-time Director	Promoter & Executive	5	0
Mr. Vikas P. Jain (DIN – 00029901)	Whole-time Director	Promoter & Executive	4	0
Mr. Yogesh A. Thar (DIN - 02687466)	Director	Independent- Non Executive	0	1
Dr. Prakash A. Mody (DIN – 00001285)	Director	Independent- Non Executive	3	1
Mr. Nimish G.Pandya (DIN – 00326966)	Director	Independent Non Executive	0	2
Ms. Drushti R. Desai (DIN – 00294249)	Director	Independent- Non Executive	5	6

#### Note:

Details of other directorships (excluding directorship in Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited)/Committee memberships (including committee chairmanship/membership in Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited) are given by way of a separate Annexure.

The Committee chairmanship/membership of the Directors is restricted to the chairmanship/membership of Audit Committee and Stakeholders Relationship and Shareholder/Investor Grievance Committee and excludes Chairmanship/ Membership in Private Companies, Foreign Companies and Companies under Section 8 of the Companies Act, 2013.

## Number of Board Meetings held and attended by Directors:

 The meetings of the Board of Directors are scheduled well in advance. The Board Members are presented in advance with the detailed agenda in respect of all Board meetings. During the year under review five (5) meetings of the Board of Directors were held on the following dates: -

> May 11, 2022, July 23, 2022, September 29, 2022, October 21, 2022 and January 21, 2023. The Maximum time gap between any two consecutive meetings did not exceed 120 days.

 (ii) The attendance record of each of the Directors at the Board Meetings during the year ended on March 31, 2023 and during the last Annual General Meeting (AGM) is as under: -

Name of the Director	Designation	Category of Directorship
Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain	5 of 5	Present
Mr. Hemant P. Jain	5 of 5	Absent
Mr. Dinesh P. Jain	5 of 5	Present
Mr. Vikas P. Jain	5 of 5	Present
Mr. Yogesh A. Thar	5 of 5	Present
Dr. Prakash A. Mody	2 of 5	Absent

Name of the Director	Designation	Category of Directorship
Mr. Nimish G. Pandya	5 of 5	Present
Ms. Drushti R. Desai	5 of 5	Present

## Disclosure of relationship between the Directors inter-se:

Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain, Mr. Hemant P. Jain, Mr. Dinesh P. Jain and Mr. Vikas P. Jain are brothers.

## Details of shares held by directors in the company as on March 31, 2023:

Name of the Directors	Number of shares held
Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain*	35,33,055
Mr. Hemant P. Jain*	35,39,575
Mr. Dinesh P. Jain*	37,29,155
Mr. Vikas P. Jain*	36,89,105
Mr. Yogesh A. Thar	Nil
Dr. Prakash A. Mody	1,680
Mr. Nimish G. Pandya	Nil
Ms. Drushti R. Desai	Nil

3,07,65,000 shares are held by Shantaben P. Jain j/w Kewalchand P. Jain j/w Hemant P. Jain as trustees of the P.K. Jain Family Holding Trust.

## \*Note:

The said shares held by Mr. K. P. Jain includes 80,000 equity shares held in his capacity as Karta of Kewalchand P. Jain H.U.F and 3,96,805 shares held jointly with Mrs. Veena K. Jain.

The said shares held by Mr. H.P. Jain includes 80,000 equity shares held in his capacity as Karta of Hemant P. Jain H.U.F and 4,03,325 shares held jointly with Mrs. Lata H. Jain.

The said shares held by Mr. D.P. Jain includes 80,000 equity shares held in his capacity as Karta of Dinesh P. Jain H.U.F and 512,905 shares held jointly with Mrs. Sangeeta D. Jain.

The said shares held by Mr. V.P. Jain includes 80,000 equity shares held in his capacity as Karta of Vikas P. Jain H.U.F and 4,72,855 shares held jointly with Mrs. Kesar V. Jain.

Details of names of the listed entities where the Director is a Director and the category of directorship:

Sr. no.	Name of the Director	Name of listed company where Director other than KKCL	Category of Directorship	
1	Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain	NIL	NA	
2	Mr. Hemant P. Jain	NIL	NA	
3	Mr. Dinesh P. Jain	NIL	NA	
4	Mr. Vikas P. Jain	NIL	NA	
5	Mr. Yogesh A. Thar	NIL	NA	
6	Dr. Prakash A. Mody	Unichem Laboratories Limited	Executive Director	
7	Mr. Nimish G.Pandya	NIL	NA	
8	Ms. Drushti R. Desai	(i) Narmada Gelatines Limited	Non-Executive Non- Independent	
		(ii) Chemfab Alkalis Limited	Independent Director	

## Familiarisation Programme for Independent Directors:

At the time of appointing an Independent Director, a formal letter of appointment is given to him/her, which interalia explains the role, function, duties and responsibilities expected of him/her as an Independent Director of the Company. The Independent Director is also explained in detail the Compliance required from him/her under the Companies Act, 2013, SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and other relevant regulations. The Chairman and Managing Director also has one to one discussion with the newly appointed Independent Director to familiarise him/her with the Company's operations. Further the Company has put in place a policy to familiarise the Independent Directors about the company, its products, business and on-going events relating to the Company.

During the financial year 2022-23 the Independent Directors have attended familiarisation programme conducted by the company and the web-link for the details of familiarisation programme is <u>https://</u> kewalkiran.com/uploads/fid/familiarization\_2022-23.pdf

Core skills/expertise/competencies identified by the board of directors for it to function effectively and available with the Board:

The Board of Directors ('Board') has not established specific minimum age, education, years of business

experience or specific types of skills for appointing any individual as a Board member, but, in general, expects an individual to have ample experience and a proven record of professional success, leadership and the highest level of personal and professional ethics, integrity and values and loyalty to the interest of the Company and its stakeholders.

The Board would generally ensure that an individual should have ability to exercise objectivity and independence in making informed business decisions, willingness and commitment to devote the required time to fulfil his/her duties, ability to communicate effectively and collaborate with other Board members to contribute effectively to the diversity of perspectives that enhances Board including a willingness to listen and respect the views of others.

The Board would also assess individual's skills, knowledge and expertise relevant to the Company's business, with extensive experience at a senior leadership level in a comparable company or organisation, including, but not limited to relevant experience in international operations, public service, finance, accounting, strategic planning, technology and marketing. The Company believes that an effective and diverse Board will leverage differences in thought, perspective, knowledge, skill, regional and industry experience, cultural and geographical background, age, ethnicity, race and gender, which will ensure that the Company retains its competitive advantage. The ultimate objective is to have a Board that offers a broad range of perspectives that are directly relevant to the business and organisational needs.

Name of the Director	Expertise in specific functional area				
Kewalchand Jain	Apparel and Textile Industry domain expert, Finance, Banking and Corporate Management				
Hemant Jain	Apparel and Textile Industry domain expert, Business Strategy, Marketing, Corporate Management, Retai Business				
Dinesh Jain	Human Resources (HR) and Industrial Relations (IR), Resource Management, Overall operation and development of production facilities				
Vikas Jain	Marketing, Retail Business, Coporate Management, Research for new technologies in manufacturing				
Prakash Mody	Marketing, Communication, Advertising, Media, Research and Production				
Drushti Desai	Valuation of Shares, Businesses and Intangibles and Advisory Services on schemes relating to Mergers, Acquisitions, Spin-offs and other forms of Corporate Restructuring and Family Settlements, Financial and Management Advice and Corporate and Individual Taxation (income tax, wealth tax and gift tax)				
Nimish Pandya	Mergers and Acquisitions, Litigation and Arbitration, Trusts and Charities, Corporate, Commercial and Financial Planning and Execution, including Transaction Support and Contracts, Intellectual Property, Technology, Media and Communications, Competition and Trade, Conveyance and Real Estates and Family and Personal Law				
Yogesh Thar	Business Mergers, Acquisitions and Restructuring, Business Valuations, Corporate Taxation and Taxation of Non-resident Citizens and Foreign Companies				

All Independent Directors have given declarations that they meet the criteria of independence as laid down under Section149(6) of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 16(1) (b) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. In the opinion of the Board, the Independent Directors, fulfil the conditions of independence specified in Section 149(6) of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 16(1) (b) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and are independent of the management. A formal letter of appointment to Independent Directors as provided in Companies Act, 2013 has been issued and disclosed on the website of the Company.

## **Governance Codes:**

### Code of Conduct

In line with the company's objective of following the best Corporate Governance Standards the Board of Directors has laid down a Code of Conduct for all Board Members and Senior Management of the company. The Code is effective from January 14, 2006. All the Board members and Senior Management of the Company as on March 31, 2023 have affirmed compliance with their respective Codes of Conduct in accordance with Regulation 26(3) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

The company has also adopted code for Independent Directors in the Board meeting held on May 10, 2014 pursuant to Section 149(8) of the Companies Act, 2013 which makes it mandatory for independent directors to abide by the provisions of the code.

## Conflict of Interest

Each Director informs the company on an annual basis about the Board and the Committee

positions he/she occupies in other companies and notifies changes if any during the year. The Board Members while discharging their duties, avoid conflict of interest in the decision making process. The members of the Board neither participate in any discussions nor vote in any transactions in which they have any concern or interest.

## • Insider Trading Code

In accordance with Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 the company had formulated and approved the amended (i) Insider Trading Code to regulate dealings in the securities of the company by designated persons in compliance with the regulations, (ii) policy for fair disclosure of unpublished price sensitive information and (iii) Unpublished Price Sensitive Information Leak Enquiry Policy. The aforesaid codes were effective to the company from April 1, 2019. Mr. Abhijit Warange, Vice President - Legal and Company Secretary is the Compliance Officer for the purpose of Insider Trading Code while Mr. Bharat Adnani, Chief Financial Officer is the Chief Investor Relations Officer for the purpose of the fair disclosure policy.

## III. AUDIT COMMITTEE

## Constitution of Audit Committee:

The Audit Committee of the Board of Directors is entrusted with the responsibility to supervise the internal control and financial reporting process. The composition, quorum, powers, role and scope of the Committee are in accordance with Section 177 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 18 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. All the members of the Audit Committee are financially literate and bring in expertise in the field of Finance, Taxation, Economics and Risk Management. The Audit Committee comprises the following members:

Mr. Yogesh A. Thar, Non Executive- Independent Director	Chairman and Member
Mr. Nimish G. Pandya, Non Executive- Independent Director	Member
Ms. Drushti R. Desai, Non Executive- Independent Director	Member

Mr. Abhijit B. Warange, Company Secretary acts as the Secretary of the Committee.

#### The terms of reference of the Audit Committee includes:

The primary objective of the Audit Committee is to monitor and provide an effective supervision of the Management's financial reporting process. The Audit Committee, inter-alia, performs the functions of discussing and reviewing quarterly and audited financial results, recommendation of appointment of statutory auditors and their remuneration, recommendation of appointment and remuneration of internal auditors, review of Internal Audit Reports, approval and review of related party transactions. For the smooth and effective functioning, the Audit Committee has also powers to investigate any activity within its terms of reference, to seek information from employees and obtain outside legal/ professional advise. In addition to the above, the other role and terms of reference of the Audit Committee cover the matters as specified in Section 177 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Regulation 18(3) of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

#### Meetings of the Audit Committee:

During the year ended March 31, 2023, four (4) Audit Committee meetings were held on May 11, 2022, July 23, 2022, October 21, 2022 and January 21, 2023. The attendance of each Audit Committee member is given hereunder: –

Name of the Audit Committee Member	No. of meetings attended	
Mr. Yogesh A. Thar	4 of 4	
Mr. Nimish G. Pandya	4 of 4	
Ms. Drushti R. Desai	4 of 4	

#### Attendees:

At the invitation of the Committee, representatives from various divisions of the company, internal auditors, statutory auditors and the Chief Financial Officer also attend the Audit Committee Meeting to respond to gueries raised at the Committee Meetings.

## IV. NOMINATION AND REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

## **Composition of Committee:**

The Nomination and Remuneration Committee's constitution and terms of reference are in compliance with the provisions of Section 178 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 19 and Part D (Point A) of

the Schedule II of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

The Nomination and Remuneration Committee comprises of the following members:

Mr. Nimish G. Pandya, Non Executive-Independent Director	Chairman and Member
Mr. Yogesh A. Thar, Non Executive-Independent Director	Member
Dr. Prakash A. Mody, Non Executive-Independent Director	Member
Ms. Drushti R. Desai, Non Executive-Independent Director	Member

Mr. Abhijit B. Warange, Company Secretary acts as the Secretary of the Committee.

## The terms of reference of Nomination and Remuneration Committee includes:

- To lay down criteria and terms and conditions with regard to identifying persons who are qualified to become Directors (Executive and Non-Executive) and persons who may be appointed in Senior Management and Key Managerial positions and to determine their remuneration.
- To determine remuneration based on the Company's size and financial position and trends and practices on remuneration prevailing in peer companies and in the industry.
- To ensure that the remuneration to Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and Senior Management involves a balance between fixed and incentive pay reflecting short and long term performance objectives appropriate to the working of the company and its goals.
- To carry out evaluation of the performance of Directors, as well as Key Managerial and Senior Management Personnel.
- To provide them reward linked directly to their effort, performance, dedication and achievement relating to the Company's operations.
- To retain, motivate and promote talent and to ensure long term sustainability of talented managerial persons and create competitive advantage.
- To device policy on diversity of Board of Directors.
- To determine whether to extend or continue the term of appointment of the independent director on the basis of the report of performance evaluation of independent director.
- To recommend to the board all remuneration, in whatever form, payable to senior management.

## Meetings of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee:

During the year ended March 31, 2023 two (2) Nomination and Remuneration Committee meeting were held on July 23, 2022 and January 21, 2023. The attendance of Nomination and Remuneration Committee meeting is given hereunder:-

Name of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee Member	No. of meetings attended
Mr. Nimish G. Pandya	2 of 2
Mr. Yogesh A. Thar	2 of 2
Dr. Prakash A. Mody	0 of 2
Ms. Drushti R. Desai	2 of 2

### Performance Evaluation:

Pursuant to the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the Board has carried out the annual performance evaluation of individual directors as well as the evaluation of the working of the Board and Committees in accordance with the performance evaluation policy. A structured questionnaire was prepared after circulating the draft forms, covering various aspects of the Board's functioning such as composition of the Board and Committees, experience and competencies, performance of specific duties and obligations, governance issues, etc.

The evaluation of the Independent Directors was carried out by the entire Board and that of the Chairman and the Non-Independent Directors was carried out by the Independent Directors. The Directors were satisfied with the evaluation results, which reflected the overall engagement of the Board and its Committees with the Company.

## V. REMUNERATION OF DIRECTORS

## **Remuneration Policy for Executive Directors:**

The Board of Directors of the company presently comprises of four Executive Directors namely Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain, Chairman and Managing Director, Mr. Hemant P. Jain, Joint Managing Director, Mr. Dinesh P. Jain and Mr. Vikas P. Jain, Wholetime Directors.

The remuneration of the Executive Directors is governed by the Articles of Association of the company, the resolution of the Board of Directors and the members. The details of the remuneration paid to the Executive Directors have been detailed hereafter.

Revisions, if any in the remuneration of the Executive Directors are deliberated by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee of the Board. Based on the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, the Board decides on the revision subject to the shareholders approval.

### Remuneration Policy for Non -Executive Directors:

Non- Executive Directors of a company's Board of Directors can add substantial value to the company through their contribution to the Management of the company. In addition, they can safeguard the interest of the investors at large by playing an appropriate control role. Non - Executive Directors bring in their long experience and expertise and add substantial value to the deliberations of the Board and its Committee.

## All pecuniary relationship or transactions of the non-executive directors vis-à-vis the listed entity:

During the year under review payments to M/s. Pandya & Co., Advocates and Notary for legal services where Mr. Nimish Pandya is the proprietor amounted to ₹ 1,40,000/-.

## Criteria of making payment to Non-Executive Directors:

Save and except as stated herein apart from receiving sitting fees for attending the Board /Committee meetings the Non Executive Directors have no other pecuniary relationship or transaction with the company. The sitting fees paid to the Non Executive Directors is within the statutory limits prescribed under the Companies Act, 2013 and the rules made thereunder for payment of sitting fees without the approval of the Central Government.

### Service contracts, notice period and severance fee:

The appointment of the executive directors is governed by the Articles of Association of the company, the resolution of the Board of Directors and the members.

There is no provision for severance fees.

Details of sitting fees, remuneration etc. paid to Directors for the year ended March 31, 2023.

Name of the Directors	Sitting Fees	Salary	Contribution to PF and Perquisites	Retiral benefits/ Bonuses/ Commission payable/ performance linked incentive/ pension/ Stock options granted	Total
Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain	Nil	₹1,17,92,362	₹ 7,07,568	Nil	₹ 1,24,99,930
Mr. Hemant P. Jain	Nil	₹1,17,92,362	₹ 7,07,568	Nil	₹ 1,24,99,930
Mr. Dinesh P. Jain	Nil	₹1,17,92,362	₹ 7,07,568	Nil	₹ 1,24,99,930
Mr. Vikas P. Jain	Nil	₹1,17,92,362	₹ 7,07,568	Nil	₹ 1,24,99,930

Name of the Directors	Sitting Fees	Salary	Contribution to PF and Perquisites	Retiral benefits/ Bonuses/ Commission payable/ performance linked incentive/ pension/ Stock options granted	Total
Mr. Yogesh A. Thar	₹8,40,000	Nil	Nil	Nil	₹8,40,000
Dr. Prakash A. Mody	₹1,60,000	Nil	Nil	Nil	₹1,60,000
Mr. Nimish G. Pandya	₹9,00,000	Nil	Nil	Nil	₹9,00,000
Ms. Drushti R. Desai	₹8,40,000	Nil	Nil	Nil	₹8,40,000

## VI. STAKEHOLDERS RELATIONSHIP AND SHAREHOLDER/INVESTOR GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE

#### **Composition of Committee:**

The Stakeholders Relationship and Shareholder/ Investor Grievance Committee's constitution and terms of reference are in compliance with the provisions of Section 178 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 20 and Part D (Point B) of the Schedule II of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements ) Regulations, 2015.

Stakeholders Relationship and Shareholder/ Investor Grievance Committee comprise of the following members:

Mr. Nimish G. Pandya, Non Executive- Independent Director	Chairman and Member
Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain, Chairman & Managing Director	Member
Mr. Hemant P. Jain, Joint Managing Director	Member

Mr. Abhijit B. Warange, Company Secretary acts as the Secretary of the Committee.

The terms of reference of Stakeholders Relationship and Shareholder/ Investor Grievance Committee are to specifically look into the redressal of shareholders and investors complaints like transfer of shares, non receipt of balance sheet, non receipt of dividends, etc.

Meetings of the Stakeholders Relationship and Shareholder/ Investor Grievance Committee:-

During the year ended March 31, 2023 one (1) Stakeholders Relationship and Shareholder/ Investor Grievance Committee meeting was held on March 29, 2023. The attendance of Shareholder/ Investor Grievance Committee member is given hereunder:

Name of the Stakeholders Relationship and Shareholder/ Investor Grievance Committee Member	No. of meetings attended
Mr. Nimish G. Pandya	1 of 1
Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain	1 of 1
Mr. Hemant P. Jain	1 of 1

Status report of the complaints received and resolved to the satisfaction of the shareholders/investors during the year ended March 31, 2023.

No. of complaints received	-	1	
No. of complaints resolved	-	1	
No. of compliants not resolved to the satisfaction			
of shareholders	-	0	
No. of complaints pending	-	0	

#### Name and Designation of the Compliance Officer:

Mr. Abhijit B. Warange – Vice President – Legal and Company Secretary, who is the Compliance Officer, can be contacted at, Kewal Kiran Estate, 460/7, I.B. Patel Road, Goregaon (East), Mumbai - 400063

Tel: 022-26814400, Fax: 02226814410

E-mail: grievanceredressal@kewalkiran.com

## VII. CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY COMMITTEE

#### **Composition of Committee:**

The Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) Committee was constituted pursuant to Section 135 of the Companies Act, 2013.

Corporate Social Responsibility Committee comprises of the following members:

Mr. Nimish G. Pandya, Non Executive- Independent Director	Chairman and Member
Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain, Chairman & Managing Director	Member
Mr. Hemant P. Jain, Joint Managing Director	Member

Mr. Abhijit B. Warange, Company Secretary acts as the Secretary of the Committee.

The terms of reference of Corporate Social Responsibility Committee broadly comprises:

1. To review the CSR policy and to make it more comprehensive so as to indicate the activities to be undertaken by the Company as specified in Schedule VII of the Companies Act, 2013

- To provide guidance on various CSR activities to be undertaken by the Company and to monitor process
- To recommend the amount of expenditure to be incurred on the activities as specified in Schedule VII of the Companies Act, 2013
- 4. Monitor the Corporate Social Responsibility Policy of the company from time to time.

## Meetings of the Corporate Social Responsibility Committee:

During the year ended March 31, 2023, one (1) Corporate Social Responsibility Committee meeting was held on May 11, 2022. The attendance of Corporate Social Responsibility Committee meeting is given hereunder:

Name of the Member of Corporate Social Responsibility Committee	No. of meetings attended
Mr. Nimish G. Pandya	1 of 1
Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain	1 of 1
Mr. Hemant P. Jain	1 of 1

The policy on CSR as approved by the Board of Directors has been uploaded on the website of the Company. The web-link to the CSR Policy is <u>https://</u> <u>kewalkiran.com</u>

## VIII. RISK MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

### **Composition of Committee:**

Pursuant to Regulation 21 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 the Company has constituted Risk Management Committee.

Risk Management Committee comprises of the following members:

Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain , Chairman & Managing Director	Chairman
Mr. Hemant P. Jain, Joint Managing Director	Member
*Mr. Vikas P. Jain, Whole Time Director	Member
Mr. Nimish G. Pandya, Non Executive-Independent Director	Member
*Mr. Bharat A. Adnani, Chief Financial Officer	Member
*Mr. Nimesh Anandpara, Deputy Chief Financial Officer	Member and secretary
Mr. Abhijit Warange , Vice President Legal and Company Secretary	Member

### Note:

\*Mr. Bharat Adnani & Mr. Nimesh Anandpara were appointed as members of the committee w.e.f July 23, 2022

\*Mr. Vikas Jain was appointed as member of the committee w.e.f September 29, 2022

## **Risk Management Policy:**

The Board has formulated and implemented the Risk Management policy of the company, as recommended by Risk Management Committee.

The terms of reference of the Risk Management Committee comprises :

- Framing of Risk Management Plan and Policy;
- Overseeing implementation of Risk Management Plan and Policy;
- Monitoring of Risk Management Plan and Policy;
- Validating the process of risk management;
- Validating the procedure for risk minimisation;
- Periodically reviewing and evaluating the Risk Management Policy and practices with respect to risk assessment and risk management processes;
- Continually obtaining reasonable assurance from management that all known and emerging risks have been identified and mitigated or managed;
- To seek information from employee, obtain outside legal or other professional advice and secure attendance of outsiders with relavent expertise.
- Performing such other functions as may be necessary or appropriate.

## Meetings of the Risk Management Committee:

During the year ended March 31, 2023, Two (2) Risk Management Committee meeting were held on April 6, 2022 and October 3, 2022. The attendance of Risk Management Committee meeting is given hereunder:

Name of the Risk Management Committee Member	No. of meetings attended
Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain	2 of 2
Mr. Hemant P. Jain	2 of 2
Mr. Vikas P. Jain	1 of 1
Mr. Nimish G. Pandya	2 of 2
Mr. Abhijit B. Warange	2 of 2
Mr. Bharat A. Adnani	1 of 1
Mr. Nimesh Anandpara	1 of 1

## SENIOR MANAGEMENT

IX.

The Senior Management of the Company comprises of its core management team, excluding the Board of Directors and includes the members of the management one level below the executive Board of Directors, the functional heads, the Company Secretary and the Chief Financial Officer of the company. During the financial year 2022-23 Mr. Bharat Adnani, joined the company w.e.f. May 31, 2022 and was designated as Chief Financial Officer & Key Managerial Person from Janaury 21, 2023. Except for the appointment of Mr. Adnani there has been no change in the senior management during the financial year 2022-23.

### X. INVESTMENT COMMITTEE

The Investment Committee is responsible for investing idle funds of the Company not immediately required for the business of the company and to monitor the investments made for the benefit of the Company.

#### **Composition of Committee:**

The Investment Committee comprises of the following members:

Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain , Chairman & Managing Director	Chairman
Mr. Hemant P. Jain, Joint Managing Director	Member
Mr. Dinesh P. Jain, Whole-time Director	Member
Mr. Vikas P. Jain, Whole-time Director	Member

#### Meetings of the Investment Committee:

During the year ended March 31, 2023, Three (3) Investment Committee meetings were held on April 28, 2022, August 23, 2022 and December 1, 2022. The attendance of Investment Committee meeting is given hereunder:

Name of the Investment Committee Member	No. of meetings attended	
Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain	3 of 3	
Mr. Hemant P. Jain	3 of 3	
Mr. Dinesh P. Jain	3 of 3	
Mr. Vikas P. Jain	3 of 3	

## XI. BORROWING COMMITTEE

The Committee is responsible for considering the need of borrowing and utilisation of the borrowed fund to meet various requirements of the Company. It is also responsible to determine and balance the debt and equity ratio for the benefit of the Company.

#### **Composition of Committee:**

The Borrowing Committee comprises of the following members:

Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain , Chairman & Managing Director	Chairman
Mr. Hemant P. Jain, Joint Managing Director	Member
Mr. Dinesh P. Jain, Whole-time Director	Member
Mr. Vikas P. Jain, Whole-time Director	Member

### Meetings of the Borrowing Committee:

During the year ended March 31, 2023, Two (2) Borrowing Committee meetings were held on August 23, 2022 and September 30, 2022. The attendance of Borrowing Committee meeting is given hereunder:

Name of the Borrowing Committee Member	No. of meetings attended	
Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain	2 of 2	
Mr. Hemant P. Jain	2 of 2	
Mr. Dinesh P. Jain	2 of 2	
Mr. Vikas P. Jain	2 of 2	

## XII. INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS MEETING

During the year under review, the Independent Directors met on March 29, 2023 interalia, to discuss:

- Evaluation of performance of Non-Independent Directors and the Board of Directors as a whole;
- Evaluation of performance of the Chairman of the Company, taking into account the views of the Executive and Non-Executives Directors;
- Evaluation of the quality, content and timelines of flow of information between the Management and the Board that is necessary for the Board to effectively and reasonably perform its duties.

The Directors were satisfied with the evaluation results, which reflected the overall engagement of the Board and its Committees with the Company.

## XIII. GENERAL BODY MEETINGS

Location, time and date where the three immediately preceding Annual General Meetings of the company were held are given below:

Financial Year	Day & Date	Time	Venue
2019-20	Tuesday, September 15, 2020	12.00 noon	Deemed Venue i.e Kewal Kiran Estate, 460/7, I. B. Patel Road, Goregaon East, Mumbai – 400 063
2020-21	Wednesday, September 15 2021	12.00 noon	Deemed Venue i.e Kewal Kiran Estate, 460/7, I. B. Patel Road, Goregaon East, Mumbai – 400 063
2021-22	Tuesday, September 6, 2022	12.00 noon	Deemed Venue i.e Kewal Kiran Estate, 460/7, I. B. Patel Road, Goregaon East, Mumbai – 400 063

## Special Resolutions passed in previous three Annual General Meetings:

**29<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting:** At this meeting there were no Special Resolutions passed by the members of the Company.

**30<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting:** At this meeting four (4) Special Resolutions were passed by the members of the Company. These special resolutions were with regard to:

- Revision of the remuneration payable to Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain (DIN - 00029730), Chairman & Managing Director of the Company.
- Designate Mr. Hemant Jain (DIN 00029822) as Joint Managing Director of the company and revise the remuneration payable to Mr. Jain as Joint Managing Director of the Company.
- Revision of the remuneration payable to Mr. Dinesh
   P. Jain (DIN 00327277), Wholetime Director of the Company.
- Revision of the remuneration payable to Mr. Vikas
   P. Jain (DIN 00029901), Wholetime Director of the Company.

**31<sup>st</sup> Annual General Meeting:** At this meeting there were no Special Resolutions passed by the members of the Company.

### Special Resolutions whether passed by Postal Ballot:-

No special resolution was passed by postal ballot in the last year and no special resolution is proposed to be conducted through postal ballot.

## XIV. MEANS OF COMMUNICATION

The Quarterly, Half Yearly and Annual Financial Results of the company are published in the newspaper in India which include The Free Press Journal and Navshakti. The financial results and other information are displayed on the company's website viz. <u>www.kewalkiran.com</u>. The company also displays official news releases on its website for the information of its shareholders/ investors. Even presentations made to institutional investors have been hosted on the website of the company. The company does not have the system of intimating shareholders individually of its quarterly results. However, investors/shareholders desirous of getting the quarterly audited results are given copies thereof after consideration of results by the Board and publication in newspapers.

The Management discussion and Analysis Report forms a part of the Annual Report.

## XV. GENERAL SHAREHOLDERS' INFORMATION

a) Annual General Meeting:

Day, Date and Time: Thursday, September 28, 2023 at 12.00 noon

Mode : Video Conference and other audio visual mode

b) Financial Year: April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023

#### c) Dividend payment date: NA

Dates of Book Closure: Friday, September 22, 2023 to Thursday, September 28, 2023

#### d) Listing on Stock Exchanges:

The Equity Shares of the company got listed on April 13, 2006 and continue to be listed at the following Stock Exchanges: –

The BSE Limited, Mumbai, Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street, Mumbai: 400 001.

National Stock Exchange of India Limited, Exchange Plaza, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai: 400 051.

#### Note:

Listing fees as applicable has been paid to both the stock exchanges i.e BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited.

#### e) Stock Code/Symbol:

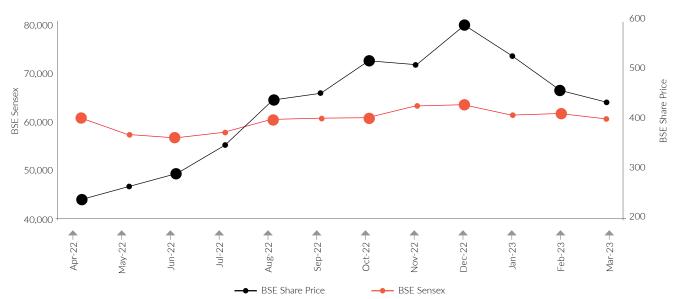
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The National Stock		
Exchange of India L	imited :	KKCL
ISIN No.	:	INE401H01017

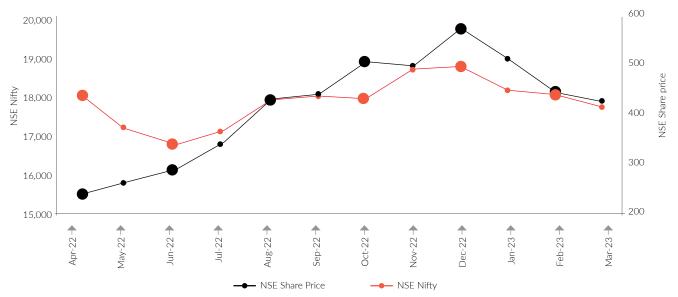
### f) Market Price Data:

The monthly high and low quotations of the company's shares traded on the BSE Limited and the National Stock Exchange of India Limited during the financial year 2022-2023 are as under:

Manadha	BS	BSE		NSE	
Months	High (₹ Per share)	Low (₹ Per share)	High (₹ Per share)	Low (₹ Per share)	
April 22	238.00	197.20	237.80	197.85	
May 22	264.60	178.50	265.15	180.20	
June 22	291.10	224.10	291.35	222.80	
July 22	348.95	242.80	349.00	242.40	
August 22	440.25	320.30	441.00	320.10	
September 22	454.00	396.15	451.20	391.40	
October 22	520.75	394.00	520.75	394.10	
November 22	512.05	460.40	511.80	460.00	
December 22	592.35	450.05	592.00	453.00	
January 23	529.50	429.85	526.35	429.85	
February 23	459.75	364.85	455.00	364.15	
March 23	435.00	384.60	435.00	384.35	

## g) Performance in comparison to broad based indices:





## h) Suspension of securities from trading – Not Applicable

## i) Registrar & Share Transfer Agents:

Link Intime India Private Limited C-101, 247 Park, L.B.S. Marg, Vikhroli (West), Mumbai-400083 Tel: +91 22 49186000 Fax: +91 22 49186060 Email: <u>mumbai@linkintime.co.in</u> Website: www.linkintime.co.in

### j) Share Transfer System:

Share transfers are processed and share certificates duly endorsed are delivered within a

period of fifteen days from the date of receipt, subject to documents being valid and complete in all respects. The Board has delegated the authority for approving transfer, transmission, etc. of the Company's securities to the Managing Director and/or Company Secretary. A summary of transfer/transmission of securities of the Company so approved by the Managing Director/ Company Secretary is placed at every Board meeting / Share Transfer Committee meeting. The Company obtains from a Company Secretary in Practice yearly certificate of compliance with the share transfer formalities as required under Regulation 40(9) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and files a copy of the said certificates with stock exchange(s).

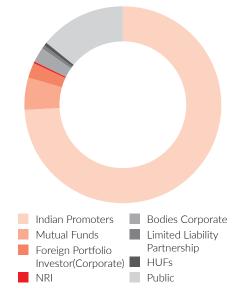
### k) Distribution Pattern of shareholding as on March 31, 2023:

No of equity shares	Number of shareholders	% of shareholders	Number of shares held	% of shareholding
1-500	28,902	91.87	25,13,947	4.08
501-1000	1,280	4.07	9,42,349	1.53
1001-2000	593	1.88	8,70,844	1.41
2001-3000	207	0.66	5,18,940	0.84
3001-4000	108	0.34	3,85,455	0.63
4001-5000	85	0.27	3,94,358	0.64
5001-10000	127	0.40	9,18,004	1.49
10001 & above	160	0.51	5,50,81,288	89.38
Total	31,462	100	6,16,25,185	100

### Shareholding Pattern as on March 31, 2023:

Category	No. of Shares	% to total
Indian Promoters	4,57,60,365	74.26
Mutual Funds	32,53,175	5.28
Foreign Portfolio Investor(Corporate)	15,04,656	2.44
Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF)	2,035	0.00
NRI	2,67,465	0.43
Bodies Corporate	14,42,469	2.34
Limited Liability Partnership	3,76,207	0.61
Independent Director	1,680	0.00
Clearing Members	2,661	0.00
Office Bearers	10,793	0.02
HUFs	4,33,700	0.70
NBFC'S Registered With RBI	110	0.00
Public	85,69,869	13.92
Total	6,16,25,185	100.00

#### Shareholding pattern graph as on March 31, 2023



#### I) **Dematerialisation of Equity Shares:**

The shares of the company are compulsorily traded in dematerialised form and are available for trading under both the Depository Systems -NSDL (National Securities Depository Limited) and CDSL (Central Depository Services (India) Limited ). 99.99% of total equity shares of the company are held in dematerialised form with NSDL & CDSL as on March 31, 2023.

#### Liquidity:-

Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited's shares are actively traded on BSE Limited and The National Stock Exchange of India Limited.

## m) Outstanding GDRS/ADRS/Warrants or any Convertible Instruments conversion date and likely impact on equity:

The company has not issued any GDRS/ADRS/ Warrants or any Convertible Instruments.

#### n) Commodity price risk or foreign exchange risk and hedging activities:

Your Company is not having much exposure to foreign exchange and there is a natural hedging partly available in terms of exports made by the company.

In respect of price risk of raw material used for manufacturing purposes the same is taken care of as per industry requirements.

#### Plant Locations: o)

#### Vapi

Plot No. 787/1/2A/3, 40, shed IInd Phase, G.I.D.C Vapi: 396 195 Gujarat

## Daman

697/3/5/5A/8/9/12/13, Near Maharani Estate, Somnath Road, Dhabel Daman: 396 210

#### Mumbai

Synthofine Estate, Opp Virwani Industrial Estate Goregaon (East), Mumbai: 400 063

71-73, Kasturchand Mill Estate Bhawani Shankar Road, Dadar (West), Mumbai; 400 028

#### Address for Investor Correspondence: p)

Shareholding related queries Link Intime India Private Limited C-101. 247 Park. L.B.S. Marg, Vikhroli (West), Mumbai-400083 Tel: +91 22 49186000 Fax: +91 22 49186060 Email: mumbai@linkintime.co.in Website: www.linkintime.co.in General Correspondence Kewal Kiran Estate, 460/7, I.B. Patel Raod, Adjacent to Western Express Highway Goregaon (East), Mumbai: 400 063 Tel: +91 22 26814400 Fax: +91 22 26814410 Email: info@kewalkiran.com Website: www.kewalkiran.com

An exclusive email address, grievanceredressal@ kewalkiran.com for redressal of investor complaints has been created and the same is available on company's website www.kewalkiran.com

#### Credit ratings obtained by the entity along q) with any revisions thereto during the relevant financial year:

CRISIL, India's leading Ratings, Research, Risk and policy Advisory Company has assigned 'AA- / Stable' rating for the banking facilities of the company.

#### **XVI OTHER DISCLOSURES**

- The Register of Contracts containing the a. transactions in which Directors are interested is placed before the Board regularly for its approval. There are no materially significant Related Party Transactions which have potential conflict with the interest of the company at large. Transactions with related parties are disclosed separately in note no. 2.37 to the financial statements.
- b. The Company had received a notice from BSE and NSE for non-compliance with the provisions of Regualtion 21(2) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 imposing a fine of ₹ 1,65,200/- including GST each. The

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Company has satisfactorly replied to notice issued by BSE and NSE. The Company further requested the exchanges for waiver of fine. The exchanges have after taking into consideration the submissions made by the Company waived the entire fine. Save and except the aforesaid fines levied and subsequently waived by the exchanges, no penalties or strictures have been imposed on the company by the Stock Exchanges or SEBI or any other Statutory Authority on any matter related to capital market during the last three years.

- c. The Company has adopted the Vigil Mechanism/ Whistle Blower Policy pursuant to Section 177(9) of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 22 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 under which the Directors and employees can report to the management about the unethical behavior, fraud or violation of Company's Code of Conduct. The mechanism provides for adequate safeguards against victimisation of employees and Directors who use such mechanism and makes provision for direct access to the Chairman of the Audit Committee in exceptional cases. The Board hereby confirms that no personnel have been denied access to the Audit Committee.
- d. The company has complied with all the mandatory requirements of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 including Regulation 17 to 27 and clauses (b) to (i) of sub-regulation (2) of regulation 46 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. Adoption of non mandatory requirements of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 is reviewed by the Board from time to time.
- e. The company has one subsidiary. The subsidiary of the Company is not a material subsidiary. The web link of policy for determining 'material' subsidiaries is https://kewalkiran.com
- f. The Company has adopted a Related Party Transaction policy, as recommended by the audit Committee pursuant to Regulation 23 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. The policy on Related Party transactions as approved by the Board of Directors has been uploaded on the website of the Company. The web-link to the Related Party Policy is https://kewalkiran.com
- g. Disclosure of commodity price risks and commodity hedging activities – Your Company is not having much exposure to foreign exchange and there is a natural hedging partly available in terms of exports made by the company.
- h. The Company did not raise any funds through preferential allotment or qualified institutions placement during the year under review.
- i. None of the directors on the board of the company have been debarred or disqualified from being appointed or continuing as directors of companies by the Board/Ministry of Corporate Affairs or any such

statutory authority. A Certificate from practicing company secretary, U.P. Jain & Co. to that effect is annexed to this Report.

- j. In the preparation of the financial statement, the Company has followed the Accounting Standard referred to in Section 133 of the Companies Act 2013. The significant accounting policies which are consistently applied are set out in the notes to the financial statements. The board had accepted all recommendations of committees of the board which were mandatorily required, in the relevant financial year.
- k. Total fees for all services paid by the company, on a consolidated basis, to the statutory auditor and all entities in the network firm/network entity of which the statutory auditor is a part is ₹ 70,34,200/- debited to profit and loss.
- I. Disclosures in relation to the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013:
  - a. Number of complaints filed during the financial year 0
  - b. Number of complaints disposed of during the financial year 0
  - c. Number of complaints pending as on end of the financial year 0
- m. Other than a loan for an amount of ₹ 286.12 Lacs (including interest) to its wholly owned subsidiary K-lounge Lifestyle Limited the Company has not provided Loans and advance to any firms/companies in which director are interested.
- n. The Company is not a party to any agreement nor has the Company received any disclosure from any shareholder, promoter, promoter group entities, related parties, directors, key managerial personnels, employees of the company or its subsidiary or associate company in respect of any agreement contemplated under Regulation 5(A) of para A, part A of Schedule III to the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.
- o. Your Company does not have any shares in the demat suspense /unclaimed suspense account.
- p. In terms of Regulation 17(8) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain, Chairman & Managing Director have furnished certificate to the Board in the prescribed format for the year ended March 31, 2023.
- q. The Company has formulated policy on archival and preservation of documents in terms of Regulation
  9 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.
- r. The Company has formulated policy for determination of materiality of event in terms of Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

## ANNEXURE TO CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

#### (A) DETAILS OF OTHER DIRECTORSHIPS AND COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS OF ALL DIRECTORS

### [1] BODIES CORPORATE OF WHICH MR. KEWALCHAND P. JAIN IS A CHAIRMAN/DIRECTOR

Name of the Company	Board Position Held
*Enlighten Lifestyle Limited	Chairman
*Kewal Kiran Management Consultancy Limited	Chairman
*Kewal Kiran Media and Communication Limited	Chairman
Kewal Kiran Realtors and Infrastructures Private Limited	Chairman
Kewal Kiran Finance Private Limited	Chairman
White Knitwears Private Limited	Director
Lord Gautam Charitable Foundation	Chairman
Porwal Jain Foundation	Director
K-Lounge Lifestyle Limited	Chairman

## **COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS**

Name of the Company	Name of the Committee	Position Held
Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited	Stakeholder relationship and Shareholder/ Investor Grievance Committee	Member

## [2] BODIES CORPORATE OF WHICH MR. HEMANT P. JAIN IS A CHAIRMAN/ DIRECTOR

Name of the Company	Board Position Held
*Enlighten Lifestyle Limited	Director
*Kewal Kiran Management Consultancy Limited	Director
*Kewal Kiran Media and Communication Limited	Director
Kewal Kiran Realtors and Infrastructures Private Limited	Director
Kewal Kiran Finance Private Limited	Director
White Knitwears Private Limited	Director
Lord Gautam Charitable Foundation	Director
K-Lounge Lifestyle Limited	Director
*Note :- Applied for strike off	

### **COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS**

Name of the Company	Name of the Committee	Position Held
Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited	Stakeholders Relationship and Shareholder/ Investors Grievance Committee	Member

### [3] BODIES CORPORATE OF WHICH MR. DINESH P. JAIN IS A CHAIRMAN/DIRECTOR

Name of the Company	Board Position Held
*Enlighten Lifestyle Limited	Director
*Kewal Kiran Management Consultancy Limited	Director
*Kewal Kiran Media and Communication Limited	Director
Synthofine Chemicals of India Limited	Director
Kewal Kiran Realtors and Infrastructures Private Limited	Director
Kewal Kiran Finance Private Limited	Director
Lord Gautam Charitable Foundation	Director
K-Lounge Lifestyle Limited	Director

\*Note :- Applied for strike off

## [4] BODIES CORPORATE OF WHICH MR. VIKAS P. JAIN IS A CHAIRMAN / DIRECTOR

Name of the Company	Board Position Held
*Enlighten Lifestyle Limited	Director
*Kewal Kiran Management Consultancy Limited	Director
*Kewal Kiran Media and Communication Limited	Director
Kewal Kiran Realtors and Infrastructures Private Limited	Director
Kewal Kiran Finance Private Limited	Director
Lord Gautam Charitable Foundation	Director
K-Lounge Lifestyle Limited	Director
*Note :- Applied for strike off	

#### [5] BODIES CORPORATE OF WHICH MR. YOGESH A. THAR IS A CHAIRMAN/ DIRECTOR

Name of the Company	Board Position Held
NIL	NIL

#### **COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS**

Name of the Company	Name of the Committee	Position Held
Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited	Audit Committee	Chairman

#### [6] BODIES CORPORATE OF WHICH DR. PRAKASH A. MODY IS A CHAIRMAN/ DIRECTOR

Name of the Company	Board Position Held
Unichem Laboratories Limited	Chairman & Managing Director
Unichem Pharmaceuticals (USA) Inc.	Director
SPM International Private Limited	Director

#### COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS:

Name of the Company	Name of the Committee	Position Held
Unichem Laboratories Limited	Stakeholder Relationship Committee	Member

## [7] BODIES CORPORATE OF WHICH MR. NIMISH G. PANDYA IS A CHAIRMAN/ DIRECTOR

Name of the Company	Board Position Held
NIL	NIL

#### **COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS**

Name of the Company	Name of the Committee	Position Held	
Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited	ewal Kiran Clothing Limited Stakeholders Relationship and Shareholder/ Investors Grievance Committee		
Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited	Audit Committee	Member	

### [8] BODIES CORPORATE OF WHICH MS. DRUSHTI R. DESAI IS A CHAIRMAN/DIRECTOR

Name of the Company	Board Position Held
Chemfab Alkalis Limited (Formerly known as Teamec Chlorates Limited)	Director
*Narmada Gelatines Limited	Director
Kruti Finance and Holdings Private Limited	Director
Rashi Peripherals Limited	Independent Director
Aegon Life Insurance Company Limited	Independent Director
*Note - Ms. Desai held directorshin unto July 14, 2023	

\*Note :- Ms. Desai held directorship upto July 14, 2023

#### **COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS**

Name of the Committee	Position Held	
Audit Committee	Member	
Audit Committee	Member	
Audit Committee	Chairman	
Stakeholder Relationship Committee	Chairman	
Audit Committee	Chairman	
Audit Committee	Chairman	
	Audit Committee         Audit Committee         Audit Committee         Stakeholder Relationship Committee         Audit Committee	

\*Note :- Ms. Desai held committee membership upto July 14, 2023

## ANNEXURE TO CORPORATE GOVERNANCE 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 of Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited,

Kewal Kiran Estate, 460/7, I. B. Patel Road, Near Western Express Highway, Goregaon (East), Mumbai – 400063

We have examined the relevant registers, records, forms, returns and disclosures received from the Directors of Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited having CIN: L18101MH1992PLC065136 and having registered office at Kewal Kiran Estate, 460/7, I. B. Patel Road, Near Western Express Highway, Goregaon (East), Mumbai-400063 (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 Sub 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 (<u>www.mca.gov.in</u>) as considered necessary and explanations furnished to us by the Company & 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 31<sup>st</sup> March, 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	Prakash Amrut Mody	00001285	14/11/2005
2	Kewalchand Pukhraj Jain	00029730	30/01/1992
3	Hemant Pukhraj Jain	00029822	30/01/1992
4	Vikas Pukhraj Jain	00029901	02/10/1997
5	Drushti Rahul Desai	00294249	23/07/2014
6	Nimish Gulabrai Pandya	00326966	14/11/2005
7	Dinesh Pukhraj Jain	00327277	02/10/1997
8	Yogesh Arvind Thar	02687466	13/02/2013

Ensuring the eligibility 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 **U. P. JAIN & CO.** Company Secretaries

## (Ummedmal P. Jain)

Proprietor FCS: 3735 COP: 2235 PR 1253/ 2021 UDIN: F003735E000724171

Place: Mumbai Date: August 2, 2023

## CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE CODE OF CONDUCT

I, Kewalchand P. Jain, Chairman & Managing Director of the company, hereby declare that the company has adopted a Code of Conduct for its Board Members and Senior Management and a code for Independent Directors, in terms of Regulation 17(5) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosures Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and the Board Members and Senior Management have affirmed compliance with the said Code of Conduct of board of directors and senior management.

For and on behalf of the Board

Place: Mumbai Date: August 2, 2023 Kewalchand P. Jain Chairman & Managing Director (DIN :- 00029730)

## AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

To, The Members of **Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited** 

### Independent Auditors' Certificate on Compliance with the Corporate Governance requirements under SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (as amended)

1. Based on the engagement by the management of Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited ('the Company'), we have examined details of compliance of conditions of Corporate Governance by the Company for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023 as stipulated in Regulations 17-27, clause (b) to (i) of Regulation 46 (2) and paragraphs C, D and E of Schedule V of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended from time to time ('Listing Regulations'), pursuant to the Listing Agreement of the Company with Stock exchange.

## Management's Responsibility for compliance with the conditions of Listing Regulations

2. The compliance of conditions of Corporate Governance is the responsibility of the Management of the Company including the preparation and maintenance of all relevant supporting records and documents. This responsibility also includes the design, implementation and maintenance of internal control and procedures to ensure the compliance with the conditions of the Corporate Governance stipulated in the Listing Regulations.

## Auditors' Responsibility

- 3. Pursuant to the requirements of the Listing Regulations, it is our responsibility to provide a reasonable assurance whether the Company has complied with the conditions of Corporate Governance as stipulated in Listing Regulations for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023.
- 4. We have examined the books of account and other relevant records and documents maintained by the Company for the purposes of providing reasonable assurance on the compliance with Corporate Governance requirements by the Company.
- 5. Our examination was limited to a review of procedures and implementation thereof adopted by the Company for ensuring the compliance of the conditions of Corporate Governance as stipulated in the said clause/Regulation as applicable. It is neither an audit nor an expression of opinion on the financial statements of the Company.
- 6. We conducted our examination of the relevant records of the Company in accordance with the Guidance Note on Reports or Certificates for Special Purposes (Revised 2016), issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ('ICAI') and the Standards on Auditing specified under Section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013, in so far as applicable for the purpose of this certificate. The Guidance Note requires that we comply with the ethical requirements of the Code of Ethics issued by the ICAI.
- 7. We have complied with the relevant applicable requirements of the Standard on Quality Control (SQC) 1, Quality Control for Firms that Perform Audits and Reviews of Historical Financial Information, and Other Assurance and Related Services Engagements.

## Opinion

- 8. In our opinion, and to the best of our information and according to explanations given to us and representations made by the Directors and management, we certify that during the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023, the Company has complied with the conditions of Corporate Governance as stipulated in the Listing Agreement and Listing Regulations as applicable mentioned in para 1 above.
- 9. 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.

#### **Restriction on use**

The certificate is addressed and provided to the members of the Company solely for the purpose of compliance with the requirement of the Listing Regulations and should not be used by any other person or for any other purpose. Accordingly, we do not accept or assume any liability or any duty of care for any other purpose or to any other person to whom this certificate is shown or into whose hands it may come without our prior consent in writing.

#### For Jain & Trivedi

Chartered Accountants Firm Registration No: 113496W For **N. A. Shah Associates LLP** Chartered Accountants

Chartered Accountants Firm Registration No: 116560W / W100149

#### **Satish Trivedi**

Partner Membership No.: 38317 UDIN: 23038317BGVQDH6889 Place: Mumbai Date: 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2023 Partner Membership No.: 117080 UDIN: 23117080BGWPXS1301 Place: Mumbai Date: 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2023

**Prashant Daftary** 

## **INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT**

To, The Members of **Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited** 

## Report on the Audit of Standalone Ind AS Financial Statements

### Opinion

We have audited the accompanying standalone Ind AS financial statements of **Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited** ('the Company') which comprise the Balance Sheet as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023, the Statement of Profit and Loss (including other comprehensive income), the Statement of Changes in Equity and the Statement of Cash Flows for the year then ended, and notes to the standalone Ind AS financial statements including a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information (hereinafter referred to as "the standalone Ind AS financial statements").

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the aforesaid standalone Ind AS financial statements give the information required by the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act') in the manner so required and give a true and fair view in conformity with the Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) prescribed under section 133 of the Act read with the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015, as amended, and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the state of affairs of the Company as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023, and its profit including other comprehensive income, the changes in equity and its cash flows for the year ended on that date.

## **Basis for 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 Ind AS 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 Ind AS 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.

## **Key Audit Matters**

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the standalone Ind AS financial statements of the year. We have determined that there are no key audit matters to be communicated in our report. (₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

## Information Other than the Standalone Ind AS Financial Statements and Auditor's Report Thereon

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the preparation of the other information. The other information comprises of the information included in the Management Discussion and Analysis, Board's Report including Annexures to Board's Report, Business Responsibility and Sustainability Report, Corporate Governance and Shareholder's Information, but does not include the standalone Ind AS financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. The said reports are expected to be made available to us after the issue of our auditor' report.

Our opinion on the standalone Ind AS financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the standalone Ind AS 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 Ind AS financial statements, or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

When we read the above said reports, if we conclude that there is material misstatement therein, we are required to communicate the matter to those charged with governance and take necessary actions, as applicable under the relevant laws and regulations.

## Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the standalone Ind AS financial statements

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the matters stated in section 134(5) of the Act with respect to the preparation of these standalone Ind AS financial statements that give a true and fair view of the financial position, financial performance, changes in equity and cash flows of the Company in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in India, including the Ind AS specified under section 133 of the Act read with the Companies (Indian Accounting Standard) Rules, 2015 as amended from time to time.

This responsibility also includes maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding of the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting 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 Ind AS financial statements that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the standalone Ind AS financial statements, management is 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.

Those Board of Directors are also responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the standalone Ind AS financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the standalone Ind AS 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 Ind AS financial statements.

As a part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the standalone Ind AS 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 control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control 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 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

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report to the related disclosures in the standalone Ind AS 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 Ind AS financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the standalone Ind AS financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

Materiality is the magnitude of misstatements in the standalone Ind AS financial statements that, individually or in aggregate, makes it probable that the economic decisions of a reasonably knowledgeable user of the standalone Ind AS 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 Ind AS financial statements.

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.

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.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the standalone Ind AS 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 Matters**

The standalone Ind AS financial statements of the Company as on  $31^{st}$  March 2022 were audited by another auditor whose report dated  $11^{th}$  May 2022 expresses an unmodified opinion. We have relied on the said Ind AS financial statement for the purpose of confirming the opening balances on assets, equity and liabilities as on  $1^{st}$  April, 2022 in respect of the year under audit.

Our opinion is not modified in respect of the above matter.

### Report on other legal and regulatory requirements

- 1. As required by the Companies (Auditor's Report) Order, 2020 (the "Order") issued by the Central Government in terms of Section 143(11) of the Act, we give in "Annexure A" a statement on the matters specified in paragraphs 3 and 4 of the Order.
- 2. 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 Balance Sheet, the Statement of Profit and Loss including Other Comprehensive Income, the Statement of Changes in Equity and the Cash Flow Statement dealt with by this Report are in agreement with the books of account.
  - d) In our opinion, the aforesaid standalone Ind AS financial statements comply with the Indian Accounting Standards specified under Section 133 of the Act.
  - e) On the basis of the written representations received from the directors as on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023 taken on record by the Board of Directors, none of the directors is disqualified as on 31<sup>st</sup> 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 the requirements of section 197(16) of the Act, as amended, in our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the remuneration paid / provided by the Company to its directors for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023 is in accordance with the provisions of section 197 read with Schedule V of the Act; and
  - With respect to the other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with Rule 11 of the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, as amended from time to time, in our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us:

(₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

- The Company has disclosed the impact of pending litigations on its financial position in its standalone Ind AS financial statements

   refer note 2.50 to the standalone Ind AS financial statements.
- ii. The Company did not have any long term contract including derivative contract for which there are any material foreseeable losses.
- iii. According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of records of the Company, there are no amounts which were required to be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund by the Company.
- iv. The Management has represented that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, as disclosed in the note 2.64 to the standalone Ind AS financial statements,
  - 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 or entity, including foreign entity ("Intermediaries"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Intermediary shall, whether, 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;
  - no funds have been received by the Company from any person or entity, including foreign entity ("Funding Parties"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Company shall, whether, 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;

Based on the audit procedures that have 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 (iv) contain any material misstatement.

- v. As stated in note 2.57(b) of the standalone Ind AS financial statements:
  - The interim dividend paid by the Company during the year for the previous financial year is in accordance with section 123 of the Companies Act 2013 to the extent it applies to payment of dividend.
  - The first interim dividend declared and paid by the Company during the year and until the date of this report is in compliance with Section 123 of the Act.
  - The board of directors during their meeting dated 27<sup>th</sup> April 2023 have declared second interim dividend. The same is in accordance with section 123 of the Companies Act 2013 to the extent it applies to declaration of dividend. However, the said dividend was not paid on the date of this audit report.

(₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

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 to the Company with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2023, and accordingly, reporting under Rule 11(g) of Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 is not applicable for the financial year ended March 31, 2023.

For Jain & Trivedi	For N. A. Shah Associates LLP
	of N.A. Shan Associates EE
Chartered Accountants	Chartered Accountants
Firm Registration No: 113496W	Firm Registration No: 116560W / W100149
Satish Trivedi	Prashant Daftary
Partner	Partner
Membership No.: 38317	Membership No.: 117080
UDIN: 23038317BGVQCL4585	UDIN: 23117080BGWPVI6693
Place: Mumbai	Place: Mumbai

Dated: 27<sup>th</sup> April 2023

Place: Mumbai Dated: 27<sup>th</sup> April 2023

## Annexure-A to the Independent Auditor's Report on the Standalone Financial Statements of Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited for the year ended March 31, 2022

Referred to in paragraph 1 under the heading 'Report on other legal and regulatory requirements' of our report of even date]

- (i) a) (A) The Company has maintained proper records showing full particulars, including quantitative details and situation of Property, Plant and Equipment (PPE) and relevant details of right to use assets.
  - (B) The Company has maintained proper records showing full particulars, including quantitative details and situation of intangible assets.
  - 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 a regular programme of physical verification of its Property, Plant and Equipment by which all property, plant and equipment are verified on a yearly basis. The Company has physically verified all the property, plant and equipments and right to use assets during the year. In our opinion, frequency of physical verification is reasonable having regard to the size of the Company and the nature of its assets. According to information and explanations given to us, no material discrepancies were noticed on such verification.
  - c) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records of the Company, the title deeds of immovable properties (other than immovable properties where the Company is the lessee and the leases agreements are duly executed in favour of the lessee) disclosed in the standalone Ind AS financial statements are held in the name of the Company (including erstwhile name) as at balance sheet date.
  - d) The Company has not revalued any of its Property, Plant or Equipment (including Right of Use assets) and intangible assets during the year.
  - e) According to the information and explanation given to us as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023, no proceedings have been initiated during the year or are pending against the Company as on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023 for holding any benami property under the Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Act, 1988 and rules made thereunder.
- (ii) a) The inventory (other than lying with third parties) has been physically verified by the management during the year. In respect of inventory lying with third parties, confirmations were obtained by the Company during the year. In our opinion, the frequency, coverage and procedure of such verification carried out by the management is reasonable and appropriate. As per the information and explanation given to us, discrepancies noticed on physical verification were not material (i.e. less than 10% in the aggregate for each class of inventory) and have been properly dealt with in the books of accounts.

(₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

- b) The company has been sanctioned working capital limit in excess of five crores rupees from a bank on the basis of security of it's current assets. There are no borrowings from financial institution. Based on our examination of the records of the company, the revised quarterly returns or statements filed by the company with said bank are in agreement with the books of accounts maintained by the Company.
- (iii) According to the information and explanations given to us, during the year the Company has made investments in mutual funds, bonds etc, and also granted interest bearing unsecured loan to wholly owned subsidiary company. The Company has not provided any guarantee or security or granted any advances in the nature of loans, secured or unsecured, to companies, firms, Limited Liability Partnerships or any other parties during the year.
  - Aggregate amount during the year and balance outstanding of the unsecured loan at the balance sheet date with respect to loan to wholly owned subsidiary is as under:

	(₹ in lakhs)
Particulars	Unsecured Loans
Aggregate amount during the current year	276.62
Balance outstanding as on 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2023 (including interest accrued thereon)	286.12

Based on the information and explanation given to us, apart from above, during the year, the Company has not provided loans or provided advances in the nature of loans, or stood guarantee, or provided security to any other entity.

- b) In our opinion, the investments made, and loan granted are not prima facie, prejudicial to the Company's interest. During the year, the Company has not provided any guarantees or given security or advance in nature of loan.
- c) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records of the Company, in respect of loan, the schedule of repayment of principal and payment of interest has not been stipulated. The loan is repayable on demand thus, we are unable to make a specific comment on the regularity of repayment in respect of such loans.
- d) As per information and explanations given to us, the said demand loan and interest thereon are repayable on demand. In absence, of a repayment schedule we are unable to comment on over due amount (if any). Considering question of reporting overdue amount more than 90 days does not arise.
- e) As per the information and explanation given to us, and stated above, the loan granted to wholly owned subsidiary company was in the nature of demand loans. In absence of stipulated schedule, we are unable to comment on whether loans granted by the Company which has fallen due

during the year, has been renewed or extended and whether fresh loans were granted to settle the overdue of existing loan.

f) As mentioned in paragraph 3(c) above, the loan granted is repayable on demand and there is no stipulated period of repayment. Details of the said loan is as under:

			(₹ in Lakhs)
Particulars	All parties	Promoters	Related parties
Aggregate amount of loan repayable on demand (including accrued interest)	286.12	-	286.12
Percentage of loans to the total loan	100%	-	100%

- (iv) In our opinion and according to the information and explanation given to us, the Company has complied with the provision of section 185 and 186 of the Act in respect of grant of loans, making investments, and providing guarantees and security, as applicable.
- (v) In our opinion and according to the information and explanation given to us, the Company has not accepted any deposits. Therefore, question of reporting compliance with directive issued by the Reserve Bank

(₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

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of India and the provisions of sections 73 to 76 or any other relevant provisions of the Act and rules framed thereunder does not arise. We have been informed that no order relating to Company has been passed by the Company Law Board or National Company Law Tribunal or Reserve Bank of India or any Court or any other Tribunal.

- (vi) The Central Government of India has not specified the maintenance of cost records under sub-section (1) of Section 148 of the Act for any of the products of the Company. Therefore, the requirement of clause 3(vi) of the order is not applicable to the Company.
- (vii) According to the information and explanations (a) given to us and on the basis of our examination of records of the Company, in respect of amounts deducted / accrued in the books of account, the Company has been generally regular in depositing undisputed statutory dues including provident fund, employees' state insurance, income tax, sales tax, duty of customs, duty of excise, goods and services tax, cess and any other statutory dues, as applicable to the Company, during the year with the appropriate authorities. There are no arrears of outstanding statutory dues as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023 for a period of more than six months from the date they became payable.
- (b) According to information and explanations given to us and the records of the Company, there are no statutory dues as mentioned in clause (vii)(a) above, which have not been deposited with authorities on account of any dispute except the following:

					(₹ In lakhs)
The Name of Statute	Nature of dues	Amount	Period to which the amount relates (A.Y)	Forum where dispute is pending	Remarks
The Income Tax Act, 1961	Income Tax and Interest	68.94	2005 - 06	Bombay HC (appeal filed by the department)	Adjusted against refund of AY 2007-08
		11.33	2011 - 12	Appeal pending before Hon. CIT (Appeals)	
		13.48	2012 - 13	Appeal pending before Hon. CIT (Appeals)	
		22.70	2018 - 19	Appeal pending before Hon. CIT (Appeals)	
		35.65	2020 - 21	Appeal pending before Hon. CIT (Appeals)	

- (viii) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of records of the Company, there were no transactions relating to previously unrecorded income that have been surrendered or disclosed as income during the year in the tax assessments under the Income Tax Act, 1961.
- (ix) Based on our audit procedures and as per the information and explanations given to us by the management, we are of the opinion that
  - (a) The Company has not defaulted in repayment of loans and payment of interest thereon to any lender.
  - (b) The Company has not been declared as willful defaulter by any bank or financial institution or other lender.

- (c) The Company has not obtained any term loans during the year and there were no outstanding term loans at the beginning of the year. Therefore, the clause 3(ix)(c) of the order is not applicable to the Company.
- (d) The funds raised on short term basis have not been utilised for long term purposes. Hence reporting under clause 3(ix)(d) of the order is not applicable to the Company.
- (e) During the year, the Company has not availed any funds from any entity or person on account of or to meet the obligation of its subsidiary or joint venture.
- (f) The Company has not raised loans during the year on the pledge of securities held in its subsidiary or joint venture.

- (x) (a) During the year, the Company has not raised money by way of initial public offer or further public offer [including debt instruments]. Hence reporting under clause 3(x)(a) of the order is not applicable to the Company.
  - (b) The Company has not made any preferential allotment or private placement of shares or convertible debentures during the year. Hence reporting under clause 3(x)(b) of the order is not applicable to the Company.
- (xi) (a) During the course of our examination of the books of account and records of the Company, carried out in accordance with generally accepted auditing practices in India and according to the information and explanations given to us, we have neither noticed nor have been informed by the management, any incidence of fraud by the Company or on the Company.
  - (b) No report under sub-section (12) of section 143 of the Companies Act has been filed in Form ADT-4 as prescribed under rule 13 of Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 with the Central Government, during the year and upto the date of this report.
  - (c) As represented to us by the management, no whistle-blower complaints have been received by the Company during the year.
- (xii) The Company is not a Nidhi company. Therefore, 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 sections 177 and 188 of the Act where applicable and details of such transactions have been disclosed in the standalone Ind AS financial statements as required by the applicable Indian accounting standards.
- (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 the internal audit reports of the Company issued till date, for the period under audit, in determining the nature, timing and extent of our audit procedures.
- (xv) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the Company has not entered into any non-cash transaction with directors or persons connected with directors. Therefore, clause 3(xv) of the order is not applicable.
- (xvi) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us,
  - (a) The Company is not required to be registered under Section 45-IA of the Reserve Bank of India Act 1934. Hence, reporting under clause 3(xvi)(a),
     (b) and (c) of the Order is not applicable.

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- (b) According to the information and explanation given to us, there is no core investment company within the Group (as defined in the Core Investment Companies (Reserve Bank) Directions, 2016) and accordingly reporting under clause 3(xvi)(d) of the Order is not applicable.
- (xvii) The Company has not incurred any cash losses in the current financial year and in the immediately preceding financial year. Therefore, clause 3(xvii) of the Order is not applicable to the Company.
- (xviii) During the year, there has been a change in auditors on account of completion of the term of the erst while auditors. This change is not considered to be a resignation and therefore, the clause 3(xviii) of the Order is not applicable. Further, there were no issues, objections or concerns which were raised by the outgoing auditors.
- (xix) On the basis of the financial ratios, ageing and expected dates of realisation of financial assets and payment of financial liabilities, other information accompanying the standalone Ind AS financial statements, our knowledge of the Board of Directors and management plans, nothing has come to our attention which causes us to believe that material uncertainty exists as on the date of the audit report and the company is 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) During the year there are no unspent amounts towards Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR). Accordingly, reporting under clause 3(xx)(a) and (b) of the Order is not applicable to the Company for the year.
- (xxi) The reporting under clause 3(xxi) of the Order is not applicable in respect of audit of Standalone Ind AS financial statements. Accordingly, no comment in respect of the said clause has been included in this report.

For Jain & Trivedi	For N. A. Shah Associates LLP
Chartered Accountants	Chartered Accountants
Firm Registration No: 113496W	Firm Registration No: 116560W / W100149
Satish Trivedi	Prashant Daftary
Partner	Partner
Membership No.: 38317	Membership No.: 117080
UDIN: 23038317BGVQCL4585	UDIN: 23117080BGWPVI6693
Place: Mumbai	Place: Mumbai
Dated: 27 <sup>th</sup> April 2023	Dated: 27 <sup>th</sup> April 2023

## Annexure B to Independent Auditors' Report of even date on the standalone Ind AS financial statements of Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited

#### (₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

[Referred to in paragraph 2 (f) under the heading 'Report on other legal and regulatory requirements' of our report of even date]

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

#### Opinion

We have audited the internal financial controls over financial reporting of Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited ("the Company") as of 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023 in conjunction with our audit of the standalone Ind AS financial statement of the Company for the year ended on that date.

In our opinion, 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 31<sup>st</sup> 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 ('the Guidance Note') issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ('ICAI').

### Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting

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 issued by the 'ICAI'. 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

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 deemed to be prescribed under section 143(10) of the Act, to the extent applicable to an audit of internal financial controls, both applicable to an audit of Internal Financial Controls and, both issued by the ICAI. Those Standards and the Guidance Note require that we comply with 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.

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 Ind AS financial statement, 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 standalone Ind AS financial statements.

## Meaning of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting

The 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 standalone Ind AS financial statement for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. The 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 Ind AS financial statement 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 Ind AS financial statements.

## Inherent Limitations of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting

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.

For Jain & Trivedi	For N. A. Shah Associates LLP
Chartered Accountants	Chartered Accountants
Firm Registration No: 113496W	Firm Registration No: 116560W / W100149
Satish Trivedi	Prashant Daftary
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Dated: 27th April 2023

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## **STANDALONE BALANCE SHEET**

as at March 31, 2023 | CIN: L18101MH1992PLC065136

(₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

			(₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated		
Particulars		Note	As at March 31, 2023 Audited	As at March 31, 2022 Audited	
ASS	ETS				
1)	Non-Current Assets				
••••	a) Property, Plant and Equipment	2.1.a	8,389.91	7,767.89	
	b) Right of Use Asset	2.1.b	1.602.64	675.34	
	c) Capital Work-in-Progress	2.1.c	126.90	88.05	
	d) Investment Property	2.1.d	126.16	129.10	
	e) Other Intangible Assets	2.1.e	24.58	28.30	
	f) Financial Assets	2.1.0	2 1.30	20.00	
	i) Investment in Subsidiary and Joint Venture	2.2	845.50	845.50	
	ii) Investments others	2.3	2,247.54	1,884.63	
	iii) Loans	2.4	2,247.34	13.53	
	iv) Other Financial Assets	2.5			
			2,013.13	1,511.80	
	g) Deferred Tax Assets (Net)	2.6	28.00	36.00	
	h) Non-Current Tax Asset (Net)	2.7	9.79	5.78	
	i) Other Non-Current Assets	2.8	253.97	23.08	
			15,962.52	13,009.00	
2)	Current Assets				
	a) Inventories	2.9	16,558.81	11,298.95	
	b) Financial Assets				
	i) Investments	2.10	12,692.95	11,847.95	
	ii) Trade Receivables	2.11	16,992.11	17,092.15	
	iii) Cash & Cash Equivalents	2.12	17,029.39	19,123.98	
	iv) Bank balances other than iii above	2.13	10.06	56.18	
	v) Loans	2.14	5.35	15.09	
	vi) Other Financial Assets	2.15	129.52	257.89	
	c) Other Current Assets	2.16	2,336.89	1,609.95	
		2.10	65,755.08	61,302.14	
тот	TAL ASSETS		81,717.60	74,311.14	
	JITY & LIABILITIES		01,717.00	74,011.14	
Equ					
	Equity Share Capital	2.17	6,162.52	6,162.52	
	Other Equity	2.17	48,579.36	41,656.89	
D)		2.10	54,741.88	41,050.09	
	ilities		54,/41.00	47,019.41	
	Non-Current Liabilities				
	a) Financial Liabilities				
	i) Lease Liabilities	2.19	1,286.52	438.83	
	b) Provisions	2.20	6.50	6.50	
			1,293.02	445.33	
2)	Current Liabilities				
	a) Financial Liabilities				
	i) Borrowings	2.21	5,082.13	7,659.85	
	ii) Lease Liabilities	2.22	229.64	89.00	
	iii) Trade Payables	2.23			
	- total outstanding dues to micro and small enterprises		32.73	36.19	
	- total outstanding dues to creditors other than micro and small enterprises		4,776.06	5,307.16	
	iv) Other financial liabilities	2.24	1,890.88	1,884.43	
	b) Other Current Liabilities	2.25	4,120.81	2,156.75	
	c) Provisions	2.26	9,464.99	8,913.02	
	d) Current Tax Liabilities (Net)	2.27	85.46		
			25,682.70	26,046.40	
тот	TAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		81,717.60	74,311.14	
101	ificant accounting policies and notes on accounts	1 & 2	01,/1/.00	74,311.14	

The notes referred to above form integral part of Financial Statements

**Prashant Daftary** 

Nimesh Anandpara

Membership No.: 117080

Dy. Chief Financial Officer

Partner

As per our audit report of even date For and on behalf of Jain & Trivedi N.A. Shah Associates LLP Chartered Accountants Registration No.: 113496W Registration No.: 116560W / W100149

**Satish Trivedi** Partner Membership No.: 38317

Place: Mumbai Date: April 27, 2023 For and on behalf of the Board of Directors of Kewal Kiran Clothing Ltd

Kewalchand P Jain Chairman & Managing Director DIN No.: 00029730

Bharat Adnani Chief Financial Officer Place: Mumbai Date: April 27, 2023 Hemant P Jain Jt. Managing Director DIN No.: 00029822

Abhijit Warange Company Secretary

## STANDALONE STATEMENT OF PROFIT AND LOSS

for the year ended March 31, 2023 | CIN: L18101MH1992PLC065136

(₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

		(Chi laki is except as other wise stated		
Particulars	Note	For the year ended March 31, 2023 Audited	For the year ended March 31, 2022 Audited	
INCOME				
Revenue from Operations	2.28	77,945.34	60,760.98	
Other Income	2.29	2,024.56	1,686.14	
		79,969.90	62,447.12	
EXPENDITURE				
Changes in inventories of Finished goods, Stock-in-trade & Work-in-progress	2.30	(5,808.97)	(6,185.06)	
Cost of Material Consumed	2.31	40,227.30	32,651.06	
Purchases of Stock in Trade: Lifestyle Accessories/Products		2,809.09	2,331.54	
Employee Benefit Expenses	2.32	9,786.28	7,976.85	
Finance Cost	2.33	638.53	452.60	
Depreciation and Amortisation Expenses	2.1	873.04	702.63	
Manufacturing and Operating Expenses	2.34	7,659.34	7,074.18	
Administrative and Other Expenses	2.35	3,632.84	3,542.80	
Selling and Distribution Expenses	2.36	4,445.04	3,365.87	
		64,262.49	51,912.47	
Net Profit Before Tax		15,707.41	10,534.65	
Tax Expense				
Current Tax		3,771.31	2,710.00	
Deferred Tax		8.00	(324.00)	
(Excess)/Short Provision for Taxes of Earlier Years		-	(16.83)	
Net Profit for the Year		11,928.10	8,165.48	
Other Comprehensive Income (OCI)				
Items that will not be reclassified to Profit and Loss				
Effect [gain/(loss)] of measuring equity instruments at fair value through OCI		(111.10)	154.41	
Remeasurement gain/(loss) on net defined benefit liability		34.51	(69.35)	
Income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified to profit and loss		0.98	(30.22)	
Total Other Comprehensive income		(75.61)	54.84	
Total Comprehensive Income for the year (Comprising Profit and Other comprehensive Income for the year)		11,852.49	8,220.32	
Earnings per Share - Basic and Diluted (Face Value of ₹ 10 each fully paid up)		19.36	13.25	
Weighted Average Number of Shares used in computing Earnings per Share -Basic and Diluted		6,16,25,185	6,16,25,185	
Significant accounting policies and notes on accounts	1&2			

The notes referred to above form integral part of Statement of Profit and Loss

As per our audit report of even date For and on behalf of Jain & Trivedi Chartered Accountants

N.A. Shah Associates LLP Chartered Accountants Registration No.: 113496W Registration No.: 116560W / W100149

Satish Trivedi Partner Membership No.: 38317

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**Nimesh Anandpara** 

Dy. Chief Financial Officer

Place: Mumbai Date: April 27, 2023 For and on behalf of the Board of Directors of Kewal Kiran Clothing Ltd

Kewalchand P Jain Chairman & Managing Director DIN No.: 00029730

**Bharat Adnani** Chief Financial Officer Place: Mumbai Date: April 27, 2023

Hemant P Jain Jt. Managing Director DIN No.: 00029822

Abhijit Warange Company Secretary

# **STANDALONE CASH FLOW STATEMENT** for the year ended March 31, 2023 | CIN: L18101MH1992PLC065136

(₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

Par	ticulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023		For the year ended March 31 2022	
Α.	CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
	Net Profit Before Tax as per Statement of Profit and Loss		15,707.41		10,534.64
	Adjustments for:				
	Depreciation/Amortisation	870.11		700.42	
	(Gain)/Loss on Sale/discard of Property plant & equipment (Tangible Assets) (Net)	(19.07)		(82.01)	
	Depreciation on Investment Property	2.93		2.21	
	Change in Fair Valuation and Gain on sale of investments	(1,616.04)		(1,304.80)	
-	Sundry Balance (written back)/written off (Net)	(1.02)		(3.23)	
	Finance costs	633.70		448.89	
	Dividend Income	(25.27)		(12.83)	
	Allowance for expected credit loss, Advances and Deposits (Net)	341.74		570.65	
	Provision/(Reversal of Provision) of Exchange Rate Fluctuation (Net)	0.01		(1.58)	
	Interest Income	(222.62)		(164.86)	
			(35.53)		152.86
			15,671.88		10,687.50
	Changes in Current & Non-current Assets and Liabilities				
	(Increase)/Decrease in Trade Receivable and Other Assets	370.41		(5,050.98)	
	(Increase)/Decrease in Inventories	(7,035.37)		(6,242.29)	
	Increase/(Decrease) in Trade Payables, Liabilities and Provisions	1,998.49		8,645.36	
			(4,666.47)		(2,647.91)
•••••	Net Cash generated/(used in) Operating Activities		11,005.41		8,039.59
•••••	Less: Income Tax paid (Net of Refund)		(3,496.04)		(2,348.87)
•••••	Net Cash generated/(used in) Operating Activities		7,509.37		5,690.72
В.	CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES				
	Purchase of Property Plant & Equipment (including Capital Advances)		(1,621.40)		(1,049.10)
	Sale of Property Plant & Equipment		28.86		130.62
	Purchase of Investments		(5,350.13)		(4,439.00)
	Redemption of Investments {net of taxes ₹ 116.00 lakhs, (P.Y. ₹ 100.58 lakhs)}		5,658.83		4,610.77
	Bank Deposit offered as Security		-		(62.09)
	Maturity of Bank Deposit offered as Security		47.46		1.49
	Dividend Income	25.27		12.83	
	Less: Income Tax Paid	(6.36)	18.91	(3.23)	9.60
	Interest received	279.33		96.59	
	Less: Income Tax Paid	(70.30)	209.03	(24.31)	72.28
	Net Cash generated /(used in) Investing Activities		(1,008.44)		(725.43)
С.	CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES				
	Proceeds from Working Capital Demand Loans		14,500.00		3,000.00
	Repayment of Working Capital Demand Loans		(14,000.00)		(2,000.00)
	Loan to subsidary		(276.62)		-
	Interest and Finance Charges		(541.17)		(405.99)
	Payment of Lease liability {including interest of ₹101.94 lakhs, (P.Y.: ₹ 47.44 lakhs)}		(271.34)		(116.54)
	Payment of Dividend		(4,928.68)		(3,698.82)
•••••	Net Cash generated/(used in) Financing Activities		(5,517.81)		(3,221.35)

## STANDALONE CASH FLOW STATEMENT

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		(₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)	
Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31 2022	
Net Increase/(Decrease) in Cash & Cash Equivalents	983.12	1,743.94	
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - OPENING	14,464.13	12,720.15	
	15,447.25	14,464.09	
Effect of Exchange (Gain)/Loss on Cash and Cash Equivalents	0.01	0.04	
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - CLOSING	15,447.26	14,464.13	
Note:			
i. Components of Cash and Cash Equivalent			
Cash and Cash Equivalent as on date	17,029.39	19,123.98	
less: Bank Overdraft/Cash Credit	(1,582.13)	(4,659.85)	
Total Cash and Cash Equivalent	15,447.26	14,464.13	
Significant accounting policies and notes on accounts 1&2			

The notes referred to above form integral part of cash flow statement

ii The Aggregate Income Tax paid during the period is ₹3,694.48 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹2,693.90 lakhs).

iii Refer note 2.67 for disclosures relating to Ind AS 7.

As per our audit report of even date For and on behalf of

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Date: April 27, 2023

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**Abhijit Warange Company Secretary** 

Place: Mumbai Date: April 27, 2023

# **STATEMENT OF STANDALONE CHANGE IN EQUITY** for the year ended March 31, 2023 | CIN: L18101MH1992PLC065136

(₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

A) EQUITY SHARE CAPITAL	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Balance at the beginning of the year	6,162.52	1,232.50
Changes in Equity Share capital during the year (issue of bonus shares) (refer note 2.17.5(ii))	-	4,930.02
Balance at the end of the year	6,162.52	6,162.52

B) OTHER EQUITY	General Reserve	Retained Earning	Securities premium	Business Progressive fund (refer note 2.18.1)	Equity Instruments through OCI	Total
Balance as at March 31, 2022 (I)	5,375.63	28,515.64	3,496.75	4,000.00	268.87	41,656.89
Profit for the year	-	11,928.10	-	-	-	11,928.10
Items of OCI for the year, net of tax						
Remeasurement of net defined benefit liability (net of tax ₹ 8.69 lakhs)	-	25.82	-	-	-	25.82
Effect of measuring equity instruments at fair value through OCI (net of tax ₹ 9.67 lakhs)	-		-	-	(101.43)	(101.43)
Total Comprehensive income for the year (2022-23) (II)	-	11,953.92	-	-	(101.43)	11,852.49
Reduction during the year						
Dividends (refer note 2.57 (b))	-	(4,930.02)	-	-	-	(4,930.02)
Total (III)	-	(4,930.02)	-	-	-	(4,930.02)
Balance as at March 31, 2023 (IV) = I+II+III	5,375.63	35,539.54	3,496.75	4,000.00	167.44	48,579.36

As per our audit report of even date

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#### Kewalchand P Jain

Chairman & Managing Director Jt. Managing Director DIN No.: 00029730

## Bharat Adnani

Chief Financial Officer Place: Mumbai Date: April 27, 2023

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# **STATEMENT OF STANDALONE CHANGE IN EQUITY** for the year ended March 31, 2023 | CIN: L18101MH1992PLC065136

(₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

A) EQUITY SHARE CAPITAL	As at March 31, 2022	As at March 31, 2021
Balance at the beginning of the year	1,232.50	1,232.50
Changes in Equity Share capital during the year (issue of bonus shares) (refer note 2.17.5(ii))	4,930.02	-
Balance at the end of the year	6,162.52	1,232.50

B) OTHER EQUITY	General Reserve	Retained Earning	Securities premium	Business Progressive fund (refer note below)	Equity Instruments through OCI	Total
Balance as at March 31, 2021 (I)	5,375.63	24,147.25	8,426.77	4,000.00	114.46	42,064.11
Profit for the year	-	8,165.48	-	-	-	8,165.48
Items of OCI for the year, net of tax						-
Remeasurement of net defined benefit liability	-	(99.57)	-	-	-	(99.57)
Effect of measuring equity instruments at fair value through OCI	-		-	-	154.41	154.41
Total Comprehensive income from the year (2021-22) (II)	-	8,065.91	-	-	154.41	8,220.32
Reduction during the year						
Issue of bonus shares	-	-	(4,930.02)	-	-	(4,930.02)
Dividends (refer note 2.57 (b))	-	(3,697.51)	-	-	-	(3,697.51)
Total (III)	-	(3,697.51)	(4,930.02)	-	-	(8,627.53)
Balance as at March 31, 2022 (IV) = I+II+III	5,375.63	28,515.64	3,496.75	4,000.00	268.87	41,656.89

## **STANDALONE NOTES**

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## 1. Company Overview and Significant Accounting Policies:

## A. Corporate Information:

Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited ("the Company") is a Public Limited Company incorporated in India having its registered office at Kewal Kiran Estate, 460/7, I.B. Patel Road, Near Western Express Highway, Goregoan (East), Mumbai, Maharashtra. Its equity shares are listed on the National Stock Exchange (NSE) and Bombay Stock Exchange (BSE) in India.

The Company is engaged into manufacturing, marketing and retailing of branded readymade garments and finished accessories.

The financial statements of the Company for the year ended March 31, 2023 were approved and adopted by board of directors of the Company in their meeting dated April 27, 2023.

## B. Statement of Compliance and Basis of Preparation:

### (i) Compliance with Ind AS:

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with Indian Accounting Standards ("Ind AS") as notified under the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015 and relevant amendment rules issued thereafter, read with Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") and presentation requirements of Division II of Schedule III of the Act and the relevant provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") and guidelines issued by the Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI"), as applicable.

Accounting policies have been consistently applied except where a newly issued accounting standard is initially adopted or a revision to an existing accounting standard requires a change in the accounting policy hitherto in use.

## (ii) Basis of Preparation and presentation: Basis of Preparation:

The financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis, except the following assets and liabilities which have been measured at fair value:

- Certain financial assets and liabilities (refer accounting policy regarding financial instruments).
- Employee's Defined Benefit Plan as per actuarial valuation.

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 under current market conditions, regardless of whether that price is directly observable or estimated using another valuation technique. In determining the fair value of an asset or a liability, the Company takes into account the characteristics of the asset or liability if market participants would take those characteristics into account when pricing the asset or liability at the measurement date. (₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

## Functional and Presentation Currency:

Items included in the financial statements of the Company are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates ('the functional currency'). The financial statements are presented in Indian Rupees and all values are rounded to the nearest lakhs (INR 00,000), except otherwise indicated.

## C. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies:

### 1.1 Classification of Assets and Liabilities into Current/ Non-Current:

The operating cycle is the time between the acquisition of assets for processing and their realisation in cash and cash equivalents.

The Company has ascertained its operating cycle as twelve months for the purpose of Current/Non-Current classification of its Assets and Liabilities.

For the purpose of Balance Sheet,

An asset is classified as current if:

- a) It is expected to be realised, or is intended to be sold or consumed, in the normal operating cycle; or
- b) It is held primarily for the purpose of trading; or
- c) It is expected to realise the asset within twelve months after the reporting period; or
- d) The asset is a cash or cash equivalent unless it is restricted from being exchanged or used to settle a liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period.

All other assets are classified as non-current.

A liability is classified as current if:

- a) It is expected to be settled in the normal operating cycle; or
- b) It is held primarily for the purpose of trading; or
- c) It is due to be settled within twelve months after the reporting period; or
- d) The Company does not have an unconditional right to defer the settlement of the liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period. Terms of a liability that could result in its settlement by the issue of equity instruments at the option of the counterparty does not affect this classification.

All other liabilities are classified as non-current.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are classified as non-current assets and liabilities as the case may be.

## 1.2 Property, Plant and Equipment (PPE):

Freehold land is carried at historical cost. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the items. The initial cost of PPE comprises its purchase price, including import duties and non-refundable purchase taxes and any directly

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attributable costs of bringing an asset to working condition and location for its intended use, including relevant borrowing costs and any expected costs of decommissioning. Following initial recognition, items of PPE are carried at its cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses, if any. Gross carrying amount of all PPE are measured using cost model. PPE are eliminated from financial statement either on disposal or when retired from active use. Capital work-in-progress comprises of cost incurred on property, plant and equipment under construction / acquisition that are not yet ready for their intended use at the Balance Sheet Date.

Subsequent expenditure is capitalised to the asset's carrying amount only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with these, will flow to the Company and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. All other repairs and maintenance costs are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss when incurred.

If significant parts of an item of PPE have different useful lives, then they are accounted for as separate items (major components) of PPE. Material items such as spare parts, stand-by equipment and service equipment are classified as PPE when they meet the definition of PPE as specified in Ind AS 16 – Property, Plant and Equipment.

Property, plant and equipment are eliminated from financial statement either on disposal or when retired from active use. Assets held for disposal are stated at net realisable value. Losses arising in case of retirement of property, plant and equipment and gains or losses arising from disposal of property, plant and equipment are recognised in the statement of profit and loss in the year of occurrence.

#### **1.3** Expenditure during construction period:

Expenditure/Income during construction period (including financing cost related to borrowed funds for construction or acquisition of qualifying PPE) is included under Capital Work-in-Progress and the same is allocated to the respective PPE on the completion of their construction.

Advances given towards acquisition or construction of PPE outstanding at each reporting date are disclosed as Capital Advances under "Other non-current Assets".

#### 1.4 Depreciation:

a) Depreciation on the property, plant and equipment (other than freehold land and capital work-inprogress) is provided on a straight-line method (SLM) over their useful lives which is in consonance of useful life mentioned in Schedule II to the Act except certain class of assets specified in table (i) below, based on internal assessment estimated by the management of the Company, where the useful life is lower than as mentioned in said Schedule II. (₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated) Assets where useful life is lower than useful life mentioned in Schedule II:

Assets	Estimated useful life depreciated on SLM basis
Furniture & fittings at retail stores	5 years
Second hand factory/office building (RCC frame structure)	30 years
Second hand factory/office building (other than RCC frame structure)	5 years
Individual assets whose cost does not exceed ₹ 5,000	Fully depreciated in the year of purchase

b) The range of useful lives of the property, plant and equipment not covered in table above and are in accordance with Schedule II are as follows:

Particulars	Useful life
Factory buildings	30 years
Other buildings (RCC structure)	60 years
Other Plant and Machinery	15 years
Computers	3 years
Furniture & fittings (other than retail)	10 years
Motor vehicles	8 years
Windmill	22 years
Office Equipments	5 years

- c) In case of assets purchased, sold or discarded during the year, depreciation on such assets is calculated on pro-rata basis from the date of such addition or as the case may be, up to the date on which such asset has been sold or discarded.
- Depreciation methods, useful lives and residual values are reviewed at each financial year end and adjusted prospectively.
- e) Leasehold lands are amortised over the period of lease or useful life whichever is lower. Buildings constructed on leasehold land are depreciated over its useful life which matches with the useful life mentioned in Schedule II. In cases where building is having useful life greater than the period of lease (where the Company does not have right of renewal), the same is amortised over the lease period of land.

# 1.5 Investment properties & Depreciation on investment properties:

a) Property that is held for long-term rental yields or for capital appreciation or both and that is not occupied by the Company for its own business, is classified as investment property. Investment properties are measured at its cost, including related transaction costs and where applicable borrowing costs less depreciation and impairment if any.

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b) Investment properties are measured initially at cost, including transaction costs. Cost of investment properties includes non-refundable taxes and duties, borrowing cost directly attributable to the qualifying asset and any directly attributable costs of bringing the asset to its working condition and location and present value of any obligatory decommissioning cost for its intended use.

Subsequent expenditure is capitalised to the asset's carrying amount only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with these, will flow to the Company and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. All other repairs and maintenance costs are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss when incurred.

c) Depreciation on building held as Investment Properties is provided over it's useful life (of 60 years) using the straight-line method.

In the case of investment property purchased, sold or discarded during the year, depreciation on such investment property is calculated on pro-rata basis from the date of such addition or as the case may be, up to the date on which such investment property has been sold or discarded.

The residual values, useful lives and methods of depreciation of investment properties are reviewed at each balance sheet date to reflect the expected pattern of consumption of the future benefits embodied in the investment properties and in case of any changes, effect of the same is given prospectively.

#### **1.6** Intangible Assets and Amortisation:

- a) Intangible assets are recognised only if it is probable that the future economic benefits attributable to asset will flow to the Company and the cost of asset can be measured reliably. Intangible assets are stated at cost of acquisition/development less accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment loss if any.
- b) Cost of an intangible asset includes purchase price including non-refundable taxes and duties, borrowing cost directly attributable to the qualifying asset and any directly attributable expenditure on making the asset ready for its intended use.
- c) Intangible assets under development comprises of cost incurred on intangible assets under development that are not yet ready for their intended use as at the Balance Sheet date.
- d) Class of intangible assets and their estimated useful lives are as under:

Assets	Estimated useful life amortised on SLM basis
Computer software	3 years

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- e) Amortisation methods and useful lives are reviewed at each financial year end and adjusted prospectively.
- f) In case of assets purchased during the year, amortisation on such assets is calculated on prorata basis from the date of such addition.

# 1.7 Non-current assets (or disposal Company) classified as held for disposal:

Assets are classified as held for disposal and stated at the lower of carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell.

To classify any Asset as "Asset held for disposal" the asset must be available for immediate sale and its sale must be highly probable. Such assets are presented separately in the Balance Sheet, in the line "Assets held for disposal". Once classified as held for disposal, intangible assets and PPE are no longer amortised or depreciated, but carried at lower of cost or NRV.

#### **1.8** Impairment of Non-Financial Assets:

At the end of each reporting period, the Company reviews the carrying amounts of non-financial assets to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss. If any such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated in order to determine the extent of the impairment loss (if any). When it is not possible to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, the Company estimates the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs. When a reasonable and consistent basis of allocation can be identified, corporate assets are also allocated to individual cash-generating units, or otherwise they are allocated to the smallest group of cash-generating units for which a reasonable and consistent allocation basis can be identified.

Intangible assets with indefinite useful lives and intangible assets not yet available for use are tested for impairment at least annually and whenever there is an indication that the asset may be impaired.

Recoverable amount is the higher of fair value less costs of disposal and value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset for which the estimates of future cash flows have not been adjusted.

If the recoverable amount of an asset (or cash-generating unit) is estimated to be less than its carrying amount, the carrying amount of the asset (or cash-generating unit) is reduced to its recoverable amount. An impairment loss is recognised immediately in Statement of Profit and Loss, unless the relevant asset is carried at a revalued amount, in which case the impairment loss is treated as a revaluation decrease.

When an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset (or a cash-generating unit) is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable

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amount, but so that the increased carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset (or cash-generating unit) in prior years. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognised immediately in the Statement of Profit and Loss, unless the relevant asset is carried at a revalued amount, in which case the reversal of the impairment loss is treated as a revaluation increase.

#### 1.9 Inventories:

The inventories (including traded goods) are valued at lower of cost and net realisable value after providing for cost of obsolescence wherever considered necessary. However, materials and other items held for use in the production of inventories are not written down below cost if the finished products in which they will be incorporated are expected to be sold at or above cost.

The cost comprises of costs of purchase, duties and taxes (other than those subsequently recoverable), conversion cost and other costs incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition. Since the Company is in fashion industry with diverse designs / styles, the cost of inventory is determined on the basis of specific identification method (as the same is considered as more suitable).

In case of work-in-progress and finished goods, the costs of conversion include costs directly related to the units of production and systematic allocation of fixed and variable production overheads.

Proceeds in respect of sale of raw materials/ stores are credited to the respective heads. Obsolete and defective inventory are duly provided for, basis the management estimates. (Refer note – 2.9)

#### **1.10 Borrowing Costs:**

Borrowing costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or development of a qualifying asset are capitalised as part of the cost of the respective asset till such time the asset is ready for its intended use. A qualifying asset is an asset which necessarily takes a substantial period of time to get ready for its intended use. All other borrowing costs are expensed in the period in which they occur. Borrowing costs consist of interest, amortisation of discounts, hedge related cost incurred in connection with foreign currency borrowings and exchange difference arising from foreign currency borrowings to the extent they are treated as an adjustment to the borrowing cost and other costs that an entity incurs in connection with the borrowing of funds.

# 1.11 Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets:

Provisions are recognised when the Company has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event and it is probable that an outflow of resources, that can be reliably estimated, will be required to settle such an obligation.

If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are determined by discounting the expected future cash flows to net present value using an appropriate pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and, where appropriate, the risks specific to the liability. Unwinding of the discount is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss as a finance cost.

Provisions are reviewed at each reporting date and are adjusted to reflect the current best estimate.

A present obligation that arises from past events where it is either not probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle or a reliable estimate of the amount cannot be made, is disclosed as a contingent liability. Contingent liabilities are also disclosed when there is a possible obligation arising from past events, the existence of which will be confirmed only by the occurrence or nonoccurrence of one or more uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the Company.

Claims against the Company where the possibility of any outflow of resources in settlement is remote, are not disclosed as contingent liabilities.

A contingent asset is disclosed, where an inflow of economic benefits is probable. Contingent assets are not recognised in financial statements since this may result in the recognition of income that may never be realised. However, when the realisation of income is virtually certain, then the related asset is not a contingent asset and is recognised.

#### 1.12 Revenue Recognition:

Revenue is recognised upon transfer of control of promised products and services to customers, when there are no longer any unfulfilled obligations, in an amount that reflects the consideration which the Company expects to receive in exchange for those products and services.

Revenue towards satisfaction of a performance obligation is measured at the amount of transaction price (net of variable consideration) allocated to that performance obligation. The transaction price of goods sold and services rendered is net of variable consideration on account of allowances, trade, volume & other discounts/rebates or schemes offered by the Company as part of the contract and any taxes or duties collected on behalf of the government such as goods and services tax, etc. This variable consideration is estimated based on the expected value of outflow. Revenue (net of variable consideration) is recognised only to the extent that it is highly probable that the amount will not be subject to significant reversal when uncertainty relating to its recognition is resolved.

#### a) Sale of goods:

Sales of goods are recognised at a point in time upon transfer of control of promised products to customers, which coincides with the dispatch or delivery of goods or upon formal

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customer acceptance as per the relevant terms of the contract, in an amount that reflects the consideration the Company expect to receive in exchange for those products.

Accumulated experience and judgement are used to estimate and provide for turnover discounts, expected cash discounts, other eligible discounts, expected returns and incentives.

#### b) Sale of services:

- Revenue from services rendered is recognised at a point in time upon satisfaction of performance obligations based on agreements arrangements with the customers. Service income is recorded net of GST.
- In case of Licensing contract which are mainly in nature of right access, the revenue is recognised over license period on straightline basis based on agreements arrangements with the customers.

#### c) Income from power generation:

Power generation income is recognised on the basis of electrical units generated and sold in excess of captive consumption and recognised at prescribed rate as per agreement of sale of electricity by the Company. Further, value of electricity generated and captively consumed is netted off from the electricity expenses.

 Assets and liabilities arising from right to return: The Company has contracts with customers which entitles them the unconditional right to return.

#### Right to return assets:

A right of return gives the Company a contractual right to recover the goods from a customer (right to return asset), if the customer exercises its option to return the goods and obtain a refund. The asset is measured at the carrying amount of the inventory, less any expected costs to recover the goods, including any potential decreases in the value of the returned goods.

#### **Refund liabilities:**

A refund liability is the obligation to refund part or all of the consideration received (or receivable) from the customer. The Company has therefore recognised refund liabilities in respect of customer's right to return. The liability is measured at the amount the Company ultimately expects it will have to return to the customer. The Company updates its estimate of refund liabilities (and the corresponding change in the transaction price) at the end of each reporting period. The Company has presented its right to return assets and refund (₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated) liabilities under other current assets and other current liabilities, respectively.

#### e) Other income:

- Interest income in respect of deposits which are measured at cost is recorded using effective interest rate (EIR). EIR is the rate that exactly discounts the estimated future cash payments or receipts over the expected life of the financial instrument or a shorter period, where appropriate, to the gross carrying amount of the financial asset or to the amortised cost of a financial liability.
- ii) Dividend income on investment is accounted for in the period/year in which the right to receive the same is established.
- iii) Rental income (net of taxes) on assets given under operating lease arrangements is recognised on a straight-line basis over the period of the lease unless the receipts are structured to increase in line with expected general inflation to compensate for the Company's expected inflationary cost increases.

#### 1.13 Government grants:

Government grants are recognised when there is reasonable assurance that the Company will comply with the conditions attaching to them and that the grants will be received.

Export incentives principally comprises of Duty Drawback, merchandise exports from India scheme (MEIS) and rebate on state & central taxes and levies (RoSTCL) based on guidelines formulated for the respective scheme by the government authorities. Export incentives related to operations provided by government are recognised as income on accrual basis in Statement of Profit and Loss only to the extent that realisation/utilisation is certain.

#### **1.14** Trade receivables:

Trade receivables are amounts due from customers for goods sold or services performed in the ordinary course of business. If the receivable is expected to be collected within a period of 12 months or less from the reporting date (or in the normal operating cycle of the business, if longer), they are classified as current assets, otherwise as non-current assets.

Trade receivables are measured at their transaction price unless it contains a significant financing component or pricing adjustments embedded in the contract. In case a financing component exits the consideration for the goods and service is adjusted for the time value of company.

Loss allowance for expected life time credit loss is recognised on initial recognition.

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#### 1.15 Leases:

#### a) As a Lessee:

The Company assesses whether a contract 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: (i) the contract involves the use of an identified asset (ii) the Company has substantially all of the economic benefits from use of the asset through the period of the lease and (iii) the Company has the right to direct the use of the asset.

Certain lease arrangements include the options to extend or terminate the lease before the end of the lease term. ROU assets and lease liabilities includes these options when it is reasonably certain that they will be exercised.

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.

Right-of-use assets are depreciated on a straightline basis over the lease term. Right of use assets are evaluated for recoverability whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that their carrying amounts may not be recoverable. For the purpose of impairment testing, the recoverable amount (i.e. the higher of the fair value less cost to sell and the value-in-use) is determined on an individual asset basis unless the asset does not generate cash flows that are largely independent of those from other assets.

The lease liability is initially measured at amortised cost 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 in the country of domicile of these leases. Lease liabilities are remeasured with a corresponding adjustment to the related right of use asset if the Company changes its assessment if whether it will exercise an extension or a termination option.

Lease liability and ROU asset have been separately presented in the Balance Sheet and lease payments have been classified as financing cash flows.

#### b) Short-term leases and leases of low value assets:

The Company applies the short-term lease recognition exemption to its short-term leases (i.e., those leases that have a lease term of 12 months

(₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated) or less from the commencement date and do not contain a purchase option). It also applies the lease of low-value assets recognition exemption to leases that are considered to be low value. Lease payments on short-term leases and leases of low-value assets are recognised as expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

#### c) As a Lessor:

Lease income from operating leases where the Company is a lessor is recognised (net of GST) in income on a straight-line basis over the lease term. The respective leased assets are included in the balance sheet based on their nature.

#### 1.16 Employees' Benefits:

#### a) Short term employee benefits:

All employee benefits falling due wholly within twelve months of rendering the service are classified as short-term employee benefits and they are recognised as an expense at the undiscounted amount in the Statement of Profit and Loss in the period in which the employee renders the related service.

#### b) Post-employment benefits:

#### i) Defined contribution plan:

The defined contribution plan is postemployment benefit plan under which the Company contributes fixed contribution to a government administered fund and will have no obligation to pay further contribution. The Company's defined contribution plan comprises of Provident Fund, Employee State Insurance Scheme, Employee Pension Scheme, National Pension Scheme and Labour Welfare Fund. The Company's contribution to defined contribution plans are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss in the period in which employee renders the related service.

If the contribution payable to the scheme for service received before the Balance Sheet date exceeds the contribution already paid, the deficit payable to the scheme is recognised as a liability after deducting the contribution already paid. If the contribution already paid exceeds the contribution due for services received before the Balance Sheet date, then excess is recognised as an asset to the extent that the pre-payment will lead to a reduction in future payment or a cash refund.

#### ii) Defined benefit plan:

The Company's obligation towards gratuity liability is funded to an approved gratuity fund, which fully covers the said liability under Cash Accumulation Policy of Life

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Insurance Corporation of India (LIC). The present value of the defined benefit obligations is determined based on actuarial valuation using the projected unit credit method. The rate used to discount defined benefit obligation is determined by reference to market yields at the Balance Sheet date on Indian Government Bonds for the estimated term of obligations.

The current service cost of the defined benefit plan, recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss as employee benefits expense, reflects the increase in the defined benefit obligation resulting from employee service in the current year, benefit changes, curtailments and settlements. Past service costs are recognised in statement of profit and loss in the period of a plan amendment.

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 expense in Statement of Profit and Loss.

Re-measurement gains or losses arising from experience adjustments changes in actuarial assumptions is reflected immediately in the Balance Sheet with a charge or credit recognised in Other Comprehensive Income (OCI) in the period in which they occur. Remeasurement recognised in OCI is reflected immediately in retained earnings and will not be reclassified to Statement of Profit and Loss in the subsequent period. Re-measurements comprises of (a) actuarial gains and losses, (b) the effect of the asset ceiling (excluding amounts included in net interest on the net defined benefit liability) and (c) the return on plan assets (excluding amounts included in net interest on the net defined benefit liability).

#### *iii)* Other employee benefits:

As per the Company's policy, employees who have completed specified years of service are eligible for death benefit plan wherein defined amount would be paid to the survivors of the employee on the death of the employee while in service with the Company. To fulfil the Company's obligation for the above-mentioned plan, the Company has taken term policy from an insurance company. The annual premium for insurance cover is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### 1.17 Income Taxes:

a) Tax expenses comprise of current tax, deferred tax charge or credit and adjustments of taxes

for earlier years. In respect of amounts adjusted against securities premium or retained earnings or other reserves, the corresponding tax effect is also adjusted against the securities premium or retained earnings or other reserves, as the case may be, as per the announcement of Institute of Chartered Accountant of India.

- b) Current Tax is measured on the basis of estimated taxable income for the current accounting period in with the applicable tax rates and the provisions of the Income-tax Act, 1961 and other applicable tax laws.
- c) Deferred tax is provided, on all temporary differences at the reporting date between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts for financial reporting purposes. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to be applied to the temporary differences when they reverse, based on the laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date.

Tax relating to items recognised directly in equity or OCI is recognised in equity or OCI and not in the Statement of Profit and Loss. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset if there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax liabilities and assets and they relate to income taxes levied by the same tax authority, but they intend to settle current tax liabilities and assets on a net basis or their tax assets and liabilities will be realised simultaneously.

A deferred tax asset is recognised only to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which the temporary difference can be utilised. Deferred tax assets are reviewed at each reporting date and are reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable.

#### 1.18 Earnings per Share:

Basic earnings per share (EPS) are calculated by dividing the net profit or loss (after tax) for the year attributable to equity shareholders by the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the year. The weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the period is adjusted for events of bonus issue and share split if any.

For the purpose of calculating diluted earnings per share, the net profit or loss (after tax) for the year attributable to equity shareholders and the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the year are adjusted for the effects of all dilutive potential equity shares.

#### **1.19** Foreign Currency Transactions:

a) Transactions denominated in foreign currencies are recorded at the exchange rates prevailing on the date of the transaction.

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- b) As at balance sheet date, foreign currency monetary items are translated at closing exchange rate. Foreign currency non-monetary items carried at fair value are translated at the rates prevailing at the date when the fair value was determined. Foreign currency non-monetary items measured in terms of historical cost are translated using the exchange rate as at the date of initial transactions.
- c) Exchange difference arising on settlement or translation of foreign currency monetary items are recognised as income or expense in the year in which they arise except to the extent exchange differences are regarded as an adjustment to interest cost on those foreign currency borrowings.
- d) As per Appendix B to Ind AS 21, when an entity has received or paid advance contribution in a foreign currency, transaction rate as on the date of receipt of advance is considered for recognition of related asset, expenses or income.

#### **1.20** Financial Instruments:

A financial instrument is any contract that gives rise to a financial asset of one entity and a financial liability or equity instrument of another entity.

#### Financial assets:

#### Initial recognition and measurement:

The Company recognises a financial asset in its Balance Sheet when it becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. All financial assets are recognised initially at fair value, plus in the case of financial assets not recorded at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL), transaction costs that are attributable to the acquisition of the financial asset. Where the fair value of a financial asset at initial recognition is different from its transaction price, the difference between the fair value and the transaction price is recognised as a gain or loss in the Statement of Profit and Loss at initial recognition if the fair value is determined through a quoted market price in an active market for an identical asset (i.e. level 1 input) or through a valuation technique that uses data from observable markets (i.e. level 2 input). In case the fair value is not determined using a level 1 or level 2 input as mentioned above, the difference between the fair value and transaction price is deferred appropriately and recognised as a gain or loss in the Statement of Profit and Loss only to the extent that such gain or loss arises due to a change in factor that market participants take into account when pricing the financial asset. However, trade receivables that do not contain a significant financing component are measured at transaction price (see second para of note 1.14 on trade receivables).

#### Subsequent measurement:

For subsequent measurement, the Company classifies a financial asset in accordance with the below criteria:

- The Company's business model for managing the financial asset and
- The contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial asset.

Based on the above criteria, the Company classifies its financial assets into the following categories:

a) Financial assets measured at amortised cost:

A financial asset is measured at the amortised cost if both the following conditions are met:

- i) The Company's business model objective for managing the financial asset is to hold financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows, and
- ii) The contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

This category applies to cash and bank balances, trade receivables, loans and other financial assets of the Company. Such financial assets are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Under the effective interest method, the future cash receipts are exactly discounted to the initial recognition value using the effective interest rate. The cumulative amortisation using the effective interest method of the difference between the initial recognition amount and the maturity amount is added to the initial recognition value (net of principal repayments, if any) of the financial asset over the relevant period of the financial asset to arrive at the amortised cost at each reporting date. The corresponding effect of the amortisation under effective interest method is recognised as interest income over the relevant period of the financial asset. The same is included under other income in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

The amortised cost of a financial asset is also adjusted for loss allowance, if any.

b) Financial assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVTOCI):

A financial asset is measured at FVTOCI if both of the following conditions are met:

- The Company's business model objective for managing the financial asset is achieved both by collecting contractual cash flows and selling the financial assets, and
- ii) The contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

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The Company, through an irrevocable election at initial recognition, has measured certain investments in equity instruments at FVTOCI (refer note 2.3(a)). The Company has made such election on an instrument by instrument basis. These equity instruments are neither held for trading nor are contingent consideration recognised under a business combination. Pursuant to such irrevocable election, subsequent changes in the fair value of such equity instruments are recognised in OCI. However, the Company recognises dividend income from such instruments in the Statement of Profit and Loss when the right to receive payment is established, it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Company and the amount can be measured reliably.

On derecognition of such financial assets, cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in OCI is not reclassified from the equity to Statement of Profit and Loss. However, the Company may transfer such cumulative gain or loss into retained earnings within equity.

c) Financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL):

A financial asset is measured at FVTPL unless it is measured at amortised cost or at FVTOCI as explained above. This is a residual category applied to all other investments of the Company excluding investments in subsidiary and joint venture. Such financial assets are subsequently measured at fair value at each reporting date. Fair value changes are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### Derecognition:

A financial asset (or, where applicable, a part of a financial asset or part of a group of similar financial assets) is derecognised (i.e. removed from the Company's Balance Sheet) when any of the following occurs:

- a) The contractual rights to cash flows from the financial asset expires;
- b) The Company transfers its contractual rights to receive cash flows of the financial asset and has substantially transferred all the risks and rewards of ownership of the financial asset;
- c) The Company retains the contractual rights to receive cash flows but assumes a contractual obligation to pay the cash flows without material delay to one or more recipients under a 'passthrough' arrangement (thereby substantially transferring all the risks and rewards of ownership of the financial asset);
- d) The Company neither transfers nor retains substantially all risk and rewards of ownership and does not retain control over the financial asset.

In cases where Company has neither transferred nor retained substantially all of the risks and rewards of the

financial asset, but retains control of the financial asset, the Company continues to recognise such financial asset to the extent of its continuing involvement in the financial asset. In that case, the Company also recognises an associated liability. The financial asset and the associated liability are measured on a basis that reflects the rights and obligations that the Company has retained.

On derecognition of a financial asset, (except as mentioned in (ii) under classification above for financial assets measured at FVTOCI), the difference between the carrying amount and the consideration received is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### Impairment of financial assets:

The Company applies expected credit losses (ECL) model for measurement and recognition of loss allowance on the following:

- a) Trade receivables and lease receivables
- b) Financial assets measured at amortised cost (other than trade receivables and lease receivables)

In case of trade receivables and lease receivables, the Company follows a simplified approach wherein an amount equal to lifetime ECL is measured and recognised as loss allowance.

In case of other assets (listed as (ii) above), the Company determines if there has been a significant increase in credit risk of the financial asset since initial recognition.

If the credit risk of such assets has not increased significantly, an amount equal to 12-month ECL is measured and recognised as loss allowance. However, if credit risk has increased significantly, an amount equal to lifetime ECL is measured and recognised as loss allowance.

Subsequently, if the credit quality of the financial asset improves such that there is no longer a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition, the Company reverts to recognising impairment loss allowance based on 12-month ECL.

ECL is the difference between all contractual cash flows that are due to the Company 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.

Lifetime ECL are the expected credit losses resulting from all possible default events over the expected life of a financial asset. 12-month ECL are a portion of the lifetime ECL which result from default events that are possible within 12 months from the reporting date.

ECL are measured in a manner that they reflect unbiased and probability weighted amounts determined by a range of outcomes, taking into account the time value of money and other reasonable information available as a result of past events, current conditions and forecasts of future economic conditions.

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As a practical expedient, the Company uses a provision matrix to measure lifetime ECL on its portfolio of trade receivables. The provision matrix is prepared based on historically observed default rates over the expected life of trade receivables and is adjusted for forward-looking estimates. At each reporting date, the historically observed default rates and changes in the forwardlooking estimates are updated.

ECL impairment loss allowance (or reversal) recognised during the period is recognised as income/expense in the Statement of Profit and Loss under the head 'Other expenses'.

#### Investment in subsidiary and joint venture:

The Company has elected to recognise its investments in subsidiary and joint venture at cost in accordance with the option available in Ind AS 27, 'Separate Financial Statements'. Investments in subsidiaries are carried at cost less accumulated impairment losses, if any. Where an indication of impairment exists, the carrying amount of the investment is assessed. Where the carrying amount of an investment is greater than its estimated recoverable amount, it is written down immediately to its recoverable amount and the difference is transferred to the Statement of Profit and Loss. On disposal of investment, the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount is charged or credited to the Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### **Financial Liabilities:**

#### Classification as debt or equity:

Financial liabilities and equity instruments issued by the Company are classified according to the substance of the contractual arrangements entered into and the definitions of a financial liability and an equity instrument.

#### **Equity instruments:**

An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of an entity after deducting all of its liabilities. Equity instruments issued by the Company are recognised at the proceeds received, net of direct issue costs.

#### Initial recognition and measurement:

The Company recognises a financial liability in its Balance Sheet when it becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. All financial liabilities are recognised initially at fair value minus, in the case of financial liabilities not recorded at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL), transaction costs that are attributable to the acquisition of the financial liability.

Where the fair value of a financial liability at initial recognition is different from its transaction price, the difference between the fair value and the transaction price is recognised as a gain or loss in the Statement of Profit and Loss at initial recognition if the fair value is determined through a quoted market price in an active market for an identical asset (i.e. level 1 input) or through a valuation technique that uses data from observable markets (i.e. level 2 input).

In case the fair value is not determined using a level 1 or level 2 input as mentioned above, the difference between the fair value and transaction price is deferred appropriately and recognised as a gain or loss in the Statement of Profit and Loss only to the extent that such gain or loss arises due to a change in factor that market participants take into account when pricing the financial liability.

#### Subsequent measurement:

All financial liabilities of the Company are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

Under the effective interest method, the future cash payments are exactly discounted to the initial recognition value using the effective interest rate. The cumulative amortisation using the effective interest method of the difference between the initial recognition amount and the maturity amount is added to the initial recognition value (net of principal repayments, if any) of the financial liability over the relevant period of the financial liability to arrive at the amortised cost at each reporting date. The corresponding effect of the amortisation under effective interest method is recognised as interest expense over the relevant period of the financial liability. The same is included under finance cost in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### Derecognition:

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 between the carrying amount of the financial liability derecognised and the consideration paid is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### **Offsetting financial instruments:**

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the balance sheet when there is a legally enforceable right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously. The legally enforceable right must not be contingent on future events and must be enforceable in the normal course of business and in the event of default, insolvency or bankruptcy of the Company or the counterparty.

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#### 1.21 Fair Value Measurement:

The Company measures financial instruments, such as investments and derivatives at fair values 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:

- In the principal market for the asset or liability, or
- 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 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 Company uses valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value, categorise the use of relevant observable inputs and categorise 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:

- Level 1 Quoted (unadjusted) market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2 Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is directly or indirectly observable other than quoted prices included in Level 1.
- Level 3 Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is unobservable.

For financial assets and liabilities maturing within one year from the Balance Sheet date and which are not carried at fair value, the carrying amount approximates fair value due to the short maturity of these instruments. 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.

#### 1.22 Cash Flow Statement and Cash and Cash Equivalents:

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Cash and cash equivalents include cash in hand, bank balances, deposits with banks (other than on lien) and all short-term highly liquid investments / mutual funds (with zero exit load at the time of investment) that are readily convertible into known amounts of cash and are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value. Cash flows are reported using the indirect method, where by net profit before tax is adjusted for the effects of transactions of a non-cash nature, any deferrals or accruals of past or future operating cash receipts or payments and item of income or expenses associated with investing or financing cash flows. The cash flows from operating, investing and financing activities are segregated.

#### **1.23** Dividend distribution:

Final equity dividends on shares are recorded as a liability on the date of approval by the shareholders and interim equity dividends are recorded as a liability on the date of declaration by the Company's Board of Directors.

#### **1.24 Segment Reporting:**

Operating segments have been identified taking into account the nature of the products / services, geographical locations, nature of risks and returns, internal organisation structure and internal financial reporting system. The Company prepares its segment information in conformity with the accounting policies adopted for preparing and presenting the financial statements of the Company as a whole. These operating results are regularly reviewed by the company's Chief Operating Decision Maker ("CODM").

# **1.25** Critical accounting judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty:

The preparation of the Company's financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of revenues, expenses, assets and liabilities and the accompanying disclosures and the disclosure of contingent liabilities. Uncertainty about these assumptions and estimates could result in outcomes that require a material adjustment to the carrying amount of assets or liabilities affected in future periods.

Critical judgements and estimates in applying accounting policies:

#### a) Property, Plant and Equipment:

Property, Plant and Equipment represent a significant proportion of the asset base of the Company. The charge in respect of periodic depreciation is derived after determining an estimate of an asset's expected useful life. The useful lives of the Company's assets are determined by the management at the time the asset is acquired and reviewed periodically,

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including at each financial year end. The lives are based on historical experience with similar assets as well as anticipation of future events, which may impact their life, such as changes in technical or commercial obsolescence arising from changes or improvements in production or from a change in market demand of the product or service output of the asset.

#### b) Estimation of Defined benefit obligation:

The costs of providing post-employment benefits are charged to the Statement of Profit and Loss in accordance with Ind AS 19 'Employee benefits' over the period during which benefit is derived from the employees' services. The costs are assessed on the basis of assumptions selected by the management. These assumptions include salary escalation rate, discount rates, expected rate of return on assets and mortality rates. The same is disclosed in Note 2.45.

c) Refund liability: Refer Note 1.12(d)

#### d) Provision for inventories:

The Company provides for obsolescence on slow moving & non-moving inventory based on policy, past experience, current trend and future expectations of finished goods and raw materials depending on the category of goods.

# e) Fair value measurement of Financial Instruments: Refer Note 1.21

#### f) Impairment:

An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which an asset's or cash-generating unit's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount to determine the recoverable amount, management estimates expected future cash flows from each asset or cash generating unit and determines a suitable interest rate in order to calculate the present value of those cash flows. In the process of measuring expected future cash flows, management makes assumptions about future operating results. These assumptions relate to future events and circumstances. The actual results may vary and may cause significant adjustments to the Company's assets. In most cases, determining the applicable discount rate involves estimating the appropriate adjustment to market risk and the appropriate adjustment to asset-specific risk factors.

# g) Impairment of investment in subsidiaries and joint ventures:

The Company conducts impairment reviews of investments in subsidiaries and joint ventures whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that their carrying amounts may not be recoverable or tests for impairment annually. Determining whether the investments in subsidiaries are impaired requires an estimate of the value in use of investments. In considering the value in use, the management has anticipated future cash flows and other factors of the underlying businesses/operations of the subsidiaries and a suitable discount rate in order to calculate the present value. Any subsequent changes to the cash flows due to changes in the abovementioned factors could impact the carrying value of investments.

# h) Determining the lease term of contracts with renewal as a Lessee:

The Company evaluates if an arrangement qualifies to be a lease as per the requirements of Ind AS 116. Identification of a lease requires significant judgement. The Company uses significant judgement in assessing the lease term (including anticipated renewals).

The Company determines the lease term as the noncancellable period of a lease, together with both periods covered by an option to extend the lease if the Company is reasonably certain to exercise that option; and periods covered by an option to terminate the lease if the Company is reasonably certain not to exercise that option. In assessing whether the Company is reasonably certain to exercise an option to extend a lease, or not to exercise an option to terminate a lease, it considers all relevant facts and circumstances that create an economic incentive for the Company to exercise the option to extend the lease, or not to exercise the option to terminate the lease. Any subsequent change in certainty of exercising option to extend lease term could impact the carrying value of right of use asset and lease liability significantly.

#### i) Estimation of provisions and contingencies:

Provisions are liabilities of uncertain amount or timing recognised where a legal or constructive obligation exists at the balance sheet date, as a result of a past event, where the amount of the obligation can be reliably estimated and where the outflow of economic benefit is probable. Contingent liabilities are possible obligations that may arise from past event whose existence will be confirmed only by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more uncertain future events which are not fully within the control of the Company. The Company exercises judgment and estimates in recognising the provisions and assessing the exposure to contingent liabilities relating to pending litigations. Judgment is necessary in assessing the likelihood of the success of the pending claim and to quantify the possible range of financial settlement. Due to this inherent uncertainty in the evaluation process, actual losses may be different from originally estimated provision.

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# 1.26 New standard issued / modified but not effective as at reporting date

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 31 March, 2023, MCA amended the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Amendment Rules, 2023, as below:

#### 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 01 April, 2023. The Company has evaluated the amendment and the impact of the amendment is insignificant in the standalone financial statements.

# 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 01 April, 2023. The Company has evaluated the amendment and there is no impact on its standalone financial statements.

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#### 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 01April, 2023. The Company has evaluated the amendment and there is no impact on its standalone financial statement.

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#### 2.1: Property, Plant and Equipment and Intangible Assets

			Gross Block				Depreciation/	Amortisation		Net Block
Sr. No.	Description of the Block of Assets	As at 01/04/2022	Additions	Deductions/ Discarded	As at 31/03/2023	As at 01/04/2022	Depreciation	Deductions/ Discarded	As at 31/03/2023	As at 31/03/2023
a	Property Plant & Equip	ment (Tangibl	e Assets)							
1	Freehold Land	1,801.18	574.43	-	2,375.61	-	-	-	-	2,375.61
2	Building	5,096.69	287.23	-	5,383.92	864.91	206.47	-	1,071.38	4,312.54
3	Furnitures & Fixtures	116.04	-	-	116.04	85.91	14.41	-	100.32	15.72
4	Plant and Machinery	2,936.00	238.29	42.48	3,131.81	1,523.09	308.70	32.69	1,799.10	1,332.71
5	Computer	234.67	75.25	20.84	289.08	214.78	25.57	20.84	219.51	69.57
6	Office Equipments	356.12	52.87	0.29	408.70	270.07	31.28	0.29	301.06	107.64
7	Vehicles	334.94	32.47	0.13	367.28	148.99	42.30	0.13	191.16	176.12
	Total of Property Plant & equipment (a)	10,875.64	1,260.54	63.74	12,072.44	3,107.75	628.73	53.95	3,682.53	8,389.91
e	Intangible Assets (othe	r than interna	lly generate	ed)						
1	Software (Acquired)	156.64	4.12	-	160.76	128.34	7.84	-	136.18	24.58
	Total of Intangible Assets (e)	156.64	4.12	-	160.76	128.34	7.84	-	136.18	24.58
b	Right-of-Use Assets									
1	Land	204.05	-	-	204.05	9.16	3.05	-	12.21	191.84
2	Building	640.92	1,160.83	-	1,801.75	160.47	230.48	-	390.95	1,410.80
	Total of Right-of Use Assets (b)	844.97	1,160.83	-	2,005.80	169.63	233.53	-	403.16	1,602.64
							DEPREC	ATION / AMO	ORTISATION	
Sr. No.	Description of the Block of Assets	As at 01/04/2022	Additions	Capitalised	As at 31/03/2023	As at 01/04/2022	Depreciation	Deductions/ Discarded	As at 31/03/2023	As at 31/03/2023
с	Capital Work-in-Progre	ss (CWIP)								
1	Plant and Machinery	57.80	165.50	96.40	126.90	-	-	-	-	126.90
2	Building	30.25	256.99	287.24	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total CWIP (c)	88.05	422.49	383.64	126.90	-	-	-	-	126.90
d	Investment Properties									
1	Building	255.91	-	-	255.91	126.81	2.94	-	129.75	126.16
	Total Investment properties (d)	255.91	-	-	255.91	126.81	2.94	-	129.75	126.16
	Grand total (a+b+c+d+e)	12,221.21	2,847.98	447.38	14,621.81	3,532.53	873.04	53.95	4,351.62	10,270.19

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	Description of the Block of Assets		Gross	Block			Depreciation /	Amortisation	ı	Net Block
Sr. No.		As at 01/04/2021	Additions	Deductions/ Discarded	As at 31/03/2022	As at 01/04/2021	Depreciation	Deductions/ Discarded	As at 31/03/2022	As at 31/03/2022
a	Property Plant & Equip	ment (Tangibl	e Assets)							
1	Freehold Land	1,801.18	-	-	1,801.18	-	-	-	-	1,801.18
2	Building	4,569.05	527.83	0.19	5,096.69	679.45	185.56	0.10	864.91	4,231.78
3	Furnitures & Fixtures	116.04	-	-	116.04	70.30	15.61	-	85.91	30.13
4	Plant and Machinery	2,756.47	235.99	56.46	2,936.00	1,250.99	297.03	24.93	1,523.09	1,412.91
5	Computer	205.39	30.48	1.20	234.67	197.37	18.61	1.20	214.78	19.89
6	Office Equipments	330.65	31.95	6.48	356.12	236.73	38.57	5.23	270.07	86.05
7	Vehicles	356.10	18.04	39.20	334.94	128.65	43.79	23.45	148.99	185.95
	Total of Property Plant & equipment (a)	10,134.88	844.29	103.53	10,875.64	2,563.49	599.17	54.91	3,107.75	7,767.89
e	Intangible Assets (othe	r than interna	lly generat	ed)						
1	Software (Acquired)	134.80	21.84	-	156.64	118.74	9.60	-	128.34	28.30
	Total of Intangible Assets (e)	134.80	21.84	-	156.64	118.74	9.60	-	128.34	28.30
b	Right-of-Use Assets									
1	Land	204.05	-	-	204.05	6.11	3.05	-	9.16	194.89
2	Building	386.00	254.92	-	640.92	71.87	88.60	-	160.47	480.45
	Total of Right-of-Use Assets (b)	590.05	254.92	-	844.97	77.98	91.65	-	169.63	675.34
				G	ROSS BLOCK		DEPREC	IATION / AMO	ORTISATION	NET BLOCK
Sr. No.	Description of the Block of Assets	As at 01/04/2021	Additions	Capitalised	As at 31/03/2022	As at 01/04/2021	Depreciation	Deductions/ Discarded	As at 31/03/2022	As at 31/03/2022
с	Capital Work-in-Progre	ess (CWIP)								
1	Plant and Machinery	-	108.90	51.10	57.80	-	-	-	-	57.80
2	Building	96.95	461.14	527.84	30.25	-	-	-	-	30.25
	Total CWIP (c)	96.95	570.04	578.94	88.05	-	-	-	-	88.05
d	Investment Properties									
1	Building	255.91	-	-	255.91	124.60	2.21	-	126.81	129.10
	Total Investment properties (d)	255.91	-	-	255.91	124.60	2.21	-	126.81	129.10
	Grand total (a+b+c+d+e)	11,212.59	1,691.09	682.47	12,221.21	2,884.81	702.63	54.91	3,532.53	8,688.68

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#### 2.1.1 Investment Property

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Rental income derived from Investment property	108.00	104.70
Direct operating expenses (Including repair and maintenance)	2.58	2.58
Income arising from Investment properties before depreciation	105.42	102.12
Depreciation	2.94	2.21
Income from Investment properties (Net)	102.48	99.91

The Company obtains independent valuations for its investment properties by a specialist in valuing these type of investment property. The best estimate of fair value in current prices in active market for similar properties. Fair Value is ₹ 935.11 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 850.10 lakhs)

#### 2.1.2 Capital Work-in-Progress (CWIP) ageing schedule

a)	Capital Work-in-Progress		Amount in CWIP for a period				
a)		Less than 1 year	1-2 years	2-3 years	More than 3 years		
	Projects in Progress	126.90	-	-	-	126.90	
		(88.05)	-	-	-	(88.05)	
	Projects temporarily suspended	-	-	-	-	-	

Note: Figures in brackets indicate previous year's figures

- b) There are no capital work-in-progress, whose completion or cost compared to its original plan is overdue.
- c) Amount capitalised under building block includes ₹287.24 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹527.83 lakhs) being the amount of capital expenditure incurred on self-constructed assets. Further such amount included under CWIP is aggregating to ₹ Nil (P.Y.: ₹30.25 lakhs).
- 2.1.3 Building includes the value of 14,000 (P.Y.: 14,000) shares of ₹100 each in Synthofine Estate CHS Ltd and value of 10 (P.Y.: 10) shares of ₹50 each in Gautam Chemical Industrial Premises CHS Ltd.
- 2.1.4 Right to Use Building includes building constructed on lease hold land having Gross block of ₹ 226.65 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 226.65 lakhs).
- **2.1.5** In the year 2014-15, the Company has acquired freehold land with integrated structures for a composite value whose conveyance is registered and municipal records updated. The value of the structure is determined based on estimated depreciated value of structures and the balance is considered as the value of the land. In respect of the land, the Company has undivided share in land. Also an insignificant portion of land is unlawfully occupied by an illegal occupant and the said occupant had raised some illegal structures which were demolished by the Municipal Corporation. The said illegal occupant has filed a suit in the Hon'ble High Court for his alleged claim in respect of the portion of the land illegally occupied by him. The Company has refuted the alleged claim of the illegal occupant and is defending the suit. The Company has filed an Eviction suit against the illegal occupant in the Hon'ble Small Causes Court. Both the said matters are sub-judiced. There is insignificant impact of these litigations on the financial position of the Company.
- **2.1.6** The Company does not have any proceedings initiated or are pending against it, for holding benami property under the Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Act, 1988 (45 of 1988) and rules made thereunder.
- **2.1.7** The Company has not revalued its property, plant and equipment (including right-of-use assets) or intangible assets or investment property during the current or previous year.

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#### 2.2: Investment in Subsidiary and Joint Venture

#### Long-Term Investments - Carried at Cost

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022	
Trade Investments (Unquoted)			
a) Investment in Joint Venture White Knitwear Private Limited			
In Equity Shares			
330,000 (P.Y.: 330,000) Shares of face value ₹ 10 each, fully paid up.	33.00	33.00	
In Preference Shares			
3,125,000 (P.Y.: 3,125,000) 9% Cumulative Redeemable Preference Shares of face value of ₹10 each fully paid up.	312.50	312.50	
b) Investment in Subsidiary - Klounge Lifestyle Itd			
In Equity Shares			
50,00,000 (P.Y.: 50,00,000) Shares of face value ₹ 10 each, fully paid up.	500.00	500.00	
	845.50	845.50	
Aggregate amount of unqoted investments	845.50	845.50	

2.2.1 The Company had invested in aggregate ₹ 345.50 lakhs in Joint Venture "White Knitwear Private Limited" (WKPL). The WKPL had acquired land in Surat Special Economic Zone (SEZ) and constructed factory building for setting up of manufacturing unit for production of Knitwear Apparels for exports. However due to slowdown in International market, SEZ could not take off and most of the members of SEZ shelved their projects and approached to Gujarat Industrial Development Corporation (GIDC) and State and Central government for de-notification of SEZ.

Gujarat Industrial Development Corporation vide its circular No. GIDC/CIR/Distribution/Policy/13/05 dated 14.03.2013 has de-notified the SEZ and conceded the members to convert and use the erstwhile land in SEZ as Domestic Tariff Area (DTA) subject to fulfillment of conditions stated therein. WKPL vide its letter dated 04.04.13 has consented for de-notification of its plot of land and undertaken to complete the formal procedure for the same.

Post de-notification joint venture partners shall dispose of the Company/land and building and realise the proceeds to return it to joint venture partners.

No provision for impairment in the value of investment is considered necessary for the year ended March 2023 based on valuation of the underlying property in joint venture.

#### 2.3: Non-Current Investments - Others

Pa	Particulars		As at March 31, 2022
a)	Other than Trade Investments (Quoted) - Carried at FVOCI		
	In Equity Shares		
	4,512 (P.Y.: 4,512) Reliance Power Limited Shares of face value ₹ 10 each fully paid up.	0.45	0.61
	15,000 (P.Y.: 15,000) HCL Technologies Ltd Shares of face value ₹ 2 each fully paid up.	162.93	174.50
•••••	25,000 (P.Y.: 25,000) Tech Mahindra Ltd Shares of face value ₹ 5 each fully paid up.	275.46	374.83
b)	Other than Trade Investments (Unquoted) - Carried at FVTPL		
	In Equity Shares		
	4,35,730 (P.Y.: 4,35,730) Baazar Style Retail limited Shares of face value ₹ 10 each fully paid up.	1,307.19	1,000.00
	Investment in Portfolio management services		
	Somerset Indus Healthcare India Fund	74.18	44.63
	Mehta Multifocused Fund	94.22	41.78
	Kotak India Whizdom Fund	-	7.53
	Sistema Asia Fund	333.11	240.75
		2,247.54	1,884.63
Ag	gregate amount of quoted investments at market value	438.84	549.94
Ag	gregate amount of unquoted investments	1,808.70	1,334.69

**2.3.1** The Company has complied with the number of layers prescribed under the Companies Act, 2013

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#### 2.4: Loans

#### (Unsecured, considered good)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
(carried at amortised cost, except otherwise stated)		
Loan to related party	286.12	-
Loan to Employees	8.28	13.53
	294.40	13.53

### 2.5: Other Non-Current Financial Assets

#### (Unsecured considered good)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Security Deposits	1,012.43	340.75
Rent Deposits to Related Parties	7.83	7.83
Bank Deposits (includes offered as security) (maturity of more than 12 months)	968.53	1,162.62
Interest receivables on Bank Deposits	24.34	0.60
	2,013.13	1,511.80

2.5.1 Bank deposit offered as security ₹206.68 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 60.87 lakhs).

#### 2.6: Deferred Tax Asset

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Deferred tax Asset	28.00	36.00
(Also refer note 2.52d & 2.52e)		
	28.00	36.00
Deferred Tax Assets:		
Provision for Assets	684.50	598.79
Others	106.19	136.79
Depreciation	-	-
Deferred Tax Liability:		
Depreciation	(323.06)	(303.65)
Tax on LTCG on Mutual Fund	(439.63)	(395.93)
Deferred Tax Asset/(Liabilities)	28.00	36.00

#### 2.7: Non-Current Tax Asset

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Non-Current tax assets (net of tax provision)	9.79	5.78
	9.79	5.78

#### 2.8: Other Non-Current Assets

#### (unsecured considered good)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Capital Advances	243.35	5.69
Prepaid Expenses	10.62	17.39
	253.97	23.08

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#### 2.9: Inventories

#### (at lower of cost or net realisable value)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Finished goods	12,427.36	5,948.96
Work-in-Progress	3,068.99	3,826.73
Raw material	619.21	1,059.95
Traded goods	246.23	157.92
Packing material & accessories	132.45	196.15
Stores, chemicals and consumables	64.57	109.24
	16,558.81	11,298.95

**2.9.1** The working capital borrowings are secured by hypotication of inventory of the Company (refer note no 2.21).

2.9.2 The Company follows adequate accounting policy for writing down the value of Inventories towards slow moving, non-moving and surplus inventories. Write down of Inventories (Net of reversals) for the year ₹ 320.00 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 320.00 lakhs), this is included as part of cost of materials consumed and changes in inventory of finished goods, work-in-progress and stock in trade in statement of profit and loss. Inventory values shown above are net of the write down.

#### 2.10: Current Investments

Particulars	March 31, 2	As at 2023	As at March 31, 2022
a) Investment in unquoted Mutual Funds - Carried at FVTPL			
In the units of Equity Mutual Funds of ₹ 10/- each fully paid			
Aditya Birla Sunlife Pharma & Healthcare Fund-Regular-Growth	880	0.43	-
[Units: 5,381,620.442 (P.Y : Nil)]			
Aditya Birla Sunlife Arbitrage Fund-Regular-Growth		4.89	-
[Units: 21,591.077 (P.Y : Nil)]			
SBI Banking & Financial Services Fund-Regular-Growth	310	6.40	-
[Units: 1,281,779.361 (P.Y : Nil)]			
SBI Flexicap Fund-Regular-Growth	490	6.07	-
[Units: 672 575.314 (P.Y : Nil)]			
SBI Technology Opportunities Fund-Regular-Growth	293	3.44	-
[Units: 2,11,160.727 (P.Y : Nil)]			
Tata Banking And Financial Services Fund-Regular-Growth	1,23	9.67	-
[Units: 4,598,762.025 (P.Y : Nil)]			
Tata Arbitrage Fund-Regular-Growth		6.55	-
[Units: 53,392.048 (P.Y : Nil)]			
In units of Fixed Maturity Plans (FMP's) of ₹10/- each fully pa	id up		
(includes current maturity of non-current investment)			
Aditya Birla Sunlife FTP Series PV- Direct - Growth		-	546.17
[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 4,000,000)]			
Aditya Birla Sunlife FTP Series PV-Growth		-	135.54
[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 1,000,000)]			
Bandhan FTP Series 152 - Growth		-	132.11
(Formerly known as IDFC FTP Series 152 - Growth)			
[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 1,000,000)]			
Invesco India FMP Series 31 Plan D - Growth		-	136.68
[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 1,000,000)]			
In the units of Fixed Maturity Plan (FMP'S) of ₹ 1,000/- each	fully paid		
PGIM India Fixed Duration Fund-Series AY-Growth		-	271.76
(Formerly known as DHFL Pramerica Fixed Duration Fund-Serie	es AY - Growth)		
[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 20,000)]			
PGIM India Fixed Duration Fund-Series BA-Growth		-	133.94

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rticulars	As at March 31, 2023	As a March 31, 2022
(Formerly known as DHFL Pramerica Fixed Duration Fund-Series BA-Growth)		,
[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 10,000)]		
In the units of Income Funds of ₹ 10/- each fully paid		
HDFC Corporate Bond Fund - Growth	1,329.82	1,275.03
[Units: 4,814,823.517 (P.Y.: 4,814,823.517)]		
Bandhan Corporate Bond Fund -Regular - Growth	377.20	365.52
(Formerly known as IDFC Corporate Bond Fund - Regular - Growth)		
[Units: 2,323,070.357 (P.Y.: 2,323,070.357)]		
Sundaram Short Duration Fund - Growth	1,039.02	990.08
(Formerly known as Principal Short Term Debt Fund - Growth)		
[Units: 2,600,012.482 (P.Y.: 2,600,012.482)]		
DSP Corporate Bond Fund - Growth	136.58	554.6
[Units: 1,000,000.00 (PY.: 4,167,079.735)]		
HSBC Corporate Bond Fund	244.38	236.1
(Formerly known as L & T Triple Ace Bond Fund - Growth)		
[Units: 375,629.179 (P.Y.: 375,629.179)]		
Axis Corporate Debt Fund - Direct - Growth	336.67	320.6
[Units: 2,248,594.563 (PY: 2,248,594.563)]		02010
Axis Corporate Debt Fund - Regular - Growth		209.9
[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 1,526,175.217)]		207.7
Bharat Bond FOF - Direct - Growth	1,031.57	1,005.6
[Units: 9,291,652.263 (PY: 9,291,652.263)]	1,001.37	1,005.0
Bharat Bond FOF - Regular - Growth	553.99	540.0
[Units: 4,989,962.01 (PY.: 4,989,962.01)]	555.77	540.0
ICICI Pru Corporate Bond Fund - Growth	689.42	651.2
[Units: 2,648,774.634 (PY: 2,648,774.634)]	007.42	031.2
Kotak Bond Fund - Growth		522.5
[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 766,059.715)]	-	JZZ.J
[Units: Nii (P.Y.: 766,059.715)] Mirae Asset Dynamic Bond Fund - Direct - Growth		
,	-	316.3
[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 2,186,878.081)]	001 50	0/7/
Nippon India Corporate Bond Fund - Direct - Growth	281.52	267.6
[Units: 540,209.829 (P.Y.: 540,209.829)]		045.0
UTI Corporate Bond Fund - Direct - Growth	-	315.2
[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 2,351,809.029)]	4.444.00	4 405 4
Edelweiss NIFTY PSU Bond Plus SDL Index 2026	1,446.30	1,405.6
[Units: 13,108,299.066 (P.Y.: 13,108,299.066)]		
ICICI Pru PSU Bond Plus SDL 40-60 Index Fund Sep27 - Growth	1,790.68	1,515.3
[Units: 17,152,267.216 (P.Y.: 14,909,288.086)]		
Investments in Quoted Perpetual Bonds - Carried at FVTPL		
(Unsecured, subordinated & Non-Convertible)		
In the units of Bonds of ₹ 1,00,00,000/- each fully paid.		
HDFC Bank		
7.84% Basel III Series 1/2022-23 (with first call option on September 8, 2027)	99.30	
[Units: 1.00 (P.Y.: Nil)]		
SBI Bank		
7.75% Basel III Series 1/2022-23 (with first call option on September 9, 2027)	99.05	
[Units: 1.00 (P.Y.: Nil)]		
	12,692.95	11,847.9
gregate amount of quoted investments at Market value	198.35	
gregate amount of unquoted investments	12,494.60	11,847.9

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#### 2.11: Trade Receivables

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
a) Trade Receivables considered good - Secured*	2,369.41	1,734.30
b) Trade Receivables considered good - Unsecured	16,918.67	17,235.94
c) Trade Receivables which has significant increase in credit risks	104.03	171.91
d) Trade Receivables - credit impaired	-	-
Less : Allowance for Bad and doubtful debts and expected credit loss	(2,400.00)	(2,050.00)
	16,992.11	17,092.15

There are no trade or other receivables which are due from directors or other officers of the Company either severally or jointly with any other person. Also, there are no trade or other receivables which are due from firms or private companies, in which any director is a partner, a director or a member.

\* Secured against the Bank Guarantee / Security deposit received from customers.

#### 2.12: Cash & Cash Equivalent

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Cash on Hand	27.43	75.33
Balances with Banks :-		
In Current Accounts	118.72	164.55
In Bank Deposits (Maturity of less than 12 Months)	2,734.90	2,214.91
Liquid Mutual Funds (refer note 2.12.1)	14,148.34	16,669.19
	17,029.39	19,123.98

#### 2.12.1: Investments in unquoted Liquid Mutual Funds - Carried at FVTPL

Par	ticulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
a)	Face Value of ₹10/- each fully paid up		
	DSP Low Duration Fund-Gowth	118.45	370.68
	[Units: 684,125.551 (P.Y.: 2,252,040.293)]		
	HDFC Ultra Short Term Fund - Growth	1,484.76	1,406.24
	[Units: 11,328,926.639 (P.Y.: 11,328,926.639)]		
	Nippon India Floating Rate Fund - Growth	1,681.54	1,606.18
	[Units: 4,255,404.586 (P.Y.: 4,255,404.586)]		
	Nippon India Money Market Fund - Growth	120.67	113.97
	[Units: 3,401.512 (P.Y.: 3,401.512)]		
	HDFC Banking and PSU Debt Fund - Direct - Growth	-	527.05
	[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 2,750,878.956)]		
	Mirae Asset Banking & PSU Debt Fund - Direct - Growth	-	523.39
	[Units:Nil (P.Y.: 4,892,506.274)]		
	Tata Banking & PSU Debt Fund - Direct - Growth	332.91	319.32
	[Units: 2,688,278.526 (P.Y.: 2,688,278.526)]		
	Nippon India Banking & PSU Debt Fund - Regular - Growth	536.59	516.80
	[Units: 3,066,240.24 (P.Y.: 3,066,240.24)]		
Tot	al (a)	4,274.92	5,383.63
b)	Face Value of ₹100/- each fully paid up		
	Aditya Birla Sunlife Banking & PSU Debt Fund - Growth	297.06	284.75
	[Units: 96,032.789 (P.Y.: 96,032.789)]		
	Aditya Birla Sunlife Floating Rate Fund - Growth	595.49	563.62
	[Units: 198,771.602 (P.Y.: 198,771.602)]		
	ICICI Pru Money Market Fund - Growth	1,138.59	1,077.45
	[Units: 351,082.473 (P.Y.: 351,082.473)]		

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Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Aditya Birla Sun Life Banking & PSU Debt Fund - Growth	1,385.82	1,323.77
[Units: 434,984.733 (P.Y.: 434,984.733)]		
ICICI Pru Ultra Short Term Fund - Growth	1,716.17	1,621.86
[Units: 6,782,948.219 (P.Y.: 6,782,948.219)]		
Total (b)	5,133.13	4,871.45
c) Face Value of ₹ 1,000/- each fully paid up		
Axis Treasury Advantage Fund - Growth	-	1,160.82
[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 46,486.382)]		
Kotak Money Market Scheme - Growth	215.47	203.79
[Units: 5,628.328 (P.Y.: 5,628.328)]		
Tata Treasury Advantage Fund - Growth	88.55	84.50
[Units: 2,645.036 (P.Y.: 2,645.036)]		
Sundaram Low Duration Fund - Growth	104.00	98.38
(Formerly known as Principal Low Duration Fund - Growth)		
[Units: 3,325.994 (P.Y.: 3,325.994)]		
Invesco India Treasury Advantage Fund - Growth	118.81	429.89
[Units: 3,565.121 (P.Y.: 13,549.553)]		
Tata Money Market Fund - Growth	178.97	866.19
[Units: 4,421.036 (P.Y.: 22,643.371)]		
Axis Banking & PSU Debt Fund - Regular - Growth	522.00	500.30
[Units: 23,370.742 (P.Y.: 23,370.742)]		
Kotak Low Duration Fund - Direct - Growth	555.59	526.72
[Units: 18,152.527 (P.Y.: 18,152.527)]		
UTI Treasury Advantage Fund - Regular - Growth	579.12	550.53
[Units: 19,274.573 (P.Y.: 19,274.573)]		
Kotak Floating Rate Fund - Direct - Growth	136.89	130.93
[Units: 10,666.375 (P.Y.: 10,666.375)]		
Kotak Floating Rate Fund - Regular - Growth	539.21	517.73
[Units: 42,618.106 (P.Y.: 42,618.106)]		
SBI Magnum Ultra Short Duration Fund - Direct - Growth	563.29	534.70
[Units: 10,919.899 (P.Y.: 10,919.899)]		
UTI Treasury Advantage Fund - Direct - Growth	145.10	137.7
[Units: 4,763.423 (P.Y.: 4,763.423)]		
UTI Money Market Fund - Direct - Growth	710.69	671.82
[Units: 26,972.577 (P.Y.: 26,972,577)]		
Kotak Liquid Fund - Regular - Growth	282.60	
[Units: 6,213.225 (P.Y.: Nil)]		
Total (c)	4,740.29	6,414.11
Aggregate amount of unquoted investments (a+b+c)	14,148.34	16,669.19

#### 2.13: Other Bank Balances

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Earmarked balances in bank		
In Unclaimed Dividend Accounts	10.06	8.72
In Bank Deposits offered as security (Maturity of less than 12 Months)	-	47.46
	10.06	56.18

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#### 2.14: Loans

#### (Unsecured ,considered good)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Loan to Employee	5.35	15.09
	5.35	15.09

#### 2.15: Other Current Financial Assets

#### (Unsecured, Considered Good)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Export Incentive Receivable (refer note 2.15.1)	30.81	28.77
Advance to Employee	23.03	63.49
Interest receivables on Bank Deposits	75.68	165.63
	129.52	257.89

**2.15.1** As the Company is rightfully entitled to receive export incentives, the same is classified as financial asset in accordance with ITFG clarification issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.

#### 2.16: Other Current Assets

#### (Unsecured, Considered Good)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Prepaid Expenses	128.28	142.53
Other Receivable	41.52	67.48
Advance for gratuity	116.00	32.79
Right to Return assets	1,775.50	-
Advance to Suppliers	275.59	1,367.15
	2,336.89	1,609.95

#### 2.17: Share Capital

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Authorised Capital		
125,000,000 (P.Y. 125,000,000) Equity shares of ₹10 each	12,500.00	12,500.00
Issued, subscribed and Paid up :		
61,625,185 (P.Y. 61,625,185) Equity shares of ₹10 each, fully paid up	6,162.52	6,162.52
	6,162.52	6,162.52

2.17.1 The Company has only one class of shares referred to as equity shares having a par value of ₹ 10/-. Each holder of equity shares is entitled to one vote per share. The Company declares and pays dividends in Indian ₹ The dividend proposed by the Board of Directors, if any, is subject to the approval of the shareholders in the ensuing Annual General Meeting except in case of interim dividend. The remittance of dividend outside India is governed by Indian law on foreign exchange and is subject to applicable distribution taxes.

As per the Companies Act, 2013, the holders of equity shares will be entitled to receive remaining assets of the Company, after distribution of all preferential amounts in the event of liquidation of the Company. However, no such preferential amounts exist currently. The distribution will be in proportion to the number of equity shares held by the shareholders.

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**2.17.2** Reconciliation of the shares outstanding at the beginning and at the end of the year

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Dautiaulana	As at March 31, 2023		As at March 31, 2022	
Particulars –	No. of shares	Amount	No. of shares	Amount
Shares outstanding at the beginning of the year	6,16,25,185	6,162.52	1,23,25,037	1,232.50
Add: Bonus Share issued	-	-	4,93,00,148	4,930.02
Shares outstanding at the end of the year	6,16,25,185	6,162.52	6,16,25,185	6,162.52

2.17.3 Details of the shareholders holding more than 5% shares in the Company

Nowo of Chauchaldou	As at March 3	As at March 31, 2023		31, 2022
Name of Shareholder	No. of Shares held*	% of Holding	No. of Shares held*	% of Holding
Shantaben P. Jain j/w Kewalchand P. Jain j/w Hemant P. Jain(equity shares held in their capacity as trustees/ beneficiaries of P.K.Jain Family Holding Trust)	3,07,65,000	49.92	3,07,65,000	49.92
Mr. Dinesh P Jain	36,49,155	5.92	36,49,155	5.92
includes 5,12,905 (P.Y.: 5,12,905) shares jointly held with Mrs. Sangeeta D. Jain				
Mr. Vikas P Jain	36,09,105	5.86	36,09,105	5.86
includes 4,72,855 (P.Y.: 4,72,855) shares jointly held with Mrs. Kesar V. Jain				
Mr. Hemant P Jain	34,59,575	5.61	34,59,575	5.61
includes 4,03,325 (P.Y.: 4,03,325) shares jointly held with Mrs. Lata H. Jain				
Mr. Kewalchand P Jain	34,53,055	5.60	34,53,055	5.60
includes 3,96,805 (P.Y.: 3,96,805) shares jointly held with Mrs. Veena K. Jain			-	

- **2.17.4** In the event of liquidation of the Company, the holders of equity shares will be entitled to receive any of the remaining assets of the Company, after distribution of all preferential amounts. However, there are no preferential amounts *inter se* equity shareholders. The distribution will be in proportion to the number of equity shares held by the shareholders (After due adjustment in case shares are not fully paid up.)
- **2.17.5** For the period of five years immediately preceding the date as at which the Balance Sheet is prepared:
  - (i) No shares have been allotted as fully paid-up without payment being received in cash.
  - (ii) The Company issued and allotted 49,300,148 fully paid up Bonus Equity shares of ₹ 10 each in the ratio of 4:1 (i.e. 4 Bonus Equity shares for every 1 existing equity share of the Company) to the shareholders who held shares on December 17, 2021 (Record date).
  - (iii) No shares have been bought back by the Company.

2.17.6 Shares held by promoters as defined in the Companies Act, 2013 at the year end (refer note 2.60)

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#### 2.18 Other Equity

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Securities Premium		
Balance at the beginning of the year	3,496.75	8,426.77
Less: Amount transferred for issue of bonus shares	-	4,930.02
Balance at the end of the year	3,496.75	3,496.75
General Reserve		
Balance at the beginning of the year	5,375.63	5,375.63
Balance at the end of the year	5,375.63	5,375.63
Retained Earnings		
Balance at the beginning of the year	28,784.51	24,261.71
Add:Profit for the year	11,852.49	8,220.31
	40,637.00	32,482.02
Less: Appropriations		
Interim Dividend	4,930.02	3,697.51
Balance at the end of the year	35,706.98	28,784.51
Business Progressive Fund		
Balance at the beginning of the year	4,000.00	4,000.00
Balance at the end of the year	4,000.00	4,000.00
	48,579.36	41,656.89

#### 2.18.1

- Securities Premium: Securities Premium is credited when shares are issued at premium. It can be used to issue bonus shares, write-off equity related expenses like underwriting costs, etc.
- General Reserve: Under the erstwhile Companies Act, 1956, general reserve was created through an annual transfer of net income at a specified percentage in accordance with applicable regulations. The purpose of these transfers was to ensure that if a dividend distribution in a given year is more than 10% of the paid-up capital of the Company for that year, then the total dividend distribution is less than the total distributable results for that year. Consequent to introduction of the Companies Act, 2013, the requirement to mandatorily transfer a specified percentage of the net profit to general reserve has been withdrawn. However, the amount previously transferred to the general reserve can be utilised only in accordance with the specific requirements of the Companies Act, 2013.
- **Retained Earnings:** Retained Earnings are the profits the Company has earned till date, less any transfer to General Reserve, dividends or other distributions paid to the shareholders. The reserve can be utilised in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013.
- Business Progressive fund: The Company has created "Business Progressive Fund" by appropriating a sum of ₹ Nil (P.Y.: ₹ Nil) lakhs out of its profits to maintain normal growth in sluggish market conditions and support superior growth for long-term. The said fund shall be for the purpose of launching & promoting new products, advertisement campaigns, promotional schemes and initial support to master stockiest and franchisees for development of retail business, reinforce existing channels of sales etc. The amount of fund is specifically earmarked and invested in liquid mutual funds or any other safe and highly liquid investments. The Company has made adequate provisions in accordance with Indian Accounting Standard (AS) -37 in normal course of business. INDAS-37 does not permit providing for expenses where present obligation does not exist or there is no fixed commitment.

Accordingly the Company has opted to create Business Progressive Fund. Further addition to the aforesaid fund shall be reviewed from time to time considering business environment and conditions and the income accrued from the fund. Any accretion to the investment shall be credited to Statement of Profit and Loss.

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#### 2.19: Lease Liabilities

#### (Long term)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Lease Liabilities	1,286.52	438.83
	1,286.52	438.83

#### 2.20: Provisions

(Long term)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	
Other Long Term Provisions	6.50	6.50
	6.50	6.50

#### 2.21: Borrowings

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Secured Loan		
Cash Credit from Bank (payable on demand)	1,582.13	4,659.85
(Secured by <i>pari passu</i> first charge on Stock and Trade Receivables)		
Unsecured Loan		
Working Capital Loan from Bank	3,500.00	3,000.00
	5,082.13	7,659.85

a) The Company has not been declared wilful defaulter by any bank or financial institutions or government or any government authority.

b) The Company has registered the charges and satisfaction of charges with the registrar of companies.

c) The Company has utilised the working capital loan towards the working capital requirements.

d) The revised quarterly returns or statements filed by the Company with such banks or financial institutions are observed to be in agreement or the same are duly reconciled with the books of account and records maintained by the Company.

#### 2.22: Lease Liabilities

#### (Short-term including current maturity of long-term lease liability)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Lease Liabilities	229.64	89.00
	229.64	89.00

#### 2.23: Trade Payables

Pa	rticulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
a)	Micro and Small Enterprises		
	Materials	32.73	36.19
b)	Other than Micro and Small Enterprises		
	Materials	3,522.48	4,652.37
	Expenses	1,253.58	654.79
		4,808.79	5,343.35

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#### 2.23.1:Disclosure u/s 22 of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006 (MSMED Act)

Pa	rticulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
a)	Principal amount remaining unpaid to micro and small enterprises (trade payable)	32.73	36.19
b)	Principal amount remaining unpaid to micro and small enterprises (creditors for capital goods)	-	-
C)	Principal amount paid beyond due date	-	-
d)	Amount of Interest paid u/s 16 of MSMED Act	-	-
e)	Amount of Interest due and remaining unpaid	-	-
f)	Amount of Interest accrued and remaining unpaid	-	-
g)	The amount of further interest due and payable even in the succeeding year, 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 of the above Act.	-	-

Above information is disclosed to the extent available with the Company.

#### 2.24: Other Current Financial Liabilities

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Other Liabilities		
Security and Other Deposits	990.05	1,044.48
Interest accrued but not due on borrowings	-	9.47
Salary and Wages payable	766.50	655.76
Employee Benefits	124.27	166.00
Unclaimed Dividend	10.06	8.72
(Does not include any amount due and outstanding to be credited to the Investor Education and Protection Fund)		
	1,890.88	1,884.43

#### 2.25: Other Current Liabilities

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Other Payables		
Capital Goods	47.19	127.12
Refund liability	3,342.60	1,100.00
Statutory Liabilities	372.51	275.62
Advance from Customers	358.51	654.01
	4,120.81	2,156.75

2.25.1 Upon the enactment of 'The payment of Bonus (Amendment) Act, 2015' the Company had made additional provision for bonus amounting to ₹ 45.00 lakhs during the year 2015-16 pertaining to financial year 2014-15, Payment is not made pending final judgement from judicial authorities.

### 2.26: Provisions

#### (Short-Term)

Particulars	As a March 31, 202	
Provision for Employee Benefit	123.09	56.99
Provision for Defective Claims	1,192.9	976.40
Provision for Expenses payable	934.90	5 1,794.01
Other Provisions (including schemes, incentives and discount expenses)	7,213.99	6,085.62
	9,464.99	8,913.02

#### 2.27: Tax Assets and Liabilities

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Non-Current tax liabilities (net of tax assets)	85.46	-
	85.46	-

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#### 2.28: Revenue from Operations

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Par	ticulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
A)	Sales Income		
	Sales of Apparel and Lifestyle Accessories/Products	77,424.04	60,511.30
	Sale of Power	-	1.08
	Sales of Apparel and Lifestyle Accessories/Products	77,424.04	60,512.38
B)	Other Operating Income		
	Service Income	313.82	102.10
	Export Incentives	145.53	32.32
	Miscellaneous Operating Income	61.95	114.18
		521.30	248.60
Tot	al Revenue from Operations	77,945.34	60,760.98

2.28.1: Refer note 2.68 for disclosures relating to Ind AS 115.

#### 2.29: Other Income

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Interest income		
On financial asset measured at amortised cost	214.14	164.86
On financial asset measured at FVTPL	8.48	-
Dividends from quoted equity investments measured at fair value through OCI	25.27	12.83
Net gain on sale of current investments carried at FVTPL	359.82	483.17
Net gain on sale of Non-current investments carried at FVTPL	-	500.92
Net gain on sale of Liquid Mutual funds carried at FVTPL	590.04	-
Fair value gain on financial instruments at FVTPL (Net)	666.18	320.71
Rent Income on Investment Property	108.00	104.70
Exchange Rate Fluctuation (Net)	33.56	16.94
Profit on Sale of Property Plant & Equipment (Net)	19.07	82.01
	2,024.56	1,686.14

#### 2.30: Changes in Inventories of Finished Goods, Stock in Trade and Work-in-Progress

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Opening stock		
Work-in-Progress	3,826.73	1,295.85
Traded Goods	157.92	186.77
Finished goods	5,948.96	2,265.93
	9,933.61	3,748.55
Closing Stock		
Work-in-Progress	3,068.99	3,826.73
Traded Goods	246.23	157.92
Finished goods	12,427.36	5,948.96
	15,742.58	9,933.61
(Increase)/Decrease in Stock	(5,808.97)	(6,185.06)

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#### 2.31: Cost of Material Consumed

Pai	ticulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
a)	Raw Material Consumed:		
	Opening stock	1,059.95	1,063.47
	Add: Purchases	19,563.00	18,466.44
		20,622.95	19,529.91
	Less: Sale of raw material	4,756.31	3,657.12
	Less: Closing stock	619.21	1,059.95
		15,247.43	14,812.84
b)	Semi-Finished Goods	19,738.22	13,604.02
C)	Packing Material, Accessories and others	3,618.27	3,082.57
d)	Stores, Chemicals and Consumables	1,623.38	1,151.63
		40,227.30	32,651.06

### 2.32: Employee Benefit Expenses

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Salary, Wages and Allowances	8,796.07	7,136.15
Contribution to Provident and other Funds	594.46	523.39
Bonus and Ex-gratia	128.07	122.60
Gratuity	125.51	123.93
Leave Benefits	45.30	-
Staff Welfare	96.87	70.78
	9,786.28	7,976.85

#### 2.33: Finance Costs

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Bank Charges	4.82	3.71
Finance Charges*	214.67	85.40
Interest on Working Capital Loan	419.04	363.49
	638.53	452.60

\* includes interest expenses on lease liabilities of ₹ 101.94 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 47.44 lakhs)

### 2.34: Manufacturing and Operating Expenses

Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Embroidery Expenses	325.79	348.99
Electricity Expenses (net of credit received from windmill)	256.21	185.65
Factory Rent	63.62	46.49
General Factory Expenses	47.53	36.16
Processing Charges	5,210.12	5,181.43
Fuel Expenses	1,164.43	892.87
Water Charges	139.66	124.08
Waste Disposal Charges	151.56	88.36
Repairs & Maintenance	283.51	154.21
Wind Turbine Expenses	16.91	15.94
	7,659.34	7,074.18

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#### 2.35: Administrative & Other Expenses

Particulars	For the year ended 31st March 2023	For the year ended 31st March 2022
Rent, Rates and Taxes	311.82	291.94
Communication Expenses	39.73	49.89
Insurance Premium(net of recoveries)	106.64	111.69
Legal and Professional Fees	827.05	999.11
Printing and Stationery	41.99	30.98
Donations	21.14	17.33
Corporate social responsibility	131.51	133.00
Vehicle Expenses	143.80	64.72
Auditors Remuneration (refer note 2.38)	70.34	27.79
Conveyance Expenses	81.70	71.49
Electricity Expenses	132.67	83.87
Repairs & Maintenance	411.34	308.84
Directors Sitting Fees	28.80	30.30
General Office Expenses	724.74	465.02
Bad Debts	209.57	131.83
Allowance for expected credit loss	350.00	725.00
	3,632.84	3,542.80

#### 2.36: Selling & Distribution Expenses

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Advertisement and Publicity Expenses	2,576.01	858.09
Sales Promotion Expenses	196.63	1,149.98
Octroi, clearing and forwarding charges on Sales	486.68	451.94
Tour and Travelling Expenses (Net of recoveries)	1,004.61	733.92
Commission on Sales	181.11	161.94
Provision for Contingencies	-	10.00
	4,445.04	3,365.87

#### 2.37: Aggregate Amounts

#### 2.37.1 Aggregate Expenses

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Rent Including Common Area Maintenance Charges	261.95	171.08
Electricity Expenses(net of credit received from windmill)	388.88	269.52
Repair & Maintenance (Building)	567.10	260.00
Repair & Maintenance (Machinery)	144.67	135.29
General Expenses	772.27	501.17

#### 2.38: Auditors Remuneration

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
As Auditors	42.25	27.00
For Taxation matters	28.00	-
For Reimbursement of Expenses	0.09	0.79
Total	70.34	27.79

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#### 2.39: C.I.F. value of Imports

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Capital goods	68.05	36.67
Components and Spare parts	8.68	32.03
Apparel & Life style Accessories/Product	69.93	127.58
Total	146.66	196.28

#### 2.40: Expenditure in Foreign Currencies

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Travelling Expenses	7.14	-
Legal Expenses	1.96	-
Bank Charges	1.38	2.61
Professional & Technical Services	4.04	19.53
Total	14.52	22.14

The amounts mentioned above are net of Tax Deducted at source, if any.

#### 2.41: Earnings in Foreign Currencies

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Export of goods (F.O.B. value)	2,216.14	1,680.79
Total	2,216.14	1,680.79

#### 2.42: Indigenous and Imported Consumption

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Indigenous (99.84% (P.Y.: 99.61%) of total consumption)	40,157.37	32,523.48
Imported (0.16% (P.Y.: (0.39%) of total consumption)	69.93	127.58
Total	40,227.30	32,651.06

#### 2.43: Details of Material Consumed

Dentifications	Measure	March 31, 2	2023	March 31, 2	2022
Particulars	Measure	Qty	₹ in lakhs	Qty	₹ in lakhs
Material					
Woven Fabric	Mtrs	61,79,172	15,247.43	73,56,375	14,812.84
Semi-finished Garments	Pcs	38,50,245	19,738.22	27,88,131	13,604.02
Packing material	**	**	1,450.66	**	1,450.66
Accessories	**	**	2,167.61	**	1,631.91
Stores, chemicals and consumables	**	**	1,623.38	**	1,151.63
Total			40,227.30		32,651.06

\*\* Comprises of various items the value of which is less than 10% of the Total Cost of Material

#### 2.44: Quantitative and Other Details

#### Particulars of Finished Products

							(Qty in Nos.)		
Particulars	Opening Stock				Production		Captive mption	Closing	; Stock
	Qty	₹ in lakhs	Qty	Qty	₹ in lakhs	Qty			
Apparel	11,98,411	6,072.00	92,14,568	80,44,883	74,045.80	23,68,096	12,427.36		
	(4,21,140)	(2,372.93)	(76,16,570)	(68,39,299)	(57,720.00)	(11,98,411)	(6,072.00)		
Power Generation	-	-	8,56,308	8,56,308	66.59	-	-		
	-	-	(8,85,179)	(8,85,179)	(60.34)	-	-		

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#### **Particulars of Trading Activities**

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								(Qty in Nos)
Particulars	Opening Stock		Purchases		Sales		Closing	Stock
Particulars	Qty	₹ in lakhs	Qty	₹ in lakhs	Qty	₹ in lakhs	Qty	₹ in lakhs
Trading of Lifestyle Accessories/ Products	1,33,820	186.00	30,83,146	2,809.09	30,22,930	3,378.24	1,94,036	246.23
	(1,37,823)	(186.71)	(21,33,482)	(2,333.00)	(21,37,485)	(2,792.00)	(1,33,820)	(186.00)

#### Notes:

a) Figures in brackets indicate previous year's figures.

b) Sales includes sample distributed at free of cost.

#### 2.45: Employee Benefits:

#### a) Disclosure in respect of gratuity liability

Reconciliation of Defined Benefit Obligation (DBO):	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Present value of DBO at start of the year	970.13	876.74
Interest Cost	66.94	57.86
Current Service Cost	130.87	132.29
Past Service Cost	-	-
Benefit Paid	(147.47)	(164.95)
Re-measurements:		
a) Actuarial Loss/(Gain) from changes in demographic assumptions	-	-
b) Actuarial Loss/(Gain) from changes in financial assumptions	(23.26)	(24.61)
c) Actuarial Loss/(Gain) from experience over the past period	(21.48)	92.80
Present value of DBO at end of the year	975.73	970.13
Reconciliation of Fair Value of Plan Assets:	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Fair Value of Plan Assets at the beginning of the year	1,002.92	1,034.51
Interest Income on Plan Assets	72.30	66.22
Contributions by Employer	174.21	68.27
Benefit Paid	(147.47)	(164.95
Re-measurements:		
a) Actuarial (Loss)/Gain from changes in financial assumptions	-	-
<ul> <li>Return on plan assets excluding amount included in net interest on the net defined benefit liability/(asset)</li> </ul>	(10.23)	(1.13)
c) Re-measurements on Plan Assets Gain/(Loss)	-	-
Fair Value of Plan Assets at the end of the year	1,091.73	1,002.92
Actual Return on Plan Assets	62.07	65.09
Amount recognised in the Balance Sheet:	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Present value of DBO at the end of the year	975.73	970.13
Fair Value of Plan Assets at the end of the year	1,091.73	1,002.92
Net Asset/(Liability) in the Balance Sheet	116.00	32.79
Gratuity recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Current Service Cost	130.87	132.29
Past Service Cost	-	-
Net Interest on net defined benefit liability/ (asset)	(5.36)	(8.36
Expense Recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss	125.51	123.93

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				(₹ in lakhs exce	ept as otherwise stated)		
Principal Assumption used in determining	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022					
Discount Rate	count Rate						
Interest rate for net interest on net DB	nterest rate for net interest on net DBO						
Withdrawal Rate	Up to age 35 years: 10% p.a. Above age 35 years: 5% p.a.	Up to age 35 years: 10% p.a. Above age 35 years: 5% p.a.					
Salary Escalation				5% p.a.	5% p.a.		
Mortality Table				IALM 2012-14 Ult	IALM 2012-14 Ult		
Expected average remaining working li	fe			9 years	8 Years		
Retirement Age				58 years	58 years		
Movement in Other Comprehensive Incom	ne			As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022		
Balance at start of year (loss)/gain				200.97	270.29		
Re-measurements on DBO							
a) Actuarial (Loss)/Gain from changes	in demographic assum	nptions		-	-		
b) Actuarial (Loss)/Gain from changes	23.26	24.61					
c) Actuarial (Loss)/Gain from experier	21.48	(92.80)					
Re-measurements on Plan Assets							
a) Actuarial (Loss)/Gain from changes	-	-					
<li>b) Return on Plan assets, excluding an liability/(asset)</li>	(10.23)	(1.13)					
c) Re-measurements on Plan Assets (	Gain/ (Loss)			-	-		
Balance at end of year (loss)/gain	235.48	200.97					
Movement in Surplus/(Deficit)				As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022		
Surplus/(Deficit) at start of year				32.79	157.77		
Movement during the year				-			
Current Service Cost				(130.87)	(132.29)		
Past Service Cost				-	-		
Net Interest on net DBO				5.36	8.36		
Actuarial gain/ (loss)				34.51	(69.32)		
Contributions	174.21	68.27					
Surplus/(Deficit) at end of year	116.00	32.79					
Other disclosures	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022	As at March 31, 2021	As at March 31, 2020	As at March 31, 2019		
Defined benefit obligation	975.73	970.13	876.74	1,020.49	751.23		
Plan assets	1,091.73	1,002.92	1,034.51	786.05	752.79		
Surplus/(deficit)	116.00	32.79	157.77	(234.44)	1.56		
Experience adjustments on plan	(21.48)	92.80	(97.03)	(90.15)	(7.11)		

Experience adjustments on plan Assets	
– (loss)/ gain*	

liabilities – loss/(gain)

\* Information is disclosed to the extent available

	As at March	As at March 31, 2023		As at March 31, 2022	
Sensitivity Analysis	Increases 1%	Decreases 1%	Increases 1%	Decreases 1%	
	Change in DBO (Amount)		Change in DBO (Amount)		
Salary Growth Rate	77.85	(69.03)	85.02	(75.05)	
Discount Rate	(67.10)	76.92	(73.15)	84.25	
Withdrawal Rate	7.84	(9.09)	7.80	(9.05)	

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Maturity profile:

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The average expected remaining life time of the plan members is 9 years (P.Y.: 8 years) as at the date of valuation. This represents the weighted average of the expected remaining lifetime of all plan participants.

The sensitivity analysis above has 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 method (Projected Unit Credit 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.

100% of the plan assets held by gratuity trust comprises of employees group gratuity scheme with Life Insurance Corporation of India. The estimates of future salary increase, considered in actuarial valuation, take account of inflation, seniority, promotion and other relevant factors such as supply and demand factors in the employment market. The expected rate of return on plan assets comprising of Insurance Policy with LIC of India is based on the historical results of returns given by LIC of India.

The Company expects to contribute ₹ 200.00 lakhs to gratuity trust for contribution to LIC of India in financial year 2023-24.

#### b) Disclosure in respect of leave entitlement liability:

Leave entitlement is short-term benefit which is recognised as an expense at the un-discounted amount in the year in which the related service is rendered and disclosed under other financial liabilities.

#### c) Death in service benefit:

The Company has taken group term policy from an insurance Company to cover its obligation for death in service benefit given to eligible employees. The insurance premium of ₹ 60.03 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 43.62 lakhs) is recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss.

d) The Company contributes towards Employees Provident Fund, Employees State Insurance, National Pension Scheme and Labour Welfare Fund. The aggregate amount contributed and charged to Statement of Profit and Loss is ₹ 594.46 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 523.39 lakhs).

The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India ("SC") by its order dated February 28, 2019, in the case of Surya Roshani Limited & others V/s EPFO, set out the principles based on which allowances paid to the employees should be identified for inclusion in basic wages for the purposes of computation of Provident Fund contribution. Based on the same, the Company has changed its Salary Structure from April 1, 2019, but impact of the previous years is not ascertainable, since the retrospective date of applicability of the same is not yet clarified.

#### 2.46: Related Party Disclosure:

Disclosures as per Ind AS 24 - 'Related Party Disclosures' are given below:

# a) Related Parties where i) control exists and ii) where significant influence exists (with whom transaction have taken place during the year).

#### Wholly-Owned Subsidiary:

K-Lounge Lifestyle Limited (Refer note 2.70)

#### Joint Ventures:

White Knitwear Private Limited

#### Enterprises where Key Management Personnel (KMP) and their relatives have significant influence:

Smt. Jatnobai Karamchandji Ratanparia Chouhan Charitable Trust Kewal Kiran Finance Private Limited

#### Key Management Personnel:

Kewalchand P. Jain	Chairman & Managing Director
Hemant P. Jain	Jt. Managing Director (w.e.f. May 11, 2022)
Dinesh P. Jain	Whole-time Director
Vikas P. Jain	Whole-time Director
Prakash A. Mody	Independent Director

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Nimish G. Pandya	Independent Director
Yogesh A. Thar	Independent Director
Drushti R. Desai	Independent Director
Bhavin Sheth	Chief Financial Officer (Till January 31, 2022)
Bharat Adnani	Chief Financial Officer (w.e.f. January 31, 2023)
Nimesh Anandpara	Dy. Chief Financial Officer (w.e.f. May 11, 2022)
Abhijit Warange	Company Secretary

#### Relatives/Other concerns of Key Management Personnel (In cases where transactions are there):

Shantaben P. Jain (Mother of Key Management Personnel) Veena K. Jain (Wife of Kewalchand P. Jain.) Lata H. Jain (Wife of Hemant P. Jain) Sangeeta D. Jain (Wife of Dinesh P. Jain) Kesar V. Jain (Wife of Vikas P. Jain) Pankaj K. Jain (Son of Kewalchand P. Jain) Hitendra H. Jain (Son of Hemant P. Jain) Yash V. Jain (Son of Vikas P. Jain) Jai D. Jain (Son of Dinesh P. Jain) Nami D. Jain (Daughter of Dinesh P. Jain) Kewalchand P. Jain (HUF) Hemant P. Jain (HUF) Dinesh P. Jain (HUF) Vikas P. Jain (HUF) P.K. Jain Family Holding Trust Pandya & Co. (Controlled by Mr. Nimish G. Pandya) Kewal Kiran Enterprises.

#### **Employee Funds:**

Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited - Employee Group Gratuity Scheme.

**b)** The transactions with related parties are made in the normal course of business and on terms equivalent to those that prevail in arm's length transactions. Outstanding balances at the year-end are unsecured and interest-free and settlement occurs in cash. There have been no guarantees provided or received for any related party receivables or payables. The below transactions are as per approval of Audit Committee. The Company has not recorded any impairment of receivables relating to amounts owed by related parties. This assessment is undertaken each financial year through examining the financial position of the related party and the market in which the related party operates.

Nature of Transaction	Enterprises Where KMP & their relatives have significant influence	Wholly-Owned Subsidiary	Relatives/Other Concerns of Key Management Personnel	Key Management Personnel	Employee Funds
Rent Expenses	-	-	9.18	29.89	-
	(-)	(-)	(9.18)	(29.89)	(-)
Managerial Remuneration	-	-	-	610.96	-
	(-)	(-)	(-)	(531.79)	(-)
Salary	-	-	135.00	-	-
	(-)	(-)	(120.00)	(-)	(-)
Sitting Fees Paid	-	-	-	28.80	-
	(-)	(-)	(-)	(30.30)	(-)
Dividend Paid	1.72	-	2,525.20	1,133.67	-
	(1.29)	-	(1,893.90)	(850.25)	(-)
CSR (Donation)	131.51	-	-	-	-
	(133.00)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)

(-)

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(-)

(-)

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Enterprises **Relatives/Other** Where KMP & Wholly-Owned Concerns of Key Key Management Nature of Transaction their relatives **Employee Funds** Subsidiary Management Personnel have significant Personnel influence -174.21 Contribution to Gratuity Fund \_ --(-) (-) (-) (-) (68.27) Legal & Professional Services received 1.40 ----(-) (-) (1.35)(-) (-) Purchase/Subscription of Investment \_ \_ -\_ \_ (-) (500.00) (-) (-) (-) 135.00 Purchase of Property ----(-) (-) (-) (-) (-) Loan Given -276.62 ---(-) (-) (-) (-) (-) Interest Income 10.56 \_ \_ \_

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Outstanding Balances	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Trade and Salary Payable	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022
Relatives/Other Concerns of Key Management Personnel	13.45	33.97
Key Management Personnel	231.45	153.10
Trade Receivable & Advances		
Employee Funds	116.00	32.79
Deposit Receivable		
Relatives/ Other Concerns of Key Management Personnel	4.59	4.59
Key Management Personnel	3.24	3.24
Investments		
Joint Venture	345.50	345.50
Wholly-Owned Subsidiary	500.00	500.00
Loans		
Subsidiary (including interest accrued)	286.12	-
Key Management Personnel	1.00	4.00

#### c) Disclosure in respect of material transactions with related parties during the year:

Nature of Transaction	Nature of relationship	Name of the related party	Amount
Rent Expenses	Key Management Personnel	Kewalchand P. Jain	9.98
	, 0		(9.98)
		Hemant P. Jain	8.60
			(8.60)
		Dinesh P. Jain	5.66
			(5.66)
		Vikas P. Jain	5.66
			(5.66)
	Relatives/ Other Concerns of Key Management Personnel	Shantaben P. Jain	9.18
			(9.18)
Managerial Remuneration	Key Management Personnel	Kewalchand P. Jain	125.00
(Salary)			(106.04)
		Hemant P. Jain Dinesh P. Jain	125.00
			(106.04)
			125.00
			(106.04)
		Vikas P. Jain	125.00
			(106.04)

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Nature of Transaction	Nature of relationship	Name of the related party Amoun	
		Bhavin Sheth	-
			(57.23)
		Bharat Adnani	12.94
			(-)
		Nimesh Anandpara	51.01
		Rimesir Ananupara	(-)
		Abhijit Warange	47.00
		Abrijit Warange	(50.40)
Salary	Bolatives / Other Concerns of Key Management	Bankai K. Jain	50.00
odidi y	Relatives/ Other Concerns of Key Management Personnel	Pankaj K. Jain	(40.83)
		Hitendra H. Jain	50.00
			(39.17)
		Jai D. Jain	10.00
			(17.50)
		Yash V. Jain	20.00
			(17.50)
		Nami D. Jain	5.00
			(5.00)
Dividend Paid	Enterprises	Kewal Kiran Finance Private Limited	1.72
	Where KMP & their relatives have significant influence		(1.29)
	Relatives/ Other Concerns of Key Management	Shantaben P. Jain (Trustee/Beneficiary	2,461.20
	Personnel	of P. K. Jain Family Holding Trust)	(1,845.90)
		Veena K. Jain	6.40
		Veena IX. Jain	(4.80)
		Lata H. Jain	6.40
			(4.80)
		Sangeeta D. Jain	6.40
			(4.80)
		Kesar V. Jain	6.40
			(4.80)
		Pankaj K. Jain	6.40
			(4.80)
		Hitendra H. Jain	(4.00) 6.40
		Kewalchand P. Jain (HUF)	(4.80) <b>6.40</b>
			(4.80)
		Hemant P. Jain (HUF)	(4.80) <b>6.40</b>
		Hemanic P. Jann (HOF)	
			(4.80)
		Dinesh P. Jain (HUF)	6.40
			(4.80)
		Vikas P. Jain (HUF)	6.40
			(4.80)
Key Management Personnel	Kewalchand P. Jain	276.24	
			(207.18)
		Hemant P. Jain	276.77
			(207.57)
		Dinesh P. Jain	291.93
			(218.95)
		Vikas P. Jain	288.73
			(216.55)

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Nature of Transaction	Nature of relationship	Name of the related party	Amount
Contribution to Gratuity Fund	Employee Funds	Employee Fund	174.21
			(68.27)
Corporate Social Responsibility	Enterprises where KMP & their relatives have	Smt. Jatnobai Karamchandji Ratanparia	131.51
(Donation)	significant influence	Chouhan Charitable Trust	(133.00)
Legal & Professional Services	Relatives/ Other Concerns of Key Management	Pandya & Co.	1.40
received	Personnel		(1.35)
Purchase/ Subscription of	Wholly-Owned Subsidiary	K-Lounge Lifestyle Limited	-
Investment			(500.00)
Purchase of Property	Enterprises where KMP & their relatives have	Kewal Kiran Enterprises	135.00
	significant influence		(-)
Loan Given	Wholly-Owned Subsidiary	K-Lounge Lifestyle Limited	276.62
			(-)
Interest Income	Wholly-Owned Subsidiary	K-Lounge Lifestyle Limited	10.56
			(-)

Notes:

i) Figures in brackets represent corresponding amount of previous year.

ii) Above transactions exclude reimbursement of expenses.

iii) In case of KMP under the Companies Act, 2013, managerial remuneration excludes gratuity provision as it is determined on actuarial basis for the Company as a whole.

### d) Compensation to KMP of the Company:

Nature of Benefits#	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Short-term employee benefits (including Sitting Fees)	639.76	562.09
Post-employment gratuity and medical	-	-
Other long-term benefits	-	-
Share-based payment transactions	-	-
Termination Benefits	-	-
Total	639.76	562.09

# The aforesaid amounts exclude gratuity provision as it is determined on actuarial basis for the Company as a whole.

### e) Loans or Advances in the nature of loans granted to promoters, directors, KMPs and the related parties:

Type of Borrower	For the year ended March 31, 2023	% of Total Loans & Advances	For the year ended March 31, 2022	% of Total Loans & Advances
Promoters	-	-	-	-
Directors	-	-	-	-
KMP	1.00	0.35%	4.00	100%
Related Parties	286.12	99.65%	-	-
Total	287.12	100%	4.00	100%

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### 2.47: Leases - Ind AS 116:

### a) As Lessee:

Effective April 1, 2019, the Company adopted Ind AS 116 and applied the standard to all lease contracts existing on April 1, 2019 using the modified retrospective method. Consequently, the Company recorded the lease liability at the present value of the lease payments discounted at the incremental borrowing rate and the right of use asset at an amount equal to lease liability, adjusted by the amount of any prepaid or accrued lease payments relating to that lease recognised in the balance sheet immediately before the date of initial application.

Following is the information pertaining to leases:

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
(a) Depreciation Charge for Right to Use Asset	233.54	91.65
(b) Interest Expense on Lease Liability	101.94	47.44
(c) Expense relating to short-term leases accounted in profit & loss	211.94	124.86
(d) Total Cash Outflow for Leases for the period	271.34	116.54
(e) Additions to Right to use Assets	1,160.83	254.92
(f) Carrying Amount of Right to use Assets at year end	1,602.64	675.34
(g) Lease Liability at year end	1,516.16	527.83

Table showing contractual maturities of lease liabilities on undiscounted basis:

Due	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Due not later than one year	340.87	135.96
Due later than one year but not later than five years	1,065.61	337.04
More than 5 years	594.88	351.00
Total	2,001.36	824.00

### b) As Lessor:

The Company has given certain part of its property on operating lease. These lease arrangements are for a period of 9 years and cancellable solely at discretion of the lessees. Rental income from leasing of property of ₹ 108.00 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 104.70 lakhs) is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss. The initial direct cost (if any) is charged off to expenses in the year in which it is incurred.

The Company has not given any property under non-cancellable operating lease.

### 2.48: Disclosure regarding Derivative Instrument and Unhedged Foreign Currency Exposure:

There are no open derivatives / forward exchange contracts as at year end. The year-end foreign currency exposures that have not been hedged by a derivative instrument or otherwise are given below:

		As at March 31, 2023		As at March 31, 2022	
Particulars	Currency	Amt. in Foreign Currency	Amount	Amt. in Foreign Currency	Amount
Trade Receivables	USD	1,75,252.38	131.17	3,93,774.50	292.43
Trade Payables	USD	-	-	3,650.81	2.77
Advance from Customer	USD	1,977.20	1.62	1,882.49	1.43
Foreign currency in hand	Multiple	2,094.95	0.46	3,179.95	1.44

Note: The above figures do not include open purchase orders/sales orders.

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### 2.49: Provisions:

Disclosure as per Ind AS 37 - Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets are given below:

		Provision for C	Other Provisions (including schemes, incentives and discount expenses)			
Particulars	Provision for Defective claims				Other Contingencies*	
	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Opening Balance	790.55	118.69	185.85	172.09	6,085.62	1,940.40
Addition	1,041.40	912.44	-	13.76	11,330.34	10,719.01
Utilisation	798.38	240.58	26.47	-	10,201.97	6,573.79
Closing Balance	1,033.57	790.55	159.38	185.85	7,213.99	6,085.62

\* It comprises of rates & taxes.

The above Provision has been grouped under the head 'Current Provisions' in Note 2.26.

The timing of the outflow is dependent on various aspects / fulfillment of conditions and occurrence of events. Such provisions are made based on the past experience and assessment of rates and taxes. However, it is most likely that outflow is expected to be within a period of one year from the date of Balance Sheet.

### 2.50: Contingent Liabilities:

a) Disputed demands in respect of income tax not acknowledged as debt by the Company of ₹ 83.16 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 47.51 lakhs). Future cash outflows in respect of above are dependent on outcome of matter under dispute.

In addition to the above, in respect of Assessment year 2005-2006, there was tax demand of ₹ 68.94 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 68.94 lakhs) which had been adjusted by the tax authorities against refund due to the Company in respect of other years. During F.Y. 2015-16, the Company had received favourable Order passed by the ITAT, Mumbai against which the Income Tax Department has filed the appeal before the Bombay High Court and was admitted dated November 27, 2021.

Future cash outflows in respect of above are dependent on outcome of matter under dispute.

b) The Company had in earlier years purchased capital assets under EPCG license against which the Company does not have any balance export obligation at the end of the year.

As at the year-end, amount of outstanding bonds executed by the Company in favour of customs authority aggregates to ₹ Nil (P.Y.: ₹ 700.24 lakhs).

- c) Bank guarantees by the given bank on behalf of the Company of ₹ 206.69 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 95.62 lakhs).
- d) The Company's contingent liability and capital/other commitment in relation to joint venture ₹ Nil (P.Y.: ₹ Nil).

Note: No outflow of resources is expected in respect of Para (b) and (c).

### 2.51: Estimated amount of contracts remaining to be executed on:

### a) Capital Commitment:

- i) Purchase of Machineries ₹ 180.00 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 54.34 lakhs).
- ii) Construction of Building ₹ 100.00 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 76.78 lakhs).

### b) Other commitments:

Capital Contribution Commitment for investment in Portfolio Management Services:

- i) Sistema Asia Fund ₹ 42 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 45.00 lakhs).
- ii) Somerset Indus Healthcare India Fund ₹ 34.20 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 59.87 lakhs).

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### 2.52: Income Taxes (Ind AS 12):

### a) Income tax expense in the statement of profit and loss consists of:

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Current income tax:		
In respect of the current year	3,771.31	2,710.00
In respect of the prior years - Short/(Excess)	-	(16.83)
Deferred tax:		
In respect of the current year - Charge/(Credit)	8.00	(324.00)
Income tax expense recognised in the statement of profit or loss	3,779.31	2,369.17

### b) Income tax recognised in other comprehensive income:

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Deferred tax arising on income and expense recognised in OCI		
a) Re-measurement of the net defined benefit plan	(8.69)	-
b) Financial assets at fair value	9.67	(30.22)
Income tax expense recognised in other comprehensive income	0.98	(30.22)

### c) Reconciliation of Effective Tax Rate:

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Applicable tax rate (%)	25.168%	25.168%
Profit before tax	15,707.41	10,534.65
Current tax expenses on Profit before tax as per applicable tax rate	3,953.24	2,651.36
Tax effect of the amounts which are not deductible/(taxable) in calculating taxable income		
Effect of Income not considered for tax purpose (Fair value changes etc.)	(223.58)	(286.70)
Effect of Tax paid at a lower rate	(6.54)	(19.50)
Effect of Previous year adjustments	-	(16.83)
Effect of expenses that are not deductible in determining taxable profits	53.06	37.84
Other Items	3.13	3.00
Total income tax expense/(credit)	3,779.31	2,369.17

The effective tax rate is 24.06% (P.Y.: 22.49%).

There is no income surrendered or disclosed as income during the current or previous year in the tax assessments under the Income Tax Act, 1961, that has not been recorded in the books of account.

### d) Deferred tax note:

The tax effect of significant temporary differences that resulted in deferred income tax assets and liabilities are as follows:

		Balance	Balance Sheet		Statement of Profit & Loss Account	
Pa	rticulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022	
A)	Deferred Tax Assets:					
	Provision for Assets	684.50	598.79	85.71	234.87	
	Others	106.19	136.79	(30.60)	36.06	
	Total (A)	790.69	735.58	55.11	270.93	
B)	Deferred Tax Liability:					
	Depreciation	323.06	303.65	19.41	28.83	
	Tax on LTCG on Mutual Fund	439.63	395.93	43.70	(81.90)	
	Total (B)	762.69	699.58	63.11	(53.07)	
	Deferred Tax Asset/(Liabilities) (A-B)	28.00	36.00	(8.00)	324.00	

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e) Reconciliation of deferred tax assets/(liabilities) (net):

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Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Opening Balance	36.00	(288.00)
Tax income/(expense) recognised in profit or loss	(8.00)	324.00
Tax income/(expense) recognised in other comprehensive income	-	-
Closing Balance	28.00	36.00

### 2.53: Corporate Social Responsibility:

As per Section 135 of the Companies Act, 2013, the Company has spent on Corporate Social Responsibility as per its CSR policy.

- a) Gross amount required to be spent by the Company during the year is ₹ 131.51 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 131.54 lakhs).
- b) The amount approved by the board during the year is ₹ 131.51 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 131.54 lakhs).
- c) Amount spent during the year on:

Sr. No.	Particulars	In Cash (Amount)	Yet to be paid (Amount)	Total (Amount)
(i)	Construction/acquisition of any asset	-	-	-
		(-)	(-)	(-)
(ii)	On purposes other than (i) above	131.51	-	131.51
		(133.00)	(-)	(133.00)

#### Notes:

- i) Figures in brackets represent corresponding amount of previous year.
- ii) Cash flow from operating activities includes CSR amounting to ₹ 131.51 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 133.00 lakhs).
- d) Shortfall at the end of the year ₹ Nil.
- e) Nature of CSR activity Promoting Health care including Preventive Health care.
- f) Refer note no. 2.46 for transactions with related parties.

### 2.54: Disclosure as per Regulation 34 (3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and Section 186 of the Companies Act, 2013:

### a) Loan Given to Subsidiary:

Name of Company	Terms	Maximum outstanding du		Amount Outstanding	
		March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022
K-Lounge Lifestyle Ltd.	Interest rate 7.5% p.a., repayment on demand	286.12*	-	286.12*	-

\*includes interest accrued thereon.

The loan have been utilised for meeting the business requirements by subsidiary company.

- b) Refer note 2.2 for Investments in Subsidiary and Joint Venture.
- c) Particulars of Loans, Guarantees or Investments pursuant to Section 186(4) of the Companies Act, 2013.

### Amount outstanding as at year end:

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Loans given (includes interest accrued thereon)*	286.12	-
Guarantee given	-	-
Investments made*	29,934.33	31,247.27

\*Also Refer note no. 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.10 and 2.12.

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### 2.55: Fair Value Measurement:

The management assessed that cash and bank balances, trade receivables, trade payables, cash credits and other financial assets and liabilities approximate their carrying amounts largely due to the short-term maturities of these 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 Company has established the following fair value hierarchy that categorises the values into 3 levels. The inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value of financial instruments are:

**Level 1:** This hierarchy uses quoted (unadjusted) prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities. The fair value of all equity investments and units of mutual funds which are traded in the stock exchanges is valued using the closing price or dealer quotations as at the reporting date.

**Level 2:** The fair value of financial instruments that are not traded in an active market is determined using valuation techniques which maximise the use of observable market data and rely as little as possible on company specific estimates. The mutual fund units are valued using the closing Net Asset Value. If all significant inputs required to fair value an instrument are observable, the instrument is included in Level 2.

**Level 3:** If one or more of the significant inputs is not based on observable market data, the instrument is included in Level 3.

### a) Categories of Financial Instruments:

Particulars	FVTPL	FVOCI	Amortised Cost	Total	Carrying Amount
As at March 31, 2023					
Financial Assets:					
Trade receivables	-	-	16,992.11	16,992.11	16,992.11
Investment in Equity shares, quoted	-	438.84	-	438.84	438.84
Investment in units of Mutual Funds, PMS & Equity Share Unquoted	28,649.99	-	-	28,649.99	28,649.99
Cash and bank balances	-	-	2,891.11	2,891.11	2,891.11
Other financial assets	-	-	2,442.40	2,442.40	2,442.40
Total	28,649.99	438.84	22,325.62	51,414.45	51,414.45
Financial Liabilities:					
Cash Credits/Working Capital Borrowing	-	-	5,082.13	5,082.13	5,082.13
Trade payables	-	-	4,808.79	4,808.79	4,808.79
Other financial liabilities	-	-	3,407.04	3,407.04	3,407.04
Total	-	-	13,297.96	13,297.96	13,297.96
Particulars	FVTPL	FVOCI	Amortised Cost	Total	Carrying Amount
As at March 31, 2022					
Financial Assets:					
Trade receivables	-	-	17,092.15	17,092.15	17,092.15
Investment in Equity shares, quoted	-	549.94	-	549.94	549.94
Investment in units of Mutual Funds, PMS & Equity Share Unquoted	29,851.83	-	-	29,851.83	29,851.83
Cash and bank balances	-	-	2,510.97	2,510.97	2,510.97
Other financial assets	-	-	1,798.31	1,798.31	1,798.31
Total	29,851.83	549.94	21,401.43	51,803.20	51,803.20
Financial Liabilities:					
Cash Credits/Working Capital Borrowing	-	-	7,659.85	7,659.85	7,659.85
Trade payables	-	-	5,343.35	5,343.35	5,343.35
Other financial liabilities	-	-	2,412.26	2,412.26	2,412.26

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### b) Financial Instruments measured at fair value:

	Fair	value measurement us	sing	<b>T</b> ( ) ( )
Particulars	(Level 1)* Amount	(Level 2)* Amount	(Level 3) Amount	Total (Amount)
As at March 31, 2023				
Financial Assets				
Fair value through Other Comprehensive Income				
Investment in Equity shares, quoted	438.84	-	-	438.84
Fair value through Profit and Loss				
Investment in units of Mutual Funds and PMS	-	27,144.45	-	27,144.45
Investments in units of Perpetual Bonds	198.35	-	-	198.35
Investment in Equity shares, unquoted	-	-	1,307.19	1,307.19
As at March 31, 2022				
Financial Assets				
Fair value through Other Comprehensive Income				
Investment in Equity shares, quoted	549.94	-	-	549.94
Fair value through Profit and Loss				
Investment in units of Mutual Funds and PMS	-	28,851.83	-	28,851.83
Investment in Equity shares, unquoted	-	-	1,000.00	1,000.00

\* There has been no transfer between level 1 and level 2 during the year ended March 31, 2023 and March 31, 2022.

### Notes:

- i) For Details of income and gains related to financial instruments (Refer Note 2.29).
- ii) Investments in subsidiary and joint venture are valued at cost less impairment loss (if any) in accordance with Ind AS 27
   'Separate Financial Statements', consequently the same is not disclosed in above table. The investments made in subsidiaries and joint venture as at March 31, 2023 is ₹ 845.50 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 845.50 lakhs) and are measured at cost.

#### 2.55.1:Key Inputs for Level 1 and Level 2 Fair Valuation Technique:

- a) Mutual Funds: Based on Net Asset Value of the Scheme (Level 2).
- b) Listed Equity Investments and Investment in Perpetual bond: Based on Quoted Bid Price on Stock Exchange (Level 1).
- c) Investment in Portfolio Management Services: Based on closing net asset value of Investment (Level 2).

### 2.55.2: Description of Significant Unobservable Inputs used for Financial Instruments (Level 3):

Equity Investments - Unquoted (Other than Subsidiary and Joint Venture): Discounted cash flow method using risk adjusted discount rate.

# 2.55.3:The following table shows a reconciliation from the opening balances to the closing balances for level 3 fair values:

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Opening balance	1,000.00	1,000.00
Purchase of Investments during the year	-	-
Sale/Redemption of Investments	-	-
Gain recognised in profit and loss on fair value adjustment	307.19	-
Closing balance	1,307.19	1,000.00

### 2.55.4: Relationship of Unobservable Inputs to Level 3 fair values (Recurring):

Equity Investments - Unquoted (for Equity Shares where Discounted Cash Flow Method is used):

The impact of sensitivity analysis on the fair valuation is not expected to material considering the size of the investment and overall size of the Company.

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### 2.56: Financial risk management objectives and policies:

The Company's principal financial liabilities, other than derivatives, comprise loans and borrowings, trade and other payables. The main purpose of these financial liabilities is to finance the Company's operations. The Company's principal financial assets include trade and other receivables, investments and cash & cash equivalents that derive directly from its operations.

The Company is exposed to market risk, credit risk and liquidity risk. The Company's senior management oversees the management of these risks. It is the Company's policy that no trading in derivatives for speculative purposes may be undertaken. The Board of Directors reviews and agrees policies for managing each of these risks, which are summarised below.

### a) 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 two types of risk: (i) interest rate risk and (ii) currency risk. Market risk is attributable to all market risk sensitive financial instruments including investments and deposits, foreign currency receivables, payables and borrowings. The sensitivity analysis in the following sections relate to the position as at March 31, 2023 and March 31, 2022.

The analysis excludes the impact of movements in market variables on: the carrying values of gratuity and other postretirement obligations; provisions.

The sensitivity of the relevant profit or loss item is the effect of the assumed changes in respective market risks. This is based on the financial assets and financial liabilities held at March 31, 2023 and March 31, 2022.

### i) Interest rate risk:

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Company's exposure to the risk of changes in market interest rates relates primarily to the Company's short-term debt obligations with floating interest rates. The Company has sufficient amount of liquid investments to mitigate the interest risk on its short-term debt obligations.

### Interest rate sensitivity:

The following table demonstrates the sensitivity to a reasonably possible change in interest rates on that portion of loans and borrowings taken at floating rates. With all other variables held constant, the Company's profit / (loss) before tax is affected through the impact on floating rate borrowings, as follows:

Basis Points	As at March 3	1, 2023	As at March 31, 2022	
	5% increase	5% decrease	5% increase	5% decrease
Effect on profit before tax (Amount)	(20.95)	20.95	(18.17)	18.17

### ii) Foreign currency risk:

Foreign currency risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of an exposure will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates. The Company transacts business in local currency and in foreign currency, primarily in USD. The Company's trade receivables in foreign currency as at March 31, 2023 is ₹ 27.14 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹119.98 lakhs).

### Foreign currency sensitivity:

The following table demonstrates the sensitivity to a reasonably possible change in rate of USD, with all other variables held constant. The impact on the Company's profit before tax is due to changes in the fair value of monetary assets and liabilities. The Company's exposure to foreign currency changes for all other currencies is not material.

Basis Points	As at March	31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022	
Basis Points	2% increase	2% decrease	2% increase	2% decrease
Effect on profit before tax (Amount)	0.54	(0.54)	2.40	(2.40)

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### b) Credit risk:

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Credit risk is the risk that counterparty will not meet its obligations under a financial instrument or customer contract, leading to a financial loss. The Company is exposed to credit risk from its operating activities (primarily trade receivables). Also refer note 2.58(b) for details regarding customer concentration.

The Company considers the probability of default upon initial recognition of asset and whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk on an ongoing basis throughout each reporting period. To assess whether there is a significant increase in credit risk the Company compares the risk of default occurring on asset as at the reporting date with the risk of default as at the date of initial recognition. It considers reasonable and supportive forwarding-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 the same counterparty,
- v) Significant changes in the value of the collateral supporting the obligation or in the quality of the third-party guarantees or credit enhancements.

Financial assets are written off when there are no reasonable expectations of recovery, such as a debtor failing to engage in a repayment plan with the Company.

Assets in the nature of Investment, security deposits, loans and advances are measured using 12 months expected credit losses (ECL). Balances with Banks is subject to low credit risk due to good credit rating assigned to these banks. Trade receivables are measured using lifetime expected credit losses.

Financial Assets for which loss allowances is measured using the Expected Credit Losses (ECL):

#### The Ageing analysis of Account receivables has been considered from the date the invoice falls due:

Ageing	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
0-180 days	17,406.62	16,939.34
181 days to 365 days	1,462.31	733.83
beyond 365 days	523.18	1,468.98
Total	19,392.11	19,142.15

### Trade receivables ageing schedule for the year ended as on March 31, 2023 and March 31, 2022:

As at March 31, 2023	Less than 6 months (Amount)	6 months to 1 years (Amount)	1 to 2 years (Amount)	2 to 3 years (Amount)	More than 3 Years (Amount)	Total (Amount)
Undisputed Trade receivables – considered good	17,406.63	1,462.31	215.03	11.68	192.44	19,288.09
Undisputed Trade Receivables – which have significant increase in credit risk	-	-	-	-	104.02	104.02
Undisputed Trade Receivables – credit impaired	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disputed Trade Receivables considered good	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disputed Trade Receivables – which have significant increase in credit risk	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disputed Trade Receivables – credit impaired	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	17,406.63	1,462.31	215.03	11.68	296.46	19,392.11
Less : Allowance for bad and doubtful debts and expected credit loss	(713.20)	(1163.63)	(215.03)	(11.68)	(296.46)	(2,400.00)
Net Total	16,693.43	298.68	-	-	-	16,992.11

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As at March 31, 2022	Less than 6 months (Amount)	6 months to 1 years (Amount)	1 to 2 years (Amount)	2 to 3 years (Amount)	More than 3 Years (Amount)	Total (Amount)
Undisputed Trade receivables – considered good	16,939.34	733.72	629.63	438.90	228.65	18,970.24
Undisputed Trade Receivables – which have significant increase in credit risk	-	-	-	-	-	-
Undisputed Trade Receivables – credit impaired	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disputed Trade Receivables considered good	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disputed Trade Receivables – which have significant increase in credit risk	-	0.11	61.56	102.70	7.54	171.91
Disputed Trade Receivables – credit impaired	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	16,939.34	733.83	691.19	541.60	236.19	19,142.15
Less : Allowance for bad and doubtful debts and expected credit loss	(224.40)	(356.62)	(691.19)	(541.60)	(236.19)	(2,050.00)
Net Total	16,714.94	377.21	-	-	-	17,092.15

The following table summarises the changes in loss allowances measured using lifetime expected credit loss model and provision is made after considering credit notes/recoveries anticipated:

Provisions	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Opening Provision	2,050.00	1,325.00
Add:- Additional allowance made	559.57	856.83
Less:- Allowance utilised against bad debts	(209.57)	(131.83)
Closing provisions	2,400.00	2,050.00

No Significant changes in estimation techniques or assumptions were made during the year.

### c) Liquidity risk:

The Company's principal source of liquidity are cash and cash equivalents and the cash flow that is generated from operations. The Company believes that the working capital is sufficient to meet its current requirements.

As on March 31, 2023, the Company had working capital of ₹ 40,072.38 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹35,255.74 lakhs) including cash and bank balance of ₹ 17,039.45 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹19,180.16 lakhs) and current investments of ₹ 12,692.95 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹11,847.95 lakhs).

# i) Maturity patterns of the Financial Liabilities of the Company at the reporting date based on contractual undiscounted payment:

As at March 31, 2023	Less than 1 year (Amount)	1 to 5 years (Amount)	More than 5 Years (Amount)	Total (Amount)
Borrowings	5,082.13	-	-	5,082.13
Trade payables	4,808.79	-	-	4,808.79
Lease Liability	340.87	1,065.61	594.88	2,001.36
Other financial liabilities	1,890.88	-	-	1,890.88
Total	12,122.67	1,065.61	594.88	13,783.16
As at March 31, 2022	Less than 1 year (Amount)	1 to 5 years (Amount)	More than 5 Years (Amount)	Total (Amount)
Borrowings	7,659.85	-	-	7,659.85
Trade payables	5,343.35	-	-	5,343.35
Lease Liability	135.96	337.04	351.00	824.00
Other financial liabilities	1,884.43	-	-	1,884.43
Total	15,023.59	337.04	351.00	15,711.63

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### ii) Trade Payables ageing schedule for the year ended as on March 31, 2023 and March 31, 2022:

As at March 31, 2023		Outstanding for following periods from due date of payment					
AS at March 31, 2023	< 1 year	1-2 years	2-3 years	> 3 years			
MSME	32.73	-	-	-	32.73		
Others	4,776.06	-	-	-	4,776.06		
Disputed Dues – MSME	-	-	-	-	-		
Disputed Dues – Others	-	-	-	-	-		

A	0	late of payment	Total		
As at March 31, 2022	< 1 year	1-2 years	2-3 years	> 3 years	
MSME	36.19	-	-	-	36.19
Others	5,239.13	40.55	22.78	4.70	5,307.16
Disputed Dues – MSME	-	-	-	-	-
Disputed Dues – Others	-	-	-	-	-

# iii) The table below summarises the maturity profile of the Company's financial assets based on contractual undiscounted receipt:

< 1 year	1 - 5 years	> 5 years	Total
12,692.95	2,247.54	-	14,940.49
5.35	294.40	-	299.75
16,992.11	-	-	16,992.11
17,029.39	-	-	17,029.39
10.06	-	-	10.06
129.52	2,013.13	-	2,142.65
< 1 year	1 - 5 years	> 5 years	Total
11,847.95	1,884.63	-	13,732.58
15.09	13.53	-	28.62
17,092.15	-	-	17,092.15
19,123.98	-	-	19,123.98
56.18	-	-	56.18
257.89	1,511.80		1,769.69
	12,692.95 5.35 16,992.11 17,029.39 10.06 129.52 < 1 year	12,692.95         2,247.54           5.35         294.40           16,992.11         -           17,029.39         -           10.06         -           129.52         2,013.13	12,692.95       2,247.54       -         5.35       294.40       -         16,992.11       -       -         17,029.39       -       -         10.06       -       -         129.52       2,013.13       -          -       -       -         11,847.95       1,884.63       -         15.09       13.53       -         17,092.15       -       -         19,123.98       -       -         56.18       -       -

The Company is not exposed to significant liquidity risk based on past performance and current expectations. The Company believes that the cash and cash equivalents, cash generated from operations and available un-drawn credit facilities, will satisfy its working capital needs, capital expenditure, investment requirements, commitments and other liquidity requirements associated with its existing operations, through at least the next twelve months.

Note: Investments in subsidiary and Joint Venture are valued at cost less impairment loss (if any) in accordance with Ind AS 27 'Separate Financial Statements', consequently the same is not disclosed in maturity profile tabulated above.

The note below sets out details of the undrawn facilities that will be available for future operating facilities and to settle capital commitments of the Company:

Particulars	Particulars		As at March 31, 2022	
i) Secured cash credit facility				
- Amount used		1,582.13	4,659.85	
- Amount unused		5,417.87	2,340.15	
Total		7,000.00	7,000.00	
ii) Unsecured working capital facility				
- Amount used		3,500.00	3,000.00	
- Amount unused		4,000.00	2,000.00	
Total		7,500.00	5,000.00	
iii) Total facilities				
- Amount used		5,082.13	7,659.85	
- Amount unused		9,417.87	4,340.15	
Total		14,500.00	12,000.00	

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### 2.57: Capital Management:

### a) Risk Management:

For the purposes of the Company's capital management, capital includes issued capital, share premium and all other equity reserves attributable to the equity holders. The Company aims to manage its capital efficiently so as to safeguard its ability to continue as a going concern and to optimise returns to our shareholders.

The capital structure of the Company is based on management's judgement of the appropriate balance of key elements in order to meet its strategic and day-to-day needs. We consider the amount of capital in proportion to risk and manage the capital structure in light of changes in economic conditions and the risk characteristics of the underlying assets. In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Company may adjust the amount of dividends paid to shareholders, return capital to shareholders or issue new shares.

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 Net debt-equity ratio, which is Net debt (i.e. total debt less cash & cash equivalents and current investments) divided by total equity:

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Net Debt	-	-
Total Equity	54,741.88	47,819.41
Net Debt to Equity Ratio (%)	0%	0%

### b) Distributions made and proposed:

Equity Shares	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Cash dividends on equity shares declared and paid:		
Final dividend ₹ Nil (P.Y.: ₹ Nil) per equity share	-	-
First Interim Dividend declared and paid for the C.Y. ₹ 3.00 (P.Y.: ₹ 6.00*) and paid for C.Y. ₹ 5.00 (P.Y.: ₹ Nil) per equity share	4,930.02	3,697.51
Second Interim Dividend for the year C.Y. ₹ 2.00 (P.Y.: ₹ 5.00) per equity share, has been declared by the board of director subsequent to the date of balance sheet in their meeting dated April 27, 2023 (May 11, 2022) and the same would be paid in accordance with the requirement of Companies Act 2013 in due course	1,232.50	3,081.26
Proposed dividends on Equity shares:	-	-

\* Interim Dividend per share have been proportionately adjusted for the bonus issue in the ratio 4:1.

### 2.58: Segment Reporting:

- a) The Company is engaged in the business of manufacturing and marketing of apparels & trading of lifestyle accessories/ products. The Company is also generating power from Wind Turbine Generator. The power generated from the same is predominantly used for captive consumption. However, the operation of Wind Turbine Segment is within the threshold limit stipulated under IND AS 108 "Operating Segments" and hence it does not require disclosure as a separate reportable segment. As defined in Ind AS 108 'Operating Segments', the Chief Operating Decision Maker evaluates the Company's performance related to Apparels business and allocates resources based on an analysis of various performance indicators. Accordingly, Sale of Apparels is considered as only business segment.
- **b)** The customer base of the Company is diverse with different distribution channels and store formats except in case of one customer where the concentration is greater than other parties.

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### 2.59: Relation with Struck off Companies:

### As at March 31, 2023:

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Name of struck off Company	Nature of transactions with struck-off Company	Balance outstanding	Relationship with the Struck off company, if any, to be disclosed	
Canny Securities Pvt. Ltd	Shares held by struck off company	125 Shares	Shareholder	
Vaishak Shares Limited	Shares held by struck off company	5 Shares	Shareholder	
Arihants Securities Limited	Shares held by struck off company	1,000 Shares	Shareholder	
NVU Retail International Pvt. Ltd. Trade Receivables		₹Nil	-	

### As at March 31, 2022:

Name of struck off Company	Nature of transactions with struck-off	Balance	Relationship with the Struck off
Canny Securities Pvt. Ltd	Company Shares held by struck off company	outstanding 125 Shares	company, if any, to be disclosed Shareholder
Vaishak Shares Limited	Shares held by struck off company	5 Shares	Shareholder
Arihants Securities Limited	Shares held by struck off company	1,000 Shares	Shareholder
Aries Perfumes Pvt. Ltd	Trade Payables	₹Nil	-
NVU Retail International Pvt. Ltd.	Trade Receivables	₹ 6.17	-

### 2.60: Share held by Promoters:

### As at March 31, 2023:

		As at March 3	1, 2023	As at March 3	31, 2022	0/ <b>C</b> h	
Sr. No	Promoter name	No. of Shares	% of total shares	No. of Shares	% of total shares	% Change during the year	
1	Shantaben P. Jain j/w Kewalchand P. Jain j/w Hemant P. Jain	30,765,000	49.92	30,765,000	49.92	Nil	
	(equity shares held in their capacity as trustees/ beneficiaries of P.K.Jain Family Holding Trust)						
2	Mr. Dinesh P Jain	3,649,155	5.92	3,649,155	5.92	Nil	
	(includes 5,12,905 (P.Y.: 5,12,905) shares jointly held with Mrs. Sangeeta D. Jain)						
3	Mr. Vikas P Jain	3,609,105	5.86	3,609,105	5.86	Nil	
	(includes 4,72,855 (P.Y.: 4,72,855) shares jointly held with Mrs. Kesar V. Jain)						
4	Mr. Hemant P Jain	3,459,575	5.61	3,459,575	5.61	Nil	
	(includes 4,03,325 (P.Y.: 4,03,325) shares jointly held with Mrs. Lata H. Jain)						
5	Mr. Kewalchand P Jain	3,453,055	5.60	3,453,055	5.60	Nil	
	(includes 3,96,805 (P.Y.: 3,96,805) shares jointly held with Mrs. Veena K. Jain)						
6	Kewalchand P Jain H.U.F	80,000	0.13	80,000	0.13	Nil	
7	Hemant P Jain H.U.F	80,000	0.13	80,000	0.13	Nil	
8	Dinesh P Jain H.U.F	80,000	0.13	80,000	0.13	Nil	
9	Vikas P Jain H.U.F	80,000	0.13	80,000	0.13	Nil	
10	Mrs. Veena K. Jain	80,000	0.13	80,000	0.13	Nil	
11	Mrs. Lata H. Jain	80,000	0.13	80,000	0.13	Nil	
12	Mrs. Sangeeta D. Jain	80,000	0.13	80,000	0.13	Nil	
13	Mrs. Kesar V. Jain	80,000	0.13	80,000	0.13	Nil	
14	Pankaj K. Jain	80,000	0.13	80,000	0.13	Nil	
15	Hitendra H. Jain	80,000	0.13	80,000	0.13	Nil	
16	Kewal Kiran Finance Pvt. Ltd.	24,475	0.04	21,475	0.03	13.97%	
	Total	45,760,365	74.26	45,757,365	74.24		

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### As at March 31, 2022:

		As at M	arch 31, 2022	As at M	larch 31, 2021	% Change
Sr. No	Promoter name	No. of Shares*	% of total shares	No. of Shares	% of total shares	during the year*
1	Shantaben P. Jain j/w Kewalchand P. Jain j/w Hemant P. Jain	30,765,000	49.92	6,153,000	49.92	Nil
	(equity shares held in their capacity as trustees/ beneficiaries of P.K.Jain Family Holding Trust)					
2	Mr. Dinesh P Jain	3,649,155	5.92	729,831	5.92	Nil
	(includes 5,12,905 (P.Y.: 1,02,581) shares jointly held with Mrs. Sangeeta D. Jain)					
3	Mr. Vikas P Jain	3,609,105	5.86	721,821	5.86	Nil
	(includes 4,72,855 (P.Y.: 94,571) shares jointly held with Mrs. Kesar V. Jain)					
4	Mr. Hemant P Jain	3,459,575	5.61	691,915	5.61	Nil
	(includes 4,03,325 (P.Y.: 80,665) shares jointly held with Mrs. Lata H. Jain)					
5	Mr. Kewalchand P Jain	3,453,055	5.60	690,611	5.60	Nil
	(includes 3,96,805 (P.Y.: 79,361) shares jointly held with Mrs. Veena K. Jain)					
6	Kewalchand P Jain H.U.F	80,000	0.13	16,000	0.13	Nil
7	Hemant P Jain H.U.F	80,000	0.13	16,000	0.13	Nil
8	Dinesh P Jain H.U.F	80,000	0.13	16,000	0.13	Nil
9	Vikas P Jain H.U.F	80,000	0.13	16,000	0.13	Nil
10	Mrs. Veena K. Jain	80,000	0.13	16,000	0.13	Nil
11	Mrs. Lata H. Jain	80,000	0.13	16,000	0.13	Nil
12	Mrs. Sangeeta D. Jain	80,000	0.13	16,000	0.13	Nil
13	Mrs. Kesar V. Jain	80,000	0.13	16,000	0.13	Nil
14	Pankaj K. Jain	80,000	0.13	16,000	0.13	Nil
15	Hitendra H. Jain	80,000	0.13	16,000	0.13	Nil
16	Kewal Kiran Finance Pvt. Ltd.	21,475	0.03	4,295	0.03	Nil
	Total	45,757,365	74.24	9,151,473	74.24	

\*The Board has issued and allotted fully paid bonus shares at 4:1 ratio (i.e. 4 bonus equity shares for every 1 existing share of the Company) to the shareholders who held shares on December 17, 2021 (record date). Accordingly, the number of shares increased w.e.f. December 17, 2021 and EPS also was restated.

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### 2.61: Analytical Ratios:

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I. Analytical Ratios.						
Ratio	Numerator	Denominator	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022	% of Change	Reason for Variance more than 25%
Current ratio (times)	Current Assets	Current Liabilities	2.56	2.35	8.78	
Debt Equity Ratio (times)	Total Debts1	Shareholders' Equity	0.12	0.17	(29.60)	Decrease in short-term borrowings and increase in earnings
Debt Service Coverage Ratio (times)	Earnings Available for Debt service2	Debt Service3	2.92	1.42	105.68	Decrease in short-term borrowings and increase in earnings
Return on Equity Ratio (%)	ΡΑΤ	Average Shareholders' Equity	23.26	17.92	29.78	Increase in business profit during the year
Inventory Turnover Ratio (times)	Sales	Average Inventory	5.60	7.43	(24.68)	
Debtors Turnover Ratio (times)	Sales	Avg. Accounts Receivables	4.57	4.02	13.64	
Creditor Turnover Ratios (times)	Purchase	Avg. Trade Payables	11.49	9.62	19.37	
Net Capital Turnover Ratio (times)	Sales	Working Capital	1.95	1.72	12.86	
Net Profit Ratio (%)	Net Profit after tax	Sales	15.30	13.44	13.87	
Return on Capital Employed (%)	EBIT	Capital Employed4	26.66	19.63	35.80	Its due to higher earnings which leads to higher EBIT compared to last year
Return on Investment (%)	Income from Investment	Average Investment5	5.44	4.59	18.43	

Notes:

1. Total Debts includes Lease Liability.

2. PBT + Finance Cost + Depreciation +/- Non-cash adjustments.

3. Finance Cost and Lease Payments+ Short-term Borrowings.

4. Capital Employed means Tangible Net Worth + Total Debt + Lease Liability + Deferred Tax Liability.

5. Investment includes Investment in Subsidiary and Joint Venture.

### 2.62: Earning Per Share:

Particulars	2022-23	2021-22
Net Profit available for Equity Shareholders as per statement of profit and loss	11,928.10	8,165.48
Weighted average number of equity shares for basic and diluted EPS (in Numbers)	6,16,25,185	6,16,25,185
Basic and Diluted Earning per share	19.36	13.25
Face Value Per Equity Share	₹ 10 each	₹ 10 each

### 2.63: Compliance with approved scheme(s) of arrangements:

The Company has not entered into any scheme of arrangement which has an accounting impact on current or previous financial year.

### 2.64: Utilisation of Borrowed funds and Share premium:

a) During the year, the Company has not advanced or loaned or invested funds (either borrowed funds or share premium or any other sources or kind of funds) to any other person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities (Intermediaries) with the understanding (whether recorded in writing or otherwise) that the Intermediary shall: (i) 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 (ii) provide any guarantee, security or the like to or on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.

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b) During the year, the Company has not received any fund from any person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities (Funding Party) with the understanding (whether recorded in writing or otherwise) that the Company shall: (i) directly or indirectly issued or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Funding Party (Ultimate Beneficiaries); or (ii) provide any guarantee, security or the like to or on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.

### 2.65: Details of crypto currency or virtual currency:

The Company has not traded or invested in crypto currency or virtual currency during the current or previous year.

**2.66:** Additional information as required by para 5 of General Instructions for preparation of Statement of Profit and Loss (other than already disclosed above) are either Nil or Not Applicable.

### 2.67: Disclosures for 'Statement of Cash Flows' as per Ind AS 7:

### a) Reconciliation of liabilities from financing activities for the year ended March 31, 2023:

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	Cash flows (net)	Impact of Ind AS 116	As at March 31, 2022
Short term borrowings	3,500.00	500.00	-	3,000.00
Lease Liability (impact of IND AS 116)	1,516.16	(271.34)	1,259.67	527.83
Total	5,016.16	228.66	1,259.67	3,527.83

### b) Reconciliation of liabilities from financing activities for the year ended March 31, 2022:

Particulars	As at March 31, 2022	Cash flows (net)	Impact of Ind AS 116	As at March 31, 2021
Short term borrowings	3,000.00	1,000.00	-	2,000.00
Lease Liability (impact of IND AS 116)	527.83	(116.54)	302.36	342.01
Total	3,527.83	883.46	302.36	2,342.01

# c) The Company has accounted for lease liabilities and fair value changes in accordance with Ind AS 116 implemented during the previous year. Detail break-up of above non-cash element is given below:

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Finance cost on lease liabilities	-	-
Addition during the year	1,259.67	302.36
Total	1,259.67	302.36

### 2.68: Contracts with Customer (Ind AS 115):

### a) Right to return assets and refund liabilities:

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Right to return assets	1,775.50	-
Refund liabilities	3,342.60	1,100.00

### b) Contract balances:

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Contract assets:		
Trade Receivables	16,992.11	17,092.15
Contract Liabilities:		
Advances from customers	358.51	654.01

### c) Reconciliation of revenue as recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss with the contracted price:

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the Year ended March 31, 2022
Revenue as per contracted price	99,649.98	75,803.24
Less:		
Sales return (including refund liability)	10,049.32	5,340.61
Discount, incentive etc.	11,655.32	9,701.65
Revenue as per the Statement of Profit and Loss	77,945.34	60,760.98

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#### d) Disclosure of disaggregated revenue recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss:

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Sales of Apparel and Lifestyle Accessories/Products	77,424.04	60,511.30
Sale of Power	-	1.08
Other Operating Income	521.30	248.60
Total	77,945.34	60,760.98

#### e) Disclosure of disaggregated revenue recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss based on geographical region:

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Revenue from customers outside India	2,345.31	1,794.51
Revenue from customers within India	75,600.03	58,966.47
Revenue as per the Statement of Profit and Loss	77,945.34	60,760.98

- f) Refer note 2.58(b) for details regarding customer concentration.
- 2.69: The new Code on Social Security, 2020 has been enacted, which could impact the contributions by the Company towards Provident Fund, Gratuity and bonus. The effective date from which the changes are applicable is yet to be notified and the rules are yet to be framed. The Company will complete its evaluation and will give appropriate impact in the financial statements in the period in which the Code becomes effective and the related rules are published.
- 2.70: The Company has incorporated wholly-owned subsidiary company K-Lounge Lifestyle Limited on February 25, 2021 as per certificate of incorporation received by the Company. The Authorised Share Capital of the said subsidiary company is ₹ 1,000.00 lakhs and paid-up Share Capital the said subsidiary company is ₹ 500.00 lakhs. The Company has subscribed entire paid-up Share Capital of ₹ 500.00 lakhs on April 19, 2021.

Further during the year, company has given loan (including accrued interest) of ₹ 286.12 lakhs to its subsidiary company.

The subsidiary company is yet to commence the business operation as on the date.

- 2.71: During the year the Company has regrouped / reclassified the following items and accordingly the prior year comparatives (including ratios) have also been reclassified / regrouped. These changes did not have any impact of the reported profit after tax and total equity:
- Bank overdraft has been reduced from cash and cash equivalents in the cash flow statement and accordingly the cash and a) cash equivalent for previous year is ₹ 14,464.13 lakhs as against ₹ 19,123.98 lakhs (also refer note (i) to cash flow statement).
- The Company has disclosed the right to return assets and refund liabilities separately effective current year under "Other b) Current Assets (refer note 2.16) and Other Current Liability (refer note 2.25)". This was earlier forming part of provisions and inventories. (also refer note 1.12 (d)).

As per our audit report of even date

For and on behalf of

Chartered Accountants

Jain & Trivedi

N.A. Shah Associates LLP Chartered Accountants Registration No.: 113496W Registration No.: 116560W / W100149

Satish Trivedi Partner Membership No.: 38317

Prashant Daftary Partner Membership No.: 117080

Nimesh Anandpara Dy. Chief Financial Officer

Place: Mumbai Date: April 27, 2023 For and on behalf of the Board of Directors of Kewal Kiran Clothing Ltd

Kewalchand P Jain Chairman & Managing Director Jt. Managing Director DIN No.: 00029730

Bharat Adnani Chief Financial Officer Place: Mumbai Date: April 27, 2023

Hemant P Jain DIN No.: 00029822

Abhijit Warange **Company Secretary** 

# **INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT**

To, The Members of **Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited** 

# Report on the audit of the consolidated Ind AS financial statements

### Opinion

We have audited the accompanying consolidated Ind AS financial statements of **Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited** ("the Holding Company") and its subsidiary (the Holding Company and its subsidiary together referred to as "the Group") and its joint venture, which comprise the consolidated balance sheet as at March 31, 2023 and the consolidated statement of profit (including other comprehensive income), the consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the consolidated Ind AS financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information ("the consolidated Ind AS financial statements").

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us and based on the consideration of reports of other auditors on Separate Financial Statements of such subsidiary and joint venture as were audited by the other auditors, the aforesaid Consolidated Ind AS financial statements give the information required by the Companies Act, 2013 ("the 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, its joint venture as at March 31, 2023, and its consolidated profit and other comprehensive income, consolidated changes in equity and its consolidated cash flows for the year then ended

### **Basis for 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 SAs are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the consolidated Ind AS financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the Group, its joint venture in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India ("ICAI") together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the consolidated Ind AS 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 Ind AS financial statements.

### **Key Audit Matters**

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the consolidation Ind AS financial statements of the year. We have determined that there are no key audit matters to be communicated in our report.

# Information other than the consolidated Ind AS financial statements & auditor's report thereon

The Holding Company's Board of Directors are responsible for preparation of the other information. The other information

comprises of the information included in the Management Discussion and Analysis, Board's Report including Annexures to Board's Report, Business Responsibility and Sustainability Report, Corporate Governance and Shareholder's Information, but does not include the consolidated Ind AS financial statements and our auditors' report thereon. The said reports are expected to be made available to us after the issue of our auditor' report.

Our opinion on the consolidated Ind AS financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the consolidated Ind AS 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 Ind AS financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

When we read the above said reports, if we conclude that there is material misstatement therein, we are required to communicate the matter to those charged with governance and take necessary actions, as applicable under the relevant laws and regulations.

# Responsibilities of management and those charged with governance for the consolidated Ind AS financial statements

The Holding Company's Board of Directors are responsible for the preparation and presentation of these Consolidated Ind AS financial statements, that give a true and fair view of the consolidated state of affairs, consolidated profit and other comprehensive income, consolidated changes in equity and consolidated cash flows of the Group including its joint venture 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 Board of Directors of the companies included in the Group and of its joint venture are responsible for maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding the assets of the Group and of its joint venture and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; the selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls, that were operating effectively for ensuring accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the consolidated Ind AS financial statements that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, which have been used for the purpose of preparation of the consolidated Ind AS financial statements by the Directors of the Holding Company, as aforesaid.

In preparing the consolidated Ind AS financial statements, the respective Board of Directors of the companies included in the Group and of its joint venture 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 management either intends to liquidate the Group 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 and of its joint venture are responsible for overseeing the financial reporting process of the Group and of its joint venture.

### Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the consolidated Ind AS financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated Ind AS 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 Ind AS financial statements.

As a part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated Ind AS 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 control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control 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 Holding Company has adequate internal financial controls with reference to the consolidated Ind AS financial statements and the operating effectiveness of such controls.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the 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 ability of the Group and its joint venture entity 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 Ind AS 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 and its joint venture to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated Ind AS financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated Ind AS 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 the entities or business activities within the Group and its joint venture to express an opinion on the consolidated Ind AS financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the audit of Financial Statements of such entities included in the consolidated Ind AS financial statements of which we are the independent auditor. For the other entities included in the consolidated Ind AS 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.

Materiality is the magnitude of misstatements in the consolidated Ind AS financial statements that, individually or in aggregate, makes it probable that the economic decisions of a reasonably knowledgeable user of the consolidated Ind AS 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 Ind AS financial statements.

We communicate with those charged with governance of the Holding Company included in the consolidated Ind AS financial statements of which we are the independent auditor 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.

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.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the consolidated Ind AS financial statements of the current year 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 Matters**

1.

(a) The accompanying Consolidated Ind AS financial statements includes one wholly owned subsidiary, whose financial statement reflect total assets of ₹ 791.66 lakhs as at March 31, 2023, total revenues of ₹ 7.58 lakhs, total net loss after tax and total comprehensive loss of ₹ 11.91 Lakhs and net cash outflow amounting to ₹ 7.70 lakhs for the year ended on that date, as considered in the consolidated Ind AS financial statements. (b) The accompanying Consolidated Ind AS financial statements also include one joint venture, whose proportionate share of net loss and total comprehensive loss is ₹ 14.10 Lakhs for the year April 01, 2022 to March 31, 2023.

The financial statements of these subsidiary and joint venture have been audited by one of us, whose financial statements, other financial information and auditor's report have been furnished to us by the management and our opinion on the consolidated Ind AS financial statements, in so far as it relates to the amounts and disclosures included in respect of these subsidiary and joint venture, our report in terms of sub-sections (3) and (11) of Section 143 of the Act, in so far as it relates to the aforesaid subsidiary and joint venture entity is based solely on the information provided by the management.

2. The consolidated Ind AS financial statements for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2022 were audited by another auditor whose report dated 11<sup>th</sup> May 2022 expresses an unmodified opinion. We have relied on the said consolidated financial statement for the purpose of confirming the opening balances on assets, equity and liabilities as on 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2022 in respect of the year under audit.

Our opinion on the consolidated Ind AS financial statements and our report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements below, is not modified in respect of the above matters.

### Report on other legal and regulatory requirements

- 1. As required by section 143(3) of the Act, based on our audit and on the consideration of audit reports of the other auditors on separate Financial Statements of such subsidiary and joint venture 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 the aforesaid Consolidated Ind AS financial statements.
  - b) In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law relating to preparation of the aforesaid Consolidated Ind AS 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), the consolidated statement of changes in equity and the consolidated statement of cash flow dealt with by this Report are in agreement with the relevant books of account maintained for the purpose of preparation of the consolidated Ind AS financial statements.

- In our opinion, the aforesaid Consolidated Ind AS financial statements comply with the Ind AS specified under Section 133 of the Act.
- e) On the basis of the written representations received from the directors of the Holding Company as on March 31, 2023, taken on record by the Board of Directors of the Holding Company and the report of the statutory auditor of its subsidiary company and joint venture incorporated in India, none of the directors of the Group company, its joint venture incorporated in India are disqualified as on March 31, 2023 from being appointed as a director in terms of Section 164(2) of the Act.
- f) With respect to the adequacy of internal financial controls with reference to the consolidated Ind AS financial statements of the Holding Company, its subsidiary company and joint venture incorporated in India and the operating effectiveness of such controls, refer to our separate report in "Annexure A".
- g) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us and based on the reports of the statutory auditors of such subsidiary company and joint venture incorporated in India which were not audited by us, the remuneration paid during the current year by the Holding Company, its subsidiary company and joint venture incorporated in India to its directors is in accordance with the provisions of Section 197 of the Act. The remuneration paid to any director by the Holding Company, its subsidiary company, and joint venture incorporated in India is not in excess of the limit laid down under Section 197 of the Act; and
- With respect to the other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with Rule 11 of the Companies (Audit and Auditor's) 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 audit reports of the other auditors on separate Financial Statements of such subsidiary and joint venture, as noted in the 'Other Matters' paragraph:
  - The consolidated Ind AS financial statements disclose the impact of pending litigations as at March 31, 2023 on the consolidated financial position of the Group, joint venture – refer Note 2.41 to the consolidated Ind AS financial statements.
  - ii. The Group and, its joint venture did not have any material foreseeable losses on long-term contracts including derivative contracts.
  - iii. There has been no delay in transferring amounts required to be transferred, to the Investor Education and Protection Fund

by the Holding Company and its subsidiary v. company and joint venture incorporated in India during the year ended March 31, 2023.

- iv. The Management has represented that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, as disclosed in the note 2.55 to the consolidated Ind AS financial statements.
  - that no funds (which are material either individually or in aggregate) advanced or loaned or invested (either from borrowed funds or share premium or any other sources or kind of funds) by the Holding Company or its subsidiary company incorporated in India or joint venture 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, whether, directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Holding Company or its subsidiary company incorporated in India or joint venture ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries. Based on reasonable audit procedures adopted by us, nothing has come to our notice that such representation contains any material misstatement;
  - no funds (which are material either individually or in aggregate) have been received by the Holding Company or its subsidiary company incorporated in India or joint venture from any person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities ("Funding Parties"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Holding Company or its subsidiary company incorporated in India or joint venture shall, whether, 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.

Based on the audit procedures that have 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 (iv) contain any material misstatement.

As stated in note 2.48(b) of the consolidated Ind AS financial statements:

- · The interim dividend paid by the Holding Company during the year for the previous financial year is in accordance with section 123 of the Companies Act 2013 to the extent it applies to payment of dividend.
- The interim dividend declared and paid by the Holding Company during the year and until the date of this report is in compliance with Section 123 of the Act.
- The board of directors of Holding Company during their meeting dated  $27^{\mbox{\tiny th}}$  April 2023 have declared second interim dividend. The same is in accordance with section 123 of the Companies Act 2013 to the extent it applies to declaration of dividend. However, the said dividend was not paid on the date of this audit report.
- 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 to the group and its joint venture with effect from 1st April, 2023, and accordingly, reporting under Rule 11(g) of Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 is not applicable for the financial year ended March 31, 2023.
- With respect to the matters specified in paragraphs 3(xxi) and 4 of the Companies (Auditor's Report) Order, 2020 (the "CARO") issued by the Central Government in terms of Section 143(11) of the Act, to be included in the Auditor's report, according to the information and explanations given to us, and based on the CARO reports issued by us for the Holding Company and based on our consideration of CARO reports issued by the respective auditors of the subsidiary and joint venture included in the consolidated Ind AS financial statements of the Company, we report that there are no qualifications or adverse remarks in these CARO reports.

For Jain & Trivedi	For N. A. Shah Associates LLP
Chartered Accountants	Chartered Accountants
Firm Registration No: 113496W	Firm Registration No: 116560W / W100149
Satish Trivedi	Prashant Daftary
Partner	Partner
Membership No.: 38317	Membership No.: 117080
UDIN. 2303031/BG/QCM0/03	UDIN: 23117080BGWPVJ5161

Place: Mumbai Dated: 27<sup>th</sup> April 2023

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Place: Mumbai Dated: 27<sup>th</sup> April 2023

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# Annexure A to Independent Auditors' Report of even date on the consolidated financial statements of Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited

[Referred to in paragraph 2 (f) under the heading 'Report on other legal and regulatory requirements' of our report of even date]

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

### Opinion

In conjunction with our audit of the consolidated Ind AS financial statements of Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited as of and for the year ended March 31, 2023, we have audited the internal financial controls with reference to the consolidated Ind AS financial statements of Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited ("the Holding Company"), its subsidiary company and its joint venture company, which are companies incorporated in India, as of that date.

In our opinion, the Holding Company, its subsidiary company and its joint venture company, which are companies incorporated in India, have, in all material respects, an adequate internal financial controls with reference to the consolidated Ind AS financial statements and such internal financial controls were operating effectively as at March 31, 2023, based on the internal controls over financial reporting criteria established by the respective companies considering the essential components of such internal controls 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").

### Management's Responsibility for Internal Financial Controls

The respective Board of Directors of the Holding Company, its subsidiary company and its joint venture company, which are companies incorporated in India, are responsible for establishing and maintaining internal financial controls with reference to Consolidated Ind AS financial statements based on the internal controls over financial reporting criteria established by the respective companies considering the essential components of internal control stated in 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 the respective 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

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Holding Company, its subsidiary and joint venture, which are companies incorporated in India internal financial controls with reference to the consolidated Ind AS financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Guidance Note and the Standards on Auditing ("SA"), prescribed under section 143(10) of the Act, to the extent applicable to an audit of internal financial controls with reference to the consolidated Ind AS financial statements. Those SAs and the Guidance Note require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether adequate internal financial controls with reference to the consolidated Ind AS financial statements were established and maintained and if such controls operated effectively in all material respects.

Our audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the adequacy of the internal financial controls with reference to the consolidated Ind AS financial statements and their operating effectiveness. Our audit of internal financial controls with reference to the consolidated Ind AS financial statements included obtaining an understanding of internal financial controls with reference to the consolidated Ind AS financial statements, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, and testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of the internal controls based on the assessed risk. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated Ind AS financial statements, whether due to fraud or error.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained and the audit evidence obtained by the other auditors in terms of their reports referred to in the 'Other Matters' paragraph below, is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion on the internal financial controls with reference to the consolidated Ind AS financial statements.

# Meaning of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting

A company's internal financial controls with reference to the consolidated Ind AS financial statements 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 controls with reference to the consolidated Ind AS financial statements 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 consolidated Ind AS financial statements.

# Inherent Limitations of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting

Because of the inherent limitations of internal financial controls with reference to the consolidated Ind AS financial statements, 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 with reference to the consolidated Ind AS financial statements to future periods are subject to the risk that the internal financial controls with reference to the consolidated Ind AS financial statements may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.

### **Other Matters**

Our aforesaid report under Section 143(3)(i) of the Act on the adequacy and operating effectiveness of the internal financial controls system with reference to the consolidated Ind AS financial statements in so far as it relates to one subsidiary company and one joint venture company, which are companies incorporated in India, is based on the corresponding reports of the auditors of such subsidiary and joint venture incorporated in India.

#### For Jain & Trivedi For N. A. Shah Associates LLP Chartered Accountants Chartered Accountants Firm Registration No: 116560W /

Firm Registration No: 113496W

### Satish Trivedi

**Prashant Daftary** 

W100149

Partner Partner Membership No.: 38317 Membership No.: 117080 UDIN: 23038317BGVQCM8763 UDIN: 23117080BGWPVJ5161

Place: Mumbai Dated: 27th April 2023 Place: Mumbai Dated: 27<sup>th</sup> April 2023

### **CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET**

as at March 31, 2023 | CIN: L18101MH1992PLC065136

(₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

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Particulars	Note	As at March 31, 2023 Audited	As at March 31, 2022 Audited
ASSETS			
1) Non-Current Assets			
a) Property, Plant and Equipment	2.1.a	9,169.08	7,767.89
b) Right of Use Asset	2.1.b	1,602.64	675.34
c) Capital Work-in-Progress	2.1.c	126.90	88.05
d) Investment Property	2.1.d	126.17	129.10
e) Other Intangible Assets	2.1.e	24.58	28.30
f) Financial Assets			
i) Investment in Joint Venture	2.2	301.13	315.23
ii) Investments others	2.3	2,247.54	1,884.64
iii) Loans	2.3A	8.28	13.53
iv) Other Financial Assets	2.4	2,013.13	1,511.80
g) Deferred Tax Assets(Net)	2.5	28.00	36.00
h) Non-Current Tax Asset (Net)	2.6	9.79	5.78
i) Other Non-Current Assets	2.0	253.97	23.08
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		15,911.21	12,470.74
2) Current Assets		4 ( 550.04	44,000,05
a) Inventories	2.8	16,558.81	11,298.95
b) Financial Assets			
i) Investments	2.9	12,692.95	11,847.95
ii) Trade Receivables	2.10	16,992.11	17,092.15
iii) Cash & Cash Equivalents	2.11	17,040.98	19,639.08
iv) Bank balances other than iii above	2.12	10.06	56.18
v) Loans	2.13	5.35	15.09
vi) Other Financial Assets	2.14	129.52	257.89
c) Other Current Assets	2.15	2,337.78	1,609.95
	•••••	65,767.56	61,817.24
TOTAL ASSETS		81,678.77	74,295.98
EQUITY & LIABILITIES			·
Equity			
a) Equity Share Capital	2.16	6,162.52	6,162.52
b) Other Equity	2.17	48,538.09	41,641.63
S, Salar Equily		54,700.61	47,804.15
Liabilities			,
1) Non-Current Liabilities			
a) Financial Liabilities			
i) Lease liabilities	2.18	1,286.52	438.83
b) Provisions	2.10	6.50	430.83
D) Provisions	2.19		
		1,293.02	445.33
2) Current Liabilities			
a) Financial Liabilities			- /
i) Borrowings	2.20	5,082.13	7,659.85
ii) Lease liabilities	2.21	229.64	89.00
iii) Trade Payables	2.22		
<ul> <li>total outstanding dues to micro and small enterprises</li> </ul>		32.73	36.19
<ul> <li>total outstanding dues to creditors other than micro and small enter</li> </ul>		4,777.14	5,307.26
iv) Other financial liabilities	2.23	1,890.88	1,884.43
b) Other Current Liabilities	2.24	4,121.97	2,156.75
c) Provisions	2.25	9,465.19	8,913.02
d) Current Tax Liabilities (Net)	2.26	85.46	
/		25,685.14	26,046.50
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		81,678.77	74,295.98
Significant accounting policies and notes on accounts	1 & 2	01,070.77	, ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
Significant accounting policies and notes on accounts			

The notes referred to above form integral part of Financial Statements

As per our audit report of even date For and on behalf of Jain & Trivedi N.A. Shah Associates LLP Chartered Accountants

Chartered AccountantsChartered AccountantsRegistration No.: 113496WRegistration No.: 116560W / W100149

### Satish Trivedi

Partner Membership No.: 38317 Prashant Daftary Partner

Membership No.: 117080

Nimesh Anandpara Dy. Chief Financial Officer For and on behalf of the Board of Directors of Kewal Kiran Clothing Ltd

Kewalchand P Jain Chairman & Managing Director DIN No.: 00029730

### Bharat Adnani

Chief Financial Officer Place: Mumbai Date: April 27, 2023 Hemant P Jain Jt. Managing Director DIN No.: 00029822

Abhijit Warange Company Secretary

Place: Mumbai Date: April 27, 2023

### **CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT AND LOSS**

for the year ended March 31, 2023 | CIN: L18101MH1992PLC065136

(₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

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Particulars	Note	For the year ended March 31, 2023 Audited	For the year ended March 31, 2022 Audited
INCOME			
Revenue from Operations	2.27	77,945.34	60,760.98
Other Income	2.28	2,021.57	1,701.94
EXPENDITURE		79,966.91	62,462.92
Changes in inventories of Finished goods, Stock in trade and Work-in-Progress	2.29	(5,808.97)	(6,185.06
Cost of Material Consumed	2.30	40,227.30	32,651.06
Purchases of Stock-in-Trade: Lifestyle Accessories/Products		2,809.09	2,331.54
Employee Benefit Expenses	2.31	9,786.28	7,976.85
Finance Cost	2.32	638.53	452.61
Depreciation and Amortisation Expenses	2.1	873.07	702.63
Manufacturing and Operating Expenses	2.33	7,659.34	7,074.18
Administrative and Other Expenses	2.34	3,635.73	3,543.59
Selling and Distribution Expenses	2.35	4,445.04	3,365.87
		64,265.41	51,913.27
Profit before exceptional items, share of profit/(loss) of investment using equity method and tax		15,701.50	10,549.65
Share of profit/(loss) of joint venture using equity method		(14.10)	(17.72
Profit before exceptional items and tax		15,687.40	10,531.93
Exceptional items		-	-
Net Profit Before Tax		15,687.40	10,531.93
Tax Expense			
Current Tax		3,777.31	2,710.00
Deferred Tax		8.00	(324.00
(Excess)/Short Provision for Taxes of Earlier Years		-	(16.83
Net Profit for the Year	<b></b>	11,902.09	8,162.76
Other Comprehensive Income (OCI)			
Items that will not be reclassified to Profit and Loss	<b></b>		
Effect [gain/(loss)] of measuring equity instruments at fair value through OCI	<b></b>	(111.10)	154.41
Remeasurement gain/(loss) on net defined benefit liability		34.51	(69.35
Income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified to profit and loss		0.98	(30.22
Total Other Comprehensive Income		(75.61)	54.84
Total Comprehensive Income for the year (Comprising Profit and Other comprehensive Income for the year)		11,826.48	8,217.60
Earnings per Share - Basic and Diluted (Face Value of ₹ 10 each fully paid up)		19.31	13.25
Weighted Average Number of Shares used in computing Earnings per Share - Basic and Diluted		6,16,25,185	6,16,25,185
Significant accounting policies and notes on accounts	1&2		

The notes referred to above form integral part of Statement of Profit and Loss

**Prashant Daftary** 

As per our audit report of even date For and on behalf of Jain & Trivedi N.A. Shah Associates LLP Chartered Accountants

Chartered Accountants Registration No.: 113496W Registration No.: 116560W / W100149

Satish Trivedi Partner Membership No.: 38317

Partner Membership No.: 117080

Dy. Chief Financial Officer

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors of Kewal Kiran Clothing Ltd

Kewalchand P Jain Chairman & Managing Director DIN No.: 00029730

**Bharat Adnani** Chief Financial Officer Place: Mumbai Date: April 27, 2023

Hemant P Jain Jt. Managing Director DIN No.: 00029822

Abhijit Warange Company Secretary

Place: Mumbai Date: April 27, 2023 Nimesh Anandpara

# **CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT** for the year ended March 31, 2023 | CIN: L18101MH1992PLC065136

(₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

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Particulars	For the year ende March 31, 2023		For the year March 31, 2	
A. CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Net Profit Before Tax as per Statement of Profit and Loss	1	15,687.40		10,531.93
Adjustments for:				
Depreciation/Amortisation	870.14		700.42	
Share of loss in Joint venture	14.10		17.72	
(Gain)/Loss on Sale/discard of Property plant & equipment (Tangible Assets) (Net)	(19.07)		(82.01)	
Depreciation on Investment Property	2.93		2.21	
Change in Fair Valuation and Gain on sale of investments	(1,623.62)		(1,320.60)	
Sundry Balance (written back)/written off (Net)	(1.02)		(3.23)	
Finance costs	633.71		448.89	
Dividend Income	(25.27)		(12.83)	
Allowance for expected credit loss, Advances and Deposits (Net)	341.74		570.65	
Provision/(Reversal of Provision) of Exchange Rate Fluctuation (Net)	0.01		(1.58)	
Interest Income	(212.06)		(164.86)	
		(18.41)		154.78
	-	15,668.99		10,686.71
Changes in Current & Non-current Assets and Liabilities				
(Increase)/Decrease in Trade Receivable and Other Assets	369.62		(5,050.98)	
(Increase)/Decrease in Inventories	(7,035.37)		(6,242.29)	
Increase/(Decrease) in Trade Payables, Liabilities and Provisions	2,000.77		8,645.38	
		(4,664.98)		(2,647.89
Net Cash generated/(used in) Operating Activities		11,004.01		8,038.82
Less: Income Tax paid (Net of Refund)		(3,496.30)		(2,348.87
Net Cash generated/(used in) Operating Activities		7,507.71		5,689.95
B. CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES				
Purchase of Property Plant & Equipment (including Capital Advances)		(2,400.57)		(1,049.10
Sale of Property Plant & Equipment		28.86		130.62
Purchase of Investments		(5,350.13)		(3,923.13
Redemption of Investments {net of taxes ₹ 116.00 lakhs, (P.Y.: ₹ 100.58 lakhs)}		5,660.31		4,610.77
Bank Deposit offered as Security		-		(62.09
Maturity of Bank Deposit offered as Security		47.46		1.49
Dividend Income	25.27		12.83	
Less : Income Tax Paid	(6.36)	18.91	(3.23)	9.60
Interest received	278.29		96.59	
Less : Income Tax Paid	(70.04)	208.25	(24.31)	72.28
Net Cash generated/(used in) Investing Activities		(1,786.91)		(209.56

### CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT

for the year ended March 31, 2023 | CIN: L18101MH1992PLC065136

(₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

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Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
C. CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from Working Capital Demand Loans	14,500.00	3,000.00
Repayment of Working Capital Demand Loans	(14,000.00)	(2,000.00)
Interest and Finance Charges	(541.17)	(405.99)
Payment of Lease liability {including interest of ₹ 101.94 lakhs, (P.Y.: ₹ 47.44 lakhs)}	(271.34)	(116.54)
Payment of Dividend	(4,928.68)	(3,698.82)
Net Cash generated/(used in) Financing Activities	(5,241.19)	(3,221.35)
Net Increase/(Decrease) in Cash & Cash Equivalents	479.61	2,259.04
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - OPENING	14,979.23	12,720.15
	15,458.84	14,979.19
Effect of Exchange(Gain)/Loss on Cash and Cash Equivalents	0.01	0.04
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - CLOSING	15,458.85	14,979.23
Note:		
i. Components of Cash and Cash Equivalent		
Cash and Cash Equivalent as on date	17,040.98	19,639.08
Add: Bank Overdraft/Cash Credit	(1,582.13)	(4,659.85)
Total Cash and Cash Equivalent	15,458.85	14,979.23
Significant accounting policies and notes on accounts 1&2		

ii. The Aggregate Income Tax paid during the period is ₹3,700.58 lakhs (P.Y. ₹2,693.90 lakhs).

iii. Refer note 2.54 for disclosures relating to Ind AS 7.

As per our audit report of even date

N.A. Shah Associates LLP

Chartered Accountants Registration No.: 113496W Registration No.: 116560W / W100149

For and on behalf of

Chartered Accountants

Satish Trivedi

Jain & Trivedi

Partner Membership No.: 38317

Membership No.: 117080

Partner

**Prashant Daftary** 

Nimesh Anandpara Dy. Chief Financial Officer

Place: Mumbai Date: April 27, 2023 For and on behalf of the Board of Directors of Kewal Kiran Clothing Ltd

Kewalchand P Jain

Chairman & Managing Director Jt. Managing Director DIN No.: 00029730

Bharat Adnani Chief Financial Officer Place: Mumbai Date: April 27, 2023

DIN No.: 00029822

Hemant P Jain

Abhijit Warange **Company Secretary** 

# **STATEMENT OF CONSOLIDATED CHANGE IN EQUITY** for the year ended March 31, 2023 | CIN: L18101MH1992PLC065136

(₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

A) EQUITY SHARE CAPITAL	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Balance at the beginning of the year	6,162.52	1,232.50
Changes in Equity Share capital during the year (issue of bonus shares) (refer note 2.16.5(ii))	-	4,930.02
Balance at the end of the reporting year	6,162.52	6,162.52

B) OTHER EQUITY	General Reserve	Retained Earning	Securities premium	Business Progressive fund (refer note 2.18.1)	Equity Instruments through OCI	Total
Balance as at March 31, 2022 (I)	5,375.63	28,500.38	3,496.75	4,000.00	268.87	41,641.63
Profit for the year	-	11,902.09	-	-	-	11,902.09
Items of OCI for the year, net of tax						-
Remeasurement of net defined benefit liability (net of tax ₹ 8.69 lakhs)	-	25.82	-	-	-	25.82
Effect of measuring equity instruments at fair value through OCI (net of tax ₹ 9.67 lakhs)	-		-	-	(101.43)	(101.43)
Total Comprehensive income for the period (2022-23) (II)	-	11,927.91	-	-	(101.43)	11,826.48
Reduction during the year	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dividends (refer note 2.48 (b))	-	(4,930.02)	-	-	-	(4,930.02)
Tax on dividends	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total (III)	-	(4,930.02)	-	-	-	(4,930.02)
Balance as at March 31, 2023 (IV) = I+II+III	5,375.63	35,498.27	3,496.75	4,000.00	167.44	48,538.09

As per our audit report of even date

For and on behalf of

Jain & Trivedi

Chartered Accountants Registration No.: 113496W

### Satish Trivedi

**Prashant Daftary** 

Partner Membership No.: 38317 Partner

Membership No.: 117080

N.A. Shah Associates LLP

Registration No.: 116560W / W100149

Chartered Accountants

**Nimesh Anandpara** Dy. Chief Financial Officer

Place: Mumbai Date: April 27, 2023 For and on behalf of the Board of Directors of Kewal Kiran Clothing Ltd

Kewalchand P Jain

Chairman & Managing Director Jt. Managing Director DIN No.: 00029730

Bharat Adnani

Chief Financial Officer Place: Mumbai Date: April 27, 2023

Hemant P Jain

DIN No.: 00029822

**Abhijit Warange** Company Secretary

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# **STATEMENT OF CONSOLIDATED CHANGE IN EQUITY** for the year ended March 31, 2023 | CIN: L18101MH1992PLC065136

(₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

A) EQUITY SHARE CAPITAL	As at March 31, 2022	As at March 31, 2021
Balance at the beginning of the reporting year	1,232.50	1,232.50
Changes in Equity Share capital during the year (issue of bonus shares) (refer note 2.16.5(ii))	4,930.02	-
Balance at the end of the reporting year	6,162.52	1,232.50

B) OTHER EQUITY	General Reserve	Retained Earning	Securities premium	Business Progressive fund (refer note below)	Equity Instruments through OCI	Total
Balance as at March 31, 2021 (I)	5,375.63	24,134.70	8,426.77	4,000.00	114.46	42,051.56
Profit for the year	-	8,162.76	-	-	-	8,162.76
Items of OCI for the year, net of tax						-
Remeasurement of net defined benefit liability	-	(99.57)	-	-	-	(99.57)
Effect of measuring equity instruments at fair value through OCI	-		-	-	154.41	154.41
Total Comprehensive income from the year (2021-22) (II)	-	8,063.19	-	-	154.41	8,217.60
Issue of Bonus shares			(4,930.02)			(4,930.02)
Dividends (refer note 2.48 (b))	-	(3,697.51)	-	-	-	(3,697.51)
Tax on dividends	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total (III)	-	(3,697.51)	(4,930.02)	-	-	(8,627.53)
Balance as at March 31, 2022 (IV) = I+II+III	5,375.63	28,500.38	3,496.75	4,000.00	268.87	41,641.63

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# 1. Company Overview and Significant Accounting Policies:

### A. Corporate Information:

Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited ("the Parent Company") is a Public Limited Company incorporated in India having its registered office at Kewal Kiran Estate, 460/7, I.B. Patel Road, Near Western Express Highway, Goregoan (East), Mumbai, Maharashtra. Its equity shares are listed on the National Stock Exchange (NSE) and Bombay Stock Exchange (BSE) in India.

The Parent Company is engaged into manufacturing, marketing and retailing of branded readymade garments and finished accessories.

The financial statements of the Parent Company for the year ended March 31, 2023 were approved and adopted by board of directors of the Company in their meeting dated April 27, 2023.

The Parent Company together with its joint venture (i.e. White Knitwear Private Limited) and its subsidiary (i.e. K-Lounge Lifestyle Limited) is referred to as the "Group".

# B. Statement of Compliance and Basis of Preparation and Consolidation:

### (i) Compliance with Ind AS:

The Consolidated Financial Statements (CFS) are prepared in accordance with Indian Accounting Standards ("Ind AS") as notified under the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015 and relevant amendment rules issued thereafter, read with Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") and presentation requirements of Division II of Schedule III of the Act and the relevant provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") and guidelines issued by the Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI"), as applicable.

Accounting policies have been consistently applied except where a newly issued accounting standard is initially adopted or a revision to an existing accounting standard requires a change in the accounting policy hitherto in use.

### (ii) Basis of Preparation and presentation:

### **Basis of Preparation:**

The financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis, except the following assets and liabilities which have been measured at fair value:

- Certain financial assets and liabilities (refer accounting policy regarding financial instruments).
- Employee's Defined Benefit Plan as per actuarial valuation.

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 under current market conditions, regardless of whether that price is directly observable

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or estimated using another valuation technique. In determining the fair value of an asset or a liability, the Group takes into account the characteristics of the asset or liability if market participants would take those characteristics into account when pricing the asset or liability at the measurement date.

### Functional and Presentation Currency:

Items included in the CFS of the Group are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates ('the functional currency').

The CFS are presented in Indian Rupees and all values are rounded to the nearest lakhs (INR 00,000), except otherwise indicated.

### (iii) Basis of Consolidation:

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### Principles of Consolidation:

- The consolidated financial statements relate to the financial statements of the holding Company, its subsidiary and joint venture as on date. 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:
  - 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, and
  - c) The ability to use its power over the investee to affect its returns.
- The Group can have power over the investee even if it owns less than majority voting rights i.e. rights arising from other contractual arrangements. The Group reassesses whether or not it controls an investee, if facts and circumstances indicate that there are changes to one or more of the three elements of control.
- Consolidation of a subsidiary begins when the Group obtains control over the subsidiary and ceases when the Group loses control of the subsidiary. Assets, liabilities, income and expenses of a subsidiary acquired or disposed of during the year are included in the consolidated financial statements from the date the Group gains control until the date the Group ceases to control the subsidiary.
- iv) 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.

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v) The financial statements of all entities used for the purpose of consolidation are drawn up to same reporting date as that of the holding Company, i.e. year ended on March 31, 2023. When the end of the reporting period of the holding Company is different from that of a subsidiary, the subsidiary prepares, for consolidation purposes, additional financial information as of the same date as the financial statements of the holding Company to enable the holding Company to consolidate the financial information of the subsidiary, unless it is impracticable to do so.

### b) Consolidation Procedure:

### i) Consolidation procedure for Subsidiary:

The financial statements of the Group have been combined on line-by-line basis by adding book values of lines items of assets, liabilities, equity, income, expenses and cash flows of the holding Company with those of its subsidiary. For this purpose, income and expenses of the subsidiary are based on the amounts of the assets and liabilities recognised in the consolidated financial statements at the acquisition date.

### ii) Eliminations:

- a) Offset (eliminate) the carrying amount of the holding Company's investment in each subsidiary and the holding Company's portion of equity of each subsidiary.
- b) 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 fixed assets, 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 intragroup transactions.

#### iii) Consolidation procedure for Joint Venture:

A joint venture is a type of joint arrangement whereby the parties that have joint control of the arrangement have rights to the net assets of the joint venture. Joint control is the contractually agreed sharing of control of an arrangement, which exists only when decisions about the relevant activities require unanimous consent of the parties sharing control.

The Group's investments in its joint venture are accounted for using the equity method:

#### Equity Method:

Under the equity method, the investment in a joint venture is initially recognised at cost. The carrying amount of the investment is adjusted to recognise changes in the Group's share of net assets of the joint venture since the acquisition date. Goodwill relating to the joint venture is included in the carrying amount of the

investment and is not tested for impairment individually. The statement of profit and loss reflects the Group's share of the results of operations of the joint venture.

Any change in OCI of those investees is presented as part of the Group's OCI. In addition, when there has been a change recognised directly in the equity of the joint venture, the Group recognises its share of any changes, when applicable, in the statement of changes in equity. Unrealised gains and losses resulting from transactions between the Group and the joint venture are eliminated to the extent of the interest in the joint venture.

The aggregate of the Group's share of profit or loss of a joint venture is shown on the face of the statement of profit and loss. The financial statements of the joint venture are prepared for the same reporting period as the Group. When necessary, adjustments are made to bring the accounting policies in line with those of the Group.

After application of the equity method, the Group determines whether it is necessary to recognise an impairment loss on its investment in its joint venture. At each reporting date, the Group determines whether there is objective evidence that the investment in the joint venture is impaired. If there is such evidence, the Group calculates the amount of impairment as the difference between the recoverable amount of the joint venture and its carrying value and then recognises the loss as 'Share of profit of a joint venture' in the statement of profit or loss.

Upon loss of significant influence over the joint control over the joint venture, the Group measures and recognises any retained investment at its fair value. Any difference between the carrying amount of the joint venture upon loss of significant influence or joint control and the fair value of the retained investment and proceeds from disposal is recognised in profit or loss.

### C. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

### 1.1 Classification of Assets and Liabilities into Current/ Non-Current:

The operating cycle is the time between the acquisition of assets for processing and their realisation in cash and cash equivalents.

The Group has ascertained its operating cycle as twelve months for the purpose of Current/Non-Current classification of its Assets and Liabilities.

For the purpose of Balance Sheet,

An asset is classified as current if:

- a) It is expected to be realised, or is intended to be sold or consumed, in the normal operating cycle; or
- b) It is held primarily for the purpose of trading; or

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- c) It is expected to realise the asset within twelve months after the reporting period; or
- d) The asset is a cash or cash equivalent unless it is restricted from being exchanged or used to settle a liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period.

All other assets are classified as non-current.

A liability is classified as current if:

- a) It is expected to be settled in the normal operating cycle; or
- b) It is held primarily for the purpose of trading; or
- c) It is due to be settled within twelve months after the reporting period; or
- d) The Group does not have an unconditional right to defer the settlement of the liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period. Terms of a liability that could result in its settlement by the issue of equity instruments at the option of the counterparty does not affect this classification.

All other liabilities are classified as non-current.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are classified as non-current assets and liabilities as the case may be.

### 1.2 Property, Plant and Equipment (PPE):

Freehold land is carried at historical cost. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the items. The initial cost of PPE comprises its purchase price, including import duties and non-refundable purchase taxes and any directly attributable costs of bringing an asset to working condition and location for its intended use, including relevant borrowing costs and any expected costs of decommissioning. Following initial recognition, items of PPE are carried at its cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses, if any. Gross carrying amount of all PPE are measured using cost model. PPE are eliminated from financial statement either on disposal or when retired from active use. Capital work-in-progress comprises of cost incurred on property, plant and equipment under construction/ acquisition that are not yet ready for their intended use at the Balance Sheet Date.

Subsequent expenditure is capitalised to the asset's carrying amount only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with these, will flow to the Group and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. All other repairs and maintenance costs are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss when incurred.

If significant parts of an item of PPE have different useful lives, then they are accounted for as separate items (major components) of PPE. Material items such as spare parts, stand-by equipment and service equipment are classified as PPE when they meet the definition of PPE as specified in Ind AS 16 – Property, Plant and Equipment. Property, plant and equipment are eliminated from financial statement either on disposal or when retired from active use. Assets held for disposal are stated at net realisable value. Losses arising in case of retirement of property, plant and equipment and gains or losses arising from disposal of property, plant and equipment are recognised in the statement of profit and loss in the year of occurrence.

### 1.3 Expenditure during construction period:

Expenditure/Income during construction period (including financing cost related to borrowed funds for construction or acquisition of qualifying PPE) is included under Capital Work-in-Progress and the same is allocated to the respective PPE on the completion of their construction.

Advances given towards acquisition or construction of PPE outstanding at each reporting date are disclosed as Capital Advances under "Other non-current Assets".

### 1.4 Depreciation:

a) Depreciation on the property, plant and equipment (other than freehold land and capital work-inprogress) is provided on a straight-line method (SLM) over their useful lives which is in consonance of useful life mentioned in Schedule II to the Act except certain class of assets specified in table (i) below, based on internal assessment estimated by the management of The Group, where the useful life is lower than as mentioned in said Schedule II.

Assets where useful life is lower than useful life mentioned in Schedule II:

Assets	Estimated useful life depreciated on SLM basis
Furniture & fittings at retail stores	5 years
Second hand factory/office building (RCC frame structure)	30 years
Second hand factory/office building (other than RCC frame structure)	5 years
Individual assets whose cost does not exceed ₹ 5,000	Fully depreciated in the year of purchase

b) The range of useful lives of the property, plant and equipment not covered in table above and are in accordance with Schedule II are as follows:

Particulars	Useful life
Factory buildings	30 years
Other buildings (RCC structure)	60 years
Other Plant and Machinery	15 years
Computers	3 years
Furniture & fittings	10 years
Motor vehicles	8 years
Windmill	22 years
Office Equipments	5 years

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- c) In case of assets purchased, sold or discarded during the year, depreciation on such assets is calculated on pro-rata basis from the date of such addition or as the case may be, up to the date on which such asset has been sold or discarded.
- Depreciation methods, useful lives and residual values are reviewed at each financial year end and adjusted prospectively.
- e) Leasehold lands are amortised over the period of lease or useful life whichever is lower. Buildings constructed on leasehold land are depreciated over its useful life which matches with the useful life mentioned in Schedule II. In cases where building is having useful life greater than the period of lease (where the Group does not have right of renewal), the same is amortised over the lease period of land.

### 1.5 Investment properties & Depreciation on Investment Properties

- a) Property that is held for long-term rental yields or for capital appreciation or both and that is not occupied by the Group for its own business, is classified as investment property. Investment properties are measured at its cost, including related transaction costs and where applicable borrowing costs less depreciation and impairment if any.
- b) Investment properties are measured initially at cost, including transaction costs. Cost of investment properties includes non-refundable taxes and duties, borrowing cost directly attributable to the qualifying asset and any directly attributable costs of bringing the asset to its working condition and location and present value of any obligatory decommissioning cost for its intended use.

Subsequent expenditure is capitalised to the asset's carrying amount only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with these, will flow to the Group and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. All other repairs and maintenance costs are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss when incurred.

c) Depreciation on building held as Investment Properties is provided over it's useful life (of 60 years) using the straight-line method.

In the case of investment property purchased, sold or discarded during the year, depreciation on such investment property is calculated on pro-rata basis from the date of such addition or as the case may be, up to the date on which such investment property has been sold or discarded.

The residual values, useful lives and methods of depreciation of investment properties are reviewed at each balance sheet date to reflect the expected pattern of consumption of the future benefits embodied in the investment properties and in case of any changes, effect of the same is given prospectively.

### **1.6** Intangible Assets and Amortisation:

- a) Intangible assets are recognised only if it is probable that the future economic benefits attributable to asset will flow to the Group and the cost of asset can be measured reliably. Intangible assets are stated at cost of acquisition/development less accumulated amortisation and accumulated impairment loss if any.
- b) Cost of an intangible asset includes purchase price including non-refundable taxes and duties, borrowing cost directly attributable to the qualifying asset and any directly attributable expenditure on making the asset ready for its intended use.
- c) Intangible assets under development comprises of cost incurred on intangible assets under development that are not yet ready for their intended use as at the Balance Sheet date.
- d) Class of intangible assets and their estimated useful lives are as under:

Assets	Estimated useful life amortised on SLM basis
Computer software	3 years

- e) Amortisation methods and useful lives are reviewed at each financial year end and adjusted prospectively.
- f) In case of assets purchased during the year, amortisation on such assets is calculated on prorata basis from the date of such addition.

# 1.7 Non-current assets (or disposal groups) classified as held for disposal:

Assets are classified as held for disposal and stated at the lower of carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell.

To classify any Asset as "Asset held for disposal" the asset must be available for immediate sale and its sale must be highly probable. Such assets are presented separately in the Balance Sheet, in the line "Assets held for disposal". Once classified as held for disposal, intangible assets and PPE are no longer amortised or depreciated, but carried at lower of cost or NRV.

### **1.8** Impairment of Non-Financial Assets:

At the end of each reporting period, the Group reviews the carrying amounts of non-financial assets to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss. If any such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated in order to determine the extent of the impairment loss (if any). When it is not possible

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to estimate the recoverable amount of an individual asset, the Group estimates the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs. When a reasonable and consistent basis of allocation can be identified, corporate assets are also allocated to individual cash-generating units, or otherwise they are allocated to the smallest group of cash-generating units for which a reasonable and consistent allocation basis can be identified.

Intangible assets with indefinite useful lives and intangible assets not yet available for use are tested for impairment at least annually and whenever there is an indication that the asset may be impaired.

Recoverable amount is the higher of fair value less costs of disposal and value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset for which the estimates of future cash flows have not been adjusted.

If the recoverable amount of an asset (or cash-generating unit) is estimated to be less than its carrying amount, the carrying amount of the asset (or cash-generating unit) is reduced to its recoverable amount. An impairment loss is recognised immediately in Statement of Profit and Loss, unless the relevant asset is carried at a revalued amount, in which case the impairment loss is treated as a revaluation decrease.

When an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset (or a cash-generating unit) is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable amount, but so that the increased carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset (or cash-generating unit) in prior years. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognised immediately in the Statement of Profit and Loss, unless the relevant asset is carried at a revalued amount, in which case the reversal of the impairment loss is treated as a revaluation increase.

### 1.9 Inventories:

The inventories (including traded goods) are valued at lower of cost and net realisable value after providing for cost of obsolescence wherever considered necessary. However, materials and other items held for use in the production of inventories are not written down below cost if the finished products in which they will be incorporated are expected to be sold at or above cost.

The cost comprises of costs of purchase, duties and taxes (other than those subsequently recoverable), conversion cost and other costs incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition. Since the Group is in fashion industry with diverse designs / styles, the cost of inventory is determined on the basis of specific identification method (as the same is considered as more suitable).

In case of work-in-progress and finished goods, the costs of conversion include costs directly related to the units of production and systematic allocation of fixed and variable production overheads.

Proceeds in respect of sale of raw materials/stores are credited to the respective heads. Obsolete and defective inventory are duly provided for, basis the management estimates. (Refer note – 2.8)

### **1.10** Borrowing Costs:

Borrowing costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or development of a qualifying asset are capitalised as part of the cost of the respective asset till such time the asset is ready for its intended use. A qualifying asset is an asset which necessarily takes a substantial period of time to get ready for its intended use. All other borrowing costs are expensed in the period in which they occur. Borrowing costs consist of interest, amortisation of discounts, hedge related cost incurred in connection with foreign currency borrowings and exchange difference arising from foreign currency borrowings to the extent they are treated as an adjustment to the borrowing cost and other costs that an entity incurs in connection with the borrowing of funds.

# 1.11 Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets:

Provisions are recognised when the Group has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event and it is probable that an outflow of resources, that can be reliably estimated, will be required to settle such an obligation.

If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are determined by discounting the expected future cash flows to net present value using an appropriate pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and, where appropriate, the risks specific to the liability. Unwinding of the discount is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss as a finance cost.

Provisions are reviewed at each reporting date and are adjusted to reflect the current best estimate.

A present obligation that arises from past events where it is either not probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle or a reliable estimate of the amount cannot be made, is disclosed as a contingent liability. Contingent liabilities are also disclosed when there is a possible obligation arising from past events, the existence of which will be confirmed only by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the Group.

Claims against the Group where the possibility of any outflow of resources in settlement is remote, are not disclosed as contingent liabilities.

A contingent asset is disclosed, where an inflow of economic benefits is probable. Contingent assets are not

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recognised in financial statements since this may result in the recognition of income that may never be realised. However, when the realisation of income is virtually certain, then the related asset is not a contingent asset and is recognised.

### 1.12 Revenue Recognition:

Revenue is recognised upon transfer of control of promised products and services to customers, when there are no longer any unfulfilled obligations, in an amount that reflects the consideration which the Group expects to receive in exchange for those products and services.

Revenue towards satisfaction of a performance obligation is measured at the amount of transaction price (net of variable consideration) allocated to that performance obligation. The transaction price of goods sold and services rendered is net of variable consideration on account of allowances, trade, volume & other discounts/rebates or schemes offered by the Group as part of the contract and any taxes or duties collected on behalf of the government such as goods and services tax, etc. This variable consideration is estimated based on the expected value of outflow. Revenue (net of variable consideration) is recognised only to the extent that it is highly probable that the amount will not be subject to significant reversal when uncertainty relating to its recognition is resolved.

### a) Sale of goods:

Sales of goods are recognised at a point in time upon transfer of control of promised products to customers, which coincides with the dispatch or delivery of goods or upon formal customer acceptance as per the relevant terms of the contract, in an amount that reflects the consideration the Group expect to receive in exchange for those products.

Accumulated experience and judgement are used to estimate and provide for turnover discounts, expected cash discounts, other eligible discounts, expected returns and incentives.

- b) Sale of services:
  - Revenue from services rendered is recognised at a point in time upon satisfaction of performance obligations based on agreements arrangements with the customers. Service income is recorded net of GST.
  - In case of Licensing contract which are mainly in nature of right access, the revenue is recognised over licence period based on straight-line basis based on agreements arrangements with the customers.

### c) Income from power generation:

Power generation income is recognised on the basis of electrical units generated and sold in excess of captive consumption and recognised at prescribed (₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

rate as per agreement of sale of electricity by the Company. Further, value of electricity generated and captively consumed is netted off from the electricity expenses.

# d) Assets and liabilities arising from right to return:

The Company has contracts with customers which entitles them the unconditional right to return.

### Right to return assets:

A right of return gives the group a contractual right to recover the goods from a customer (right to return asset), if the customer exercises its option to return the goods and obtain a refund. The asset is measured at the carrying amount of the inventory, less any expected costs to recover the goods, including any potential decreases in the value of the returned goods.

### **Refund liabilities:**

A refund liability is the obligation to refund part or all of the consideration received (or receivable) from the customer. The group has therefore recognised refund liabilities in respect of customer's right to return. The liability is measured at the amount the Company ultimately expects it will have to return to the customer. The Group updates its estimate of refund liabilities (and the corresponding change in the transaction price) at the end of each reporting period. The Group has presented its right to return assets and refund liabilities under other current assets and other current liabilities, respectively.

### e) Other income:

- i) Interest income in respect of deposits which are measured at cost is recorded using effective interest rate (EIR). EIR is the rate that exactly discounts the estimated future cash payments or receipts over the expected life of the financial instrument or a shorter period, where appropriate, to the gross carrying amount of the financial asset or to the amortised cost of a financial liability.
- Dividend income on investment is accounted for in the period/year in which the right to receive the same is established.
- iii) Rental income (net of taxes) on assets given under operating lease arrangements is recognised on a straight-line basis over the period of the lease unless the receipts are structured to increase in line with expected general inflation to compensate for the group expected inflationary cost increases.

### **1.13 Government grants:**

Government grants are recognised when there is reasonable assurance that the Group will comply with

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the conditions attaching to them and that the grants will be received.

Export incentives principally comprises of Duty Drawback, merchandise exports from India scheme (MEIS) and rebate on state & central taxes and levies (RoSTCL) based on guidelines formulated for the respective scheme by the government authorities. Export incentives related to operations provided by government are recognised as income on accrual basis in Statement of Profit and Loss only to the extent that realisation/utilisation is certain.

### 1.14 Trade receivables:

Trade receivables are amounts due from customers for goods sold or services performed in the ordinary course of business. If the receivable is expected to be collected within a period of 12 months or less from the reporting date (or in the normal operating cycle of the business, if longer), they are classified as current assets, otherwise as non-current assets.

Trade receivables are measured at their transaction price unless it contains a significant financing component or pricing adjustments embedded in the contract. In case a financing component exits the consideration for the goods and service is adjusted for the time value of group.

Loss allowance for expected life time credit loss is recognised on initial recognition.

### 1.15 Leases:

### a) As a Lessee:

The Group assesses whether a contract 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: (i) the contract involves the use of an identified asset (ii) the Group has substantially all of the economic benefits from use of the asset through the period of the lease and (iii) the Group has the right to direct the use of the asset.

Certain lease arrangements include the options to extend or terminate the lease before the end of the lease term. ROU assets and lease liabilities includes these options when it is reasonably certain that they will be exercised.

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.

Right-of-use assets are depreciated on a straightline basis over the lease term. Right of use assets are evaluated for recoverability whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that their carrying amounts may not be recoverable. For the purpose of impairment testing, the recoverable amount (i.e. the higher of the fair value less cost to sell and the value-in-use) is determined on an individual asset basis unless the asset does not generate cash flows that are largely independent of those from other assets.

The lease liability is initially measured at amortised cost 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 in the country of domicile of these leases. Lease liabilities are remeasured with a corresponding adjustment to the related right of use asset if the Group changes its assessment if whether it will exercise an extension or a termination option.

Lease liability and ROU asset have been separately presented in the Balance Sheet and lease payments have been classified as financing cash flows.

# b) Short-term leases and leases of low value assets:

The Group applies the short-term lease recognition exemption to its short-term leases (i.e., those leases that have a lease term of 12 months or less from the commencement date and do not contain a purchase option). It also applies the lease of lowvalue assets recognition exemption to leases that are considered to be low value. Lease payments on short-term leases and leases of low-value assets are recognised as expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

### c) As a Lessor:

Lease income from operating leases where the Group is a lessor is recognised (net of GST) in income on a straight-line basis over the lease term. The respective leased assets are included in the balance sheet based on their nature.

### 1.16 Employees' Benefits:

### a) Short-term employee benefits:

All employee benefits falling due wholly within twelve months of rendering the service are classified as short-term employee benefits and they are recognised as an expense at the undiscounted amount in the Statement of Profit and Loss in the period in which the employee renders the related service.

### b) Post-employment benefits:

### i) Defined contribution plan:

The defined contribution plan is postemployment benefit plan under which the Group contributes fixed contribution to a government administered fund and will have

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no obligation to pay further contribution. The Group's defined contribution plan comprises of Provident Fund, Employee State Insurance Scheme, Employee Pension Scheme, National Pension Scheme and Labour Welfare Fund. The Group's contribution to defined contribution plans are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss in the period in which employee renders the related service.

If the contribution payable to the scheme for service received before the Balance Sheet date exceeds the contribution already paid, the deficit payable to the scheme is recognised as a liability after deducting the contribution already paid. If the contribution already paid exceeds the contribution due for services received before the Balance Sheet date, then excess is recognised as an asset to the extent that the pre-payment will lead to a reduction in future payment or a cash refund.

#### ii) Defined benefit plan:

The Group's obligation towards gratuity liability is funded to an approved gratuity fund, which fully covers the said liability under Cash Accumulation Policy of Life Insurance Corporation of India (LIC). The present value of the defined benefit obligations is determined based on actuarial valuation using the projected unit credit method. The rate used to discount defined benefit obligation is determined by reference to market yields at the Balance Sheet date on Indian Government Bonds for the estimated term of obligations.

The current service cost of the defined benefit plan, recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss as employee benefits expense, reflects the increase in the defined benefit obligation resulting from employee service in the current year, benefit changes, curtailments and settlements. Past service costs are recognised in statement of profit and loss in the period of a plan amendment.

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.

Re-measurement gains or losses arising from experience adjustments changes in actuarial assumptions is reflected immediately in the Balance Sheet with a charge or credit recognised in Other Comprehensive Income (OCI) in the period in which they occur. Remeasurement recognised in OCI is reflected immediately in retained earnings and will not be reclassified to Statement of Profit and Loss in the subsequent period. Re-measurements comprises of (a) actuarial gains and losses, (₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

(b) the effect of the asset ceiling (excluding amounts included in net interest on the net defined benefit liability) and (c) the return on plan assets (excluding amounts included in net interest on the net defined benefit liability).

#### iii) Other employee benefits:

As per the Group's policy, employees who have completed specified years of service are eligible for death benefit plan wherein defined amount would be paid to the survivors of the employee on the death of the employee while in service with the Group. To fulfill the Group's obligation for the above-mentioned plan, the Group has taken group term policy from an insurance company. The annual premium for insurance cover is recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### 1.17 Income Taxes:

- a) Tax expenses comprise of current tax, deferred tax charge or credit and adjustments of taxes for earlier years. In respect of amounts adjusted against securities premium or retained earnings or other reserves, the corresponding tax effect is also adjusted against the securities premium or retained earnings or other reserves, as the case may be, as per the announcement of Institute of Chartered Accountant of India.
- b) Current Tax is measured on the basis of estimated taxable income for the current accounting period in with the applicable tax rates and the provisions of the Income-tax Act, 1961 and other applicable tax laws.
- c) Deferred tax is provided, on all temporary differences at the reporting date between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts for financial reporting purposes. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to be applied to the temporary differences when they reverse, based on the laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date.

Tax relating to items recognised directly in equity or OCI is recognised in equity or OCI and not in the Statement of Profit and Loss. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset if there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax liabilities and assets and they relate to income taxes levied by the same tax authority, but they intend to settle current tax liabilities and assets on a net basis or their tax assets and liabilities will be realised simultaneously.

A deferred tax asset is recognised only to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which the temporary difference can be utilised. Deferred tax assets are

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reviewed at each reporting date and are reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable.

#### **1.18** Earnings per Share:

Basic earnings per share (EPS) are calculated by dividing the net profit or loss (after tax) for the year attributable to equity shareholders by the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the year. The weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the period is adjusted for events of bonus issue and share split if any.

For the purpose of calculating diluted earnings per share, the net profit or loss (after tax) for the year attributable to equity shareholders and the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the year are adjusted for the effects of all dilutive potential equity shares.

#### 1.19 Foreign Currency Transactions:

- a) Transactions denominated in foreign currencies are recorded at the exchange rates prevailing on the date of the transaction.
- b) As at balance sheet date, foreign currency monetary items are translated at closing exchange rate. Foreign currency non-monetary items carried at fair value are translated at the rates prevailing at the date when the fair value was determined. Foreign currency non-monetary items measured in terms of historical cost are translated using the exchange rate as at the date of initial transactions.
- c) Exchange difference arising on settlement or translation of foreign currency monetary items are recognised as income or expense in the year in which they arise except to the extent exchange differences are regarded as an adjustment to interest cost on those foreign currency borrowings.
- d) As per Appendix B to Ind AS 21, when an entity has received or paid advance contribution in a foreign currency, transaction rate as on the date of receipt of advance is considered for recognition of related asset, expenses or income.

#### 1.20 Financial Instruments:

A financial instrument is any contract that gives rise to a financial asset of one entity and a financial liability or equity instrument of another entity.

#### Financial assets:

#### Initial recognition and measurement:

The Group recognises a financial asset in its Balance Sheet when it becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. All financial assets are recognised initially at fair value, plus in the case of financial assets not recorded at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL), transaction costs that are attributable to the acquisition of the financial asset. Where the fair value of a financial asset at initial recognition is different from its transaction price, the difference between the fair value and the transaction price is recognised as a gain or loss in the Statement of Profit and Loss at initial recognition if the fair value is determined through a quoted market price in an active market for an identical asset (i.e. level 1 input) or through a valuation technique that uses data from observable markets (i.e. level 2 input). In case the fair value is not determined using a level 1 or level 2 input as mentioned above, the difference between the fair value and transaction price is deferred appropriately and recognised as a gain or loss in the Statement of Profit and Loss only to the extent that such gain or loss arises due to a change in factor that market participants take into account when pricing the financial asset. However, trade receivables that do not contain a significant financing component are measured at transaction price (see second para of note 1.14 on trade receivables).

#### Subsequent measurement:

For subsequent measurement, the group classifies a financial asset in accordance with the below criteria:

- The Group's business model for managing the financial asset and
- The contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial asset.

Based on the above criteria, the Group classifies its financial assets into the following categories:

a) Financial assets measured at amortised cost:

A financial asset is measured at the amortised cost if both the following conditions are met:

- i) The Group business model objective for managing the financial asset is to hold financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows, and
- ii) The contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

This category applies to cash and bank balances, trade receivables, loans and other financial assets of the Group. Such financial assets are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Under the effective interest method, the future cash receipts are exactly discounted to the initial recognition value using the effective interest rate. The cumulative amortisation using the effective interest method of the difference between the initial recognition amount and the maturity amount is added to the initial recognition value (net of principal repayments, if any) of the financial asset over the relevant period of the financial asset to arrive at the amortised cost at each reporting date. The corresponding effect of the amortisation under effective interest method is recognised as interest income over the relevant period of the financial

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a)

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asset. The same is included under other income in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

The amortised cost of a financial asset is also adjusted for loss allowance, if any.

b) Financial assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVTOCI):

A financial asset is measured at FVTOCI if both of the following conditions are met:

- The Group's business model objective for managing the financial asset is achieved both by collecting contractual cash flows and selling the financial assets, and
- The contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

The Group, through an irrevocable election at initial recognition, has measured certain investments in equity instruments at FVTOCI (refer note 2.3(a)). The Company has made such election on an instrument by instrument basis. These equity instruments are neither held for trading nor are contingent consideration recognised under a business combination. Pursuant to such irrevocable election, subsequent changes in the fair value of such equity instruments are recognised in OCI. However, the Company recognises dividend income from such instruments in the Statement of Profit and Loss when the right to receive payment is established, it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Company and the amount can be measured reliably.

On derecognition of such financial assets, cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in OCI is not reclassified from the equity to Statement of Profit and Loss. However, the Company may transfer such cumulative gain or loss into retained earnings within equity.

c) Financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL):

A financial asset is measured at FVTPL unless it is measured at amortised cost or at FVTOCI as explained above. This is a residual category applied to all other investments of the Group excluding investments in subsidiary and joint venture. Such financial assets are subsequently measured at fair value at each reporting date. Fair value changes are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### Derecognition:

A financial asset (or, where applicable, a part of a financial asset or part of a group of similar financial assets) is derecognised (i.e. removed from the Group's Balance Sheet) when any of the following occurs:

- (₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated) The contractual rights to cash flows from the
- b) The Group transfers its contractual rights to receive cash flows of the financial asset and has substantially transferred all the risks and rewards of ownership of the financial asset;

financial asset expires;

- c) The Group retains the contractual rights to receive cash flows but assumes a contractual obligation to pay the cash flows without material delay to one or more recipients under a 'pass-through' arrangement (thereby substantially transferring all the risks and rewards of ownership of the financial asset);
- d) The Group neither transfers nor retains substantially all risk and rewards of ownership and does not retain control over the financial asset.

In cases where Group has neither transferred nor retained substantially all of the risks and rewards of the financial asset, but retains control of the financial asset, the Group continues to recognise such financial asset to the extent of its continuing involvement in the financial asset. In that case, the Group also recognises an associated liability. The financial asset and the associated liability are measured on a basis that reflects the rights and obligations that the Group has retained.

On derecognition of a financial asset, (except as mentioned in (ii) under classification above for financial assets measured at FVTOCI), the difference between the carrying amount and the consideration received is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### Impairment of financial assets:

The Group applies expected credit losses (ECL) model for measurement and recognition of loss allowance on the following:

- a) Trade receivables and lease receivables
- b) Financial assets measured at amortised cost (other than trade receivables and lease receivables)

In case of trade receivables and lease receivables, the Group follows a simplified approach wherein an amount equal to lifetime ECL is measured and recognised as loss allowance.

In case of other assets (listed as (ii) above), the Group determines if there has been a significant increase in credit risk of the financial asset since initial recognition.

If the credit risk of such assets has not increased significantly, an amount equal to 12-month ECL is measured and recognised as loss allowance. However, if credit risk has increased significantly, an amount equal to lifetime ECL is measured and recognised as loss allowance.

Subsequently, if the credit quality of the financial asset improves such that there is no longer a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition, the Group

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reverts to recognising impairment loss allowance based on 12-month ECL.

ECL is the difference between all contractual cash flows that are due to the Group 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.

Lifetime ECL are the expected credit losses resulting from all possible default events over the expected life of a financial asset. 12-month ECL are a portion of the lifetime ECL which result from default events that are possible within 12 months from the reporting date.

ECL are measured in a manner that they reflect unbiased and probability weighted amounts determined by a range of outcomes, taking into account the time value of money and other reasonable information available as a result of past events, current conditions and forecasts of future economic conditions.

As a practical expedient, the Group uses a provision matrix to measure lifetime ECL on its portfolio of trade receivables. The provision matrix is prepared based on historically observed default rates over the expected life of trade receivables and is adjusted for forward-looking estimates. At each reporting date, the historically observed default rates and changes in the forward-looking estimates are updated.

ECL impairment loss allowance (or reversal) recognised during the period is recognised as income/expense in the Statement of Profit and Loss under the head 'Other expenses'.

#### Investment in subsidiary and joint venture:

The Group has elected to recognise its investments in subsidiary and joint venture at cost in accordance with the option available in Ind AS 27, 'Separate Financial Statements'. Investments in subsidiaries are carried at cost less accumulated impairment losses, if any. Where an indication of impairment exists, the carrying amount of the investment is assessed. Where the carrying amount of an investment is greater than its estimated recoverable amount, it is written down immediately to its recoverable amount and the difference is transferred to the Statement of Profit and Loss. On disposal of investment, the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount is charged or credited to the Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### **Financial Liabilities:**

#### Classification as debt or equity:

Financial liabilities and equity instruments issued by the Group are classified according to the substance of the contractual arrangements entered into and the definitions of a financial liability and an equity instrument.

#### Equity instruments:

An equity instrument is any contract that evidences a residual interest in the assets of an entity after deducting all of its liabilities. Equity instruments issued by the Group are recognised at the proceeds received, net of direct issue costs.

#### Initial recognition and measurement:

The Group recognises a financial liability in its Balance Sheet when it becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. All financial liabilities are recognised initially at fair value minus, in the case of financial liabilities not recorded at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL), transaction costs that are attributable to the acquisition of the financial liability.

Where the fair value of a financial liability at initial recognition is different from its transaction price, the difference between the fair value and the transaction price is recognised as a gain or loss in the Statement of Profit and Loss at initial recognition if the fair value is determined through a quoted market price in an active market for an identical asset (i.e. level 1 input) or through a valuation technique that uses data from observable markets (i.e. level 2 input).

In case the fair value is not determined using a level 1 or level 2 input as mentioned above, the difference between the fair value and transaction price is deferred appropriately and recognised as a gain or loss in the Statement of Profit and Loss only to the extent that such gain or loss arises due to a change in factor that market participants take into account when pricing the financial liability.

#### Subsequent measurement:

All financial liabilities of the Group are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

Under the effective interest method, the future cash payments are exactly discounted to the initial recognition value using the effective interest rate. The cumulative amortisation using the effective interest method of the difference between the initial recognition amount and the maturity amount is added to the initial recognition value (net of principal repayments, if any) of the financial liability over the relevant period of the financial liability to arrive at the amortised cost at each reporting date. The corresponding effect of the amortisation under effective interest method is recognised as interest expense over the relevant period of the financial liability. The same is included under finance cost in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### **Derecognition:**

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

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between the carrying amount of the financial liability derecognised and the consideration paid is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### **Offsetting financial instruments:**

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the balance sheet when there is a legally enforceable right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously. The legally enforceable right must not be contingent on future events and must be enforceable in the normal course of business and in the event of default, insolvency or bankruptcy of the Company or the counterparty

#### 1.21 Fair Value Measurement:

The Group measures financial instruments, such as investments (other than equity investments in Subsidiaries, Joint Ventures and Associates) and derivatives at fair values 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:

- In the principal market for the asset or liability, or
- 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, categorise the use of relevant observable inputs and categorise 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:

- Level 1 Quoted (unadjusted) market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2 Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is directly or indirectly observable other than quoted prices included in Level 1.

 Level 3 — Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is unobservable.

For financial assets and liabilities maturing within one year from the Balance Sheet date and which are not carried at fair value, the carrying amount approximates fair value due to the short maturity of these instruments. For assets and liabilities that are recognised in the financial statements on a recurring basis, the Group 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.

#### 1.22 Cash Flow Statement Cash and Cash Equivalents:

Cash and cash equivalents include cash in hand, bank balances, deposits with banks (other than on lien) and all short-term highly liquid investments/mutual funds (with zero exit load at the time of investment) that are readily convertible into known amounts of cash and are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value. Cash flows are reported using the indirect method, where by net profit before tax is adjusted for the effects of transactions of a non-cash nature, any deferrals or accruals of past or future operating cash receipts or payments and item of income or expenses associated with investing or financing cash flows. The cash flows from operating, investing and financing activities are segregated.

#### **1.23** Dividend distribution:

Final equity dividends on shares are recorded as a liability on the date of approval by the shareholders and interim equity dividends are recorded as a liability on the date of declaration by the Group's Board of Directors.

### 1.24 Segment Reporting:

Operating segments have been identified taking into account the nature of the products / services, geographical locations, nature of risks and returns, internal organisation structure and internal financial reporting system. The Group prepares its segment information in conformity with the accounting policies adopted for preparing and presenting the consolidated financial statements of the Group as a whole. These operating results are regularly reviewed by the Company's Chief Operating Decision Maker ("CODM").

# 1.25 Critical accounting judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty (Group):

The preparation of the Group's financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of revenues, expenses, assets and liabilities and the accompanying disclosures and the disclosure of contingent liabilities. Uncertainty about these assumptions and estimates could result in outcomes that require a material adjustment to the carrying amount of assets or liabilities affected in future periods.

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Critical judgements and estimates in applying accounting policies:

#### a) Property, Plant and Equipment:

Property, Plant and Equipment represent a significant proportion of the asset base of the Company. The charge in respect of periodic depreciation is derived after determining an estimate of an asset's expected useful life. The useful lives of the Group's assets are determined by the management at the time the asset is acquired and reviewed periodically, including at each financial year end. The lives are based on historical experience with similar assets as well as anticipation of future events, which may impact their life, such as changes in technical or commercial obsolescence arising from changes or improvements in production or from a change in market demand of the product or service output of the asset.

### b) Estimation of Defined benefit obligation:

The costs of providing post-employment benefits are charged to the Statement of Profit and Loss in accordance with Ind AS 19 'Employee benefits' over the period during which benefit is derived from the employees' services. The costs are assessed on the basis of assumptions selected by the management. These assumptions include salary escalation rate, discount rates, expected rate of return on assets and mortality rates. The same is disclosed in Note 2.36.

c) Refund Liability: Refer note 1.12(d)

### d) Provision on inventories:

The Group provides for obsolescence on slow moving & non-moving inventory based on policy, past experience, current trend and future expectations of finished goods and raw materials depending on the category of goods.

# e) Fair value measurement of Financial Instruments: Refer Note 1.21

#### f) Impairment:

An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which an asset's or cash-generating unit's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount to determine the recoverable amount, management estimates expected future cash flows from each asset or cash generating unit and determines a suitable interest rate in order to calculate the present value of those cash flows. In the process of measuring expected future cash flows, management makes assumptions about future operating results. These assumptions relate to future events and circumstances. The actual results may vary and may cause significant adjustments to the Company's assets. In most cases, determining the applicable discount rate involves estimating the appropriate adjustment to market risk and the appropriate adjustment to asset-specific risk factors.

# g) Impairment of investment in subsidiaries and joint ventures:

The Company conducts impairment reviews of investments in subsidiaries and joint ventures whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that their carrying amounts may not be recoverable or tests for impairment annually. Determining whether the investments in subsidiaries are impaired requires an estimate of the value in use of investments. In considering the value in use, the management has anticipated future cash flows and other factors of the underlying businesses/operations of the subsidiaries and a suitable discount rate in order to calculate the present value. Any subsequent changes to the cash flows due to changes in the abovementioned factors could impact the carrying value of investments.

# h) Determining the lease term of contracts with renewal as a Lessee:

The Group evaluates if an arrangement qualifies to be a lease as per the requirements of Ind AS 116. Identification of a lease requires significant judgement. The Group uses significant judgement in assessing the lease term (including anticipated renewals).

The Group determines the lease term as the noncancellable period of a lease, together with both periods covered by an option to extend the lease if the Company is reasonably certain to exercise that option; and periods covered by an option to terminate the lease if the Company is reasonably certain not to exercise that option. In assessing whether the group is reasonably certain to exercise an option to extend a lease, or not to exercise an option to terminate a lease, it considers all relevant facts and circumstances that create an economic incentive for the group to exercise the option to extend the lease, or not to exercise the option to terminate the lease. Any subsequent change in certainty of exercising option to extend lease term could impact the carrying value of right of use asset and lease liability significantly.

### i) Estimation of provisions and contingencies:

Provisions are liabilities of uncertain amount or timing recognised where a legal or constructive obligation exists at the balance sheet date, as a result of a past event, where the amount of the obligation can be reliably estimated and where the outflow of economic benefit is probable. Contingent liabilities are possible obligations that may arise

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from past event whose existence will be confirmed only by the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more uncertain future events which are not fully within the control of the Group. The Group exercises judgement and estimates in recognising the provisions and assessing the exposure to contingent liabilities relating to pending litigations. Judgement is necessary in assessing the likelihood of the success of the pending claim and to quantify the possible range of financial settlement. Due to this inherent uncertainty in the evaluation process, actual losses may be different from originally estimated provision.

# **1.26** New standard issued / modified but not effective as at reporting date

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 31 March, 2023, MCA amended the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Amendment Rules, 2023, as below:

#### 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 01 April, 2023. The Group has evaluated the amendment and the impact of the amendment is insignificant in the consolidated financial statements.

# 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 01 April, 2023. The Group has evaluated the amendment and there is no impact on its consolidated financial statements.

#### 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 01April, 2023. The Group has evaluated the amendment and there is no impact on its consolidated financial statement.

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# 2.1: Property, Plant and Equipment and Intangible Assets

			Gross	Block			Depreciation/A	Amortisation		Net Block
Sr. No.	Description of the Block of Assets	As at 01/04/2022	Additions	Deductions/ Discarded	As at 31/03/2023	As at 01/04/2022	Depreciation I	Deductions/ Discarded	As at 31/03/2023 31	As at 31/03/2023
а	Property Plant & Equip	oment (Tangil	ole Assets)							
1	Freehold Land	1,801.18	574.43	-	2,375.61	-	-	-	-	2,375.61
2	Building	5,096.70	1,066.43	-	6,163.13	864.91	206.51	-	1,071.42	5,091.71
3	Furnitures & Fixtures	116.04	-	-	116.04	85.91	14.41	-	100.32	15.72
4	Plant and Machinery	2,936.00	238.29	42.48	3,131.81	1,523.09	308.70	32.69	1,799.10	1,332.71
5	Computer	234.67	75.25	20.84	289.08	214.77	25.57	20.84	219.50	69.58
6	Office Equipments	356.12	52.87	0.29	408.70	270.07	31.28	0.29	301.06	107.64
7	Vehicles	334.94	32.47	0.13	367.28	148.99	42.31	0.13	191.17	176.11
	Total of Property Plant & equipment (a)	10,875.65	2,039.74	63.74	12,851.65	3,107.74	628.78	53.95	3,682.57	9,169.08
e	Intangible Assets (othe	er than intern	ally generat	ted)						
1	Software (Acquired)	156.64	4.12	-	160.76	128.35	7.83	-	136.18	24.58
	Total of Intangible Assets (e)	156.64	4.12	-	160.76	128.35	7.83	-	136.18	24.58
b	Right-of-Use Assets									
1	Land	204.05	-	-	204.05	9.16	3.05	-	12.21	191.84
2	Building	640.92	1,160.83	-	1,801.75	160.47	230.48	-	390.95	1,410.80
	Total of Right-of-Use Assets (b)	844.97	1,160.83	-	2,005.80	169.63	233.53	-	403.16	1,602.64
с	Capital Work-in-Progr	ess (CWIP)								
1	Plant and Machinery	57.80	165.50	96.40	126.90	-	-	-	-	126.90
2	Building	30.25	1,036.17	1,066.42	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total CWIP (c)	88.05	1,201.67	1,162.82	126.90	-	-	-	-	126.90
d	Investment Properties									
1	Building	255.91	-	-	255.91	126.81	2.93	-	129.74	126.17
	Total Investment properties (d)	255.91	-	-	255.91	126.81	2.93	-	129.74	126.17
	Grand total (a+b+c+d+e)	12,221.22	4,406.36	1,226.56	15,401.02	3,532.53	873.07	53.95	4,351.65	11,049.37

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	Description of the Block of Assets		Gross	Block			Depreciation /	Amortisation		Net Block
Sr. No.		As at 01/04/2021	Additions	Deductions/ Discarded	, As at 31/03/2022	As at 01/04/2021	Depreciation	Deductions/ Discarded	As at 31/03/2022	As at 31/03/2022
a	Property Plant & Equi	pment (Tangil	ole Assets)							
1	Freehold Land	1,801.18	-	-	1,801.18	-	-	-	-	1,801.18
2	Building	4,569.05	527.83	0.19	5,096.69	679.45	185.56	0.10	864.91	4,231.78
3	Furnitures & Fixtures	116.04	-	-	116.04	70.30	15.61	-	85.91	30.13
4	Plant and Machinery	2,756.47	235.99	56.46	2,936.00	1,250.99	297.03	24.93	1,523.09	1,412.91
5	Computer	205.39	30.48	1.20	234.67	197.37	18.61	1.20	214.78	19.89
6	Office Equipments	330.65	31.95	6.48	356.12	236.73	38.57	5.23	270.07	86.05
7	Vehicles	356.10	18.04	39.20	334.94	128.65	43.79	23.45	148.99	185.95
	Total of Property Plant & equipment (a)	10,134.88	844.29	103.53	10,875.64	2,563.49	599.17	54.91	3,107.75	7,767.89
e	Intangible Assets (othe	er than intern	ally genera	ited)						
1	Software (Acquired)	134.80	21.84	-	156.64	118.74	9.60	-	128.34	28.30
	Total of Intangible Assets (e)	134.80	21.84	-	156.64	118.74	9.60	-	128.34	28.30
b	Right-of-Use Assets									
1	Land	204.05	-	-	204.05	6.11	3.05	-	9.16	194.89
2	Building	386.00	254.92	-	640.92	71.87	88.60	-	160.47	480.45
	Total of Right-of-Use Assets (b)	590.05	254.92	-	844.97	77.98	91.65	-	169.63	675.34
с	Capital Work-in-Progr	ess (CWIP)								
1	Plant and Machinery	-	108.90	51.10	57.80	-	-	-	-	57.80
2	Building	96.95	461.14	527.83	30.25	-	-	-	-	30.25
	Total CWIP (c)	96.95	570.04	578.93	88.05	-	-	-	-	88.05
d	Investment Properties									
1	Building	255.91	-	-	255.91	124.60	2.21	-	126.81	129.10
	Total Investment properties (d)	255.91	-	-	255.91	124.60	2.21	-	126.81	129.10
	Grand total (a+b+c+d+e)	11,212.59	1,691.09	682.46	12,221.21	2,884.81	702.63	54.91	3,532.53	8,688.68

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### 2.1.1 Investment Property

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Rental income derived from Investment property	108.00	104.70
Direct operating expenses (Including repair and maintenance)	2.58	2.58
Income arising from Investment properties before depreciation	105.42	102.12
Depreciation	2.93	2.21
Income from Investment properties (Net)	102.49	99.91

The Parent company obtains independent valuations for its investment properties by a specialist in valuing these type of investment property. The best estimate of fair value in current prices in active market for similar properties. Fair Value is ₹ 935.11 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹850.10 lakhs).

#### 2.1.2 Capital Work-in-Progress (CWIP) ageing schedule

a)	Capital Work-in-Progress		Total			
a)	Capital Work-III-Frogress	Less than 1 year	1-2 years	2-3 years	More than 3 years	
	Projects in Progress	126.90	-	-	-	126.90
		(88.05)	-	-	-	(88.05)
	Projects temporarily suspended	-	-	-	-	-

Note: Figures in brackets indicate previous year's figures.

- b) There are no capital work-in-progress, whose completion or cost campared to its original plan is overdue.
- c) Amount capitalised under building block includes ₹ 287.24 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 527.83 lakhs) being the amount of capital expenditure incurred on self-constructed assets. Further such amount included under CWIP is aggregating to ₹ Nil (P.Y.: ₹ 30.25 lakhs).
- 2.1.3 Building includes the value of 14,000 (P.Y.: 14,000) shares of ₹ 100 each in Synthofine Estate CHS Ltd and value of 10 (P.Y.: 10) shares of ₹ 50 each in Gautam Chemical Industrial Premises CHS Ltd.
- 2.1.4 Right to Use Building includes building constructed on lease hold land having Gross block of ₹ 226.65 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 226.65 lakhs).
- **2.1.5** In the year 2014-15, the Parent company has acquired freehold land with integrated structures for a composite value whose conveyance is registered and municipal records updated. The value of the structure is determined based on estimated depreciated value of structures and the balance is considered as the value of the land. In respect of the land, the Parent company has undivided share in land. Also an insignificant portion of land is unlawfully occupied by an illegal occupant and the said occupant had raised some illegal structures which were demolished by the Municipal Corporation. The said illegal occupant has filed a suit in the Hon'ble High Court for his alleged claim in respect of the portion of the land illegally occupied by him. The Parent company has refuted the alleged claim of the illegal occupant and is defending the suit. The Parent company has filed an Eviction suit against the illegal occupant in the Hon'ble Small Causes Court. Both the said matters are sub-judiced. There is insignificant impact of these litigations on the financial position of the Group.
- **2.1.6** The Group does not have any proceedings initiated or are pending against it, for holding benami property under the Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Act, 1988 (45 of 1988) and rules made thereunder.
- **2.1.7** The Group has not revalued its property, plant and equipment (including right-of-use assets) or intangible assets or investment property during the current or previous year.

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### 2.2: Investment in Joint Venture

#### Long-Term Investments - Carried at Cost

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Trade Investments (Unquoted)		
a) Investment in Joint Venture White Knitwear Private Limited		
In Equity Shares		
330,000 (P.Y.: 330,000) Shares of face value ₹ 10 each, fully paid up	33.00	33.00
In Preference Shares		
3,125,000 (P.Y.: 3,125,000) 9% Cumulative Redeemable Preference Shares of face value of ₹10 each fully paid up.	312.50	312.50
Add/(loss): Share of Profit/(loss) for earlier years	(30.27)	(12.55)
Add/(loss): Share of Profit/(loss) for the year	(14.10)	(17.72)
Total trade Investment (using equity method)	301.13	315.23
Aggregate amount of unqoted investments	301.13	315.23

The Parent company had invested in aggregate ₹ 345.50 lakhs in Joint Venture "White Knitwear Private Limited" (WKPL). The WKPL had acquired land in Surat Special Economic Zone (SEZ) and constructed factory building for setting up of manufacturing unit for production of Knitwear Apparels for exports. However due to slowdown in International market, SEZ could not take off and most of the members of SEZ shelved their projects and approached to Gujarat Industrial Development Corporation (GIDC) and State and Central government for de-notification of SEZ.

Gujarat Industrial Development Corporation vide its circular No. GIDC/CIR/Distribution/Policy/13/05 dated 14.03.2013 has de-notified the SEZ and conceded the members to convert and use the erstwhile land in SEZ as Domestic Tariff Area (DTA) subject to fulfillment of conditions stated therein. WKPL vide its letter dated 04.04.13 has consented for de-notification of its plot of land and undertaken to complete the formal procedure for the same.

Post de-notification joint venture partners shall dispose of the Company/land and building and realise the proceeds to return it to joint venture partners.

No provision for impairment in the value of investment is considered necessary for the year ended March 2023 based on valuation of the underlying property in joint venture.

### 2.3: Non-Current Investments - Others

Pa	rticulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
a)	Other than Trade Investments (Quoted) - Carried at FVOCI		
	In Equity Shares		
	4,512 (P.Y.: 4,512) Reliance Power Limited Shares of face value ₹ 10 each fully paid up	0.45	0.61
	15,000 (P.Y.: 15,000) HCL Technologies Ltd Shares of face value ₹ 2 each fully paid up	162.93	174.50
	25,000 (P.Y.: 25,000) Tech Mahindra Ltd. Shares of face value ₹ 5 each fully paid up	275.46	374.83
b)	Other than Trade Investments (Unquoted) - Carried at FVTPL		
	In Equity Shares		
	4,35,730 (P.Y.: Nil) Baazar Style Retail limited Shares of face value ₹ 10 each fully paid up	1,307.19	1,000.00
	Investment in Portfolio management services		
	Somerset Indus Healthcare India Fund	74.18	44.64
	Mehta Multifocused Fund	94.22	41.78
	Kotak India Whizdom Fund	-	7.53
	Sistema Asia Fund	333.11	240.75
		2,247.54	1,884.64
Ag	gregate amount of quoted investments at market value	438.84	549.94
Ag	gregate amount of unquoted investments	1,808.70	1,334.70

2.3.1 The Group has complied with the number of layers prescribed under the Companies Act, 2013

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#### 2.3 A: Loans

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Loan to Employees	8.28	13.53
	8.28	13.53

# 2.4: Other Non-Current Financial Assets

## (Unsecured considered good)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Security Deposits	1,012.43	340.75
Rent Deposits to Related Parties	7.83	7.83
Bank Deposits (included offered as security) (maturity of more than 12 months)	968.53	1,162.62
Interest receivables on Bank Deposits	24.34	0.60
	2,013.13	1,511.80

2.4.1 Bank deposit offered as security ₹ 206.68 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 60.87 lakhs)

# 2.5: Deferred Tax Asset

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Deferred tax Asset	28.00	36.00
	28.00	30.00
(Also refer note 2.43d & 2.43e)		
	28.00	36.00
Deferred Tax Assets:		
Provision for Assets	684.50	598.79
Others	106.19	136.79
Deferred Tax Liability		
Depreciation	(323.06)	(303.65)
Tax on LTCG on Mutual Fund	(439.63)	(395.93)
Deferred Tax Asset/(Liabilities)	28.00	36.00

### 2.6: Non-Current Tax Asset

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Non-Current tax assets (net of tax provision)	9.79	5.78
	9.79	5.78

# 2.7: Other Non-Current Assets

### (unsecured considered good)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Capital Advances	243.35	5.69
Prepaid Expenses	10.62	17.39
	253.97	23.08

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#### 2.8: Inventories

#### (at lower of cost or net realisable value)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Finished goods	12,427.36	5,948.96
Work-in-Progress	3,068.99	3,826.73
Raw material	619.21	1,059.95
Traded goods	246.23	157.92
Packing material & accessories	132.45	196.15
Stores, chemicals and consumables	64.57	109.24
	16,558.81	11,298.95

2.8.1 The working capital borrowings are secured by hypotication of inventory of the Group (refer note no 2.20).

2.8.2 The Group follows adequate accounting policy for writing down the value of Inventories towards slow moving, non-moving and surplus inventories. Write down of Inventories (Net of reversals) for the year ₹ 320.00 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 320.00 lakhs), this is included as part of cost of materials consumed and changes in inventory of finished goods, work-in-progress and stock in trade in statement of profit and loss. Inventory values shown above are net of the write down.

# 2.9: Current Investments

Pa	rticulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
a)	Investment in unquoted Mutual Funds - Carried at FVTPL		
	In the units of Equity Mutual Funds of ${\overline{*}}$ 10/- each fully paid		
	Aditya Birla Sunlife Pharma & Healthcare Fund-Regular-Growth	880.43	-
	[Units: 5,381,620.442 (P.Y.: Nil)]		
	Aditya Birla Sunlife Arbitrage Fund-Regular-Growth	4.89	-
	[Units: 21,591.077 (P.Y : Nil)]		
	SBI Banking & Financial Services Fund-Regular-Growth	316.40	-
	[Units: 1,281,779.361 (P.Y.: Nil)]		
	SBI Flexicap Fund-Regular-Growth	496.07	-
	[Units: 672 575.314 (P.Y.: Nil)]		
	SBI Technology Opportunities Fund-Regular-Growth	293.44	-
	[Units: 2,11,160.727 (P.Y.: Nil)]		
	Tata Banking And Financial Services Fund-Regular-Growth	1,239.67	-
	[Units: 4,598,762.025 (P.Y.: Nil)]		
	Tata Arbitrage Fund-Regular-Growth	6.55	-
	[Units: 53,392.048 (P.Y.: Nil)]		
	In units of Fixed Maturity Plans (FMP's) of ₹ 10/- each fully paid up		
	(includes current maturity of non current investment)		
	Aditya Birla Sunlife FTP Series PV-Direct-Growth	-	546.17
	[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 4,000,000)]		
	Aditya Birla Sunlife FTP Series PV-Growth	-	135.54
	[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 1,000,000)]		
	Bandhan FTP Series 152 - Growth	-	132.11
	(Formerly known as IDFC FTP Series 152 - Growth)		
	[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 1,000,000)]		
	Invesco India FMP Series 31 Plan D - Growth	-	136.68
	[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 1,000,000)]		
	In the units of Fixed Maturity Plan (FMP'S) of ₹ 1,000/- each fully paid		
	PGIM India Fixed Duration Fund-Series AY-Growth	-	271.76
	(Formerly known as DHFL Pramerica Fixed Duration Fund-Series AY-Growth)		
	[Units: Nil (PY.: 20,000)]		
	PGIM India Fixed Duration Fund-Series BA-Growth	-	133.94

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articulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
(Formerly known as DHFL Pramerica Fixed Duration Fund-Series BA-Growth)		
[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 10,000)]		
In the units of Income Funds of ₹ 10/- each fully paid		
HDFC Corporate Bond Fund - Growth	1,329.82	1,275.03
[Units: 4,814,823.517 (P.Y.: 4,814,823.517)]	······	
Bandhan Corporate Bond Fund -Regular - Growth	377.20	365.52
(Formerly known as IDFC Corporate Bond Fund - Regular - Growth)		
[Units: 2,323,070.357 (P.Y.: 2,323,070.357)]		
Sundaram Short Duration Fund - Growth	1,039.02	990.08
(Formerly known as Principal Short-Term Debt Fund - Growth)		
[Units: 2,600,012.482 (P.Y.: 2,600,012.482)]		
DSP Corporate Bond Fund - Growth	136.58	554.68
[Units: 1,000,000.00 (P.Y.: 4,167,079.735)]		
HSBC Corporate Bond Fund	244.38	236.11
(Formerly known as L & T Triple Ace Bond Fund - Growth)		
[Units: 375,629.179 (P.Y.: 375,629.179)]		
Axis Corporate Debt Fund - Direct - Growth	336.67	320.65
[Units: 2,248,594.563 (PY: 2,248,594.563)]		020.02
Axis Corporate Debt Fund - Regular - Growth		209.94
[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 1,526,175.217)]		207.7-
Bharat Bond FOF - Direct - Growth	1,031.57	1,005.63
[Units: 9,291,652.263 (P.Y.: 9,291,652.263)]	1,031.37	1,005.00
Bharat Bond FOF - Regular - Growth	553.99	540.06
[Units: 4,989,962.01 (PY:: Nil)]	555.77	540.00
ICICI Pru Corporate Bond Fund - Growth	689.42	651.24
[Units: 2,648,774.634 (P.Y.: 2,648,774.634)]	007.42	031.22
Kotak Bond Fund - Growth		522.57
[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 766,059.715)]	-	JZZ.J1
		316.33
Mirae Asset Dynamic Bond Fund - Direct - Growth	-	310.33
[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 2,186,878.081)]	201 52	
Nippon India Corporate Bond Fund - Direct - Growth	281.52	267.60
[Units: 540,209.829 (P.Y.: 540,209.829)]		045.00
UTI Corporate Bond Fund - Direct - Growth	-	315.22
[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 2,351,809.029)]	4.444.00	4 405 4
Edelweiss NIFTY PSU Bond Plus SDL Index 2026	1,446.30	1,405.66
[Units: 13,108,299.066 (P.Y.: 13,108,299.066)]		
ICICI Pru PSU Bond Plus SDL 40-60 Index Fund Sep27 - Growth	1,790.68	1,515.38
[Units: 17,152,267.216 (P.Y.: 14,909,288.086)]		
Investments in Quoted Perpetual Bonds - Carried at FVTPL		
(Unsecured, subordinated & Non-Convertible)		
In the units of Bonds of ₹ 1,00,00,000/- each fully paid.		
HDFC Bank	99.30	
7.84% Basel III Series1/2022-23 (with first call option on September 8, 2027)		
[Units: 1.00 (P.Y.: Nil)]		
SBI Bank	99.05	
7.75% Basel III Series1/2022-23 (with first call option on September 9, 2027)		
[Units: 1.00 (P.Y.: Nil)]		
	12,692.95	11,847.95
Aggregate amount of quoted investments at Market value	198.35	
Aggregate amount of unquoted investments	12,494.60	11,847.95

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# 2.10: Trade Receivables

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
a) Trade Receivables considered good - Secured*	2,369.41	1,734.30
b) Trade Receivables considered good - Unsecured	16,918.67	17,235.94
c) Trade Receivables which has significant increase in credit risks	104.03	171.91
d) Trade Receivables - credit impaired	-	-
Less : Allowance for Bad and doubtful debts and expected credit loss	(2,400.00)	(2,050.00)
	16,992.11	17,092.15

There are no trade or other receivables which are due from directors or other officers of the Group either severally or jointly with any other person. Also, there are no trade or other receivables which are due from firms or private companies, in which any director is a partner, a director or a member.

\* Secured against the Bank Guarantee / Security deposit received from customers.

# 2.11: Cash & Cash Equivalent

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Cash on Hand	27.43	75.33
Balances with Banks :-		
In Current Accounts	130.31	183.85
In Bank Deposits (Maturity of less than 12 Months)	2,734.90	2,214.91
Liquid Mutual Funds (refer note 2.11.1)	14,148.34	17,164.99
	17,040.98	19,639.08

#### 2.11.1: Investments in unquoted Liquid Mutual Funds - Carried at FVTPL

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
a) Face Value of ₹ 10/- each fully paid up		
DSP Low Duration Fund-Gowth	118.45	370.68
[Units: 684,125.551 (P.Y.: 2,252,040.293)]		
HDFC Ultra Short-Term Fund - Growth	1,484.76	1,406.24
[Units: 11,328,926.639 (P.Y.: 11,328,926.639)]		
Nippon India Floating Rate Fund - Growth	1,681.54	1,606.18
[Units: 4,255,404.586 (P.Y.: 4,255,404.586)]		
Nippon India Money Market Fund - Growth	120.67	113.97
[Units: 3,401.512 (PY.: 3,401.512)]		
HDFC Banking and PSU Debt Fund - Direct - Growth	-	527.05
[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 2,750,878.956)]		
Mirae Asset Banking & PSU Debt Fund - Direct - Growth	-	523.39
[Units:Nil (P.Y.: 4,892,506.274)]		
Tata Banking & PSU Debt Fund - Direct - Growth	332.91	319.32
[Units: 2,688,278.526 (P.Y.: 2,688,278.526)]		
Nippon India Banking & PSU Debt Fund - Regular - Growth	536.59	516.80
[Units: 3,066,240.24 (P.Y.: 3,066,240.24)]		
Aditya BSL Debt pool a/c	-	155.22
[Units: 52,391.421 (P.Y: Nil)]		
Axis Banking & PSU Debt Fund	-	154.87
[Units: 7234.460 units (P.Y. Nil)]		
Hdfc Mutual Fund	-	185.71
[Units: 756,277.418 units] (P.Y. Nil)		
Total (a)	4,274.92	5,879.43

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		(₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)		
Pa	articulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022	
b)	Face Value of ₹ 100/- each fully paid up			
	Aditya Birla Sunlife Banking & PSU Debt Fund - Growth	297.06	284.75	
	[Units: 96,032.789 (P.Y.: 96,032.789)]			
	Aditya Birla Sunlife Floating Rate Fund - Growth	595.49	563.62	
	[Units: 198,771.602 (P.Y.: 198,771.602)]			
	ICICI Pru Money Market Fund - Growth	1,138.59	1,077.45	
	[Units: 351,082.473 (P.Y.: 351,082.473)]			
	Aditya Birla Sun Life Banking & PSU Debt Fund - Growth	1,385.82	1,323.77	
	[Units: 434,984.733 (P.Y.: 434,984.733)]			
	ICICI Pru Ultra Short-Term Fund - Growth	1,716.17	1,621.86	
	[Units: 6,782,948.219 (P.Y.: 6,782,948.219)]	······		
То	otal (b)	5,133.13	4,871.45	
c)			.,	
•	Axis Treasury Advantage Fund - Growth	_	1,160.82	
	[Units: Nil (P.Y.: 46,486.382)]		_,	
	Kotak Money Market Scheme - Growth	215.47	203.79	
	[Units: 5,628.328 (P.Y.: 5,628.328)]	215.17	20017	
	Tata Treasury Advantage Fund - Growth	88.55	84.50	
	[Units: 2,645.036 (P.Y.: 2,645.036)]		0.100	
	Sundaram Low Duration Fund - Growth	104.00	98.38	
	(Formerly known as Principal Low Duration Fund - Growth)	10 1.00	,0.00	
	[Units: 3,325.994 (P.Y.: 3,325.994)]			
	Invesco India Treasury Advantage Fund - Growth	118.81	429.89	
	[Units: 3,565.121 (P.Y.: 13,549.553)]	110.01	127.07	
	Tata Money Market Fund - Growth	178.97	866.19	
	[Units: 4,421.036 (P.Y.: 22,643.371)]	1,0.,,,	000.17	
	Axis Banking & PSU Debt Fund - Regular - Growth	522.00	500.30	
	[Units: 23,370.742 (P.Y.: 23,370.742)]	522.00	500.00	
	Kotak Low Duration Fund - Direct - Growth	555.59	526.72	
	[Units: 18,152.527 (P.Y.: 18,152.527)]	555.57	520.72	
	UTI Treasury Advantage Fund - Regular - Growth	579.12	550.53	
	[Units: 19,274.573 (P.Y.: 19,274.573)]	577.12	550.50	
	Kotak Floating Rate Fund - Direct - Growth	136.89	130.91	
	[Units: 10,666.375 (P.Y.: 10,666.375)]	130.07	100.71	
	Kotak Floating Rate Fund - Regular - Growth	539.21	517.73	
	[Units: 42,618.106 (P.Y.: 42,618.106)]	557.21	517.70	
	SBI Magnum Ultra Short Duration Fund - Direct - Growth	563.29	534.76	
	[Units: 10,919.899 (P.Y.: 10,919.899)]	505.27	554.70	
	UTI Treasury Advantage Fund - Direct - Growth	145.10	107 7	
	[Units: 4,763.423 (P.Y.: 4,763.423)]	145.10	137.77	
		710 / 0	/ 74.00	
	UTI Money Market Fund - Direct - Growth	710.69	671.82	
	[Units: 26,972.577 (P.Y.: 26,972,577)]	000 (0		
	Kotak Liquid Fund - Regular - Growth	282.60		
	[Units: 6,213.225 (P.Y.: Nil)]	4740.00		
	Total (c)	4,740.29	6,414.11	
	Aggregate amount of unquoted investments (a+b+c)	14,148.34	17164.99	

# 2.12: Other Bank Balances

Particulars	As a March 31, 2023	
Earmarked balances in bank		
In Unclaimed Dividend Accounts	10.06	8.72
In Bank Deposits offered as security (Maturity of less then 12 Months)		47.46
	10.00	56.18

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#### 2.13: Loans

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Loan to Employee	5.35	15.09
	5.35	15.09

### 2.14: Other Current Financial Assets

### (Unsecured, Considered Good)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Export Incentive Receivable (refer note 2.14.1)	30.81	28.77
Advance to Employee	23.03	63.49
Interest receivables on Bank Deposits	75.68	165.63
	129.52	257.89

**2.14.1** As the Group is rightfully entitled to receive export incentives, the same is classified as financial asset in accordance with ITFG clarification issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.

# 2.15: Other Current Assets

#### (Unsecured, Considered Good)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	
Prepaid Expenses	129.17	142.54
Other Receivable	41.52	67.48
Advance for gratuity	116.00	32.79
Right to Return assets	1,775.50	-
Advance to Suppliers	275.59	1,367.14
	2,337.78	1,609.95

# 2.16: Share Capital

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Authorised Capital		
125,000,000 (P.Y.: 125,000,000) Equity shares of ₹10 each	12,500.00	12,500.00
Issued, subscribed and Paid up :		
61,625,185 (P.Y.: 61,625,185) Equity shares of ₹10 each, fully paid up	6,162.52	6,162.52
	6,162.52	6,162.52

2.16.1 The Group has only one class of shares referred to as equity shares having a par value of ₹ 10/-. Each holder of equity shares is entitled to one vote per share. The Group declares and pays dividends in Indian ₹ The dividend proposed by the Board of Directors, if any, is subject to the approval of the shareholders in the ensuing Annual General Meeting except in case of interim dividend. The remittance of dividend outside India is governed by Indian law on foreign exchange and is subject to applicable distribution taxes.

As per the Companies Act, 2013, the holders of equity shares will be entitled to receive remaining assets of the Group, after distribution of all preferential amounts in the event of liquidation of the Group. However, no such preferential amounts exist currently. The distribution will be in proportion to the number of equity shares held by the shareholders.

**2.16.2** Reconciliation of the shares outstanding at the beginning and at the end of the year

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023		As at March 31, 2022	
Particulars	No. of shares	Amount	No. of shares	Amount
Shares outstanding at the beginning of the year	6,16,25,185	6,162.52	1,23,25,037	1,232.50
Add: Bonus Share issued	_	-	4,93,00,148	4,930.01
Shares outstanding at the end of the year	6,16,25,185	6,162.52	6,16,25,185	6,162.52

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**2.16.3** Details of the shareholders holding more than 5% shares in the Group

	As at March 3	As at March 31, 2023 As at March 31, 2022		1, 2022
Name of Shareholder	No. of Shares held*	% of Holding	No. of Shares held*	% of Holding
Shantaben P. Jain j/w Kewalchand P. Jain j/w Hemant P. Jain(equity shares held in their capacity as trustees/ beneficiaries of P.K.Jain Family Holding Trust)	3,07,65,000	49.92	3,07,65,000	49.92
Mr. Dinesh P Jain	36,49,155	5.92	36,49,155	5.92
includes 5,12,905 (P.Y.: 5,12,905) shares jointly held with Mrs. Sangeeta D. Jain				
Mr. Vikas P Jain	36,09,105	5.86	36,09,105	5.86
includes 4,72,855 (P.Y.: 4,72,855) shares jointly held with Mrs. Kesar V. Jain				
Mr. Hemant P Jain	34,59,575	5.61	34,59,575	5.61
includes 4,03,325 (P.Y.: 4,03,325) shares jointly held with Mrs. Lata H. Jain				
Mr. Kewalchand P Jain	34,53,055	5.60	34,53,055	5.60
includes 3,96,805 (P.Y.: 3,96,805) shares jointly held with Mrs. Veena K. Jain			-	

**2.16.4** In the event of liquidation of the Group, the holders of equity shares will be entitled to receive any of the remaining assets of the Group, after distribution of all preferential amounts. However, there are no preferential amounts *inter se* equity shareholders. The distribution will be in proportion to the number of equity shares held by the shareholders (After due adjustment in case shares are not fully paid up.)

**2.16.5** For the period of five years immediately preceding the date as at which the Balance Sheet is prepared:

- (i) No shares are been allotted as fully paid-up without payment being received in cash.
- (ii) The Parent company issued and allotted 49,300,148 fully paid up Bonus Equity shares of ₹ 10 each in the ratio of 4:1
   (i.e. 4 Bonus Equity shares for every 1 existing equity share of the Parent Company) to the shareholders who held shares on December 17, 2021 (Record date).
- (iii) No shares have been bought back by the Group.

2.16.6 Shares held by promoters as defined in the Companies Act, 2013 at the year end (refer note 2.52)

# 2.17 Other Equity

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Securities Premium		
Balance at the beginning of the year	3,496.75	8,426.77
Less: Amount transferred for issue of bonus shares	-	4,930.02
Balance at the end of the year	3,496.75	3,496.75
General Reserve		
Balance at the beginning of the year	5,375.63	5,375.63
Balance at the end of the year	5,375.63	5,375.63
Retained Earnings		
Balance at the beginning of the year	28,769.25	24,249.16
Add:Profit for the year	11,826.48	8,217.60
	40,595.73	32,466.76
Less: Appropriations		
Interim Dividend	4,930.02	3,697.51
Balance at the end of the year	35,665.71	28,769.25
Business Progressive Fund		
Balance at the beginning of the year	4,000.00	4,000.00
Add: Amount transferred from Balance in the Statement of Profit and Loss	-	-
Balance at the end of the year	4,000.00	4,000.00
	48,538.09	41,641.63

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- Securities Premium: Securities Premium is credited when shares are issued at premium. It can be used to issue bonus shares, write-off equity related expenses like underwriting costs, etc.
- **General Reserve:** Under the erstwhile Companies Act, 1956, general reserve was created through an annual transfer of net income at a specified percentage in accordance with applicable regulations. The purpose of these transfers was to ensure that if a dividend distribution in a given year is more than 10% of the paid-up capital of the Group for that year, then the total dividend distribution is less than the total distributable results for that year. Consequent to introduction of the Companies Act, 2013, the requirement to mandatorily transfer a specified percentage of the net profit to general reserve has been withdrawn. However, the amount previously transferred to the general reserve can be utilised only in accordance with the specific requirements of the Companies Act, 2013.
- **Retained Earnings:** Retained Earnings are the profits the Group has earned till date, less any transfer to General Reserve, dividends or other distributions paid to the shareholders. The reserve can be utilised in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013.
- Business Progressive fund: The Parent company has created "Business Progressive Fund" by appropriating a sum of ₹ Nil (P.Y.: ₹ Nil) lakhs out of its profits to maintain normal growth in sluggish market conditions and support superior growth for long-term. The said fund shall be for the purpose of launching & promoting new products, advertisement campaigns, promotional schemes and initial support to master stockiest and franchisees for development of retail business, reinforce existing channels of sales etc. The amount of fund is specifically earmarked and invested in liquid mutual funds or any other safe and highly liquid investments. The Group has made adequate provisions in accordance with Indian Accounting Standard (AS) -37 in normal course of business. INDAS-37 does not permit providing for expenses where present obligation does not exist or there is no fixed commitment.

Accordingly the Parent Company has opted to create Business Progressive Fund. Further addition to the aforesaid fund shall be reviewed from time to time considering business environment and conditions and the income accrued from the fund. Any accretion to the investment shall be credited to Statement of Profit and Loss.

### 2.18: Lease Liabilities

#### (Long-term)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Lease Liabilities	1,286.52	438.83
	1,286.52	438.83

### 2.19: Provisions

<sup>(</sup>Long-term)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Other Long-Term Provisions	6.50	6.50
	6.50	6.50

#### 2.20: Borrowings

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Secured Loan		
Cash Credit from Bank (payable on demand)	1,582.13	4,659.85
(Secured by pari-passu first charge on Stock and Trade Receivables)		
Unsecured Loan		
Working Capital Loan from Bank	3,500.00	3,000.00
	5,082.13	7,659.85

a) The Group has not been declared wilful defaulter by any bank or financial institutions or government or any government authority.

b) The Group has utilised the working capital loan towards the working capital requirements.

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### 2.21: Lease Liabilities

### (Short-term including current maturity of long-term lease liability)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Lease Liabilities	229.64	89.00
	229.64	89.00

## 2.22: Trade Payables

Pa	rticulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
a)	Micro and Small Enterprises		
	Materials	32.73	36.19
b)	Other than Micro and Small Enterprises		
	Materials	3,522.48	4,652.37
	Expenses	1,254.66	654.89
		4,809.87	5,343.45

### 2.22.1:Disclosure u/s 22 of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006 (MSMED Act)

Pa	rticulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
a)	Principal amount remaining unpaid to micro and small enterprises (trade payable)	32.73	36.19
b)	Principal amount remaining unpaid to micro and small enterprises (creditors for capital goods)	-	-
C)	Principal amount paid beyond due date	-	-
d)	Amount of Interest paid u/s 16 of MSMED Act	-	-
e)	Amount of Interest due and remaining unpaid	-	-
f)	Amount of Interest accrued and remaining unpaid	-	-
g)	The amount of further interest due and payable even in the succeeding year, 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 of the above Act.	-	-

Above information is disclosed to the extent available with the Group

# 2.23: Other Current Financial Liabilities

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Other Liabilities		
Security and Other Deposits	990.05	1,044.48
Salary and Wages payable	766.50	655.76
Employee Benefits	124.27	166.00
Interest accrued but not due on borrowings	-	9.47
Unclaimed Dividend	10.06	8.72
(Does not include any amount due and outstanding to be credited to the Investor Education and Protection Fund)		
	1,890.88	1,884.43

### 2.24: Other Current Liabilities

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Other Payables		
Capital Goods	47.19	127.12
Refund liability	3,342.60	1,100.00
Statutory Liabilities	373.67	275.62
Advance from Customers	358.51	654.01
	4,121.97	2,156.75

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2.24.1 Upon the enactment of 'The payment of Bonus (Amendment) Act, 2015' the Group had made additional provision for bonus amounting to ₹ 45.00 lakhs during the year 2015-16 pertaining to financial year 2014-15, Payment is not made pending final judgement from judicial authorities.

# 2.25: Provisions

# (Short-Term)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Provision for Employee Benefit	123.09	56.99
Provision for Defective Claims	1,192.95	976.40
Provision for Expenses payable	935.16	1,794.01
Other Provisions (including schemes, incentives and discount expenses)	7,213.99	6,085.62
	9,465.19	8,913.02

### 2.26: Tax Assets and Liabilities

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Non-Current tax liabilities (net of tax assets)	85.46	-
	85.46	-

### 2.27: Revenue from Operations

Pai	rticulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
A.	Sales Income		
	Sales of Apparel and Lifestyle Accessories/Products	77,424.04	60,511.30
	Sale of Power	-	1.08
		77,424.04	60,512.38
в.	Other Operating Income		-
	Service Income	313.82	102.10
	Export Incentives	145.53	32.32
	Miscellaneous Operating Income	61.95	114.18
		521.30	248.60
Tot	tal Revenue from Operations	77,945.34	60,760.98

2.28.1: Refer note 2.59 for disclosures relating to Ind AS 115.

# 2.28: Other Income

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Interest income		
On financial asset measured at amortised cost	203.57	164.86
On financial asset measured at FVTPL	8.48	-
Dividends from quoted equity investments measured at fair value through OCI	25.27	12.83
Net gain on sale of current investments carried at FVTPL	359.82	483.17
Net gain on sale of Non-current investments carried at FVTPL	-	500.92
Net gain on sale of Liquid Mutual funds carried at FVTPL	597.62	-
Fair value gain on financial instruments at FVTPL (Net)	666.18	336.51
Rent Income on Investment Property	108.00	104.70
Exchange Rate Fluctuation (Net)	33.56	16.94
Profit on Sale of Property Plant & Equipment (Net)	19.07	82.01
	2,021.57	1,701.94

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### 2.29: Changes in Inventories of Finished Goods, Stock in Trade and Work-in-Progress

Particulars	For the year end March 31, 20		For the year ended March 31, 2022
Opening stock			
Work-in-Progress	3,826.	73	1,295.85
Traded Goods	157.	92	186.77
Finished goods	5,948.	96	2,265.93
	9,933.	61	3,748.55
Closing Stock			
Work-in-Progress	3,068.	99	3,826.73
Traded Goods	246.	23	157.92
Finished goods	12,427.	36	5,948.96
	15,742.	58	9,933.61
(Increase)/Decrease in Stock	(5,808.	97)	(6,185.06)

# 2.30: Cost of Material Consumed

Particulars		For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
a)	Raw Material Consumed:		
	Opening stock	1,059.95	1,063.47
	Add: Purchases	19,563.00	18,466.44
		20,622.95	19,529.91
	Less: Sale of raw material	4,756.31	3,657.12
	Less: Closing stock	619.21	1,059.95
		15,247.43	14,812.84
b)	Semi-Finished Goods	19,738.22	13,604.02
C)	Packing Material, Accessories and others	3,618.27	3,082.57
d)	Stores, Chemicals and Consumables	1,623.38	1,151.63
		40,227.30	32,651.06

# 2.31: Employee Benefit Expenses

Particulars	For the year ender March 31, 2023	,
Salary, Wages and Allowances	8,796.07	7,136.15
Contribution to Provident and other Funds	594.46	523.39
Bonus and Ex-gratia	128.07	122.60
Gratuity	125.51	123.93
Leave Benefits	45.30	-
Staff Welfare	96.87	70.78
	9,786.28	7,976.85

# 2.32: Finance Costs

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Bank Charges	4.82	3.72
Finance Charges*	214.67	85.40
Interest on Working Capital Loan	419.04	363.49
	638.53	452.61

\*includes interest expenses on lease liabilities of ₹ 101.94 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 47.44 lakhs)

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### 2.33: Manufacturing and Operating Expenses

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Embroidery Expenses	325.79	348.99
Electricity Expenses (net of credit received from windmill)	256.21	185.65
Factory Rent	63.62	46.49
General Factory Expenses	47.53	36.16
Processing Charges	5,210.12	5,181.43
Fuel Expenses	1,164.43	892.87
Water Charges	139.66	124.08
Waste Disposal Charges	151.56	88.36
Repairs & Maintenance	283.51	154.21
Wind Turbine Expenses	16.91	15.94
	7,659.34	7,074.18

# 2.34: Administrative & Other Expenses

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Rent, Rates and Taxes	311.82	291.94
Communication Expenses	39.73	49.89
Insurance Premium (net of recoveries)	107.16	111.69
Legal and Professional Fees	815.23	999.11
Printing and Stationery	41.99	30.98
Donations	21.14	17.33
Corporate social responsibility	131.51	133.00
Vehicle Expenses	143.80	64.72
Auditors Remuneration	83.83	27.79
Conveyance Expenses	81.70	71.49
Electricity Expenses	133.02	83.87
Repairs & Maintenance	411.58	308.84
Directors Sitting Fees	28.80	30.30
General Office Expenses	724.85	465.81
Bad Debts	107.54	131.83
Allowance for expected credit loss	452.03	725.00
	3,635.73	3,543.59

# 2.35: Selling & Distribution Expenses

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Advertisement and Publicity Expenses	2,576.01	858.09
Sales Promotion Expenses	196.63	1,149.98
Octroi, clearing and forwarding charges on Sales	486.68	451.94
Tour and Travelling Expenses (Net of recoveries)	1,004.61	733.92
Commission on Sales	181.11	161.94
Provision for Contingencies	-	10.00
	4,445.04	3,365.87

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### 2.35A:Aggregate Amounts

# 2.35A.1 Aggregate Expenses

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Rent Including Common Area Maintenance Charges	261.95	171.08
Electricity Expenses (net of credit received from windmill)	389.23	269.52
Repair & Maintenance (Building)	567.34	260.00
Repair & Maintenance (Machinery)	144.67	135.29
General Expenses	772.38	501.17

# 2.36: Employee Benefits:

### a) Disclosure in respect of gratuity liability

Reconciliation of Defined Benefit Obligation (DBO):	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Present value of DBO at start of the year	970.13	876.74
Interest Cost	66.94	57.86
Current Service Cost	130.87	132.29
Past Service Cost	-	-
Benefit Paid	(147.47)	(164.95)
Re-measurements:		
a) Actuarial Loss/(Gain) from changes in demographic assumptions	-	-
b) Actuarial Loss/(Gain) from changes in financial assumptions	(23.26)	(24.61)
c) Actuarial Loss/(Gain) from experience over the past period	(21.48)	92.80
Present value of DBO at end of the year	975.73	970.13

Reconciliation of Fair Value of Plan Assets:	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Fair Value of Plan Assets at the beginning of the year	1,002.92	1,034.51
Interest Income on Plan Assets	72.30	66.22
Contributions by Employer	174.21	68.27
Benefit Paid	(147.47)	(164.95)
Re-measurements:		-
a) Actuarial (Loss)/Gain from changes in financial assumptions	-	-
<ul> <li>Return on plan assets excluding amount included in net interest on the net defined benefit liability/(asset)</li> </ul>	(10.23)	(1.13)
c) Re-measurements on Plan Assets Gain/ (Loss)	-	-
Fair Value of Plan Assets at the end of the year	1,091.73	1,002.92
Actual Return on Plan Assets	62.07	65.09
Amount recognised in the Balance Sheet:	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Present value of DBO at the end of the year	975.73	970.13
Fair Value of Plan Assets at the end of the year	1,091.73	1,002.92
Net Asset/(Liability) in the Balance Sheet	116.00	32.79
Gratuity recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Current Service Cost	130.87	132.29

Current Service Cost	130.87	132.29
Past Service Cost	-	-
Net Interest on net defined benefit liability/ (asset)	(5.36)	(8.36)
Expense Recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss	125.51	123.93

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Prin	ncipal Assumption used in determining (	Gratuity liability			For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Disc	count Rate				7.20% p.a.	6.90% p.a.
Inte	rest rate for net interest on net DBC	)			6.90% p.a.	6.60% p.a.
Wit					Up to age 35 years: 10% p.a. Above age 35 years: 5% p.a.	Up to age 35 years: 10% p.a. Above age 35 years: 5% p.a.
Sala	ary Escalation				5% p.a.	5% p.a.
Mor	rtality Table				IALM 2012-14 Ult	IALM 2012-14 Ult
Exp	ected average remaining working life	2			9 Years	8 Years
Reti	irement Age	58 years	58 years			
Mov	vement in Other Comprehensive Incom	e			As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Bala	ance at start of year (loss)/gain				200.97	270.29
Re-i	measurements on DBO					-
a)	Actuarial (Loss)/Gain from changes i	in demographic assum	nptions		-	-
b)	Actuarial (Loss)/Gain from changes i	in financial assumptio	ns		23.26	24.61
C)	Actuarial (Loss)/Gain from experience	ce over the past perio	d		21.48	(92.80)
Re-i	measurements on Plan Assets					-
a)	Actuarial (Loss)/Gain from changes i	in financial assumptio	ns		-	-
	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				(10.23)	(1.13)
C)	Re-measurements on Plan Assets G	ain/(Loss)			-	-
Bala	ance at end of year (loss)/gain				235.48	200.97
Mov	vement in Surplus/(Deficit)				As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Sur	plus/(Deficit) at start of year				32.79	157.77
Мо	vement during the year					-
Cur	rent Service Cost				(130.87)	(132.29)
Past	t Service Cost				-	-
Net	Interest on net DBO				5.36	8.36
Acti	uarial gain/(loss)				34.51	(69.32)
Cor	tributions				174.21	68.27
Sur	plus/(Deficit) at end of year				116.00	32.79
Oth	er disclosures	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022	As at March 31, 2021	As at March 31, 2020	As at March 31, 2019
Def	ined benefit obligation	975.73	970.13	876.74	1,020.49	751.23
Plar	n assets	1,091.73	1,002.92	1,034.51	786.05	752.79
Surp	plus/(deficit)	116.00	32.79	157.77	(234.44)	1.56
-		10.1.10		(07.00)	(00.45)	

Experience adjustments on plan Assets - (loss)/ gain\*

\*Information is disclosed to the extent available

Experience adjustments on plan

liabilities – loss/(gain)

	As at March 31, 2023		As at March 31, 2022	
Sensitivity Analysis	Increases 1%	Decreases 1%	Increases 1%	Decreases 1%
	Change in DBO (Amount)		Change in DBO (Amount)	
Salary Growth Rate	77.85	(69.03)	85.02	(75.05)
Discount Rate	(67.10)	76.92	(73.15)	84.25
Withdrawal Rate	7.84	(9.09)	7.80	(9.05)

92.80

(97.03)

(21.48)

-

(90.15)

(7.11)

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#### Maturity profile:

The average expected remaining lifetime of the plan members is 9 years (P.Y.: 8 years) as at the date of valuation. This represents the weighted average of the expected remaining lifetime of all plan participants.

The sensitivity analysis above has 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 method (Projected Unit Credit 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.

100% of the plan assets held by gratuity trust comprises of employees group gratuity scheme with Life Insurance Corporation of India. The estimates of future salary increase, considered in actuarial valuation, take account of inflation, seniority, promotion and other relevant factors such as supply and demand factors in the employment market. The expected rate of return on plan assets comprising of Insurance Policy with LIC of India is based on the historical results of returns given by LIC of India.

The Parent Company expects to contribute ₹ 200.00 lakhs to gratuity trust for contribution to LIC of India in financial year 2023-24.

#### b) Disclosure in respect of leave entitlement liability:

Leave entitlement is short-term benefit which is recognised as an expense at the un-discounted amount in the year in which the related service is rendered and disclosed under other current liabilities.

#### c) Death in service benefit:

The Parent Company has taken group term policy from an insurance Company to cover its obligation for death in service benefit given to eligible employees. The insurance premium of ₹ 60.03lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 43.62 lakhs) is recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss.

d) The Parent Company contributes towards Employees Provident Fund, Employees State Insurance, National Pension Scheme and Labour Welfare Fund. The aggregate amount contributed and charged to Statement of Profit and Loss is ₹ 594.46 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 523.39 lakhs).

The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India ("SC") by its order dated February 28, 2019, in the case of Surya Roshani Limited & others V/s EPFO, set out the principles based on which allowances paid to the employees should be identified for inclusion in basic wages for the purposes of computation of Provident Fund contribution. Based on the same, the Parent Company has changed its Salary Structure from April 1, 2019, but impact of the previous years is not ascertainable, since the retrospective date of applicability of the same is not yet clarified.

#### 2.37: Related Party Disclosure:

Disclosures as per Ind AS 24 - 'Related Party Disclosures' are given below:

# a) Related Parties where i) control exists and ii) where significant influence exists (with whom transaction have taken place during the year).

#### **Joint Ventures:**

White Knitwear Private Limited

#### Enterprises where Key Management Personnel (KMP) and their relatives have significant influence:

Smt. Jatnobai Karamchandji Ratanparia Chouhan Charitable Trust

Kewal Kiran Finance Private Limited

#### Key Management Personnel:

Kewalchand P. Jain	Chairman & Managing Director
Hemant P. Jain	Jt. Managing Director (w.e.f. May 11, 2022)
Dinesh P. Jain	Whole-time Director
Vikas P. Jain	Whole-time Director
Prakash A. Mody	Independent Director
Nimish G. Pandya	Independent Director
Yogesh A. Thar	Independent Director
Drushti R. Desai	Independent Director
Bhavin Sheth	Chief Financial Officer (Till January 31, 2022)
Bharat Adnani	Chief Financial Officer (w.e.f. January 21, 2023)
Nimesh Anandpara	Dy. Chief Financial Officer (w.e.f. May 11, 2022)
Abhijit Warange	Company Secretary

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#### Relatives/Other concerns of Key Management Personnel (In cases where transactions are there):

Shantaben P. Jain (Mother of Key Management Personnel) Veena K. Jain (Wife of Kewalchand P. Jain.) Lata H. Jain (Wife of Hemant P. Jain) Sangeeta D. Jain (Wife of Dinesh P. Jain) Kesar V. Jain (Wife of Vikas P. Jain) Pankaj K. Jain (Son of Kewalchand P. Jain) Hitendra H. Jain (Son of Hemant P. Jain) Yash V. Jain (Son of Vikas P. Jain) Jai D. Jain (Son of Dinesh P. Jain) Nami D. Jain (Daughter of Dinesh P. Jain) Kewalchand P. Jain (HUF) Hemant P. Jain (HUF) Dinesh P. Jain (HUF) Vikas P. Jain (HUF) P.K. Jain Family Holding Trust Pandya & Co. (Controlled by Mr. Nimish G. Pandya) Kewal Kiran Enterprises.

#### **Employee Funds:**

Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited - Employee Group Gratuity Scheme.

b) The transactions with related parties are made in the normal course of business and on terms equivalent to those that prevail in arm's length transactions. Outstanding balances at the year-end are unsecured and interest-free and settlement occurs in cash. There have been no guarantees provided or received for any related party receivables or payables. The below transactions are as per approval of Audit Committee. The Company has not recorded any impairment of receivables relating to amounts owed by related parties. This assessment is undertaken each financial year through examining the financial position of the related party and the market in which the related party operates.

Nature of Transaction	Enterprises Where KMP & their relatives have significant influence	Relatives/Other Concerns of Key Management Personnel	Key Management Personnel	Employee Funds
Rent Expenses	-	9.18	29.89	-
	(-)	(9.18)	(29.89)	(-)
Managerial Remuneration	-	-	610.96	-
	(-)	(-)	(531.79)	(-)
Salary	-	135.00	-	-
	(-)	(120.00)	(-)	(-)
Sitting Fees Paid	-	-	28.80	-
	(-)	(-)	(30.30)	(-)
Dividend Paid	1.72	2,525.20	1,133.67	-
	(1.29)	(1,893.90)	(850.25)	-
CSR (Donation)	131.51	-	-	-
	(133.00)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Contribution to Gratuity Fund	-	-	-	174.21
	(-)	(-)	(-)	(68.27)
Legal & Professional Services received	-	1.40	-	-
	(-)	(1.35)	(-)	(-)
Purchase of Property	135.00	-	-	-
	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)

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Outstanding Balances	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Trade and Salary Payable		
Relatives/Other Concerns of Key Management Personnel	13.45	33.97
Key Management Personnel	231.45	153.10
Trade Receivable & Advances		
Employee Funds	116.00	32.79
Deposit Receivable		
Relatives/Other Concerns of Key Management Personnel	4.59	4.59
Key Management Personnel	3.24	3.24
Investments		
Joint Venture	345.50	345.50
Loans		
Key Management Personnel	1.00	4.00

#### c) Disclosure in respect of material transactions with related parties during the year:

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Nature of Transaction	Nature of relationship	Name of the related party	Amount
Rent Expenses	Key Management Personnel	Kewalchand P. Jain	9.98
			(9.98)
		Hemant P. Jain	8.60
			(8.60)
		Dinesh P. Jain	5.66
			(5.66)
		Vikas P. Jain	5.66
			(5.66)
	Relativses/Other Concerns of Key Management	Shantaben P. Jain	9.18
	Personnel		(9.18)
Managerial Remuneration	Key Management Personnel	Kewalchand P. Jain	125.00
(Salary)			(106.04)
		Hemant P. Jain	125.00
			(106.04)
		Dinesh P. Jain	125.00
			(106.04)
		Vikas P. Jain	125.00
			(106.04)
		Bhavin Sheth	-
			(57.23)
		Bharat Adnani	12.94
			(-)
		Nimesh Anandpara	51.01
			(-)
		Abhijit Warange	<b>47.00</b> (50.40)
Salary	Relatives/Other Concerns of Key Management	Pankaj K. Jain	50.00
Jalal y	Personnel		(40.83)
		Hitendra H. Jain	50.00
		Theorem 1. Sum	(39.17)
		Jai D. Jain	10.00
			(17.50)
		Yash V. Jain	20.00
			(17.50)
		Nami D. Jain	5.00
			(5.00)

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Nature of Transaction	Nature of relationship	Name of the related party	Amount
Dividend Paid	EnterprisesWhere KMP & their relatives have	Kewal Kiran Finance Private Limited	1.72
	significant influence		(1.29)
	Relatives/Other Concerns of Key Management Personnel	Shantaben P. Jain (Trustee/Beneficiary	2,461.20
		of P. K. Jain Family Holding Trust)	(1,845.90)
		Veena K. Jain	6.40
			(4.80)
		Lata H. Jain	6.40
			(4.80)
		Sangeeta D. Jain	6.40
			(4.80)
		Kesar V. Jain	6.40
			(4.80)
		Pankaj K. Jain	6.40
			(4.80)
		Hitendra H. Jain	6.40
			(4.80)
		Kewalchand P. Jain (HUF)	6.40
			(4.80)
		Hemant P. Jain (HUF)	6.40
			(4.80)
		Dinesh P. Jain (HUF)	6.40
			(4.80)
		Vikas P. Jain (HUF)	6.40
			(4.80)
	Key Management Personnel	Kewalchand P. Jain	276.24
			(207.18)
		Hemant P. Jain	276.77
			(207.57)
		Dinesh P. Jain	291.93
			(218.95)
		Vikas P. Jain	288.73
			(216.55)
Contribution to Gratuity Fund	Employee Funds	Employee Fund	174.21
			(68.27)
Corporate Social Responsibility	Enterprises where KMP & their relatives have	Smt. Jatnobai Karamchandji Ratanparia	131.51
(Donation)	significant influence	Chouhan Charitable Trust	(133.00)
Legal & Professional Services	Relatives/ Other Concerns of Key Management	Pandya & Co.	1.40
received	Personnel		(1.35)
Purchase of Property	Enterprises where KMP & their relatives have	Kewal Kiran Enterprises	135.00
	significant influence		(-)

Notes:

i) Figures in brackets represent corresponding amount of previous year.

ii) Above transactions exclude reimbursement of expenses.

iii) In case of KMP under the Companies Act, 2013, managerial remuneration excludes gratuity provision as it is determined on actuarial basis for the Company as a whole.

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### d) Compensation to KMP of the Company:

Nature of Benefits <sup>#</sup>	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Short-term employee benefits (including Sitting Fees)	639.76	562.09
Post-employment gratuity and medical	-	-
Other long-term benefits	-	-
Share-based payment transactions	-	-
Termination Benefits	-	-
Total	639.76	562.09

# The aforesaid amounts exclude gratuity provision as it is determined on actuarial basis for the Company as a whole.

#### e) Loans or Advances in the nature of loans granted to promoters, directors, and KMPs:

Type of Borrower	For the year ended March 31, 2023	% of Total Loans & Advances	For the year ended March 31, 2022	% of Total Loans & Advances
Promoters	-	-	-	-
Directors	-	-	-	-
KMP	1.00	100%	4.00	100%
Total	1.00	100%	4.00	100%

# 2.38: Leases - Ind AS 116 (Parent Company):

### a) As Lessee:

Effective April 1, 2019, the Company adopted Ind AS 116 and applied the standard to all lease contracts existing on April 1, 2019 using the modified retrospective method. Consequently, the Company recorded the lease liability at the present value of the lease payments discounted at the incremental borrowing rate and the right of use asset at an amount equal to lease liability, adjusted by the amount of any prepaid or accrued lease payments relating to that lease recognised in the balance sheet immediately before the date of initial application.

Following is the information pertaining to leases:

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
(a) Depreciation Charge for Right to Use Asset	233.54	91.65
(b) Interest Expense on Lease Liability	101.94	47.44
(c) Expense relating to short-term leases accounted in profit & loss	211.94	124.86
(d) Total Cash Outflow for Leases for the period	271.34	116.54
(e) Additions to Right to use Assets	1,160.83	254.92
(f) Carrying Amount of Right to use Assets at year end	1,602.64	675.34
(g) Lease Liability at year end	1,516.16	527.83

Table showing contractual maturities of lease liabilities on undiscounted basis:

Due	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Due not later than one year	340.87	135.96
Due later than one year but not later than five years	1,065.61	337.04
More than 5 years	594.88	351.00
Total	2,001.36	824.00

#### b) As Lessor:

The Company has given certain part of its property on operating lease. These lease arrangements are for a period of 9 years and cancellable solely at discretion of the lessees. Rental income from leasing of property of ₹ 108.00 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 104.70 lakhs) is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss. The initial direct cost (if any) is charged off to expenses in the year in which it is incurred.

The Company has not given any property under non-cancellable operating lease.

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### 2.39: Disclosure regarding Derivative Instrument and Unhedged Foreign Currency Exposure:

There are no open derivatives/forward exchange contracts as at year end. The year-end foreign currency exposures that have not been hedged by a derivative instrument or otherwise are given below:

		As at March 31, 2023 As at March 31, 202			2022
Particulars Currer		Amount in Foreign Currency	Amount	Amount in Foreign Currency	Amount
Trade Receivables	USD	1,75,252.38	131.17	3,93,774.50	292.43
Trade Payables	USD	-	-	3,650.81	2.77
Advance from Customer	USD	1,977.20	1.62	1,882.49	1.43
Foreign currency in hand	Multiple	2,094.95	0.46	3,179.95	1.44

Note: The above figures do not include open purchase orders/sales orders.

#### 2.40: Provisions (Parent Company):

Disclosure as per Ind AS 37 – Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets are given below:

		Other Provisions (including schemes,				
Particulars	Provision for Defective claims		Other Contingencies*		incentives and discount expens	
	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Opening Balance	790.55	118.69	185.85	172.09	6,085.62	1,940.40
Addition	1,041.40	912.44	-	13.76	11,330.34	10,719.01
Utilisation	798.38	240.58	26.47	-	10,201.97	6,573.79
Closing Balance	1,033.57	790.55	159.38	185.85	7,213.99	6,085.62

\* It comprises of rates & taxes.

The above Provision has been grouped under the head 'Current Provisions' in Note 2.25.

The timing of the outflow is dependent on various aspects/fulfillment of conditions and occurrence of events. Such provisions are made based on the past experience and assessment of rates and taxes. However, it is most likely that outflow is expected to be within a period of one year from the date of Balance Sheet.

#### 2.41: Contingent Liabilities (Parent Company):

a) Disputed demands in respect of income tax not acknowledged as debt by the Company of ₹83.16 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹47.51 lakhs). Future cash outflows in respect of above are dependent on outcome of matter under dispute.

In addition to above, in respect of Assessment year 2005-2006, there was tax demand of ₹ 68.94 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 68.94 lakhs) which had been adjusted by the tax authorities against refund due to the Company in respect of other years. During F.Y. 2015-16, the Company had received favourable Order passed by the ITAT, Mumbai against which the Income Tax Department has filed the appeal before the Bombay High Court and was admitted dated November 27, 2021.

Future cash outflows in respect of above are dependent on outcome of matter under dispute.

b) The Parent Company had in earlier years purchased capital assets under EPCG license against which the Company does not have any balance export obligation at the end of the year.

As at the year-end, amount of outstanding bonds executed by the Company in favour of customs authority aggregates to ₹ Nil (P.Y.: ₹ 700.24 lakhs).

- c) Bank guarantees issued by the Parent Company of ₹ 206.69 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 95.62 lakhs).
- d) The Parent Company's contingent liability and capital/other commitment in relation to joint venture ₹ Nil (P.Y.: ₹ Nil).

Note: No outflow of resources is expected in respect of Para (b) and (c).

#### 2.42: Estimated amount of contracts remaining to be executed on:

### a) Capital Commitment:

- i) Purchase of Machineries ₹ 180.00 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 54.34 lakhs).
- ii) Construction of Building ₹ 100.00 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 76.78 lakhs).

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### b) Other commitments:

Capital Contribution Commitment for investment in Portfolio Management Services:

i) Sistema Asia Fund ₹ 42 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 45.00 lakhs).

ii) Somerset Indus Healthcare India Fund – ₹ 34.20 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 59.87 lakhs).

# 2.43: Income Taxes (Ind AS 12):

### a) Income tax expense in the statement of profit and loss consists of:

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Current income tax:		
In respect of the current year	3,777.31	2,710.00
In respect of the prior years - Short/(Excess)	-	(16.83)
Deferred tax:		
In respect of the current year - Charge/(Credit)	8.00	(324.00)
Income tax expense recognised in the statement of profit or loss	3,785.31	2,369.17

# b) Income tax recognised in other comprehensive income:

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	
Deferred tax arising on income and expense recognised in OCI		
a) Re-measurement of the net defined benefit plan	(8.69)	-
b) Financial assets at fair value	9.67	(30.22)
Income tax expense recognised in other comprehensive income	0.98	(30.22)

### c) Reconciliation of Effective Tax Rate:

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Applicable tax rate (%)	25.168%	25.168%
Profit before tax	15,687.40	10,531.93
Current tax expenses on Profit before tax as per applicable tax rate	3,948.20	2,650.68
Tax effect of the amounts which are not deductible/(taxable) in calculating taxable income		
Effect of Income not considered for tax purpose (Fair Value changes etc.)	(225.49)	(286.70)
Effect of Tax paid at a lower rate	(6.54)	(18.57)
Effect of Previous year adjustments	-	(16.83)
Effect of expenses that are not deductible in determining taxable profits	66.01	37.84
Other Items	3.13	2.75
Total income tax expense/(credit)	3,785.31	2,369.17

The effective tax rate is 24.13% (P.Y.: 22.50%).

There is no income surrendered or disclosed as income during the current or previous year in the tax assessments under the Income Tax Act, 1961, that has not been recorded in the books of account.

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### d) Deferred tax note:

The tax effect of significant temporary differences that resulted in deferred income tax assets and liabilities are as follows:

		Balance	Sheet	Statement of Profit & Loss Account		
Par	rticulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022	
A)	Deferred Tax Assets:					
	Provision for Assets	684.50	598.79	85.71	234.87	
	Others	106.19	136.79	(30.60)	36.06	
	Total (A)	790.69	735.58	55.11	270.93	
B)	Deferred Tax Liability:					
	Depreciation	323.06	303.65	19.41	28.83	
	Tax on LTCG on Mutual Fund	439.63	395.93	43.70	(81.90)	
	Total (B)	762.69	699.58	63.11	(53.07)	
	Deferred Tax Asset/(Liabilities) (A-B)	28.00	36.00	(8.00)	324.00	

#### e) Reconciliation of deferred tax assets/(liabilities) (net):

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Opening Balance	36.00	(288.00)
Tax income/(expense) recognised in profit or loss	(8.00)	324.00
Tax income/(expense) recognised in other comprehensive income	-	-
Closing Balance	28.00	36.00

### 2.44: Corporate Social Responsibility:

As per Section 135 of the Companies Act, 2013, the Company has spent on Corporate Social Responsibility as per its CSR policy.

a) Gross amount required to be spent by the Company during the year is ₹ 131.51 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 131.54 lakhs).

b) The amount approved by the board during the year is ₹ 131.51 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 131.54 lakhs).

c) Amount spent during the year on:

Sr. No.	Particulars	In Cash (Amount)	Yet to be paid (Amount)	Total (Amount)
(i)	Construction/acquisition of any asset	-	-	-
		(-)	(-)	(-)
(ii)	On purposes other than (i) above	131.51	-	131.51
		(133.00)	(-)	(133.00)

#### Notes:

- i) Figures in brackets represent corresponding amount of previous year.
- ii) Cash flow from operating activities includes CSR amounting to ₹ 131.51 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 133.00 lakhs)
- d) Shortfall at the end of the year ₹ Nil.
- e) Nature of CSR activity Promoting Health care including Preventive Health care.
- f) Refer note no. 2.37 for transactions with related parties.

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### 2.45: Fair Value Measurement:

The management assessed that cash and bank balances, trade receivables, trade payables, cash credits and other financial assets and liabilities approximate their carrying amounts largely due to the short-term maturities of these 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 Group has established the following fair value hierarchy that categorises the values into 3 levels. The inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value of financial instruments are:

**Level 1:** This hierarchy uses quoted (unadjusted) prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities. The fair value of all equity investments and units of mutual funds which are traded in the stock exchanges is valued using the closing price or dealer quotations as at the reporting date.

**Level 2:** The fair value of financial instruments that are not traded in an active market is determined using valuation techniques which maximise the use of observable market data and rely as little as possible on Group specific estimates. The mutual fund units are valued using the closing Net Asset Value. If all significant inputs required to fair value an instrument are observable, the instrument is included in Level 2.

**Level 3:** If one or more of the significant inputs is not based on observable market data, the instrument is included in Level 3.

#### a) Categories of Financial Instruments:

Particulars	FVTPL	FVOCI	Amortised Cost	Total	Carrying Amount
As at March 31, 2023					
Financial Assets:					
Trade receivables	-	-	16,992.11	16,992.11	16,992.11
Investment in Equity shares, quoted	-	438.84	-	438.84	438.84
Investment in units of Mutual Funds, PMS & Equity Share Unquoted	28,649.99		-	28,649.99	28,649.99
Cash and bank balances	-	-	2,902.69	2,902.69	2,902.69
Other financial assets	-	-	2,156.28	2,156.28	2,156.28
Total	28,649.99	438.84	22,051.08	51,139.91	51,139.91
Financial Liabilities:					
Cash Credits/Working Capital Borrowing	-		5,082.13	5,082.13	5,082.13
Trade payables	-	-	4,809.87	4,809.87	4,809.87
Other financial liabilities	-	-	3,407.04	3,407.04	3,407.04
Total	-	-	13,299.04	13,299.04	13,299.04
Particulars	FVTPL	FVOCI	Amortised Cost	Total	Carrying Amount
As at March 31, 2022					
Financial Assets:					
Trade receivables	-	-	17,092.15	17,092.15	17,092.15
Investment in Equity shares, quoted	-	549.94	-	549.94	549.94
Investment in units of Mutual Funds, PMS & Equity Share Unquoted	30,347.63	-	-	30,347.63	30,347.63
Cash and bank balances	-	-	2,530.27	2,530.27	2,530.27
Other financial assets	-	-	1,798.31	1,798.31	1,798.31
Total	30,347.63	549.94	21,420.73	52,318.30	52,318.30
Financial Liabilities:					
			7,659.85	7,659.85	7,659.85
Cash Credits/Working Capital Borrowing	-	-	7,007.00	,,	,
0 1	-	-	5,343.35	5,343.35	5,343.35
Borrowing	-	-	ŕ	ŕ	,

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### b) Financial Instruments measured at fair value:

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Particulars	(Level 1)* Amount	(Level 2)* Amount	(Level 3) Amount	Total (Amount)
As at March 31, 2023				
Financial Assets				
Fair value through Other Comprehensive Income				
Investment in Equity shares, quoted	438.84	-	-	438.84
Fair value through Profit and Loss	-	-	-	-
Investment in units of Mutual Funds and PMS	-	27,144.45	-	27,144.45
Investments in units of Perpetual Bonds	198.35	-	-	198.35
Investment in Equity shares, unquoted	-	-	1,307.19	1,307.19
As at March 31, 2022				
Financial Assets				
Fair value through Other Comprehensive Income				
Investment in Equity shares, quoted	549.94	-	-	549.94
Fair value through Profit and Loss				
Investment in units of Mutual Funds and PMS	-	29,347.63	-	29,347.63
Investment in Equity shares, unquoted	-	-	1,000.00	1,000.00

\* There has been no transfer between level 1 and level 2 during the year ended March 31, 2023 and March 31, 2022.

#### Notes:

- i) For Details of income and gains related to financial instruments (Refer Note 2.28).
- ii) Investments in joint venture are valued at cost less impairment loss (if any) in accordance with Ind AS 27 'Separate Financial Statements', consequently the same is not disclosed in above table. The investments made in joint venture as at March 31, 2023 is ₹345.50 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 345.50 lakhs) and are measured at cost.

#### 2.46.1:Key Inputs for Level 1 and Level 2 Fair Valuation Technique:

- a) Mutual Funds: Based on Net Asset Value of the Scheme (Level 2).
- b) Listed Equity Investments and Investment in Perpetual bond: Based on Quoted Bid Price on Stock Exchange (Level 1).
- c) Investment in Portfolio Management Services: Based on closing net asset value of Investment (Level 2).

#### 2.46.2: Description of Significant Unobservable Inputs used for Financial Instruments (Level 3)

Equity Investments - Unquoted (Other than Joint Venture): Discounted cash flow method using risk adjusted discount rate.

# 2.46.3: The following table shows a reconciliation from the opening balances to the closing balances for level 3 fair values:

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Opening balance	1,000.00	1,000.00
Purchase of Investments during the year	-	-
Sale/Redemption of Investments	-	-
Gain recognised in profit and loss on fair value adjustment	307.19	-
Closing balance	1,307.19	1,000.00

#### 2.46.4: Relationship of Unobservable Inputs to Level 3 fair values (Recurring):

Equity Investments - Unquoted (for Equity Shares where Discounted Cash Flow Method is used):

The impact of sensitivity analysis on the fair valuation is not expected to material considering the size of the investment and overall size of the Company.

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### 2.47: Financial risk management objectives and policies:

The Group's principal financial liabilities, other than derivatives, comprise loans and borrowings, trade and other payables. The main purpose of these financial liabilities is to finance the Group's operations. The Group's principal financial assets include trade and other receivables, investments and cash & cash equivalents that derive directly from its operations.

The Group is exposed to market risk, credit risk and liquidity risk. The Group's senior management oversees the management of these risks. It is the Group's policy that no trading in derivatives for speculative purposes may be undertaken. The Board of Directors reviews and agrees policies for managing each of these risks, which are summarised below.

#### a) 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 two types of risk: (i) interest rate risk and (ii) currency risk. Market risk is attributable to all market risk sensitive financial instruments including investments and deposits, foreign currency receivables, payables and borrowings. The sensitivity analysis in the following sections relate to the position as at March 31, 2023 and March 31, 2022.

The analysis excludes the impact of movements in market variables on: the carrying values of gratuity and other post-retirement obligations; provisions.

The sensitivity of the relevant profit or loss item is the effect of the assumed changes in respective market risks. This is based on the financial assets and financial liabilities held at March 31, 2023 and March 31, 2022.

#### i) Interest rate risk:

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Group's exposure to the risk of changes in market interest rates relates primarily to the Group's short-term debt obligations with floating interest rates. The Group has sufficient amount of liquid investments to mitigate the interest risk on its short-term debt obligations.

#### Interest rate sensitivity:

The following table demonstrates the sensitivity to a reasonably possible change in interest rates on that portion of loans and borrowings taken at floating rates. With all other variables held constant, the Group's profit / (loss) before tax is affected through the impact on floating rate borrowings, as follows:

Basis Points	As at March 3	1, 2023	31, 2022	
Basis Points	5% increase	5% decrease	5% increase	5% decrease
Effect on profit before tax (Amount)	(20.95)	20.95	(18.17)	18.17

#### ii) Foreign currency risk:

Foreign currency risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of an exposure will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates. The Group transacts business in local currency and in foreign currency, primarily in USD. The Group's trade receivables in foreign currency as at March 31, 2023 is ₹ 27.14 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 119.98 lakhs).

#### Foreign currency sensitivity:

The following table demonstrates the sensitivity to a reasonably possible change in rate of USD, with all other variables held constant. The impact on the Group's profit before tax is due to changes in the fair value of monetary assets and liabilities. The Group's exposure to foreign currency changes for all other currencies is not material.

Basis Points	As at March 31, 2023		As at March 31, 2022	
	2% increase	2% decrease	2% increase	2% decrease
Effect on profit before tax (Amount)	0.54	(0.54)	2.40	(2.40)

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#### b) Credit risk:

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Credit risk is the risk that counterparty will not meet its obligations under a financial instrument or customer contract, leading to a financial loss. The Group is exposed to credit risk from its operating activities (primarily trade receivables). Also refer note 2.50(b) for details regarding customer concentration.

The Group considers the probability of default upon initial recognition of asset and whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk on an ongoing basis throughout each reporting period. To assess whether there is a significant increase in credit risk the Group compares the risk of default occurring on asset as at the reporting date with the risk of default as at the date of initial recognition. It considers reasonable and supportive forwarding-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 the same counterparty,
- v) Significant changes in the value of the collateral supporting the obligation or in the quality of the third-party guarantees or credit enhancements.

Financial assets are written off when there are no reasonable expectations of recovery, such as a debtor failing to engage in a repayment plan with the Group.

Assets in the nature of Investment, security deposits, loans and advances are measured using 12 months expected credit losses (ECL). Balances with Banks is subject to low credit risk due to good credit rating assigned to these banks. Trade receivables are measured using lifetime expected credit losses.

Financial Assets for which loss allowances is measured using the Expected Credit Losses (ECL):

#### The Ageing analysis of Account receivables has been considered from the date the invoice falls due:

Ageing	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
0-180 days	17,406.62	16,939.34
181 days to 365 days	1,462.31	733.83
beyond 365 days	523.18	1,468.98
Total	19,392.11	19,142.15

#### Trade receivables ageing schedule for the year ended as on March 31, 2023 and March 31, 2022

As at March 31, 2023	Less than 6 months (Amount)	6 months to 1 year (Amount)	1 to 2 years (Amount)	2 to 3 years (Amount)	More than 3 years (Amount)	Total (Amount)
Undisputed Trade receivables – considered good	17,406.63	1,462.31	215.03	11.68	192.44	19,288.09
Undisputed Trade Receivables – which have significant increase in credit risk	-	-	-	-	104.02	104.02
Undisputed Trade Receivables – credit impaired	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disputed Trade Receivables considered good	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disputed Trade Receivables – which have significant increase in credit risk	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disputed Trade Receivables – credit impaired	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	17,406.63	1,462.31	215.03	11.68	296.46	19,392.11
Less : Allowance for bad and doubtful debts and expected credit loss	(713.20)	(1,163.63)	(215.03)	(11.68)	(296.46)	(2,400.00)
Net Total	16,693.43	298.68	-	-	-	16,992.11

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As at March 31, 2022	Less than 6 months (Amount)	6 months to 1 year (Amount)	1 to 2 years (Amount)	2 to 3 years (Amount)	More than 3 years (Amount)	Total (Amount)
Undisputed Trade receivables – considered good	16,939.34	733.72	629.63	438.90	228.65	18,970.24
Undisputed Trade Receivables – which have significant increase in credit risk	-	-	-	-	-	-
Undisputed Trade Receivables – credit impaired	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disputed Trade Receivables considered good	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disputed Trade Receivables – which have significant increase in credit risk	-	0.11	61.56	102.70	7.54	171.91
Disputed Trade Receivables – credit impaired	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	16,939.34	733.83	691.19	541.60	236.19	19,142.15
Less : Provision for Doubtful Debts (based on Expected Credit Loss model)	(224.40)	(356.62)	(691.19)	(541.60)	(236.19)	(2,050.00)
Net Total	16,714.94	377.21	-	-	-	17,092.15

The following table summarises the changes in loss allowances measured using lifetime expected credit loss model and provision is made after considering credit notes/recoveries anticipated:

Provisions	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Opening Provision	2,050.00	1,325.00
Add:- Additional allowance made	559.57	856.83
Less:- Allowance utilised against bad debts	(209.57)	(131.83)
Closing provisions	2,400.00	2,050.00

No Significant changes in estimation techniques or assumptions were made during the year.

#### c) Liquidity risk:

The Company's principal source of liquidity are cash and cash equivalents and the cash flow that is generated from operations. The Company believes that the working capital is sufficient to meet its current requirements.

As on March 31, 2023, the Company had working capital of ₹ 40,082.42 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 35,770.74 lakhs) including cash and bank balance of ₹ 17,0351.04 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 19,695.26 lakhs) and current investments of ₹ 12,692.95 lakhs (P.Y.: ₹ 11,847.95 lakhs).

# i) Maturity patterns of the Financial Liabilities of the Company at the reporting date based on contractual undiscounted payment:

As at March 31, 2023	Less than 1 year (Amount)	1 to 5 years (Amount)	More than 5 years (Amount)	Total (Amount)
Borrowings	5,082.13	-	-	5,082.13
Trade payables	4,809.87	-	-	4,809.87
Lease Liability	340.87	1,065.61	594.88	2,001.36
Other financial liabilities	1,890.88	-	-	1,890.88
Total	12,123.75	1,065.61	594.88	13,784.24
As at March 31, 2022	Less than 1 year	1 to 5 years	More than 5 years	<b>T</b> = <b>t</b> = 1 / <b>A</b> == = = = = <b>t</b> )
	(Amount)	(Amount)	(Amount)	Total (Amount)
Borrowings	(Amount) 7,659.85	(Amount) -	(Amount)	7,659.85
Borrowings Trade payables		(Amount) - -	(Amount) - -	
0	7,659.85	(Amount) - - 337.04	(Amount) - - 351.00	7,659.85
Trade payables	7,659.85 5,343.45	-	-	7,659.85 5,343.45

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#### Trade Payables ageing schedule for the year ended as on March 31, 2023 and March 31, 2022: ii)

As at March 31, 2023		Outstanding for following periods from due date of payment				
AS at March 31, 2023	< 1 year	1-2 years	2-3 years	> 3 years		
MSME	32.73	-	-	-	32.73	
Others	4,777.14	-	-	-	4,777.14	
Disputed Dues – MSME	-	-	-	-	-	
Disputed Dues – Others	-	-	-	-	-	

As at Marsh 24, 2022		Outstanding for following periods from due date of payment					
As at March 31, 2022	< 1 year	1-2 years	2-3 years	> 3 years			
MSME	36.19	-	-	-	36.19		
Others	5,239.23	40.55	22.78	4.70	5,307.26		
Disputed Dues – MSME	-	-	-	-	-		
Disputed Dues – Others	-	-	-	-	-		

#### iii) The table below summarises the maturity profile of the Company's financial assets based on contractual undiscounted receipts:

As at March 31, 2023	< 1 year	1 - 5 years	> 5 years	Total
Investments Current and Non-Current	12,692.95	2,247.54	-	14,940.49
Loans (including Inter Corporate Deposit)	5.35	8.28	-	13.63
Trade receivables (current)	16,992.11	-	-	16,992.11
Cash and Cash equivalent	17,040.98	-	-	17,040.98
Other Bank balances	10.06	-	-	10.06
Other financial assets	129.52	2,013.13	-	2,142.65
As at March 31, 2022	< 1 year	1 - 5 years	> 5 years	Total
Investments Current and Non-Current	11,847.95	1,884.64	-	13,732.59
Loans (including Inter Corporate Deposit)	15.09	13.53	-	28.62
Trade receivables (current)	17,092.15	-	-	17,092.15
Cash and Cash equivalent	19,639.08	-	-	19,639.08
Other Bank balances	56.18	-	-	56.18
Other financial assets	257.89	1,511.80	-	1,769.69

The Company is not exposed to significant liquidity risk based on past performance and current expectations. The Company believes that the cash and cash equivalents, cash generated from operations and available un-drawn credit facilities, will satisfy its working capital needs, capital expenditure, investment requirements, commitments and other liquidity requirements associated with its existing operations, through at least the next twelve months.

Note: Investments in Joint venture are valued at cost less impairment loss (if any) in accordance with Ind AS 27 'Separate Financial Statements', consequently the same is not disclosed in maturity profile tabulated above.

The note below sets out details of the undrawn facilities that will be available for future operating facilities and to settle capital commitments of the Company.

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
i) Secured cash credit facility		
- Amount used	1,582.13	4,659.85
- Amount unused	5,417.87	2,340.15
Total	7,000.00	7,000.00
ii) Unsecured working capital facility		
- Amount used	3,500.00	3,000.00
- Amount unused	4,000.00	2,000.00
Total	7,500.00	5,000.00
iii) Total facilities		
- Amount used	5,082.13	7,659.85
- Amount unused	9,417.87	4,340.15
Total	14,500.00	12,000.00

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#### 2.48: Capital Management:

#### a) Risk Management:

For the purposes of the Group's capital management, capital includes issued capital, share premium and all other equity reserves attributable to the equity holders. The Group aims to manage its capital efficiently so as to safeguard its ability to continue as a going concern and to optimise returns to our shareholders.

The capital structure of the Group is based on management's judgement of the appropriate balance of key elements in order to meet its strategic and day-to-day needs. We consider the amount of capital in proportion to risk and manage the capital structure in light of changes in economic conditions and the risk characteristics of the underlying assets. In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Group may adjust the amount of dividends paid to shareholders, return capital to shareholders or issue new shares.

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 Net debt-equity ratio, which is Net debt (i.e. total debt less cash & cash equivalents and current investments) divided by total equity:

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Net Debt	-	-
Total Equity	54,700.61	47,804.15
Net Debt to Equity Ratio (%)	0%	0%

#### b) Distributions made and proposed (Parent Company):

Equity Shares	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Cash dividends on equity shares declared and paid:		
Final dividend ₹ Nil (P.Y.: ₹ Nil) per equity share	-	-
First Interim Dividend declared and paid for the C.Y. ₹ 3.00 (P.Y.: ₹ 6.00*) and paid for C.Y. ₹ 5.00 (P.Y.: ₹ Nil) per equity share	4,930.02	3,697.51
Second Interim Dividend for the year C.Y. ₹ 2.00 (P.Y.: ₹ 5.00) per equity share, has been declared by the board of director subsequent to the date of balance sheet in their meeting dated April 27, 2023 (May 11, 2022) and the same would be paid in accordance with the requirement of Companies Act, 2013 in due course	1,232.50	3,081.26
Proposed dividends on Equity shares:	-	-

\* Interim Dividend per share have been proportionately adjusted for the bonus issue in the ratio 4:1.

#### 2.49: Interest in Other Entities:

#### a) Subsidiary:

	Country of		Proportion of Ow	vnership interest
Subsidiary	Country of Incorporation	Activities	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
K-Lounge Private Limited	India	Refer Note 2.62	100%	100%

#### b) Joint Venture:

#### i) List of the Company (Jointly Venture Company) included in the consolidation is mentioned below:

	Country of		Proportion of Ownership interest		
Subsidiary	Country of Incorporation	Activities	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022	
White Knitwear Private Limited	India	Refer Note 2.49(b) (vii)	33.33%	33.33%	

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#### ii) Summarised Financial Information:

Particu	ulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
(A) No	on-Current Assets	14.20	14.20
(B) Cu	urrent Assets		
i)	Cash and Cash Equivalent	6.01	10.99
ii)	Others	573.83	609.87
Total C	Current Assets	579.84	620.86
Total A	Assets (A + B)	594.04	635.06
(C) No	on-Current Liabilities		
i)	Financial Liabilities	625.00	625.00
ii)	Non-Financial Liabilities	862.65	806.40
Total N	Non-Current Liabilities	1,487.65	1,431.40
(D) Cu	urrent Liabilities		
i)	Financial Liabilities	-	-
ii)	Non-Financial Liabilities	3.15	1.86
Total C	Current Liabilities	3.15	1.86
Total L	Liabilities (C + D)	1490.80	1433.26
Net As	ssets	(896.76)	(798.20)
Group	o Share in %	33.33%	33.33%
Group	o Share in ₹	(298.89)	(266.04)

#### iii) Summarised Performance:

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Revenue from operations	0.95	4.32
Profit and (Loss) before Tax for the year	(97.06)	(109.41)
Tax Expense	1.50	-
Profit and (Loss) after Tax for the year	(98.56)	(109.41)
Group Share in the Statement of Profit and (Loss)	(32.85)	(36.47)
Other Comprehensive Income/(Loss) for the year	-	-
Group Share in Other Comprehensive Income for the year	-	-
Total Comprehensive Income for the year (Comprising Profit and Other comprehensive Income for the year)	(98.56)	(109.41)
Group Share in Total Comprehensive Income for the year (Comprising Profit and Other comprehensive Income for the year)	(32.85)	(36.47)
Depreciation and Amortisation	-	-
Interest Income	-	-
Interest Expense	-	-

For contingency and commitment of Joint Venture, refer note no. 2.41(d).

# iv) Reconciliation of Net Assets considered for consolidated financial statement to net asset as per Joint Venture financial statements:

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Net Assets as per Entity's Financial Statements	(298.89)	(266.04)
Add/(Less): Consolidation Adjustments		
(i) Fair Value of Investment	-	-
(ii) Dividend distributed	-	-
(iii) Others	600.02	581.27
Net Assets as per Consolidated Financial Statements	301.13	315.23
Carrying Amount	301.13	315.23

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## v) Reconciliation of Profit and Loss/OCI considered for consolidated financial statement to net asset as per Joint Venture financial statements:

For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended
	March 31, 2022
(32.85)	(36.47)
-	-
18.75	18.75
(14.10)	(17.72)
-	-
-	-
-	-
-	-
	(32.85) - 18.75 (14.10) -

#### vi) Movement of Investment in Joint Ventures using Equity Method:

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Interest as at April 1	315.23	332.95
Add: Share of Profit for the Period	(14.10)	(17.72)
Add: Share of OCI for the Period	-	-
Interest as at March 31	301.13	315.23

#### vii) Other Information:

The Joint Venture had acquired land in Surat Special Economic Zone (SEZ) and constructed factory building for setting up of manufacturing unit for production of Knitwear Apparels for exports. However, due to slowdown in international market, SEZ could not operationalise as majority of SEZ members have put-on-hold their operations in SEZ and approached to Gujarat Industrial Development Corporation (GIDC) and State and Central government for de-notification of SEZ.

Gujarat Industrial Development Corporation vide its circular No. GIDC/CIR/Distribution/Policy/13/05 dated 14.03.2013 had de-notified the SEZ and conceded the members to convert and use the erstwhile land in SEZ as Domestic Tariff Area (DTA) subject to fulfilment of conditions stated therein.

Based on GIDC circular on de-notification, WKPL vide its letter dated 04.04.13 has consented for de-notification of its plot of land and undertaken to complete the formal procedure for the same, however, Central Government approval is awaited.

Post de-notification joint venture partners shall dispose of the Company/land and building and realise the proceeds to return it to joint venture partners.

No provision for impairment in the value of investment is considered necessary for the year ended on March 31, 2023 based on valuation of the underlying property in joint venture.

#### 2.50: Segment Reporting:

- a) The Parent Company is engaged in the business of manufacturing and marketing of apparels & trading of lifestyle accessories/ products. The Parent Company is also generating power from Wind Turbine Generator. The power generated from the same is predominantly used for captive consumption. However, the operation of Wind Turbine Segment is within the threshold limit stipulated under IND AS 108 "Operating Segments" and hence it does not require disclosure as a separate reportable segment. As defined in Ind AS 108 'Operating Segments', the Chief Operating Decision Maker evaluates the Company's performance related to Apparels business and allocates resources based on an analysis of various performance indicators. Accordingly, Sale of Apparels is considered as only business segment.
- **b)** The customer base of the group is diverse with different distribution channels and store formats except in case of one customer where the concentration is greater than other parties.

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#### 2.51: Relation with Struck off Companies:

#### As at March 31, 2023:

Name of struck off Company	Nature of transactions with struck-off Company	Balance outstanding	Relationship with the Struck off company, if any, to be disclosed
Canny Securities Pvt. Ltd.	Shares held by struck off company	125 Shares	Shareholder
Vaishak Shares Limited	Shares held by struck off company	5 Shares	Shareholder
Arihants Securities Limited	Shares held by struck off company	1,000 Shares	Shareholder
NVU Retail International Pvt. Ltd.	Trade Receivables	₹Nil	-

#### As at March 31, 2022:

Name of struck off Company	Nature of transactions with struck-off Company	Balance outstanding	Relationship with the Struck off company, if any, to be disclosed
Canny Securities Pvt. Ltd.	Shares held by struck off company	125 Shares	Shareholder
Vaishak Shares Limited	Shares held by struck off company	5 Shares	Shareholder
Arihants Securities Limited	Shares held by struck off company	1,000 Shares	Shareholder
Aries Perfumes Pvt. Ltd.	Trade Payables	₹Nil	-
NVU Retail International Pvt. Ltd.	Trade Receivables	₹ 6.17	

### 2.52: Share held by Promoters:

#### As at March 31, 2023:

_	Promoter name	As at March 3	1, 2023	As at March 31, 2022		
Sr. No.		No. of Shares	% of total shares	No. of Shares	% of total shares	% Change during the year
1	Shantaben P. Jain j/w Kewalchand P. Jain j/w Hemant P. Jain	30,765,000	49.92	30,765,000	49.92	Nil
	(equity shares held in their capacity as trustees/ beneficiaries of P.K.Jain Family Holding Trust)					
2	Mr. Dinesh P Jain	3,649,155	5.92	3,649,155	5.92	Nil
	(includes 5,12,905 (P.Y.: 5,12,905) shares jointly held with Mrs. Sangeeta D. Jain)					
3	Mr. Vikas P Jain	3,609,105	5.86	3,609,105	5.86	Nil
	(includes 4,72,855 (P.Y.: 4,72,855) shares jointly held with Mrs. Kesar V. Jain)					
4	Mr. Hemant P Jain	3,459,575	5.61	3,459,575	5.61	Nil
	(includes 4,03,325 (P.Y.: 4,03,325) shares jointly held with Mrs. Lata H. Jain)					
5	Mr. Kewalchand P Jain	3,453,055	5.60	3,453,055	5.60	Nil
	(includes 3,96,805 (P.Y.: 3,96,805) shares jointly held with Mrs. Veena K. Jain)					
6	Kewalchand P Jain H.U.F	80,000	0.13	80,000	0.13	Nil
7	Hemant P Jain H.U.F	80,000	0.13	80,000	0.13	Nil
8	Dinesh P Jain H.U.F	80,000	0.13	80,000	0.13	Nil
9	Vikas P Jain H.U.F	80,000	0.13	80,000	0.13	Nil
10	Mrs. Veena K. Jain	80,000	0.13	80,000	0.13	Nil
11	Mrs. Lata H. Jain	80,000	0.13	80,000	0.13	Nil
12	Mrs. Sangeeta D. Jain	80,000	0.13	80,000	0.13	Nil
13	Mrs. Kesar V. Jain	80,000	0.13	80,000	0.13	Nil
14	Pankaj K. Jain	80,000	0.13	80,000	0.13	Nil
15	Hitendra H. Jain	80,000	0.13	80,000	0.13	Nil
16	Kewal Kiran Finance Pvt. Ltd.	24,475	0.04	21,475	0.03	13.97%
	Total	45,760,365	74.26	45,757,365	74.24	

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#### As at March 31, 2022:

_	Promoter name	As at March 3	1, 2022	As at March 31, 2021		% Change
Sr. No.		No. of Shares*	% of total shares	No. of Shares	% of total shares	during the year*
1	Shantaben P. Jain j/w Kewalchand P. Jain j/w Hemant P. Jain	30,765,000	49.92	6,153,000	49.92	Nil
	(equity shares held in their capacity as trustees/ beneficiaries of P.K.Jain Family Holding Trust)					
2	Mr. Dinesh P Jain	3,649,155	5.92	729,831	5.92	Nil
	(includes 5,12,905 (PY.: 1,02,581) shares jointly held with Mrs. Sangeeta D. Jain)					
3	Mr. Vikas P Jain	3,609,105	5.86	721,821	5.86	Nil
	(includes 4,72,855 (P.Y.: 94,571) shares jointly held with Mrs. Kesar V. Jain)					
4	Mr. Hemant P Jain	3,459,575	5.61	691,915	5.61	Nil
	(includes 4,03,325 (P.Y.: 80,665) shares jointly held with Mrs. Lata H. Jain)					
5	Mr. Kewalchand P Jain	3,453,055	5.60	690,611	5.60	Nil
	(includes 3,96,805 (P.Y.: 79,361) shares jointly held with Mrs. Veena K. Jain)					
6	Kewalchand P Jain H.U.F	80,000	0.13	16,000	0.13	Nil
7	Hemant P Jain H.U.F	80,000	0.13	16,000	0.13	Nil
8	Dinesh P Jain H.U.F	80,000	0.13	16,000	0.13	Nil
9	Vikas P Jain H.U.F	80,000	0.13	16,000	0.13	Nil
10	Mrs. Veena K. Jain	80,000	0.13	16,000	0.13	Nil
11	Mrs. Lata H. Jain	80,000	0.13	16,000	0.13	Nil
12	Mrs. Sangeeta D. Jain	80,000	0.13	16,000	0.13	Nil
13	Mrs. Kesar V. Jain	80,000	0.13	16,000	0.13	Nil
14	Pankaj K. Jain	80,000	0.13	16,000	0.13	Nil
15	Hitendra H. Jain	80,000	0.13	16,000	0.13	Nil
16	Kewal Kiran Finance Pvt. Ltd.	21,475	0.03	4,295	0.03	Nil
	Total	45,757,365	74.24	9,151,473	74.24	

\*The Board has issued and allotted fully paid bonus shares at 4:1 ratio (i.e. 4 bonus equity shares for every 1 existing share of the Company) to the shareholders who held shares on December 17, 2021 (record date). Accordingly, the number of shares increased.

#### 2.53: Earning Per Share:

Particulars	2022-23	2021-22
Net Profit available for Equity Shareholders as per statement of profit and loss	11,902.09	8,162.76
Weighted average number of equity shares for basic and diluted EPS (in Numbers)	6,16,25,185	6,16,25,185
Basic and Diluted Earning per share	19.31	13.25
Face Value Per Equity Share	₹ 10 each	₹ 10 each

#### 2.54: Compliance with approved scheme(s) of arrangements:

The Group has not entered into any scheme of arrangement which has an accounting impact on current or previous financial year.

#### 2.55: Utilisation of Borrowed funds and Share premium:

a) During the year, the Group has not advanced or loaned or invested funds (either borrowed funds or share premium or any other sources or kind of funds) to any other person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities (Intermediaries) with the understanding (whether recorded in writing or otherwise) that the Intermediary shall: (i) 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 (ii) provide any guarantee, security or the like to or on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.

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**b)** During the year, the Group has not received any fund from any person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities (Funding Party) with the understanding (whether recorded in writing or otherwise) that the Group shall: (i) directly or indirectly issued or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Funding Party (Ultimate Beneficiaries); or (ii) provide any guarantee, security or the like to or on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.

#### 2.56: Details of crypto currency or virtual currency:

The Group has not traded or invested in crypto currency or virtual currency during the current or previous year.

**2.57:** Additional information as required by para 5 of General Instructions for preparation of Statement of Profit and Loss (other than already disclosed above) are either Nil or Not Applicable.

#### 2.58: Disclosures for 'Statement of Cash Flows' as per Ind AS 7:

#### a) Reconciliation of liabilities from financing activities for the year ended March 31, 2023:

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	Cash flows (net)	Impact of Ind AS 116	As at March 31, 2022
Short-term borrowings	3,500.00	500.00	-	3,000.00
Lease Liability (impact of IND AS 116)	1,516.16	(271.34)	1,259.67	527.83
Total	5,016.16	228.66	1,259.67	3,527.83

#### b) Reconciliation of liabilities from financing activities for the year ended March 31, 2022:

Particulars	As at March 31, 2022	Cash flows (net)	Impact of Ind AS 116	As at March 31, 2021
Short-term borrowings	3,000.00	1,000.00	-	2,000.00
Lease Liability (impact of IND AS 116)	527.83	(116.54)	302.36	342.01
Total	3,527.83	883.46	302.36	2,342.01

# c) The Company has accounted for lease liabilities and fair value changes in accordance with Ind AS 116 implemented during the previous year. Detail break-up of above non-cash element is given below:

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Finance cost on lease liabilities	-	-
Addition during the year	1,259.67	302.36
Total	1,259.67	302.36

#### 2.59: Contracts with Customer (Ind AS 115):

#### a) Right to return assets and refund liabilities:

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Right to return assets	1,775.50	-
Refund liabilities	3,342.60	1,100.00

#### b) Contract balances:

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Contract assets:		
Trade Receivables	16,992.11	17,092.15
Contract Liabilities:		
Advances from customers	358.51	654.01
Deferred revenue	-	-

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#### c) Reconciliation of revenue as recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss with the contracted price:

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022	
Revenue as per contracted price	99,649.98	75,803.24	
Less:			
Sales return	10,049.32	5,340.61	
Discount	11,655.32	9,701.65	
Loyalty points	-	-	
Revenue as per the Statement of Profit and Loss	77,945.34	60,760.98	

#### d) Disclosure of disaggregated revenue recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss:

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Sales of Apparel and Lifestyle Accessories/Products	77,424.04	60,511.30
Sale of Power	-	1.08
Other Operating Income	521.30	248.60
Total	77,945.34	60,760.98

#### e) Disclosure of disaggregated revenue recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss based on geographical region:

Particulars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
Revenue from customers outside India	2,345.31	1,794.51
Revenue from customers within India	75,600.03	58,966.47
Revenue as per the Statement of Profit and Loss	77,945.34	60,760.98

f) Refer note 2.50(b) for details regarding customer concentration.

# 2.60: Additional information as required by para 2 of general instructions for preparation of Consolidated Financial Statements as per Schedule III of the Companies act 2013:

#### As at and for the year ended March 31, 2023:

Name of the Enterprise	Net Assets i.e. minus total		Share in profit or loss (A)		Share in Other Comprehensive Income (B)		Share in Total Comprehensive Income (A + B)	
	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount
Parent								
Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited	100.08	54,741.88	100.22	11,928.10	100.00	(75.61)	100.22	11,852.49
Subsidiary								
K-Lounge Private Limited	0.92	503.10	(0.10)	(11.91)	-	-	(0.10)	(11.91)
Joint Venture (Investment as per the equity method)								
White Knitwear Private Limited	(0.55)	(298.89)	(0.28)	(32.85)	-	-	(0.28)	(32.85)
Inter-company Elimination & Consolidation Adjustments	(0.45)	(245.48)	0.16	18.75	-	-	0.16	18.75
Total	100.00	54,700.61	100.00	11,902.09	100.00	(75.61)	100.00	11,826.48

As at and for the year ended March 31, 2022:

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Name of the Enterprise	Net Assets i.e minus te	e. total assets otal liabilities	Share in profit or loss (A) Comprehensive income (B) Share in profit or loss (A)				hare in Total nsive Income (A + B)	
	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount
Parent								
Kewal Kiran Clothing Limited	100.03	47,819.41	100.03	8,165.48	100.00	54.84	100.03	8,220.32
Subsidiary								
K-Lounge Private Limited	1.08	515.00	0.18	15.00	-	-	0.18	15.00
Joint Venture (Investment as per the equity method)								
White Knitwear Private Limited	(0.56)	(266.04)	(0.44)	(36.47)	-	-	(0.44)	(36.47)
Inter-company Elimination & Consolidation Adjustments	(0.55)	(264.22)	0.23	18.75	-	-	0.23	18.75
Total	100.00	47,804.15	100.00	8,162.76	100.00	54.84	100.00	8,217.60

2.61: The new Code on Social Security, 2020 has been enacted, which could impact the contributions by the Group towards Provident Fund, Gratuity and bonus. The effective date from which the changes are applicable is yet to be notified and the rules are yet to be framed. The Group will complete its evaluation and will give appropriate impact in the financial statements in the period in which the Code becomes effective and the related rules are published.

2.62: The Parent Company has incorporated wholly-owned subsidiary company K-Lounge Lifestyle Limited on February 25, 2021 as per certificate of incorporation received by the Company. The Authorised Share Capital of the said subsidiary company is ₹ 1,000.00 lakhs and paid-up Share Capital the said subsidiary company is ₹ 500.00 lakhs. The parent company has subscribed entire paid-up Share Capital of ₹ 500.00 lakhs on April 19, 2021.

Further during the year, Parent Company has given loan (including accrued interest) of ₹286.12 lakhs to its subsidiary company.

The subsidiary company is yet to commence the business operation as on the date.

- 2.63: During the year the Company has regrouped/ reclassified the following items and accordingly the prior year comparatives have also been reclassified/ regrouped. These changes did not have any impact of the reported profit after tax and total equity:
- a) Bank overdraft has been reduced from cash and cash equivalents in the cash flow statement and accordingly the cash and cash equivalent for previous year is ₹ 14,979.23 lakhs as against ₹ 19,639.08 lakhs (also refer note (i) to cash flow statement).
- b) The Company has disclosed the right to return assets and refund liabilities separately effective current year under "Other Current Assets (refer note 2.15) and Other Current Liability (refer note 2.24)". This was earlier forming part of provisions and inventories. (also refer note 1.12 (d)).

As per our audit report of even date For and on behalf of

Jain & Trivedi Chartered Accountants

N.A. Shah Associates LLP Chartered Accountants Registration No.: 113496W Registration No.: 116560W / W100149

Satish Trivedi Partner Membership No.: 38317

**Prashant Daftary** Partner Membership No.: 117080

Nimesh Anandpara Dv. Chief Financial Officer For and on behalf of the Board of Directors of Kewal Kiran Clothing Ltd

Kewalchand P Jain Chairman & Managing Director DIN No.: 00029730

Bharat Adnani Chief Financial Officer Place: Mumbai Date: April 27, 2023

Hemant P Jain Jt. Managing Director DIN No.: 00029822

Abhijit Warange **Company Secretary** 

Place: Mumbai Date: April 27, 2023

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(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

_		(Amount in ₹ Lakhs except otherwise stated)
1	Name of the Subsidiary	K-Lounge Lifestyle Limited
2	Reporting period for the subsidiary concerned, if different from the holding company's reporting period.	April 2022 to March 2023
3	Reporting currency	₹
4	Exchange rate as on the last date of the relevant financial year in the case of foreign subsidiaries.	-
5	Share Capital	500.00
6	Reserves & surplus	3.10
7	Total Assets	791.66
8	Total Liabilities	791.66
9	Investments	-
10	Turnover	-
11	Profit/ (Loss) before Taxation	(5.91)
12	Provision for Taxation	6.00
13	Profit/ (Loss) after Taxation	(11.91)
14	Proposed Dividend	-
15	% of share holding	100

#### Notes:

1 Name of Subsidiaries which are yet to commence operations : K-lounge Lifestyle limited

2 Names of Subsidiaries which have been liquidated or sold during the year: None

- 3 The amounts given in the table above are from the annual accounts made for the respective financial year end for the company.
- 4 Turnover figures do not include Other Income. Profit/(Loss) figures do not include Other Comprehensive Income.

(₹ in lakhs except as otherwise stated)

#### Part "B": Associates and Joint Ventures

#### Statement pursuant to Section 129 (3) of the Companies Act, 2013 related to Associate Companies and Joint Ventures

		(Amount in ₹ Lakhs except otherwise stated)
	Name of Joint Venture	White Knitwears Private Limited(WKPL)
1.	Latest audited Balance Sheet Date	31/03/2023
2.	Shares of Joint Venture held by the company on the year end	
	No.	3,30,000
	Amount of Investment in Joint Venture	33.00
	Extend of Holding%	33.33%
З.	Description of how there is significant influence	Due to holding of 33.33% equity shares in WKPL
4.	Reason why the Joint Venture is not consolidated	Not Applicable
5.	Net worth attributable to shareholding as per latest audited Balance Sheet	(298.89)
6.	Profit/(Loss) for the year	
	(i) Considered in Consolidation	(14.10)
	(ii) Not Considered in Consolidation	(84.46)

1. Names of associates or joint ventures which are yet to commence operations - Not Applicable

2. Names of associates or joint ventures which have been liquidated or sold during the year - Not Applicable

The notes referred to above form integral part of Statement of Profit and Loss

As per our audit report of even date For and on behalf of

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#### Satish Trivedi

Partner Membership No.: 38317

## **Prashant Daftary**

Partner Membership No.: 117080

Nimesh Anandpara Dy. Chief Financial Officer

Place: Mumbai Date: April 27, 2023 For and on behalf of the Board of Directors of Kewal Kiran Clothing Ltd

Kewalchand P Jain

Chairman & Managing Director Jt. Managing Director DIN No.: 00029730

Bharat Adnani

Chief Financial Officer Place: Mumbai Date: April 27, 2023

#### Hemant P Jain

DIN No.: 00029822

Abhijit Warange **Company Secretary** 

# NOTES



# CORPORATE INFORMATION

#### **Board of Directors**

Mr. Kewalchand P. Jain Chairman & Managing Director

**Mr. Hemant P. Jain** Joint Managing Director

**Mr. Dinesh P. Jain** Whole-time Director

**Mr. Vikas P. Jain** Whole-time Director

Dr. Prakash A. Mody Independent Director

Mr. Nimish G. Pandya Independent Director

Mr. Yogesh A. Thar Independent Director

Ms. Drushti R. Desai Independent Director

## Chief Financial Officer

Mr. Bharat A Adnani (w.e.f 21.01.2023)

Deputy Chief Financial Officer Mr. Nimesh N. Anandpara

Vice President- Legal & Company Secretary Mr. Abhijit B. Warange

**Statutory Auditors** N. A. Shah Associates LLP Jain & Trivedi

**Internal Auditors** Khimji Kunverji & Co. LLP

Secretarial Auditors U. P. Jain & Co.

### Legal Advisors

Pandya Juris LLP International Lawyers and Tax Consultants

Gajria and Co. *Solicitors and Advocates*  Bankers Standard Chartered Bank

#### **Registrar & Transfer Agents**

Link Intime India Private Limited C-101, 247 Park, LBS Marg, Vikhroli (West), Mumbai - 400 083

#### **Factories**

**Vapi** Plot No. 787/1/2A/3, 40, Shed, IInd Phase, G.I.D.C, Vapi – 396 195

#### Daman

697/3/5/5A/8/9/12/13/16,694/3 Maharani Estate, Somnath Road, Dabhel, Daman – 396 210

#### Mumbai

Synthofine Estate, Opp. Virwani Industrial Estate Goregaon (East), Mumbai – 400 063

71-73, Kasturchand Mill Estate Bhawani Shankar Road, Dadar (West), Mumbai – 400 028

#### Windmill

Land Survey No. 1119/P Village Kuchhadi, Taluka Porbandar, District Porbandar, Gujarat

#### Website

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