## FORTY SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT 2020



#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

T Kannan - Director

P S Raman - Director

Ashok V Chowgule - Director

K S Ranganathan - Director

K S D Sambasivam - Director

Sandhya Subramanyam - Director

Shobhana Ramachandran - Director

Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan - Director

Krishna Mahesh - Managing Director

#### COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD

#### 1. AUDIT COMMITTEE

Ashok V Chowgule - Chairperson

T Kannan

P S Raman

K S Ranganathan

K S D Sambasivam

Sandhya Subramanyam

#### 2. CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY (CSR) COMMITTEE

Ashok V Chowgule - Chairperson

T Kannan

Krishna Mahesh

#### 3. NOMINATION & REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

K S Ranganathan - Chairperson

Ashok V Chowgule

K S D Sambasiyam

#### STAKEHOLDERS' RELATIONSHIP **COMMITTEE**

K S D Sambasivam - Chairperson

K S Ranganathan

Krishna Mahesh

#### SENIOR MANAGEMENT

G R Chandramouli - President

S Ramabadran - Chief Financial Officer &

Company Secretary

Chief Investor Relations Officer / Compliance Officer

#### STATUTORY AUDITORS

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#### **BANKERS**

State Bank of India Corporate Accounts Group (CAG) Branch, Chennai - 600 008.

#### SECRETARIAL AUDITOR

V Suresh

Practising Company Secretary 28, 1st Floor, Ganapathy Colony, 3rd Street, Teynampet, Chennai 600 018. E-mail: vsureshpcs@gmail.com

Phone No: 044-42111701

#### **REGISTERED OFFICE**

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#### **FACTORIES**

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#### SHARE DEPARTMENT

At Factory Office PADI, CHENNAI - 600 050 Phone No. 044-26257853 E-Mail: finance@tvssbl.com

#### REGISTRAR AND SHARE TRANSFER AGENT

Integrated Registry Management Services Private Limited II Floor, "Kences Towers", No.1, Ramakrishna Street, North Usman Road, T Nagar, Chennai - 600 017. Phone Nos. : 044- 28140801 - 808

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www.tvsbrakelinings.com

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## HIGHLIGHTS OF TEN YEARS' PERFORMANCE

(₹ in lakhs)

Part	iculars	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
1	Sales & Other income #	23,747	25,638	23,271	24,913	23,750	24,627	24,681	25,381	28,887	26,322
2	Export Sales	8,126	8,366	8,742	11,113	11,031	11,213	10,390	10,023	12,176	12,320
3	Profit before int, depn and Tax	2,431	2,264	669	776	164	875	937	995	1,309	995
4	Profit before extraordinary / exceptional item & tax	1,528	1,116	(411)	(328)	(893)	31	143	376	649	300
5	Profit after tax	630	56	(441)	(522)	(1,455)	(41)	705	376	705	252
6	Net fixed assets	8,522	8,803	8,608	8,715	8,074	7,440	7,101	6,751	6,700	6,812
7	Share capital	393.46	393.46	393.46	393.46	393.46	393.46	393.46	393.46	393.46	393.46
8	Reserves & Surplus	9,309	9,228	8,787	8,266	6,592	6,551	6,703	7,072	7,805	8,003
9	Net worth	9,702	9,622	9,181	8,659	6,986	6,944	7,097	7,466	8,198	8,397
10	Return on Net Worth (RONW) - PAT/Networth	6.5%	0.6%	-4.8%	-6.0%	-20.8%	-0.6%	2.5%	5.0%	8.6%	3.6%
11	Return on Avg. Capital Employed (ROCE)	14.0%	12.5%	-0.9%	2.6%	-5.2%	3.6%	4.6%	5.9%	8.1%	4.3%
12	Cash earnings per share (₹)	32.09	20.81	8.62	7.35	(19.47)	13.05	18.14	20.51	30.50	7.63
13	Earnings per share (₹)	16.01	1.44	(11.20)	(13.26)	(36.97)	(1.04)	4.47	9.57	17.93	6.40
14	Dividend per share (₹)	4.00	3.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	Book value per share (₹) *	246.59	244.54	233.34	220.08	177.55	176.50	180.37	189.74	208.37	213.41
16	Sundry Debtors - No. of days	71	67	73	78	76	78	64	70	72	68
17	Turnover/Avg Inventory (Times)	19.3	16.6	10.9	10.3	9.1	8.4	8.2	7.9	8.0	6.8
18	Current Ratio	1.72	1.49	1.47	1.32	1.06	1.05	1.22	1.34	1.33	1.42
19	R & D Expenses - as % on Net Income	1.3%	1.4%	2.7%	3.2%	2.7%	2.6%	3.4%	4.0%	3.4%	4.6%
20	Debt-Equity Ratio (=Total debts / Debt+ Networth)	0.38	0.30	0.31	0.33	0.41	0.39	0.32	0.29	0.29	0.22

<sup>#</sup> Includes Excise duty for the FY's from 2015-16 to Q1 of 2017-18.

Note: Figures in respect of FY's 2007-08 to 2014-15 are as per Indian GAAP and that of FY's from 2015-16 to 2019-20 are as per Indian Accounting Strandards (Ind-AS.).

<sup>\*</sup> Calculated on the expanded capital of 39,34,575 equity shares for FY's 2010-11 to 2019-20.

#### NOTICE TO THE SHAREHOLDERS

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Forty Sixth Annual General Meeting of the Company will be held on **Monday, 10<sup>th</sup> August 2020 at 10.00 A.M IST** through Video Conferencing ("VC") / Other Audio Visual Means ("OAVM") to transact the following business:

#### **ORDINARY BUSINESS:**

- 1. To consider and if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:
  - "RESOLVED THAT the Audited Balance Sheet as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020, the Statement of Profit and Loss for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020, the Cash Flow statement for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020 and Notes forming part of the documents referred above and the Report of the Directors and the Auditors of the Company, be and are hereby approved and adopted."
- 2. To consider and if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:
  - "RESOLVED THAT Mr Krishna Mahesh, Director (having DIN: 00420048), who retires by rotation and being eligible for re-appointment, be and is hereby re-appointed as a Director of the Company."

#### **SPECIAL BUSINESS:**

- 3. To consider and, if thought fit, to pass, with or without modification, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:
  - **RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to the provisions of Section 161 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the rules made thereunder (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force, the appointment of Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran (DIN: 00273837) as Director to fill the causal vacancy, caused due to demise of Mr K Mahesh, Director before the expiry of his term of office be and is hereby approved
  - **RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board of Directors of the company be and are hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be deemed necessary, desirable, proper or expedient for the purpose of giving effect to this resolution and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.
- 4. To consider and, if thought fit, to pass, with or without modification, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:
  - **RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to the provisions of Section 161 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the rules made thereunder (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force, the appointment of Ms. Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan (DIN: 08632277) as Director to fill the causal vacancy, caused due to the resignation of Mr. K Ramesh, Director before the expiry of his term of office be and is hereby approved.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board of Directors of the Company be and are hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be deemed necessary, desirable, proper or expedient for the purpose of giving effect to this resolution and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

(By order of the Board)

Chennai 27<sup>th</sup> lune, 2020 S RAMABADRAN Chief Financial Officer & Company Secretary

Registered Office Padi, Chennai - 600 050.

#### I. General Instructions & Information:

- 1. Explanatory Statement for item no. 3 to 4 is annexed hereto
- 2. In view of the massive outbreak of the COVID-19 pandemic, social distancing is a norm to be followed and pursuant to the Circular No. 14/2020 dated April 08, 2020, Circular No.17/2020 dated April 13, 2020 issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs followed by Circular No. 20/2020 dated May 05, 2020, physical attendance of the Members to the AGM venue is not required and annual general meeting (AGM) be held through video conferencing (VC) or other audio visual means (OAVM). Hence, Members can attend and participate in the ensuing AGM through VC/OAVM. In compliance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act"), SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations") and MCA Circulars, the AGM of the Company is being held through VC / OAVM.
- 3. The relevant details, pursuant to Regulations 26(4) and 36(3) of the SEBI Listing Regulations and Secretarial Standard on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India, in respect of Director seeking appointment at this AGM is annexed
- 4. Pursuant to the Circular No. 14/2020 dated April 08, 2020, issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, the facility to appoint proxy to attend and cast vote for the members is not available for this AGM. Accordingly, the facility for appointment of proxies by the Members will not be available for the AGM and hence the Proxy Form and Attendance Slip are not annexed to this Notice.
- 5. Institutional / Corporate Shareholders (i.e. other than individuals / HUF, NRI, etc.) are required to send a scanned copy (PDF / JPG Format) of its Board or governing body Resolution / Authorization etc., authorizing its representative to attend the AGM through VC / OAVM on its behalf and to vote through remote e-voting. The said Resolution/Authorization shall be sent to the Scrutinizer by email through its registered email address to **vsureshpcs@gmail.com** with a copy marked to evoting@nsdl.co.in.
- 6. In compliance with the aforesaid MCA Circulars and SEBI Circular dated May 12, 2020, Notice of the AGM along with the Annual Report 2019-20 is being sent only through electronic mode to those Members whose email addresses are registered with the Company/ Depositories. Members may note that the Notice and Annual Report 2019-20 will also be available on the Company's website www.tvsbrakelinings.com, websites of the Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com respectively, and on the website of

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- NSDL https://www.evoting.nsdl.com. The shareholders who have not registered their email address with depository are requested to follow the instruction given under the heading "Instruction for remote e-Voting"
- 7. Members attending the AGM through VC / OAVM shall be counted for the purpose of reckoning the quorum under Section 103 of the Act.
- The register of members and the share transfer register will remain closed for a period of seven days from 04<sup>th</sup> August 2020 to 10<sup>th</sup> August 2020 (both days inclusive) for the purpose of AGM.
- 9. To prevent fraudulent transactions, members are advised to exercise due diligence and notify the Company of any change in address or demise of any member as soon as possible. Members holding shares in electronic form are requested to advise change of their address to their Depository Participants. Members are also advised not to leave their demat account(s) dormant for a long period. Periodic statement of holdings should be obtained from the concerned Depository Participant and holdings should be verified.
- 10. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has mandated the submission of Permanent Account Number (PAN) by every participant in securities market. Members holding shares in electronic form are therefore, requested to submit the PAN to their Depository Participants with whom they are maintaining their demat accounts. Members holdings shares in physical form can submit their PAN details to the Company.
- 11. Members holding shares in physical form, in their own interest, are requested to dematerialize the shares to avail the benefits of electronic holding / trading.
- 12. Members are requested to intimate changes, if any, pertaining to their name, postal address, email address, telephone/ mobile numbers, Permanent Account Number (PAN), mandates, nominations, power of attorney, bank details such as, name of the bank and branch details, bank account number, MICR code, IFSC code, etc., to their DPs in case the shares are held by them in electronic form
- 13. Members, holding shares in physical form, are requested to notify / send the following to the Registrar and Share Transfer Agent (Integrated Registry Management Services Private Limited) of the Company:
  - a) any change in their address / bank mandate.
  - b) particulars of their bank account, in case they have not been sent earlier.
  - c) nomination in Form SH-13, in duplicate, as provided under Section 72 of the Companies Act, 2013, in case they have not been sent earlier.
  - d) share certificate(s) held in multiple accounts in identical names or joint accounts in the same order of names, for consolidation of such shareholdings into one account.
- 14. In terms of requirements of Section 124(6) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF) Authority (Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Amendment Rules 2017 ("the Rules"), the Company is required to transfer the shares, in respect of which the dividend remains unpaid or unclaimed for a period of seven consequent years to the IEPF account established by the Central Government. There are no shares in respect of which the dividend remains unpaid or unclaimed for a period of seven consequent years.

Any person whose shares have been transferred to the Fund, may claim the shares from the authority by submitting an online Application form IEPF-5 available on the website **www.iepf.gov.in** and after making an application in form IEPF-5, send the same duly signed by him along with requisite documents to the Company for verification of his claim.

- 15. In compliance with the provisions of Section 108 of the Act, read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, as amended from time to time, and Regulation 44 of the SEBI Listing Regulations, the Members are provided with the facility to cast their vote electronically, through the e-Voting services provided by NSDL, on all the resolutions set forth in this Notice. Members holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on **August 03**, **2020** i.e. cut-off date, may cast their vote electronically. The e-Voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter. Those Members, who will be present in the AGM through VC / OAVM facility and have not cast their vote on the Resolutions through remote e-Voting and are otherwise not barred from doing so, shall be eligible to vote through e-Voting system during the AGM.
- 16. The Members who have cast their vote by remote e-voting prior to the AGM may also attend / participate in the AGM through VC / OAVM but shall not be entitled to cast their vote again.
- 17. The Voting rights of members shall be in proportion to their shares of the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the Cut-off date **August 03, 2020**.
- 18. Mr. V Suresh, Practising Company Secretary holding certificate of practice (No.6032) issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India, has been appointed as the Scrutinizer to Scrutinize the voting process in a fair and transparent manner.
- 19. The Scrutiniser shall, immediately after the conclusion of voting at annual general meeting, unblock the votes cast through remote e-voting in the presence of at least two witnesses not in the employment of the Company. Scrutiniser shall within 48 hours (forty-eight) of conclusion of the meeting submit his report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, to the Chairman / Managing Director / Joint Managing Director / Chief Financial Officer / Vice President Finance & Company Secretary of the Company.
- 20. The voting results of the Annual General Meeting will be declared and communicated to the Stock Exchanges and would also be displayed on the Company's website at **www.tvsbrakelinings.com**.
- 21. Members whose names appear on the Register of Members / List of Beneficial Owners as on Cut-off date i.e August 03, 2020 will be considered for the purpose of availing Remote e-Voting or Vote in the Annual General Meeting. A person who is not a member as on the cut-off date should treat this Notice for information purposes only.
- 22. Since the AGM will be held through VC / OAVM, the Route Map is not annexed in this Notice.

#### Details of Director Seeking Re-appointment at the Annual General Meeting

The Company presently has Six Independent Directors and Three Non-Independent Directors, Ms. Shobana Ramachandhran, Ms. Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan & Mr. Krishna Mahesh. In order to comply with the Provisions of Section 152 of the Companies Act, 2013, Mr. Krishna Mahesh, Director retires at this Annual General Meeting and being eligible for Re-appointment, offers himself for Re-appointment subject to approval of Shareholders.

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Further in terms of Regulation 36 (3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015, a brief resume of the Director who is proposed to be re-appointed in this meeting, nature of his expertise in specific functional areas, disclosure of relationships between Directors inter-se, his other Directorship and the membership, his shareholdings are given below:

#### Mr. Krishna Mahesh

Mr. Krishna Mahesh born on 20<sup>th</sup> October 1974 and is on the Board of Directors of the Company since 2005. He holds Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering from Stanford University, Stanford CA in and Master's degree in Business Administration - MBA from Harvard Business School.

He holds 5,44,608 Equity shares in the Company and he is brother of Ms. Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan, and cousin of Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran, Director.

Nature of his expertise in specific functional areas - General Management / Sales / Marketing / Strategic

Decision making and Leadership.

Directorship / Membership in other Companies

Directorship	Committee Membership
As Director	
<ul> <li>Madurai Alagar Enterprises Private Limited</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>T V Sundram Iyengar &amp; Sons Private Limited</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Sundaram Industries Private Limited</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Sundaram Medical Devices Private Limited</li> </ul>	Nil
Sundaram Lifecare Private Limited	
Sundaram Health Protection Private Limited	
Sundaram Aarogyam & Vitality Endowment Foundation	
TVS Advanced Materials Private Limited	

#### Explanatory Statement for item no. 3 to 4

#### Item No. 3

Based on recommendation by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, the Board of Director at its meeting held on 13<sup>th</sup> August 2019 filled the casual vacancy caused due to demise of past chairman Mr. K Mahesh by appointing Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran (DIN: 00273837) as Director of the Company.

As per Section 161(4) of the Companies Act 2013 if the office of any director appointed by the company in general meeting is vacated before his term of office expires in the normal course, the resulting casual vacancy may, in default of and subject to any regulations in the articles of the company, be filled by the Board of Directors at a meeting of the Board which shall be subsequently approved by members in the immediate next general meeting.

A notice under Section 160 of the Companies Act 2013 has been received from a member for appointing Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran as Director of the Company.

In view of the aforesaid provisions under the Companies Act 2013, the appointment of Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran as Director is placed for the approval of the shareholders.

Except for Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran, Mr. Krishna Mahesh and Ms. Shripriya Mahesh none of the Directors or Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their relatives are concerned or interested in the resolution no. 3.

#### Item No. 4

Based on recommendation by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, The Board of Director at its meeting held on 12<sup>th</sup> February 2020 filled the casual vacancy caused due to resignation of Mr. K Ramesh by appointing Ms. Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan (DIN: 08632277) as Director of the Company.

As per Section 161(4) of the Companies Act 2013 if the office of any director appointed by the company in general meeting is vacated before his term of office expires in the normal course, the resulting casual vacancy may, in default of and subject to any regulations in the articles of the Company, be filled by the Board of Directors at a meeting of the Board which shall be subsequently approved by members in the immediate next general meeting.

A notice under Section 160 of the Companies Act 2013 has been received from a member for appointing Ms. Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan as Director of the Company.

In view of the aforesaid provisions under the Companies Act 2013, the appointment of Ms. Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan as Director is placed for the approval of the shareholders.

Except for Ms. Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan, Mr. Krishna Mahesh and Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran none of the Directors or Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their relatives are concerned or interested in the resolution no. 4.

PARTICULARS OF DIRECTORS SEEKING RE-APPOINTMENT AS REQUIRED TO BE FURNISHED UNDER CLAUSE 1.2.5 OF THE (SS - 2) SECRETARIAL STANDARD ON GENERAL MEETINGS / REGULATION 36(3) OF THE SEBI (LISTING OBLIGATIONS AND DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS) REGULATIONS, 2015

#### **Resolution No.3**

Name	Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran	
Age	60 years	
DIN	02753843	
Qualification	Post Graduate in English Literature	
Experience and other details	She is associated with TVS Srichakra Limited since 1986 and is the Managing Director of the same.	
	She has rich experience in the Tyre and Rubber Industry and holds Directorship in public and private companies, encompassing various sectors of automotive, financial, logistics and auto component distributorship.	

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Date of first appointment on the Board	13 <sup>th</sup> August 2019		
Shareholding in the Company	Nil		
Relationship with other Directors, Manager and other Key Managerial Personnel of the Company	Cousin of Mr. Krishna Mahesh, Managing Director and Ms. Shripriya Mahesh, Director		
Number of meetings of the Board attended during the year	2 Board meetings since her appointment as Director (9 <sup>th</sup> November 2019 and 12 <sup>th</sup> February 2020		
Other Directorships,	Directorship	Committee Membership	
Memberships / Chairmanship of Committees of other Boards	TVS Supply Chain Solutions Limited TVS Srichakra Investments Private Limited Pusam Rubber Products Private Limited SI Air Springs Private Limited TVS Automobile Solutions Private Limited TVS Argomm Private Limited Sundaram Industries Private Limited Sundaram Finance Holdings Limited	Nil	
	As Director Sundaram Finance Limited	Audit Committee - Member Corporate Social Responsibility Committee - Chairman	
	As Managing Director - TVS Srichakra Limited	Stakeholders Relationship Committee - Member Corporate Social Responsibility Committee - Chairman	
Nature of expertise in specific functional area	Overall Business Expertise in Automobile Industry		

## **Resolution No.4**

Name	Ms. Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan	
Age	46 years	
DIN	02753843	
Qualification	MBA from Harvard; MFA in Film from New York University; and BA in Economics from Stella Maris College	

Experience and other details	Overall Experience of 15 years in Management, Administration, Marketing & Strategy		
Date of first appointment on the Board	12 <sup>th</sup> February 2020		
Shareholding in the Company	Nil		
Relationship with other Directors, Manager and other Key Managerial Personnel of the Company	Sister of Mr. Krishna Mahesh, Managing Director and Cousin to Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran, Director		
Number of meetings of the Board attended during the year	Not Applicable		
Other Directorships,	Directorship	Committee Membership	
Memberships / Chairmanship of Committees of other Boards	Nil	Nil	
Nature of expertise in specific functional area	Management, Administration, Marketing & Strategy		

#### II. THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR REMOTE E-VOTING ARE AS UNDER: -

• The remote e-Voting period begins on 07<sup>th</sup> August 2020 at 9:00 A.M. and ends on 09<sup>th</sup> August 2020 at 5:00 P.M. The remote e-Voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the shareholder, the shareholder shall not be allowed to change it subsequently.

#### How do I vote electronically using NSDL e-Voting system?

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

Step 1: Log-in to NSDL e-Voting system at https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/

Step 2: Cast your vote electronically on NSDL e-Voting system.

#### Details on Step 1 is mentioned below:

#### How to Log-in to NSDL e-Voting website?

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

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

4. Your User ID details are given below:

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

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

- c) If you are still unable to get the password by aforesaid two options, you can send a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in mentioning your demat account number/folio number, your PAN, your name and your registered address.
- d) Members can also use the OTP (One Time Password) based login for casting the votes on the e-Voting system of NSDL.
- 7. After entering your password, tick on Agree to "Terms and Conditions" by selecting on the check box.
- 8. Now, you will have to click on "Login" button.
- 9. After you click on the "Login" button, Home page of e-Voting will open.

#### Details on Step 2 is mentioned below:

#### How to cast your vote electronically on NSDL e-Voting system?

- 1. After successful login at Step 1, you will be able to see the Home page of e-Voting. Click on e-Voting. Then, click on Active Voting Cycles.
- 2. After click on Active Voting Cycles, you will be able to see all the companies "EVEN" in which you are holding shares and whose voting cycle is in active status.
- 3. Select "EVEN" of company for which you wish to cast your vote.
- 4. Now you are ready for e-Voting as the Voting page opens.
- 5. Cast your vote by selecting appropriate options i.e. assent or dissent, verify/modify the number of shares for which you wish to cast your vote and click on "Submit" and also "Confirm" when prompted.
- 6. Upon confirmation, the message "Vote cast successfully" will be displayed.
- 7. You can also take the printout of the votes cast by you by clicking on the print option on the confirmation page.
- 8. Once you confirm your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.

#### General Guidelines for shareholders

- Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are required to send scanned copy (PDF/JPG Format) of the relevant Board Resolution/Authority letter etc. with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory(ies) who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer by e-mail to vsureshpcs@gmail.com with a copy marked to evoting@nsdl.co.in.
- 2. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential. Login to the e-Voting website will be disabled upon five unsuccessful attempts to key in the correct password. In such an event, you will need to go through the "Forgot User Details / Password?" or "Physical User Reset Password?" option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com to reset the password.
- 3. In case of any queries, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Shareholders and e-Voting user manual for Shareholders available at the download section of **www.evoting.nsdl.com** or call on toll free no.: 1800-222-990 or send a request to (Name of NSDL Official) at **evoting@nsdl.co.in**.

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

- In case shares are held in physical mode please provide Folio No., Name of shareholder, scanned copy of the share certificate (front and back), PAN (self-attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self-attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) by email to kalyan@integrated.co.in
- In case shares are held in demat mode, please provide DPID-CLID (16 digit DPID + CLID or 16 digit beneficiary ID), Name, client master or copy of Consolidated Account statement, PAN (self-attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self-attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) to finance@sbl.com.
- 3. Alternatively member may send an e-mail request to **evoting@nsdl.co.in** for obtaining User ID and Password by proving the details mentioned in Point (1) or (2) as the case may be.

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

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

#### INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR ATTENDING THE AGM THROUGH VC/OAVM ARE AS UNDER:

- 1. Member will be provided with a facility to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM through the NSDL e-Voting system. Members may access the same at https://www.evoting.nsdl.com under shareholders/members login by using the remote e-voting credentials. The link for VC/OAVM will be available in shareholder/members login where the EVEN of Company will be displayed. Please note that the members who do not have the User ID and Password for e-Voting or have forgotten the User ID and Password may retrieve the same by following the remote e-Voting instructions mentioned in the notice to avoid last minute rush. Further members can also use the OTP based login for logging into the e-Voting system of NSDL.
- 2. The Members can join the AGM in the VC / OAVM mode 15 minutes before and after the scheduled time of the commencement of the Meeting by following the procedure mentioned in the Notice. The facility of participation at the AGM through VC / OAVM will be made available for 1000 members on first come first served basis. This will not include large Shareholders (Shareholders holding 2% or more shareholding), Promoters, Institutional Investors, Directors, Key Managerial Personnel, the Chairpersons of the Audit Committee, Nomination and Remuneration Committee and Stakeholders Relationship Committee, Auditors etc. who are allowed to attend the AGM without restriction on account of first come first served basis.

- 3. Members who would like to express their views or ask questions during the AGM may register themselves as a speaker by sending their request from their registered email address mentioning their name, DP ID and Client ID / folio number, PAN, mobile number at sblagm@tvssbl.com from July 27, 2020 (9:00 a.m. IST) to August 3, 2020 (5:00 p.m. IST). Those Members who have registered themselves as a speaker will only be allowed to express their views / ask questions during the AGM. The Company reserves the right to restrict the number of speakers depending on the availability of time for the AGM.
- 4. Members who need assistance before or during the AGM, can contact NSDL on evoting@nsdl.com or use Toll free No.1800-22-990 or Contact Mr. Amit Vishal, Senior Manager, NSDL at the designated email ID: evotoing@nsdl.com or Amitv@nsdl.com or telephone No.022-24994360 or Contact Ms. Pallavi Mhatre, Manager, NSDL at the designated email ID: evoting@nsdl.com or pallavid@nsdl.co.in or at telephone No.022-24994545.

#### III. Other Information:

- In case of any queries, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Shareholders and e-Voting user manual for Shareholders available at the Downloads section of www.evoting.nsdl.com.
- If you are already registered with NSDL for e-Voting then you can use your existing user ID and password / PIN for casting your vote.
- You can also update your mobile number and e-mail id in the user profile details of the folio which may be used for sending future communication(s).

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#### DIRECTORS' REPORT TO THE SHAREHOLDERS

Your Directors have pleasure in presenting the Forty Sixth Annual Report of the Company together with Audited Accounts for the year ended 31st March 2020.

FINANCIAL RESULTS: (₹ in lakhs				
Details	Year ended 31.03.2020	Year ended 31.03.2019		
Revenue from Operations	25,814.17	28,625.86		
Profit before interest, depreciation and tax	995.28	1,308.73		
Less : Interest	152.82	164.93		
Profit before depreciation and tax	842.46	1,143.80		
Less : Depreciation	542.33	494.50		
Profit before tax and exceptional items	300.13	649.30		
Add : Exceptional item	-	_		
Profit before tax	300.13	649.30		
Less : Provision for Taxation				
Current Tax	52.68	133.67		
Deferred Tax Liability / (Asset) (net)	(4.32)	(189.79)		
Profit after tax	251.77	705.42		
Add : Surplus / (Deficit) brought forward	1,236.10	530.68		
Less : Transfer to Other Comprehensive Income				
Surplus Carried over	1,487.87	1,236.10		

#### **AUTOMOBILE INDUSTRY SCENARIO-2019-20**

India's economic growth in 2019-20 was 4.2% with significant deceleration in the fourth quarter. The automotive industry demonstrated significant volatility and markedly different growth dynamics in each segment. While the CV segment displayed significant growth in the first half of the year unprecedented deceleration was recorded in the second half. Sales growth was muted in the 2W and non-existent for the passenger vehicle segment.

#### SBL'S SALES PERFORMANCE

Your company's net sales decreased by nearly 10% during the year 2019-20, as compared to financial year 2018-19, with a decrease of 18.2% in the domestic market and a marginal increase of 1.2% in the export market.

The suspension of operations and dispatches of goods from 24<sup>th</sup> of March 2020, due to the nation-wide lock down on account of COVID 19 outbreak contributed disproportionately to the decreased turnover. It would, however, be inaccurate to blame the entire decline on the pandemic and the restrictions that flowed from it. While the company has managed to be selected to supply friction for nearly every commercial vehicle model in the BS VI range, the poor national economic indicators, the reduction in demand for new haulage capacity, and the upcoming model changes caused a record fall in CV sales. This can be seen from the significant decrease of 28.9% in OE Sales.

Net sales for the year 2019-20 were therefore ₹ 253.62 crores as against ₹ 281.29 crores in the previous year.

#### **EXPORTS**

Exports constitute nearly half your company's revenue and while the US market demonstrated robust demand during the year under consideration, due to restrictions on dispatch of orders in the last 10 days of the FY, there was only a marginal increase of 1.2% in net Export sales during the FY 2019-20.

Net Foreign Exchange earned by your company in the year under review was ₹ 88.40 crores as against ₹ 84.02 crores in 2018-19.

Your Company was accredited with Two Star Export House status in accordance with the provisions of Foreign Trade Policy, 2015-2020, with a certificate issued by the Director General of Foreign Trade, Chennai for a period of five years from 9<sup>th</sup> March, 2018 to 8<sup>th</sup> March, 2023.

#### **EFFORTS & INITIATIVES TAKEN**

Measures taken to reduce Raw material loss in production and energy conservation continue to yield benefits. Your Company continues to take steps to increase share of existing customers, and to add new customers and new products both in Domestic and Export markets.

#### DIVIDEND

It was expected that Your Company would close the year with significantly improved profits, considering first half revenue and PBT trends. However, lack lustre second-half domestic CV demand coupled with suspension of operations and dispatches in the last 10 days of March 2020, has impacted the performance of the year resulting in PBT of ₹ 300.13 lacs for the FY 2019-20.

Your Directors are constrained to skip Dividend for the year, keeping in mind uncertain times ahead. Your Directors assure you that various steps are being taken to improve the performance of the Company.

#### **OUTLOOK FOR 2020-21 IN THE CONTEXT OF COVID-19 PANDEMIC**

The COVID-19 Pandemic and consequent lockdowns of the Nation has caused a significant shock to the Indian Economy and various rating agencies estimate that India may witness GDP contraction of 5% in 2020-21 and that it may take up to two years before normal growth is restored.

The nationwide lockdown declared from 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2020 led to stoppage of operations in your company resulting in loss of production and dispatch in the last week of March 2020 impacting the performance of the Company.

With restrictions for resumption of operations from commencement of 2<sup>nd</sup> lockdown, concerted efforts were made to obtain necessary approvals from the Government to resume operations at the earliest possible date to meet customer orders. Extraordinary efforts were made to safely mobilize manpower and resume operations as soon as possible wherever possible. With continuing Governmental restrictions on manpower, and slow resumptions of operation by our domestic customers, operations are focused mainly on catering to existing Export orders and reduced OE& Domestic After Market orders.

The short term outlook for the Indian economy is rather grim and domestic sales are expected to decline substantially which will have a knock on effect on your company's production & sales. SBL has built its exports to nearly 50% of its revenue which has helped sustain operations at tolerable utilization levels from May 2020. In order to cope with this unprecedented crisis, your company has taken a number of steps to reduce fixed costs through right sizing the operation and improvements in Machines& Methods.

With economic visibility significantly limited by unprecedented uncertainty, agile and dynamic responses will be demanded to manage the volatile situation. Your company will take all necessary measures to handle the impact of the economic deceleration and underutilization of capacity, and to staunch and contain losses in the current financial year. At the same time, we will continue with essential modernization and product development to ensure that we emerge from this COVID-19 crisis with improved capabilities and renewed vigor, purpose, and resolve.

#### RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT:

Your Company's R&D facility located in Padi has been recognized as an approved R&D unit by the Department of Scientific & Industrial Research (DSIR), Ministry of Science & Technology, Government of India, New Delhi, and the recognition is valid up to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2021.

During the year under review, thrust was given for development of new products, viz., Commercial Vehicle Linings & Clutch Facings both for new and existing customers. Efforts for achieving reduction in energy costs were continued in the year under review.

The total expenditure for R&D incurred in 2019-20 was ₹ 12.16 crores as against ₹ 9.96 crores in the previous year.

#### PUBLIC DEPOSITS

Your Company does not hold any deposit from the public.

#### **BOARD MEETINGS**

The Board of Directors of the Company met four times during the financial year.

Audit Committee and Stakeholders' Relationship Committee of the Board of Directors met four times during the year.

Nomination and Remuneration Committee met three times during the year and Corporate Social Responsibility Committee of the Board of Directors met once during the year.

#### **DIRECTORS**

During the year, the Board has filled the vacancy caused by demise of Late chairman, Mr. K Mahesh by appointing Ms. Shobhana Ramachandran as Director of the Company.

Mr. K Ramesh, Director tendered his resignation w.e.f 12<sup>th</sup> August 2020 and the resultant vacancy was filled by the Board of Directors on 12<sup>th</sup> February 2020 by appointing Ms. Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan as Director of the Company.

Their appointment requires approval of shareholders in the ensuing Annual General Meeting. The resolutions for approval of appointment of Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran & Ms. Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan as Directors are included in the notice of the Annual General Meeting.

Mr. Krishna Mahesh, Director of the Company who retires by rotation and being eligible for re-appointment offers himself for re-appointment as Director of the Company for approval by the Shareholders of the Company by an Ordinary Resolution.

#### **DECLARATION FROM INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS ON ANNUAL BASIS**

The Company has received necessary declaration from all Independent Directors of the Company under Section 149(7) of the Companies Act, 2013 that the Independent Directors of the Company meet with the criteria of their Independence laid down in Section 149 (6) of the Act. The format of the Disclosure is given as Annexure I.

#### VIGIL MECHANISM

The Company adopted a Whistle Blower Policy establishing vigil mechanism to provide a formal mechanism to the Directors and employees to report their concerns about unethical behavior, actual or suspected fraud or violation of the Company's Code of Conduct or ethics policy. The Policy provides for adequate safeguards against victimization of employees who avail 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. The policy of Vigil mechanism is available on the Company's website **www.tvsbrakelinings.com**.

No complaint has been received from any employee since inception of the vigil mechanism.

#### **MATERIAL CHANGES & COMMITMENTS**

There are no material changes and commitments affecting the financial position of the company which have occurred between the end of the financial year (FY 2019-20) of the Company to which the financial statements relate and date of the report.

#### DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

In pursuance of Section 134(5) of the Companies Act 2013, your Directors confirm:

- 1. that in the preparation of the Annual Accounts, the applicable Indian Accounting Standards (Ind-AS) have been followed;
- 1. that they 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;
- that they have taken proper and sufficient care for the maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of this Act for safeguarding the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities;
- 3. that they had prepared the annual accounts on a going concern basis;
- 4. they had laid down internal financial controls to be followed by the Company and that such internal financial controls are adequate and were operating effectively; and
- 5. 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.

# INFORMATION ABOUT THE FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE / FINANCIAL POSITION OF THE SUBSIDIARIES / ASSOCIATES / JV AND INFORMATION ABOUT SUBSIDIARY / JV / ASSOCIATE COMPANY

There is no Subsidiary or Associate Company or JV and hence these are not applicable.

#### **EXTRACT OF ANNUAL RETURN**

As required pursuant to Section 92(3) of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 12 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 an extract of Annual Return in Form No. MGT 9 as a part of this Annual Report is given in Annexure II.

#### **STATUTORY AUDITORS**

M/s. Brahmayya & Co., Chartered Accountants, Chennai having registration number 000511S were appointed as Statutory Auditors of the Company for a period of 5 years in the 43<sup>rd</sup> AGM held on 4<sup>th</sup> August 2017 till the conclusion of the 48<sup>th</sup> AGM.

#### SECRETARIAL STANDARDS & SECRETARIAL AUDIT

Your Directors confirm that Your Company has complied with the Secretarial Standards of Board Meeting (SS-1) and General Meetings (SS-2) during the year 2019-20.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 204 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 9 of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules 2014, the Company appointed Mr. V Suresh, Practising Company Secretary to undertake the Secretarial Audit. The Secretarial Audit Report for the Financial Year 2019-20 is annexed to this report as an Annexure III.

#### **QUALIFICATIONS IN AUDIT REPORTS**

Explanations or comments by the Board on every qualification, reservation or adverse remark or disclaimer made -

- (a) by the Statutory auditor in his report; and
- (b) by the Company Secretary in practice in his Secretarial audit report.

Not applicable as there are no qualifications in Statutory Auditors' Report and in Secretarial Auditors' report.

#### **COST AUDIT**

Cost Audit is not applicable to the Company from the Financial Year 2014-15 based on the amended Companies (Cost Audit & Record) Rules 2014 dated 31<sup>st</sup> December 2014 issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Goyt, of India.

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

#### A. CONSERVATION OF ENERGY

- (a) Energy conservation measures taken during 2019-20
  - Optimization of motor power to reduce the electrical energy consumption in Presses.at Plant 5
  - Horizontal replication of heating method being carried out for optimization of heating and to reduce
  - Redesign of layout / regrouping of machines / redesign, resizing of machines being carried out to reduce the usage of power & manpower.
- (b) Impact of the above measures:
  - The measures taken above have helped in reducing electrical energy and Fuel cost and would continue to help in reducing the energy cost in the months to come.

#### **B. TECHNOLOGY ABSORPTION**

- a) Technology measures taken during 2019-20:
  - Acquired new process Technology from Japan for development of products for Heavy Duty Commercial vehicle.
- b) Impact of above measures:
  - Initial supplies started for the uncovered market segments.

Research & Development (R&D)

- (1) Specific areas in which R&D carried out by the company
  - Developed and obtained approval from domestic OEMs for Drum Brake Lining for BS6 Heavy commercial vehicle applications with enhanced axle loads.

- Developed and obtained approval from domestic OEMs for Drum Brake Lining for BS6 Light commercial vehicle applications.
- Developed and added new features to android based vehicle data acquisition system DEFCON
   (Driver Experience of Friction conditions) and collected actual field duty cycle data for understanding
   and improving the performance of the new and existing products.

#### (2) Benefits derived as a result of the above

- Continued recognition of in-house R&D by Department of Scientific and Industrial Research (DSIR),
   Government of India valid up to 31.03.2021.
- Reduction in Raw material costs through upgradation in quality and yield improvement.
- Obtained approval and commercialized LCV disc pads for domestic OEM applications.
- Commercialized liner for Export market "Reduced Stopping Distance" applications.

#### (3) Future Plan of action

- Development of Disc pads and Drum brake linings for various new vehicle applications for Domestic OEMs.
- Development of Disc pads with "Reduced Copper content" for Export applications to meet upcoming Regulatory requirements.
- (3) Development of Woven Clutch Facings for medium and heavy commercial vehicle OEM applications.
- (4) Development of friction lined shoes for new generation two wheelers

#### (4) Expenditure on R&D

(₹ in lakhs)

SI.	Particulars Particulars	Financi	al Year
No.	i ai ticulais	2019-20	2018-19
Α	Capital	28.95	60.26
В	Revenue	1,186.99	935.38
С	Total	1,215.94	995.64
D	Total R & D expenses as % of total turnover	4.7%	3.4%

#### C. TECHNOLOGY ABSORPTION, ADAPTATION AND INNOVATION

#### 1. Efforts in brief, made towards technology absorption, adaptation and innovation

- SBL developed high damping composite matrix technology for meeting end user NVH requirements without compromising performance and life.
- Process optimization for Quality Improvement.
- Product and Process improvement by bench marking the product against global leaders.

#### 2. Benefits derived as a result of the above efforts

- Development of superior and competitive products for export and domestic markets.
- Quality upgradation and optimal use of resources leading to substantial savings.

#### D. FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNINGS AND OUTGO

(₹ in lakhs)

SI.	Particulars -	Financial Year		
No.	T ut technis	2019-20	2018-19	
Α	Foreign Exchange earned	12,472.53	12,096.28	
В	Foreign Exchange used	3,632.20	3,694.03	
С	Net Foreign Exchange earned (a-b)	8,840.33	8,402.25	

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

During the year 2019-20, no significant and material orders were passed by the Regulators or Courts or Tribunals impacting the going concern status and company's operations in future.

#### INTERNAL FINANCIAL CONTROLS

The Board and the Audit Committee have been reviewing the Internal Financial controls and strengthening the same. Further Audit Committee periodically reviews the Internal Audit Reports and suggestions and corrective actions are implemented.

#### PARTICULARS OF LOANS, GUARANTEES OR INVESTMENTS

During the year, the Company has not given any loan (Secured or Unsecured) and had not given any guarantee or provided any security to any person.

## STATEMENT OF COMPLAINTS IN RELATION TO THE SEXUAL HARASSMENT OF WOMEN AT WORKPLACE (PREVENTION, PROHIBITION AND REDRESSAL) ACT, 2013

There was no complaint during the Financial year ended March 31, 2020.

#### **RISK MANAGEMENT**

The Risk Management policy adopted by the Board formalizes the Company's approach to overview and manage material business risks.

All the risks associated with the business of the Company have been taken care of by taking adequate measures by the Company, which have been reviewed by the Audit committee and the Board in their meetings held from time to time.

#### **CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY (CSR)**

The Company has undertaken activities as per the CSR Policy (available on the Company's website <a href="https://www.tvsbrakelinings.com/images/assets/pdf/SBL%20CSR%20Policy.pdf">https://www.tvsbrakelinings.com/images/assets/pdf/SBL%20CSR%20Policy.pdf</a> and the Annual report on CSR activities is enclosed vide Annexure - III forming part of this report.

#### RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

All the related party transactions entered by the Company are normal business transactions entered in the ordinary course of business and are on arm's length basis. The company has been following a policy of getting omnibus approval for the Related Party Transactions (RPTs) from the Audit Committee.

The actual RPTs entered were approved by the Audit Committee and by the Board at the quarterly meetings during the Financial Year 2019-20. The policy on Related Party Transactions, as approved by the Board is uploaded on the Company's website.

Particulars of Contracts or Arrangements with Related parties referred to in Section 188(1) in form AOC-2 are furnished as Annexure V.

#### **IUSTIFICATION FOR ENTERING INTO RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

The Company's Related Party Transactions have been made to meet the requirements of operations and at an arm's length basis and have been entered in the ordinary course of business.

#### **BOARD EVALUATION**

In terms of Section 134 (3) (p) of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 4(2)(f) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015, the Board reviewed and evaluated its own performance from the following perspectives:

- (a) Company Performance;
- (a) Risk management;
- (b) Corporate Ethics;
- (c) Performance of the Individual Directors: and
- (d) Performance of the Committees, viz., Audit Committee, Nomination and Remuneration Committee (NRC) and Corporate Social Responsibility Committee & Stakeholders' Relationship Committee (SRC).

The Board upon evaluation considered that the Board is well balanced and diverse and is commensurate with the business profile and size of the Company.

The Board, after discussion and review, noted with satisfaction of its own performance and that of its Committees and individual Directors.

#### **RATIO OF REMUNERATION OF DIRECTOR**

As per Section 197 (12) of the Companies Act 2013 read with Rule 5 of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules 2014, the details of Ratio of Remuneration to each Director to the median employee's remuneration is furnished as Annexure VI.

#### PARTICULARS OF EMPLOYEES

No employee of the Company was in receipt of remuneration of not less than ₹ 1.02 crores during the year or ₹ 8.50 lakhs per month during any part of the said year as per Section 197 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 5 (2) of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules 2014.

#### LISTING WITH STOCK EXCHANGES

The Company confirms that it has paid the Annual Listing Fees for the year 2020-21 to National Stock Exchange, where the company's shares are listed.

#### SUNDARAM BRAKE LININGS LIMITED

#### **CORPORATE GOVERNANCE**

Your company has taken adequate steps to adhere to all the conditions laid down in SEBI (Listing obligations and disclosure requirements) regulations, 2015 with respect to Corporate Governance. A report on Corporate Governance is included as a part of this annual report as Annexure VII.

A Certificate from the Statutory Auditors of the Company confirming the compliance of conditions of Corporate Governance as stipulated in SEBI (Listing obligations and disclosure requirements) regulations, 2015 forms part of this Annual report.

The Managing Director and the Chief Financial officer of the Company have certified to the Board the financial statements and other matters in accordance with the Regulation 17(8) of the SEBI (Listing obligations and disclosure requirements) regulations, 2015 pertaining to CEO / CFO certification for the financial year ended 31st March 2020.

#### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

Your Directors wish to thank State Bank of India for their continued support and assistance.

Your Directors wish to thank all the Customers, the Wholesalers both in India and worldwide for their continued support.

Your Directors wish to place on record their sincere appreciation for the good work of all the employees.

For and on behalf of the Board

T KANNAN KRISHNA MAHESH
Place: Chennai Director Managing Director
Date: June 27, 2020 (DIN: 00040674) (DIN: 00420048)

#### **ANNEXURE - I**

## SPECIMEN COPY OF DECLARATION FROM INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS ON ANNUAL BASIS

The Board of Directors,
M/s SUNDARAM BRAKE LININGS LIMITED

Dear Sir(s)

I undertake to comply with the conditions laid down in the Regulation 25 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015 read with Section 149 and Schedule IV of the Companies Act, 2013 in relation to conditions of Independence and in particular:

- 1. I declare that upto the date of this Certificate, apart from receiving Director's remuneration, I did not have any material pecuniary relationship or transactions with the Company, its Promoter, its Directors, Senior Management or its Holding Company, its Subsidiary and Associates as named in the Annexure thereto which may affect my independence as Director on the Board of the Company. I further declare that I will not enter into any such relationship / transactions. However, if and when I intend to enter into such relationship / transactions, whether material or non-material, I shall keep prior approval of the Board. I agree that I shall cease to be an Independent Director from the date of entering into such relationship / transaction.
- 2. I declare that I am not related to promoters or persons occupying management positions at the Board level or at one level below the board and also have not been executive of the Company in the immediately preceding three financial years.
- 3. I was not a partner or an executive or was also not partner or executive during the preceding three years, of any of the following:
  - (a) the statutory audit firm or the internal audit firm that is associated with the Company and
  - (b) The legal firm(s) and consulting firm(s) that have a material association with the Company.
- 4. I have not been a material supplier, service provider or customer or lessor or lessee of the Company, which may affect independence of the director and was not a substantial shareholder of the Company i.e owning two percent or more of the block of voting shares.
- 5. I further declare that I will
  - (a) adhere to the standards as set out in the Code for Independent Directors as provided under Schedule IV of the Act:
  - (b) Furnish such declaration at the first meeting of the Board in every financial year or whenever there is any change in the circumstances, which may affect my status as an Independent Director, stating that I meet the criteria of independence in terms of the aforesaid provisions of the statutes.

Thanking you,

Yours Faithfully,
Name
(Independent director)

Place : Chennai Date : June 27, 2020

## ANNEXURE - II FORM NO. MGT-9

#### **EXTRACT OF ANNUAL RETURN**

## as on the Financial year ended on 31st March 2020

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

#### I. REGISTRATION AND OTHER DETAILS

CIN	L34300TN1974PLC006703
Registration Date	05.09.1974
Name of the Company	Sundaram Brake Linings Limited
Category / Sub-category of the Company	Public Limited Company
Address of the Registered office and contact details	Padi, Chennai - 600 050 Mr. S Ramabadran, Chief Financial Officer & Company Secretary Phone: +91 44 26257853 Fax: +91 44 26254770 Email: srb@tvssbl.com
Whether listed company	Yes
Name, Address and Contact details of Registrar and Transfer Agent	Integrated Registry Management Services Private Limited No.1, Ramakrishna Street, Kences Towers, North Usman Road, T. Nagar, Chennai - 600 017 Phone: +91 44 28140801 - 803 Fax : +91 44 28142479 Email: corpserv@integratedindia.in

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

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

SI. No.	Name and Description of main product	NIC Code of the Product	% on total turnover of the Company
1	Brake Linings, Clutch Facings, Disc Brake Pads, etc.	29301	100%

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

The Company does not have any Holding Company or Subsidiary Company or Associate Company.

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

## i) Category-wise Shareholding

		No. of shares held at the			No. of shares held at the			%		
	Category of Shareholders		beginning	of the year			end of	the year		Change
			Physical	Total	% of Total Shares	Demat	Physical	Total	% of Total Shares	during the year
A	Shareholding of Promoter and Promoter Group									
1) a. b. c.	Indian Individual / Hindu Undivided Family Central Government State Government	8,97,911 -	-	8,97,911 -	22.82	8,97,911	-	8,97,911	22.82	-
d. e.	Bodies Corporate Financial Institutions / Banks	16,80,873 -	- -	16,80,873 -	42.72	16,80,873 -	- -	16,80,873	42.72	- -
f.	Any other (specify) <b>Sub Total A (1)</b>	25 70 704	_	25 70 704	65.54	25,78,784	_	25 70 704	65.54	_
2)	Foreign	25,78,784	-	25,78,784	65.54	25,/8,/84	-	25,78,784	65.54	-
a. b. c.	Individual (Non resident / foreign) Bodies corporate Institutions	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
d. e.	Qualified Foreign Investor Any other (specify)	-	- -	_ _	_	_ _	- -	-	- -	- -
	Sub Total A (2)	ı	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	-
	Total Shareholding of Promoter and Promoter Group (A) = A (1) + A (2)	25,78,784	-	25,78,784	65 54	25,78,784		25,78,784	65.54	
B 1) a. b.	Public Shareholding Institutions Mutual funds / UTI Financial Institutions / Banks	- -	- 50	- 50	-	- 11	-	- 11	- -	-
c. d. e. f.	Central Government State Government Venture Capital Funds Insurance Companies	- - - 22,184	- - -	- - 22,184	- - 0.56	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
g. h. i.	Foreign Institutional Investors Foreign Venture Capital Investors Qualified Foreign Investor Any other (specify)	- - -	- - -		0.50 - - -	- - - -	- - -	- - -	- - - -	- - - -
J.	Sub Total B (1)	22,184	50	22,234	0.57	11	_	11	_	(0.57)
2) a. b.	Non-Institutions Bodies Corporate (Indian/Foreign/Oversees) Individuals (Resident/NRI/Foreign National) (i) Individual shareholders holding Nominal	75,367	454	75,821	1.93	62,295	354	62,649	1.59	-
	share capital upto ₹ 1 Lakh  (ii) Individual shareholders holding Nominal	10,68,046	1,04,532	11,72,578	29.80	10,56.798	88,801	11,45,599	29.12	-
c.	share capital above ₹ 1 Lakh Any other (specify)	45,645	-	45,645	1.16	, '	-	95,025	2.42	-
	Cléaring Member Investor Education and Protection Fund Limited Liability Partnership Trust	1,338 35,859 2,175 141	- - -	1,338 35,859 2,175 141	0.03 0.91 0.06 0.00	47,619 2,175	- - - -	2469 47,619 2,175 244		- - -
	Sub Total B (2)	12,28,571	1,04,986	13,33,557	33.89	12,66,625	89,155	13,55,780	34.46	0.57
	Total Public Share Holding $(B) = B(1) + B(2)$	12,50,755				12,66,636		13,55,791	34.46	_
	Total (A) + (B)	38,29,539	1,05,036	39,34,575	100.00	38,45,420	89,155	39,34,575	100.00	_
С	Shares held by Custodians and against which Depository Receipts have been issued	-	-	-	_	-	_	-	-	-
	GRAND TOTAL $(A) + (B) + (C)$	38,29,539	1,05,036	39,34,575	100.00	38,45,420	89,155	39,34,575	100.00	_

#### ii) Shareholding of Promoters

			areholding at inning of the			areholding at	ar	%
SI. No.	Shareholder's Name	No. of Shares	% of total Shares of the Company	% of Shares Pledged / encumbered to total Shares	No. of Shares	% of total Shares of the Company	% of Shares Pledged / encumbered to total Shares	Change during the year
1	M/s. T V Sundram Iyengar & Sons Private Limited	5,52,955	14.05	-	5,52,955	14.05	-	_
2	M/s. Southern Roadways Private Limited	4,78,500	12.16	-	4,78,500	12.16	-	-
3	Mr. Mahesh K*	54,409*	1.38	-	54,409*	1.38	-	-
4	M/s. Sundaram Industries Private Limited	2,53,835	6.45	-	2,53,835	6.45	-	-
5	M/s. Alagar Farms (P) Ltd	1,95,895	4.98	-	1,95,895	4.98	-	-
6	M/s. Rajarajeswari Farms (P) Ltd	1,77,988	4.52	-	1,77,988	4.53	-	-
7	Mr. Krishna Mahesh	5,44,608	13.84	-	5,44,608	13.84	-	_
8	Mr. K Ramesh	1,10,081	2.80	-	1,10,081	2.80	-	-
9	Mr. Suresh Krishna – HUF	1,00,000	2.54	-	1,00,000	2.54	-	_
10	Ms. Shrimathi Mahesh	57,412	1.46	-	57,412	1.46	-	_
11	M/s. TVS Upasana Limited	13,900	0.35	-	13,900	0.35	-	_
12	Ms. Urmila Ramesh	11,049	0.28	-	11,049	0.28	-	-
13	Ms. Mridula Ramesh	10,092	0.26	-	10,092	0.26	-	_
14	Ms. Mala Ramesh	9,570	0.24	-	9,570	0.24	-	_
15	M/s. Sundram Fasteners Investments Limited	7,800	0.20	-	7,800	0.20	-	-
16	Mr. Suresh Krishna	480	0.01	-	480	0.01	-	_
17	Ms. Arathi Krishna	120	0.00	-	120	0.00	-	_
18	Ms. Usha Krishna	90	0.00	_	90	0.02	-	_
	Total shareholding	25,78,784	65.54		25,78,784	65.54		

<sup>\*</sup> Mr. Mahesh K, Shareholder (Promoter Group) passed away on 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2019 and Corresponding Shares are pending Transmission.

**iii)** Change in Promoters' Shareholding: There are no changes in promoters' shareholding during 2019-20:

## (iv) Shareholding pattern of top ten shareholders (other than Directors, Promoters and Holders of GDRs and ADRS):

and ADRS):							
SI.	Shareholder's Name	beginning	res held at the g of the year	during	Shareholding the year		
No.	Shareholder's Name	No. of Shares	% of total Shares of the Company	No. of Shares	% of total Shares of the Company		
1	INVESTOR EDUCATION AND PROTE	ECTION FUND A	UTHORITY				
	PAN : EXEMPTCATG		1				
	Opening Balance as on 01/04/2019	35,859	0.91				
	27/09/2019	12,130	0.31	47,989	1.22		
	07/02/2020	(370)	-0.009	47,619	1.21		
	Closing Balance as on 31/03/2020			47,619	1.21		
2	BHAVANA GOVINDBHAI DESAI PAN : ABKPD4860C						
	Opening Balance as on 01/04/2019	31,645	0.80				
	Closing Balance as on 31/03/2020			31,645	0.80		
3	GENERAL INSURANCE CORPORATION PAN: AAACG0615N	ON OF INDIA					
	Opening Balance as on 01/04/2019	22,184	0.56				
	05/04/2019	-1244	-0.032	20,940	0.532		
	12/04/2019	-1803	-0.046	19,137	0.486		
	26/04/2019	-1356	-0.034	17,781	0.452		
	31/05/2019	-17781	-0.452	_	_		
	Closing Balance as on 31/03/2020			_	_		
4	OM PRAKASH RAWAT PAN : ADJPR7243J						
	Opening Balance as on 01/04/2019	14,000	0.36				
	Closing Balance as on 31/03/2020			14,000	0.36		
5	SHAI-LA INVESTMENT & FINANCIAL PAN : AACCS8547D	CONSULTANTS	PRI				
	Opening Balance as on 01/04/2019	13,900	0.35				
	Closing Balance as on 31/03/2020			13,900	0.35		
6	Goldview Financial Services Ltd PAN: AABCG9762D						
	Opening Balance as on 01/04/2019	10,287	0.26				
	Closing Balance as on 31/03/2020			10,287	0.26		
7	BHADRESH MODI PAN : AABPM2575R						
	Opening Balance as on 01/04/2019	9,500	0.24				
	20/03/2020	500	0.013	10,000	0.25		
	27/03/2020	500	0.013	10,500	0.27		
	Closing Balance as on 31/03/2020			10,500	0.27		

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

SI.	Shareholder's Name		es held at the of the year	Cumulative Shareholding during the year		
No.		No. of Shares	% of total Shares of the Company	No. of Shares	% of total Shares of the Company	
8	KIRAN ROONGTA PAN : AAEPR0239C					
	Opening Balance as on 01/04/2019	9,300	0.24			
	05/04/2019	500	0.013	9,800	0.25	
	12/04/2019	200	0.005	10,000	0.25	
	27/12/2019	-100	-0.003	9,900	0.25	
	03/01/2020	100	0.003	10,000	0.25	
	10/01/2020	1177	0.030	11,177	0.28	
	17/01/2020	-177	-0.004	11,000	0.28	
	Closing balance as on 31/03/2020			11,000	0.28	
9	ULLHAS C PAYMASTER PAN : AAGHP0736E					
	Opening Balance as on 01/04/2019	9,100	0.23			
	Closing Balance as on 31/03/2020			9,100	0.23	
10	JAYANTILAL PANACHAND HARIA PAN : AAEHS5268J					
	Opening Balance as on 01/04/2019	8,965	0.23			
	Closing Balance as on 30/03/2020			8,965	0.23	

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

SI.	Shareholder's Name		ling at the of the year	Cumulative Shareholding during the year		
No.	Shareholder 3 Name	No. of Shares	% of total Shares of the Company	No. of Shares	% of total Shares of the Company	
1.	Mr. P S RAMAN					
	Opening Balance as on 01/04/2019	169	0.00	169	0.00	
	Closing Balance as on 31/03/2020			169	0.00	
2.	Mr T KANNAN					
	Opening Balance as on 01/04/2019	50	0.00	50	0.00	
	Closing Balance as on 31/03/2020			50	0.00	
3.	Mr K S D SAMBASIVAM					
	Opening Balance as on 01/04/2019	5	0.00			
	Closing Balance as on 31/03/2020			5	0.00	

## Key Managerial Personnel:

#### 1. Mr KRISHNA MAHESH, Managing Director

١.	MI KKISI IIVA MAI ILSI I, Managing Director						
	Opening Balance as on 01/04/2019	5,44,608	13.84				
	Closing Balance as on 31/03/2020			5,44,608	13.84		
2.	Mr S RAMABADRAN, Chief Financia	l Officer & Compan	y Secretary				
	Opening Balance as on 01/04/2019	0	0.00				
	Closing Balance as on 31/03/2020			0	0.00		

#### VI. INDEBTEDNESS

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

(₹ in Lakhs)

Particulars Particulars	Secured Loans	Unsecured	Deposits	Total
	excluding deposits	Loans		Indebtedness
Indebtedness at the beginning of the financial year				
i) Principal Amount	3,338.05	_	_	3,338.05
ii) Interest due but not paid	-	_	-	-
iii) Interest accrued but not Due	-	_	-	-
Total (i + ii + iii)	3,338.05	-	-	3,338.05
Change in Indebtedness during the financial year				
Addition	-	_	-	-
Reduction	927.85	_	_	927.85
Net Change	-	-	-	-
Indebtedness at the end of the financial year				
i) Principal Amount	2,400.99	_	_	2,400.99
ii) Interest due but not paid	-	_	_	-
iii) Interest accrued but not due	9.21	_	_	9.21
Total (i + ii + iii)	2,410.20	_	_	2,410.20

#### VII. REMUNERATION OF DIRECTORS AND KEY MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL

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

(₹ in Lakhs)

SI.	Particulars of	Mr Krishna Mahesh,	Total
No.	Remuneration	Managing Director	Total
1.	Gross salary		
	(a) Salary as per provisions contained in Section 17(1) of the	100.00	106.60
	Income-tax Act, 1961	106.68	106.68
	(b) Value of perquisites under Section 17(2) of the Income-tax Act, 1961	_	-
	(c) Profits in lieu of salary under Section 17(3) of the Income-tax Act, 1961	_	-
2.	Stock Option – –		
3.	Sweat Equity – –		
4.	Commission - as % of profit	_	-
	- others, specify	_	-
5.	Others, please specify	-	-
	Total (A)	106.68	106.68
	Ceiling as per the Act	₹ 84 lakhs plus PF ₹ 10.08 lakhs & Super totaling to ₹	rannuation ₹ 12.60 lakhs

#### **B.** Remuneration to other Directors:

(in ₹)

Particulars of Remuneration		Name of the Directors						
Independent Directors	Mr T Kannan	Mr P S Raman	Mr Ashok V Chowgule	Mr K S Ranganathan	Mr K S D Sambasivam	Ms Sandhya Subramanyam		
• Fee for attending board / committee meetings	10,000	15,000	55,000	75,000	40,000	20,000	2,15,000	
Total (1)	10,000	15,000	55,000	75,000	40,000	20,000	2,15,000	
Other Non-Executive Directors  • Fee for attending Board / Committee Meetings	Ms Shobhana Ramachandhran	Mr K Ramesh 5,000					15,000	
Total (2)	10,000	5,000					15,000	
Total (B)=(1) + (2)	20,000	20,000	55,000	75,000	40,000	20,000	2,30,000	
Total Managerial Remuneration	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Overall Ceiling as per the Act		Not Applicable						

## C. Remuneration to Key Managerial Personnel other than MD / Manager / WTD:

(₹ in Lakhs)

CI.		Key	Managerial Person	nel
SI. No.	Particulars of Remuneration	CEO	CFO & Company Secretary	Total
1.	Gross salary			
	(a) Salary as per provisions contained in Section 17(1) of the Income-tax Act, 1961	-	43.57	43.57
	(b) Value of perquisites under Section 17(2) of the Income-tax Act, 1961	-	_	-
	(c) Profits in lieu of salary under Section 17(3) of the Income-tax Act, 1961	-	_	-
2.	Stock Option	_	_	_
3.	Sweat Equity	_	_	_
4.	Commission			
	- as % of profit	-	-	-
	- others, specify	-	_	
5.	Others, please specify	_	_	_
	Total	-	43.57	43.57

#### VIII. PENALTIES / PUNISHMENT/ COMPOUNDING OF OFFENCES

### NIL / NOT APPLICABLE

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

#### For and on behalf of the Board

T KANNAN KRISHNA MAHESH Place: Chennai Director Managing Director Date: June 27, 2020 (DIN: 00040674) (DIN: 00420048)

## ANNEXURE - III

Form No. MR-3

#### SECRETARIAL AUDIT REPORT

For the Financial Year 2019-20

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

To,

The Members,

#### M/s. SUNDARAM BRAKE LININGS LIMITED

I have conducted the Secretarial Audit of the compliance of applicable statutory provisions and the adherence to good corporate practices by **M/s. Sundaram Brake Linings Limited (hereinafter called the company).** Secretarial Audit was conducted in a manner that provided me a reasonable basis for evaluating the corporate conducts / statutory compliances and expressing my opinion thereon.

Based on my verification of the **M/s. Sundaram Brake Linings Limited** 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 authorized representatives during the conduct of secretarial audit, the explanations and clarifications given to us and the representations made by the Management and considering the relaxations granted by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs and Securities and Exchange Board of India warranted due to the spread of the COVID-19 pandemic,I hereby report that in my opinion, the Company has, during the audit period covering the financial year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020, complied with the statutory provisions listed hereunder and also that the Company has proper Board-processes and compliance-mechanism in place to the extent, in the manner and subject to the reporting made hereinafter:

I have examined the books, papers, minute books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by **M/s. Sundaram Brake Linings Limited** ("the Company") for the financial year ended on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020 according to the provisions of:

- (i) The Companies Act, 2013 (the Act) and the rules made there under;
- (ii) The Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956 ('SCRA') and the rules made there under;
- (iii) The Depositories Act, 1996 and the Regulations and Bye-laws framed there under;
- (iv) Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 and the rules and regulations made there under to the extent of Foreign Direct Investment, Overseas Direct Investment and External Commercial Borrowings (no events during the audit period);
- (v) The following Regulations and Guidelines prescribed under the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act. 1992 ('SEBI Act'):-
  - (a) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011;
  - (b) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;

- (c) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations,
   2018 and amendments from time to time (no events during the audit period);
- (d) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits) Regulations, 2014 (no events during the audit period);
- (e) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Debt Securities) Regulations, 2008 (no events during the audit period);
- (f) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Registrars to an Issue and Share Transfer Agents) Regulations, 1993 regarding the Companies Act and dealing with client (Not applicable as the Company is not registered as Registrar to an Issue and Share Transfer Agent during the financial year under review);
- (g) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Delisting of Equity Shares) Regulations, 2009; (no events during the audit period);
- (h) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 2018 (no events during the audit period).

Other Laws specifically applicable to this Company is as follows:

(vi) Legal Metrology Act, 2009.

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

- (i) Secretarial Standards issued by The Institute of Company Secretaries of India.
- (ii) Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

I further report that the Board of Directors of the Company is duly constituted with proper balance of Executive Directors, Non-Executive Directors and Independent Directors. The changes in the composition of the Board of Directors that took place during the period under review were carried out in compliance with the provisions of the Act.

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

Majority decision is carried through while the dissenting members' views are captured and recorded as part of the minutes.

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

V SURESH
Practising Company Secretary
FCS No. 2969
C.P.No. 6032
UDIN:F002969B000367751

Place: Chennai Date: 23.06.2020

# ANNEXURE IV ANNUAL REPORT ON CSR

#### Brief Outline of the company's CSR Policy

The Company has framed a CSR Policy in compliance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the same is placed on the Company's website.

# Our social responsibility initiatives

Your Company decided on spending for the welfare of the residents of Kanjamanaikenpatti village by providing safe drinking water to them through installation of RO Plant in the above village.

Apart from the above, the Company had also extended support by Providing Uniforms, School bags, Stationery, Sports items, and other benefits to a Primary school located at Kanjamanaickenpatti Village.

### Composition of CSR Committee

The Composition of the CSR Committee is as follows:

Mr. Ashok V Chowgule - Chairperson

Mr. T. Kannan - Member

Mr. Krishna Mahesh - Member

### Average net profits

Average net profits of the Company for the last three financial years is ₹ 390.11 Lakhs.

# Prescribed CSR expenditure (TWO per cent of the amount specified above)

Prescribed CSR expenditure is ₹ 7.80 Lakhs.

### Details of CSR spent during the financial year 2019-2020

Total amount to be spent for the financial year 2019-20	₹ 7.80 Lakhs
Amount unspent	Nil
Manner in which the amount spent during the financial year	As indicated in the addendum to the annexure

# ADENDUM TO THE ANNEXURE ON CORPORATE SOCIAL REPSONSIBILITY (CSR) ACTIVITIES FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2019-2020

Amount (In Lakhs)

SI. No.	CSR Project or activity identified	Sector in which the project is covered	Projects or programs undertaken in State and District	Amount outlay (budget) project or program wise	Amount spent on the projects	Cumulative expenditure upto the reporting period	Amount spent: Direct or through implementing agency
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Providing Uniforms, School bags, Stationery, Sports items, etc. to School in Villages	Education	Kanjamanaikenpatti Village, Tamil Nadu	0.47	0.47		Directly given to a Primary School located at Kanjamanai- kenpatti village
2	Providing safe drinking water facility for the residents of Kanjamanaikenpatti Village, Tamil Nadu  Environment Reverse Osmosis (RO) Plant and accessories at Kanjamanaickenpatti Village, Tamil Nadu		7.37	7.37		Directly spent through identification of specific vendors for the purpose	
	Grand Total			7.84	7.84	7.84	

ASHOK V CHOWGULE Chairperson - CSR Committee DIN: 00018970 KRISHNA MAHESH Member - CSR Committee DIN: 00420048

# ANNEXURE - V RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

#### FORM No. AOC - 2

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

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

- 1. Details of contracts or arrangements or transactions not at arm's length basis
  - a. Name(s) of the related party and nature of relationship.
  - b. Nature of contracts / arrangements / transactions.
  - c. Duration of the contracts / arrangements / transactions.
  - d. Salient terms of the contracts / arrangements / transactions including the value, if any.
  - e. Justification for entering into such contracts or arrangements or transactions.
  - f. Date(s) of approval by the Board.
  - g. Amount paid as advances, if any.
  - Date on which the special resolution was passed in general meeting as required under first proviso to Section 188.

Not Applicable as the company has not entered into any contract or arrangement or transactions not at arm's length basis.

- 2. Details of material contracts or arrangements or transactions at arm's length basis
  - a. Name(s) of the related party and nature of relationship.
  - b. Nature of contracts / arrangements / transactions.
  - c. Duration of the contracts / arrangements / transactions.
  - d. Salient terms of the contracts or arrangements or transactions including the value, if any.
  - e. Date(s) of approval by the Board.
  - f. Amount paid as advances, if any.

(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)
Name(s) of the related party and nature of relationship	Nature of contracts/ arrangements/ transactions	Duration of the contracts/ arrangements/ transactions	Salient terms of the contracts / arrangements / transactions including the value	Date(s) of approval by the Board	Amount paid as advances
M/s. T V Sundram Iyengar & Sons Private Limited	Sale of goods		Sales were made for ₹ 1,845.09 lakhs		
M/s. T V S Motor Company Limited	Sale of goods		Sales were made for ₹ 831.99 lakhs	Transactions for each	
M/s. Sundaram Industries Private Limited	Purchase of Raw Materials	From	Purchases of Rubber peels were made for ₹ 108.26 lakhs	of the four quarters were approved by the Board in their	
M/s. Southern Roadways Private Limited	Freight	01.04.2019 to 31.03.2020	Freight charges were paid for ₹ 60.57 lakhs	meetings held on 13.08.2019, 09.11.2019,	NIL
M/s. Alagar Farms Private Limited	Purchase of Raw Materials		Purchases of Cashew Friction Dust were made for ₹ 353.37 lakhs	12.02.2020 & 27.06.2020	
M/s. Alagar Resins Private Limited	Purchase of Raw Materials		Purchases of Resins were made for ₹ 1,030.01 lakhs		

All the above transactions are within the threshold limit of 10% of turnover as per the last audited financial statement of the company and have been approved by the Audit Committee and the Board of Directors.

ASHOK V CHOWGULE Director DIN:00018970 K S D SAMBASIVAM Director DIN:01937321

# ANNEXURE - VI RATIO OF REMUNERATION OF DIRECTOR

(a)	The ratio of the remuneration of each Director to the median remuneration of the employees of the Company for the financial year	Minimum Remuneration paid to Mr. Krishna Mahesh, MD - ₹ 106.68 lacs; Median Salary - ₹ 3.22 lacs; Ratio of remuneration paid to MD to Median Salary for FY 2019-20 is 33:1
(b)	The percentage increase in remuneration of each director, Chief Financial Officer, Chief Executive Officer, Company Secretary or Manager, if any in the financial year	8.3%
(c)	The percentage increase in the median remuneration of employees in the financial year	12.2%
(d)	The number of permanent employees on the rolls of the Company	631
(e)	Average percentile increase already made in the salaries of employees other than the managerial personnel in the last financial year and its comparison with the percentile increase in the managerial remuneration and justification thereof and point out if there are any exceptional circumstances for increase in the managerial remuneration	There was 6.5% increase in salaries paid to employees other than the managerial personnel in FY 2019-20 as compared to FY 2018-19.  There was no increase in the managerial remuneration in FY 2019-20 as compared to FY 2018-19.
(f)	Affirmation that the remuneration is as per the remuneration policy of the Company	Yes

#### **ANNEXURE VII**

#### REPORT ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

#### CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PHILOSOPHY

The Company continues to believe in such corporate practices that ensure high level of transparency, professionalism and accountability in all activities of the Company to fulfil its corporate responsibilities thereby achieving its financial objectives in the interest of all stakeholders. The Company always endeavours to enhance shareholder value through prudent financial management backed up by sound business decisions. The company follows all the principles of corporate governance in its true spirit and at all times.

#### 1. BOARD OF DIRECTORS

# a) Composition

Mr. K Ramesh resigned from office effective from 12<sup>th</sup> August 2019 and the resultant vacancy was filled by the Board of Directors on 12<sup>th</sup> February 2020 by appointing Ms. Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan as Director. Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran was inducted to the Board on 13<sup>th</sup> August 2019 due to vacancy caused by demise of late Chairman Mr. K Mahesh.

The Board currently comprises of nine directors, out of which 3 are non-Independent and 6 are Independent Directors

All Independent Directors possess the requisite qualifications and are very experienced in their own fields and fulfil required independence criteria. None of the directors are members of more than ten committees or Chairman of more than five committees in public limited companies in which they are directors. Necessary disclosures have been obtained from all the directors regarding their directorship and have been taken on record by the Board.

# b) Attendance of Directors at Board Meeting and the last Annual General Meeting

SI. No.	Name	No. of Board Meetings held	No. of Board Meetings attended	Attendance at the last AGM
1*	Mr K Ramesh	1	1	Not Applicable
2	Mr T Kannan	4	2	Present
3	Mr P S Raman	4	1	Absent
4	Mr Ashok V Chowgule	4	3	Present
5	Mr K S Ranganathan	4	3	Present
6	Mr K S D Sambasivam	4	3	Present
7	Ms. Sandhya Subramanyam	4	2	Present
8#	Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran	2	2	Not Applicable
9\$	Ms. Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan	0	0	Not Applicable
10	Mr Krishna Mahesh	4	4	Present

<sup>\*</sup> Mr. K Ramesh resigned on 12<sup>th</sup> August, 2019

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>#</sup> Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran was appointed by the Board of Directors on 13<sup>th</sup> August, 2019

<sup>\$</sup> Ms. Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan was appointed by the Board of Directors on 12th February, 2020

# c) No. of Directorship / Membership in other Companies

The names of the Directors and the details of other Chairmanship / Directorship / Committee membership of each Director as on 31st March 2020 is given below:

SI. No.	Name	Category	Number of E in other c		Number of Committee Memberships in other companies		
			Chairman	Member	Chairman	Member	
1.	Mr T Kannan, Director	Non-Executive & Independent	1	1	-	2	
2.	Mr P S Raman, Director	Non-Executive & Independent	_	_	_	_	
3.	Mr Ashok V Chowgule, Director	Non-Executive & Independent	1	-	_	_	
4.	Mr K S Ranganathan, Director	Non-Executive & Independent	_	_	_	-	
5.	Mr K S D Sambasivam, Director	Non-Executive & Independent	_	_	-	-	
6.	Ms Sandhya Subramanyam, Director	Non-Executive & Independent	_	_	-	-	
7.	Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran	Non-Executive & Independent	_	3	-	2	
8.	Ms. Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan	Non-Executive & Independent	-	-	-	-	
9.	Mr Krishna Mahesh, Managing Director	Executive & Non-Independent	_	-	-	-	

# Note:

- a. Other directorship excludes foreign companies, Private Limited Companies and alternate directorship
- b. Only memberships in Audit Committee and Stakeholders' Relationship Committee have been reckoned for other committee memberships.

# d) Name of the Listed Companies and Category of Directorship:

Sl. No.	Name of the Directors	Category of Directors	Name of Listed Companies
1	Mr T Kannan	Non-Executive & Independent	TVS Motor Company Limited
		Chairman & Managing Director	VTM Limited
2	Mr P S Raman	П	_
3	Mr Ashok V Chowgule	Chairman & Non-Executive Director	Keltic Energies Limited
4	Mr K S Ranganathan	ı	-
5	Mr K S D Sambasivam	I	_
6	Ms Sandhya Subramanyam	-	_
7	Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran	Managing Director	TVS Srichakra Limited
		Independent Director	Sundaram Finance Limited
		Independent Director	Sundaram Finance Holdings Limited
8	Ms. Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan		_
9	Mr Krishna Mahesh	=	_

# e) No. of Board meetings held and its date

Sl. No.	Date of Board Meeting	Board Strength	No. of Directors present
1	25.05.2019	8	5
2*	13.08.2019	7	6
3#	09.11.2019	8	4
4	12.02.2020	8	5

<sup>\*</sup> Mr. Krishna Ramesh resigned from Directorship effective from 12<sup>th</sup> August, 2019

# f) Relationship between Directors inter-se

- Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran is related to Mr. Krishna Mahesh, as his cousin
- Ms. Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan is related to Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran as her cousin & related to Mr. Krishna Mahesh as his sister.

#### g) No. of Shares and Convertible instruments held by Non-Executive Directors

SI. No.	Name	Category	No. of Equity Shares held
1.	Mr T Kannan, Director	Non-Executive & Independent	50
2.	Mr P S Raman, Director	Non-Executive & Independent	169
3.	Mr Ashok V Chowgule, Director	Non-Executive & Independent	_
4.	Mr K S Ranganathan, Director	Ar K S Ranganathan, Director Non-Executive & Independent	
5.	Mr K S D Sambasivam, Director	Non-Executive & Independent	5
6.	Ms Sandhya Subramanyam, Director	Non-Executive & Independent	_
7.	Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran	Non-Executive	_
8.	Ms. Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan	Non-Executive	_

#### h) Familiarisation programme imparted to Independent Directors

The Company has been conducting periodically during the year, Familiarisation programmes for the Independent Directors of the Company through a detailed presentation and the details of such familiarisation programme are disseminated on the website of the Company. (www.tvsbrakelinings.com / Investor Information / familiarisation Programme)

# i) Competence Matrix

The following are the list of core skills / expertise / competencies identified by the Board of Directors as available with the Board of Directors:

- 1. General Management skills
- 2. Leadership Skills
- 3. Problem Solving / Decision Making
- 4. Relationship Building
- 5. Communication Skills
- 6. Planning & Strategy Development

<sup>#</sup> Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran was appointed in the Board meeting held on 13th August, 2019

1	Names of	directors	who h	nave	above skills	/ exn	ertise /	/ comr	petence
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Competency Matrix	General Management skills	Leadership skills	Problem solving / Decision making \$	Relationship building	Communication skills	Planning & Strategy Development^
Directors						
T Kannan	High	High	High	High	High	High
PS Raman	High	High	High	High	High	High
Ashok V Chowgule	High	High	High	High	High	High
K S Ranganathan	High	High	High	High	High	High
KSD Sambasivam	High	High	High	High	High	High
Sandhya Subramanyam	High	High	High	High	High	High
Shobhana Ramachandhran	High	High	High	High	High	High
Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan	High	High	High	High	High	High
Krishna Mahesh	High	High	High	High	High	High

<sup>^</sup> Planning & Strategy Development includes core experience in industry across varied sectors, Information technology planning & design etc.

#### 2. AUDIT COMMITTEE

#### a. Terms of reference

The Audit Committee assists the board in the dissemination of financial information and in overseeing the financial and accounting process in the company. The terms of reference of the Audit Committee covers all matters specified in Regulation 18 of SEBI (Listing obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015 and also as per Section 177 of the Companies Act, 2013. The terms of reference broadly include review of internal audit reports and action taken reports, assessment of the efficacy on the internal control systems / financial reporting systems and reviewing the adequacy of the financial policies and practices followed by the company. The audit committee reviews the compliance with legal and statutory requirements, the quarterly and annual financial statements and related party transactions and reports its findings to the Board. The committee also recommends the appointment of Statutory Auditor, Internal Auditor, Secretarial Auditor and Cost Auditor, if applicable. The Audit Committee takes note of any default in the payments to creditors and shareholders. The committee also looks into those matters specifically referred to it by the Board. The Statutory Auditors and Internal Auditors are present at all Audit Committee meetings.

<sup>\$</sup> Problem solving / Decision making includes Strategic Management / Planning / Financial Analysis and decision making.

# b. Composition of the Committee

The Audit Committee comprises of the following directors for the year ended 31st March 2020:

Sl. No.	Name	Position
1	Mr. T Kannan	Chairman
2	Mr. P S Raman	Member
3	Mr. Ashok V Chowgule	Member
4	Mr. K S Ranganathan	Member
5	Mr. K S D Sambasivam	Member
6	Ms. Sandhya Subramanyam	Member

The Committee comprised of Six independent directors, all of whom are financially literate and have relevant finance / audit exposure. The Managing Director, the Non-Executive Promoter Director and the Chief Financial Officer are permanent invitees to the meetings of the Committee. The other Directors are invited to attend the audit committee meetings as and when required. The Company Secretary acts as the Secretary to the committee. The composition of the audit committee is as per Regulation 18 of SEBI (Listing obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015. Chairman of the Audit Committee was present at the previous Annual General Meeting of the Company held on 13<sup>th</sup> August 2019.

# c. Meetings and Attendance

The committee met four times viz., 25<sup>th</sup> May 2019, 13<sup>th</sup> August 2019, 9<sup>th</sup> November 2019 and 12<sup>th</sup> February 2020 during the year. The attendance details of the meetings are as follows:

Sl.No.	Name	Position	No. of Meetings Attended
1	Mr. T Kannan	Chairman	1
2	Mr. P S Raman	Member	1
3	Mr. Ashok V Chowgule	Member	3
4	Mr. K S Ranganathan	Member	3
5	Mr. K S D Sambasivam	Member	3
6	Ms. Sandhya Subramanyam	Member	2

#### 3. NOMINATION AND REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

#### a. Terms of reference

The brief description of terms of reference for:

- Appointment of the Directors and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company; and
- Fixation of the remuneration of the Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and other Employees of the Company.

This committee is empowered to recommend for the appointment/reappointment of the Executive Directors and the appointments of Employees from the level of President and above along with the remuneration to be paid to them. The remuneration is fixed keeping in mind the persons track record, his/her potential individual performance, the market trends and scales prevailing in the similar industry.

#### b. Composition of the Committee

The Nomination and Remuneration committee comprises of Non-Executive and Independent Directors. Mr. K S Ranganathan is the Chairman of the Committee. Mr. Ashok V Chowgule and Mr. K S D Sambasivam are the other members. The Company Secretary is the Secretary to the Committee.

# c. Meetings and Attendance

The Nomination and Remuneration committee met on 25<sup>th</sup> May 2019, 13<sup>th</sup> August 2019 and 12<sup>th</sup> February 2020 during the year. The attendance details of the meeting are as follows:

Sl.No.	Name	Position	Meetings Attended
1	Mr. K S Ranganathan	Chairman	2
2	Mr. Ashok V Chowgule	Member	3
3	Mr. K S D Sambasivam	Member	2

The Committee approved the Evaluation forms for Evaluation of Independent Directors / Non-Independent Directors / Chairman and the Board.

#### 4. STAKEHOLDERS' RELATIONSHIP COMMITTEE

Mr. K S D Sambasivam, Non-Executive Director is the Chairman of the Committee. Mr. K.S. Ranganathan and Mr. Krishna Mahesh are the other members of the Committee.

The committee decided that a share transfer committee be constituted with Mr. S Ramabadran, CFO & Company Secretary and Mr. G.R. Chandramouli, President as members to approve Share transfer, transmissions, issue of duplicate share certificates, re-materialisation of shares etc. The actions of share transfer committee will be ratified in Stakeholders' Relationship Committee at its subsequent meeting.

The Committee met regularly to approve share transfers, transmissions, issue of duplicate share certificates, re-materialisation of shares and all other issues pertaining to shares and also to redress investor grievances like non-receipt of dividend warrants, non-receipt of share certificates etc. The committee regularly reviews the movement in shareholding and ownership structure. The committee also reviews the performance of the Registrar and Share Transfer Agent. The committee met Four times during the year 2019-20. The committee approved the transfer of 175 shares in physical form during the FY 2019-20.

No. of Service requests received and redressed during the year 2019-20:

Sl. No.	Nature of Service requests	No. of Service requests
1	Issue of Duplicate Share Certificate	2
2	Change of Name	1
3	Correction in dividend warrant	2
4	Procedure for transmission	31
5	General queries	11
6	Unclaimed Dividend Warrant	72
7	Procedure for Loss of Share Certificate	12
8	IEPF 5-Certificate & Dividend	6

Sl. No.	Nature of Service requests	No. of Service requests
9	Revalidation of Dividend Warrant	1
10	Non Receipt of Dividend	1
11	Change of Address and Bank Mandate	13
12	Split share certificate	1
13	Annual Report	1
	Total	154

All the requests received from the shareholders were attended to within the stipulated time and nothing was pending for disposal at the end of the year. Mr. S. Ramabadran, CFO & Company Secretary is the compliance officer of the company. For any clarification / complaint the shareholders may contact Mr. S. Ramabadran, CFO & Company Secretary of the Company.

# 5. REMUNERATION OF DIRECTORS

Mr. Krishna Mahesh is the Managing Director of the Company. He was re-appointed by the Shareholders for a period of 3 years from 6th February 2019 with a minimum remuneration of ₹ 7 lakhs per month by Ordinary Resolution vide Postal Ballot on December 24, 2018. As approved, he continued to draw the remuneration of ₹ 7 lakhs per month in 2019-20.

The Non-Executive Directors do not draw any remuneration from the company except sitting fees for attending the meetings of the Board and the Committees.

(a) Details of Remuneration paid to Mr. Krishna Mahesh, Managing Director during the Financial Year 2019-20

Particulars Particulars	(Amount in ₹)
Basic Salary	84,00,000
Bonus / Benefits	_
House Rent Allowance	_
Other Allowances	_
Commission	_
Other Perquisites / performance linked incentive	_
Contribution to Provident Fund / Pension	10,08,000
Contribution to Superannuation fund	12,60,000
Stock option	_
Service contracts / Notice period / Severance fees	_
Total	1,06,68,000

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(b) Details of Sitting Fees paid to Non-Executive Directors during the Financial Year 2019-20:

(Amount in ₹)

	Meeting						
Name of the Director	Board	Audit Committee	Nomination & Remuneration Committee	Stakeholders' Relationship Committee	Independent Directors	Corporate Social Responsibility Committee	Total
Mr. K Ramesh	5,000	-	-	_	_	_	5,000
Mr. T Kannan	5,000	5,000	-	ı	_	_	10,000
Mr. P S Raman	5,000	5,000	_	-	5,000	_	15,000
Mr. Ashok V Chowgule	15,000	15,000	15,000	ı	5,000	5,000	55,000
Mr. K S Ranganathan	15,000	15,000	10,000	15,000	5,000	_	60,000
Mr. K S D Sambasivam	15,000	15,000	10,000	15,000	_	_	55,000
Ms.Sandhya Subramanyam	10,000	10,000	-	_	_	_	20,000
Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran	10,000	_	_	_	_	_	10,000
Ms. Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total	80,000	65,000	35,000	30,000	15,000	5,000	2,30,000

# (c) All pecuniary relationship or transactions of the non-executive directors vis-a-vis the listed entity There were no pecuniary relationship or transactions of the Non-Executive directors vis-a-vis the Company during the financial year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020.

#### (d) Criteria of making payments to Non-Executive Directors

The Company has pre-defined policy of not making any payments except sitting fees to Non-Executive Directors.

### 6. CREDIT RATING

ICRA Limited (ICRA), in their letter dated 25<sup>th</sup> November 2019, has re-affirmed the long term rating for the captioned line of credit at [ICRA] BBB+ (pronounced ICRA triple B plus) and short term rating for the aforementioned bank facilities at [ICRA] A2 (pronounced ICRA A two). It has also stated that the outlook on the long term rating is stable.

# 7. ANNUAL GENERAL MEETINGS AND EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING

The details of the Annual General Meeting / Extraordinary General Meeting held in the last three years are as follows:

Financial Year	Financial Year Venue		Time	
Rani Seethai Hall, 603, Anna Salai, Chennai - 600 006		4 <sup>th</sup> August, 2017	04.45 P.M.	
2017-18	2017-18 Rani Seethai Hall, 603, Anna Salai, Chennai - 600 006		10.00 A.M.	
Sathguru Gnanananda Hall, 2018-19 Narada Gana Sabha, No.314, T.T.K. Road, Chennai - 600 018		13 <sup>th</sup> August 2019	11.00 A.M	

# Special Resolution passed in the Previous three Annual General Meetings

AGM	Subject	
43 <sup>rd</sup> AGM held on 4 <sup>th</sup> August 2017	No Special Resolution was passed in this meeting	
44 <sup>th</sup> AGM held on 9 <sup>th</sup> August 2018	No Special Resolution was passed in this meeting	
45 <sup>th</sup> AGM held on 13 <sup>th</sup> August 2019	No Special Resolution was passed in this meeting	

# The details of Special Resolution which were passed through postal ballot during the year under review are as follows:

Particulars of Special Resolution	Date of Passing Special Resolution
Re-appointment of Mr. T Kannan, (DIN: 00040674), as Independent Director effective from 1 <sup>st</sup> August, 2019	18.07.2019
Re-appointment of Mr. P S Raman, (DIN: 00003606), as Independent Director effective from 1 <sup>st</sup> August, 2019.	18.07.2019
Re-appointment of Mr. Ashok V Chowgule, (DIN: 00018970), as Independent Director effective from 1 <sup>st</sup> August, 2019	18.07.2019
Re-appointment of Mr. K S Ranganathan, (DIN: 02796986), as Independent Director effective from 1 <sup>st</sup> August, 2019	18.07.2019
Re-appointment of Mr. K S D Sambasivam, (DIN: 01937321), as Independent Director effective from 1 <sup>st</sup> August, 2019.	18.07.2019

No special resolution requiring a postal ballot is being proposed at the ensuing AGM.

#### 8. MEANS OF COMMUNICATION

- a. The unaudited quarterly/ Audited yearly financial results of the company are published in the leading English Newspaper viz., Financial Express and the same were published in Tamil version in Dinamani. These are not sent individually to the shareholders.
- b. The company's website address is www.tvsbrakelinings.com. The website contains basic information about the company and such other details as required under the Listing Regulation. The Company ensures periodical update of its website. The Company has designated the e-mail ID **srb@tvssbl.com** to enable the shareholders to register their grievances.
- c. Pursuant to the listing agreement, all data related to quarterly financial results, shareholding pattern, corporate Governance report are filed with National Stock Exchange in NEAPS within the time frame prescribed in this regard.
- d. No presentations have been made to institutional investors or to analysts during the year.

#### 9. GENERAL SHAREHOLDER INFORMATION

a. 46 <sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting		
	- Date and Time	10 <sup>th</sup> August, 2020, 10.00 A.M
	- Venue	The meeting will be conducted through VC / OAVM

b.	Financial Calendar - Tentative	
	Annual General Meeting of the next year	Before 30 <sup>th</sup> September, 2021
	- Unaudited financial results for the 1 <sup>st</sup> quarter ending 30 <sup>th</sup> June 2020	Any day before 14 <sup>th</sup> August 2020
	- Unaudited financial results for the 2 <sup>nd</sup> quarter ending 30 <sup>th</sup> September 2020	Any day before 14 <sup>th</sup> November 2020
	- Unaudited financial results for the 3 <sup>rd</sup> quarter ending 31 <sup>st</sup> December 2020	Any day before 14 <sup>th</sup> February 2021
	- Audited Financial results for the year ending 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2021	Any day before 30 <sup>th</sup> May 2021
c.	Dividend payment date:	
	- Dividend	Not Applicable
d.	Book Closure Period	4 <sup>th</sup> August 2020 to 10 <sup>th</sup> August 2020
e.	Listing of Equity Shares & Stock Code	National Stock Exchange     Code: SUNDRMBRAK EQ
		2 Bombay Stock Exchange (Permitted Security) Scrip Code: 590072
f.	Demat ISIN Number	INE 073D01013
	Listing fee has been paid to N	NSE for the year 2020-21

# g. Share Market Price Data of Financial Year 2019-20:

Month	National Stock Exchange			
Monui	High	Low		
April, 2019	339.00	297.70		
May	399.00	282.70		
June	369.00	277.40		
July	327.00	246.25		
August	290.00	227.00		
September	297.85	236.60		
October	274.00	241.00		
November	273.00	224.80		
December	352.00	276.00		
January, 2020	344.00	316.00		
February	324.90	256.15		
March	298.00	140.50		

As an investor friendly initiative, Bombay Stock Exchange had included the Company's scrip for trading in Bombay Stock Exchange under "Permitted Securities" category effective from 28<sup>th</sup> December 2005. This has resulted in increase in the liquidity of the shares traded in the exchanges.

# h. Share Price performance in comparison to broad based indices at NSE:

Company's share price performance in comparison to National stock Exchange indices is furnished elsewhere in this report as a graph.

# i. Share / Security Transfer System:

Since 1st April 2003, share / security transfers in physical form is also processed by M/s.Integrated Registry Management Services Private Limited, Chennai. Normally share transfers are processed within 15 days from the date of receipt, subject to the documents being valid in all aspects. At the meeting of the Board of Directors held on 29th April 2002, the power to transfer shares has been delegated to certain authorised officials in compliance with Listing Agreement to have periodic meeting with shorter intervals to ensure speedy transfer of securities and the same has been implemented now. Accordingly, the share transfer is effected once in every ten days. Transfers, transmissions etc., are approved once in 10 days and requests for dematerialisation are confirmed within 10 days. The relative share certificates are dispatched by Registered Post / Courier.

In compliance with the directives of SEBI in appointing a common agency for share transfer related activities (both physical and demat), effective from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2003, M/s. Integrated Enterprises (India) Ltd., Chennai (M/s.Integrated Registry Management Services Private Limited, Chennai) are acting as Registrars and Share Transfer Agents (RTA) for providing the connectivity with National Securities Depository Ltd (NSDL) and Central Depository Services (India) Ltd (CDSL) and also for transfer of shares held in physical form.

# j. Shareholding pattern as on 31st March 2020:

No. of shares held	No. of shareholders	% of shareholders	No. of shares held	% of shareholding
Upto 500	8204	94.95	6,14,196	15.61
501 - 1000	253	2.93	1,89,046	4.80
1001 - 2000	94	1.09	1,31,548	3.34
2001 - 3000	33	0.38	81,875	2.08
3001 - 4000	10	0.12	36,080	0.92
4001 - 5000	11	0.13	50,129	1.28
5001 - 10000	14	0.16	1,04,146	2.65
10001 & above	21	0.24	27,27,555	69.32
Total	8,640	100.00	39,34,575	100.00

# k. Distribution of shareholding as on 31st March 2020:

Category of Shareholders	No. of shareholders	No. of shares held	% of total shares held
Promoter Companies	7	16,80,873	42.72
Directors & Relatives	15	8,98,170	22.83
Indian Financial Institution	1	11	0.00
Body Corporates	97	62,649	1.59
Non-Resident Indians	119	26,193	0.67
Clearing Member	27	2,469	0.06
Public Resident Individuals	8,370	12,14,172	30.86
Limited Liability	1	2,175	0.06
IEPF	1	47,619	1.21
Trusts	2	244	0.01
Total	8,640	39,34,575	100.00

# I. Dematerialisation and Liquidity:

In accordance with the SEBI Circular SEBI/Cir/ISD/3 2011 dated June 17, 2011, the entire shareholding of promoters' and promoter group of 25,78,784 shares are held in dematerialised form.

Out of the balance 13,55,791 equity shares held by the Public (other than Promoters), 12,66,636 equity shares have been dematerialised as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2020 accounting for 93.42%

As per the directives issued by SEBI effective from 26<sup>th</sup> March, 2001 the equity shares of the Company are placed in its compulsory demat list of securities for the purpose of trading.

# m. Outstanding GDRs / ADRs / Warrants or any convertible instrument, conversion date and likely impact on equity:

We have no GDRs / ADRs or any convertible instrument.

#### n. Plant locations:

Padi, Chennai - 600 050	TSK Puram Plant I & II	Plant - 4 & Plant - 5
Phone: +91 44 26257853	Mustakurichi Post	Plot No: AA6, 6 <sup>th</sup> Avenue
Fax : +91 44 26254770	Virudhunagar District	Auto Ancillary SEZ
E-mail: sbl@tvssbl.com	Pin code 626 106	Mahindra World City
	Phone: 04566 250290 - 295	Natham Sub Post, Chengalpet,
	E-mail: tskp@tvssbl.com	Kanchipuram District
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### o. Registrar and Share Transfer Agents:

M/s. Integrated Registry Management Services Private Limited, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Kences Towers, No.1, Ramakrishna Street, North Usman Road, T.Nagar, Chennai - 600 017 as the Registrar and Share Transfer Agent (RTA) of the Company for all share related investor services.

# p. Address for correspondence:

To contact RTA for all matters relating to shares, dividends, Annual Reports	Integrated Registry Management Services Private Limited 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor, "Kences Towers" No.1, Ramakrishna Street North Usman Road, T Nagar Chennai - 600 017.	Phone: +91-44- 28140801 - 808 Fax : +91-44-28142479 E-mail: kalyan@integratedindia.in
For any other general matters or in case of any difficulty / grievance	Chief Financial Officer & Company Secretary Sundaram Brake Linings Ltd Padi, Chennai - 600 050.	Phone: +91 44 26257853 Fax : +91 44 26254770 E-mail: srb@tvssbl.com

Shareholders may correspond with M/s. Integrated Registry Management Services Private Limited, Chennai, the Share Transfer Agent of the company at the address given above, quoting Folio Number / Client ID.

#### **DISCLOSURES:**

#### **Related Party Transactions:**

There were no materially significant related party transactions during the year under review that have conflict with the interest of the Company. Transactions entered into with related parties during FY2020 were in the ordinary course of business and at arms' length basis and were approved by the Audit Committee. The Board's approved policy for related party transactions is uploaded on the website of the Company.

The Company has adopted a policy on related party transaction and it is placed on website of the Company web link: http://tvsbrakelinings.com/images/assets/pdf/Policy%20for%20Related%20%20party%20transactions.pdf)

#### **COMPLIANCE WITH REGULATORS:**

The Company has complied with the requirements of the Regulatory Authorities on Capital Markets. Neither has there been any instances of non-compliance by the Company on any matters related to the capital markets, nor has any penalty or stricture been imposed on the Company by the Regulatory Authorities or any statutory authority, on any matter related to capital markets, during the last three years.

#### WHISTLE BLOWER POLICY AND VIGIL MECHANISM:

The Company has a Policy and has established the necessary vigil mechanism for directors and employees to report concerns about unethical behaviour. No person has been denied access to the Chairman of the Audit Committee. The said policy has been uploaded on the website of the Company.

#### POLICY FOR DETERMINING 'MATERIAL' SUBSIDIARIES:

The Company does not have any material subsidiary/ subsidiaries, so it hasn't formulated any policy pertaining to Material Subsidiaries.

#### DISCLOSURE OF COMMODITY PRICE RISKS AND COMMODITY HEDGING ACTIVITIES:

The Company has commodity price risk, primarily related to the purchase of Steel and Aluminium. However, the Company does not bear any significant exposure to earnings risk, as such changes are included in the rate-recovery mechanisms with the customers and the Company does not include in any commodity hedging activities.

# DETAILS OF UTILISATION OF FUNDS RAISED THROUGH PREFERENTIAL ALLOTMENT OR QUALIFIED INSTITUTIONS PLACEMENT AS SPECIFIED UNDER REGULATION 32 (7A):

The Company has not raised funds through preferential allotment or qualified institutions placement during the year ended March 31, 2020

#### CERTIFICATE FROM PRACTISING COMPANY SECRETARY:

None of the Directors of the Company have been debarred or disqualified from being appointed or continuing as directors of companies by the Securities and Exchange Board of India or the Ministry of Corporate Affairs or any such statutory authority.

A Certificate to this effect, duly signed by the Practicing Company Secretary is annexed to this Report.

# RECOMMENDATIONS OF COMMITTEE TO BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

During the year ended March 31, 2020, all recommendations made by the Committees of the Board of Directors (viz. Audit Committee, Nomination and Remuneration Committee, Stakeholders' Relationship Committee & CSR Committee) were accepted by the Board of the Company.

# TOTAL FEES FOR ALL SERVICES PAID BY THE COMPANY ON A CONSOLIDATED BASIS, TO THE STATUTORY AUDITORS:

M/s. Brahmayya & Co., Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No.000511S) have been appointed as the Statutory Auditors of the Company. The particulars of payment of Statutory Auditors' fees, on consolidated basis is given below:

S.No.	Particulars Particulars	Amount (in Lakhs)
1.	Audit Fees	10.50
2.	Tax Audit Fees	2.00
3.	Other Services	1.80
4.	Reimbursement of expenses	0.86
	Total	15.16

# STATEMENT OF COMPLAINTS IN RELATION TO THE SEXUAL HARASSMENT OF WOMEN AT WORKPLACE (PREVENTION, PROHIBITION AND REDRESSAL) ACT, 2013:

There was no complaint during the Financial year ended March 31, 2020

# DETAILS OF COMPLIANCE WITH MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS AND ADOPTION OF NON-MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS:

The Company has complied with the applicable mandatory requirements of the SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirement) Regulations, 2015.

The company adopted the following discretionary requirements as per Regulation 27(1), read with Part E of Schedule II of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Requirements) Regulations 2015.

- 1. Separate Posts of Chairperson and Chief Executive Officer.
- 2. Reporting of Internal Auditor.
- 3. During the year under review, there was no audit qualification in the Auditors' Report on the Company's financial statements.

# DISCLOSURE OF THE COMPLIANCE WITH CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REQUIREMENTS SPECIFIED IN REGULATION 17 TO 27 AND CLAUSES (B) TO (I) OF SUB-REGULATION (2) OF REGULATION 46 OF SEBI (LISTING OBLIGATIONS AND DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS) REGULATION 2015

Regulation	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes / No / NA)
17	Board of Directors	Yes
18	Audit Committee	Yes
19	Nomination and Remuneration Committee	Yes
20	Stakeholders Relationship Committee	Yes
21	Risk Management Committee	N.A
22	Vigil Mechanism	Yes

Regulation	Particulars	Compliance Status (Yes / No / NA)
23	Related Party Transactions	Yes
24	Corporate Governance requirements with respect to subsidiary companies	N.A
25	Obligations with respect to Independent Directors	Yes
26	Obligations with respect to Directors and Senior Management	Yes
27	Other Corporate Governance Requirements	Yes
46(2) (b) to (i)	Website	Yes

# DECLARATION OF COMPLIANCE OF CODE OF CONDUCT FOR THE DIRECTORS AND SENIOR MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

This is to confirm that the Company has adopted a Code of Conduct for its Board of Directors and Senior Management personnel. The Code of Conduct is available on the Company's website.

It is hereby confirmed that the Members of the Board and the Senior Management Personnel of the Company have affirmed Compliance with the respective provisions of the Code of Conduct of the Company for the year ended 31st March 2020.

Place: Chennai KRISHNA MAHESH
Date: June 27, 2020 KRISHNA MAHESH
Managing Director

#### DECLARATION OF COMPLIANCE OF INDEPENDENCE CRIETERIA BY INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS

Based on our examination of the relevant Declaration on Independence and according to the information and explanations provided to us, in opinion of the Board, it is confirmed that the Independent Directors on the Board of the Company are complying the required conditions laid down in the Regulation 25 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015 read with Section 149 and Schedule IV of the Companies Act, 2013 in relation to conditions of Independence.

Further, it is hereby confirmed that the Members of the Board have affirmed that the Independent Directors have adhered to the standards as set out in the Code for Independent Directors as provided under Schedule IV of the Act.

Place: Chennai KRISHNA MAHESH
Date: June 27, 2020 KRISHNA MAHESH
Managing Director

# NON MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS

# Request to Shareholders

Shareholders are requested to kindly make note of the following procedure.

All communications including change of address, bank account details etc., are to be made to the Company's Registrar & Transfer Agent's address furnished elsewhere in this report.

As required by SEBI, it is advised that the investors shall furnish details of their bank account number, name and address of the bank for incorporating the same in the warrants. This information is required to avoid wrong credits being obtained by unauthorised persons.

The shareholders who are covered by the designated centres / cities as notified by the Reserve Bank of India where the Electronic Clearing Service (ECS) is extended by them, are requested to write to the Office and Factory of the Company at Padi, Chennai - 600 050 for obtaining the mandate format for their execution and return for credit of dividend to their bank account under ECS.

Shareholders who have not availed nomination facility are requested to kindly fill in the nomination form and submit the same to the Company along with requisite proof of nomination.

Shareholders are requested to kindly note that any dividend which remains unclaimed / unencashed for a period of seven years will be transferred to Investors Education and Protection Fund - IEPF in terms of Section 124 of the Companies Act 2013 and the rules made thereunder. Out of the dividends declared for all the financial years including and upto the financial year 2010-11 the amount which remained unclaimed has been transferred to the IEPF as per the provision of Section 124 of the Companies Act 2013.

Those who have not encashed their dividend warrants may contact the Company immediately and surrender their warrants before the above due dates for further action by the Company.

Shareholders holding shares in electronic form are requested to deal only with their depository participant in respect of change of address, nomination facility, furnishing of bank account details etc.

#### **AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE**

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The Members of Sundaram Brake Linings Limited

1. We, Brahmayya & Co, Chartered Accountants, the Statutory Auditors of Sundaram Brake Linings Limited ["the Company"], have examined the compliance of Corporate Governance by the Company, for the year ended on March 31, 2020, as stipulated in regulations 17 to 27 and clauses [b] to [i] of sub- regulation (2) of regulation 46 and para C and D of Schedule V of the SEBI [Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements] Regulations, 2015 ["SEBI Listing Regulations"].

#### Management's Responsibility

The compliance of conditions of Corporate Governance is the responsibility of the Management.
 This responsibility 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 SEBI Listing Regulations.

#### Auditors' Responsibility

- Our responsibility is limited to examining the procedures and implementation thereof, adopted by the Company for ensuring the compliance of the conditions of the Corporate Governance. It is neither an audit nor an expression of opinion on the financial statements of the Company.
- 4. We have examined the books of account and other relevant records and documents maintained by the Company for the purpose of providing reasonable assurance on the compliance with Corporate Governance requirements by the Company.

#### **Opinion**

- 5. Based on our examination of the relevant records and according to the information and explanations provided to us and the representations provided by the Management, we certify that the Company has complied with the conditions of Corporate Governance as stipulated in regulations 17 to 27 and clauses [b] to [i] of sub- regulation (2) of regulation 46 and para C and D of Schedule V of the SEBI [Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements] Regulations, 2015 ["SEBI Listing Regulations"].
- 6. We further state that such compliance is neither an assurance to the future viability of the Company nor the efficiency or effectiveness with which the Management has conducted the affairs of the Company.

For M/s BRAHMAYYA & CO Chartered Accountants Firm Registration Number: 000511 S

> K JITENDRA KUMAR Partner Membership No. 201825

UDIN: 20201825AAAADA9507

Place: Chennai Date: June 27, 2020

# **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)

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The Members Sundaram Brake Linings Limited Padi, Chennai - 600 050.

I have examined the relevant registers, records, forms, returns and disclosures received from the Directors of Sundaram Brake Linings Limited having CIN:L34300TN1974PLC006703 and having registered office at Padi, Chennai - 600 050 (hereinafter referred to as 'the Company'), produced before me 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 SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

In my opinion and to the best of my information and according to the verifications (including Directors Identification Number (DIN) status at the portal www.mca.gov.in) as considered necessary and explanations furnished to me by the Company & its officers, I hereby certify that none of the Directors on the Board of the Company as stated below for the Financial Year ending on 31st March, 2020 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 the Company
1	Mr. Krishna Mahesh	00420048	06.02.2016
2	Mr. P S RAMAN	00003606	29.07.2004
3	Mr. Ashok V Chowgule	00018970	22.01.2007
4	Mr. T Kannan	00040674	16.07.1999
5	Mr. K Ramesh (till closure of 12.08.2019)	00556922	16.11.1982
6	Mr. K S D Sambasivam	01937321	27.10.2010
7	Ms. Sandhya Subramanyam	02753843	29.09.2014
8	Mr. K S Ranganathan	02796986	29.10.2009
9	Ms. Shobhana Ramachandhran	00273837	13.08.2019
10	Ms. Shripriya Mahesh Ramanan	08632277	12.02.2020

Ensuring the eligibility of for the appointment / continuity of every Director on the Board is the responsibility of the management of the Company. My 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.

V Suresh Practising Company Secretary

FCS No: 2969 C.P.No: 6032

UDIN:F002969B000358786

Place: Chennai Date: 19.06.2020

# MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS REPORT - 2020

# **Industry and Company Trend**

Automobile industry's annual production volume was 263.62 lakh units for the year 2019-20 as compared to 309.15 lakh units in the previous financial year indicating a de-growth of 14.7% in volume.

Automobile industry's annual sales volume was at 263.14 lakh units for the year 2019-20 as compared to 308.97 lakh units for the previous financial year indicating an overall de-growth of 14.8%.

The above de-growth is considered to be created out of demand- supply factor due to combination of several factors—like axle load increase, increase in vehicle operation time as a result of removal of various check points after GST implementation, BS VI implementation from April 2020, etc. Further the nation-wide lockdown imposed during the last week of the financial year due to COV 19 situation also led to loss of production.

The main de-growth happened in the Medium & Heavy Commercial Vehicle Segment, both in Production and Sales, which registered a de-growth of 47.3% & 43.3% respectively, when compared to previous year. Light Commercial segment has also registered a de-growth in both production & sales volume at 22.5% & 20.8% respectively, as compared to previous year.

After years of continued growth, the Passenger Vehicle segment has registered a de-growth in both production and Sales at 14.8% and 14.9% respectively. While Three Wheeler segment witnessed de-growth of 10.6% and 10.2% in Production and Sales respectively, two wheeler segment's de-growth was 14.2% and 14.4% in Production and Sales respectively.

Auto-industry Production & Sales data in vehicle units

(in Lakh / nos)

Vehicle Category	Vehicle P	roduction	Growth	Vehicl	·	Growth
venicle Category	2018- 19	2019-20	%	2018-19	2019-20	%
M & HCV	4.44	2.34	- 47.3%	4.39	2.49	- 43.3%
LCV	6.68	5.18	- 22.5%	6.68	5.29	- 20.8%
Passenger	40.26	34.34	- 14.8%	40.59	34.53	- 14.9%
Three -wheeler	12.69	11.34	- 10.6%	12.69	11.39	- 10.2%
Two-wheeler	245.08	210.36	- 14.2%	244.62	209.38	- 14.4%
Total	309.15	263.56	- 14.7%	308.97	263.08	- 14.9%

Source : ACMA

Exports in Automobile sector for the year 2019-20 registered a growth of 2.9% as compared to previous year 2018-19, with growth of around 7% in the Two Wheeler Vehicle segment. All the other segments registered de-growth, viz., M & HCV segment @ 50.4%, LCV segment @ 28.7%, Three wheeler segment @ 11.5%. The Passenger Vehicle exports recorded a near static level with a growth of a marginal 0.17%.

Your company's net sales had a de-growth of around 10% during the year 2019-20, as compared to financial year 2018-19, mainly due to de-growth of 18.2% in the Domestic market and a marginal growth of 1.2% in Export segment.

The quantum of de-growth would have been comparatively lower, but for the abrupt closing of activities from 24<sup>th</sup> of March 2020, due to nation-wide lock down due to COVID-19 situation.

# **Opportunities**

India remains a major auto exporter and continues to have strong export growth expectations in the medium term. Further with the planned introduction of BS VI emission norms compliant vehicles, India will become more visible in the Global Market.

Your company's focus has been on the upcoming BS VI compliant model related OEM approvals and expected to reap the benefits in the coming year. Your company will continue to focus in the two wheeler industry and the After Market Segment, while retaining the strengths in the Export Market Segment.

#### **Threats**

Competition from New Friction Material Manufacturers in organized sector is continuing and is expected to increase.

The above coupled with Friction Material Manufacturers (both in the organized as well as in the unorganized sector), still providing low priced asbestos linings for Medium & Heavy Commercial Vehicle applications, continues to be a great challenge for Your Company.

#### Risk and concerns

Increasing Employees' Cost is a major challenge for your company to deal with particularly in the wake of Covid-19 Lock down and Your Company will continue to focus on improvement in Productivity and Automation. The continuing COVID 19 pandemic situation remains a huge risk for Your company.

# **Internal Control System**

The Company continues to maintain a system of internal control including adequate monitoring procedures. The internal auditors ensure operational control at various locations of the Company on a regular basis. Any irregularity or significant issues are brought to the attention of the Audit Committee of the Board and Managing Director of the Company and countermeasures are taken for complying with the system.

# **Quality and Quality Management Systems**

Your Company is continuing its focus on improvements to sustain quality management systems through Total Employee Involvement at all levels with a view to achieve enhanced level of customer satisfaction in domestic as well as Overseas markets. Your company continues to closely monitor and focus on various cost reduction activities and cost control initiatives to achieve planned targets during the year.

# **Human Resources / Industrial Relations**

The Industrial Relations in all four plants of the Company continued to be cordial. Retention of talent remains a great challenge and your company is taking various HR initiatives in this area. The total number of employees on roll as on 31st March 2020 in all the Plants was 1,347.

# **Accounting Treatment**

The Company has followed all the applicable Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) in the preparation of financial statements.

# Financial and Operational performance

(₹ in lakhs)

Particulars	Year 2019-20	Year 2018-19
Revenue from Operations	25,814.17	28,625.86
Other Income	507.51	260.76
TOTAL INCOME	26,321.68	28,886.62
Cost of material consumed	12,357.96	14,636.76
Changes in inventories of finished goods & work-in-progress	(32.40)	(225.06)
Employee benefit expenses	4,795.59	5,171.85
Finance cost	152.82	164.93
Depreciation and amortization expense	542.33	494.50
Other expenses	8,205.25	7,994.34
Total Expenditure	26,021.55	28,237.32
Profit before tax before exceptional item	300.13	649.30
Exceptional items	-	-
Profit before tax after exceptional item	300.13	649.30
Tax expense		
Current Tax	52.68	133.67
Deferred Tax liability / (asset) (net)	(4.32)	(189.79)
Profit / (Loss) for the Period	251.77	705.42

Note: Previous year figures have been regrouped wherever necessary to conform to this year's Classification.

# SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN KEY FINANCIAL INDICATORS (CHANGE OF 25% OR MORE AS COMPARED TO THE IMMEDIATELY PREVIOUS FINANCIAL YEAR)

Particulars	Year 2019-20	Year 2018-19	Remarks
Debtors Turnover (No. of days)	68	72	
Inventory Turnover (Times)	6.8	8.0	
Interest Coverage Ratio	2.96	4.94	
Current Ratio	1.42	1.33	
Debt Equity Ratio	0.22	0.29	
Operating Profit Margin (%)	1.7%	2.8%	
Net Profit Margin (%)	1.0%	2.4%	

# **Cautionary statement:**

Certain statements in the "Management Discussion and Analysis Report" may be forward looking and are as required by applicable laws and regulations. Many factors may affect the actual results, which could be different from what the Directors envisage in terms of the future performance and outlook.

# INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To

#### THE MEMBERS OF SUNDARAM BRAKE LININGS LIMITED

# Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

#### 1. Opinion

- 1.1 We have audited the financial statements of Sundaram Brake Linings Limited ("the Company"), which comprise the Balance Sheet as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020, and the Statement of Profit and Loss, Statement of changes in equity and Statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information ("the financial statements").
- 1.2 In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the aforesaid 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 prescribed under Section 133 of the Act read with the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015, as amended, ("Ind AS") and other accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the state of affairs of the Company as at March 31, 2019, the Profit and total comprehensive income, changes in equity and its cash flows for the year ended on that date.

#### 2 Basis for Opinion

2.1 We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing (SAs) specified under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013. Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statementssection 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 financial statements under the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 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.

#### 3 Emphasis of Matter

We draw attention to note no.3 Critical accounting estimates and judgements – Impact of COVID-19 of the Financial Statements where in the Company has disclosed its assessment of COVID- 19 pandemic. As mentioned therein, the assessment of the Management does not indicate any material effect on the carrying value of its assets and liabilities of the Company on the reporting date or any adverse change in the ability of the Company to continue as a Going Concern. The assessment of Management is dependent on the circumstance as they evolve considering the uncertainties prevailing in the economic situation.

Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

# 4 Key Audit Matters

4.1 Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statements of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters. We have determined that there are no key audit matters to communicate in our report.

4.2	Key audit matters	How our audit addressed the key audit matter
	Assessment of provisions for taxation (Direct and indirect)  - As at 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2020, the Company had provisions in respect of taxation litigation at various jurisdictions. These provisions are estimated using a significant degree of management judgement in interpreting the various relevant rules, regulations and practices and in considering precedents in the various jurisdictions.  This is a key audit matter because of the quantum of the balances and significant judgement required.	<ul><li>provisions by reviewing correspondence with tax authorities;</li><li>Discussing litigation and claims in detail withthe management;</li></ul>

#### 5 Information Other than the Financial Statements and Auditor's Report Thereon

- 5.1 The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the preparation of the other information. The other information comprises the information included in Board's Report, but does not include the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.
- 5.2 Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.
- 5.3 In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

#### 6 Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

- 6.1 The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the matters stated in section 134(5) of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") with respect to the preparation of these 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 accounting Standards specified under section 133 of the Act. 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 financial statements that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.
- 6.2 In preparing the 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.
- 6.3 Those Board of Directors are also responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

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

- 7.1 Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the 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 financial statements.
- 7.2 As part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:
  - a. Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the 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.
  - b. 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 Companies Act, 2013, 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.
  - d. Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the 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.
  - e. Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- 7.3 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.
- 7.4 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.
- 7.5 From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the 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.

# 8 Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

- 8.1 As required by the Companies (Auditor's Report) Order, 2016 ("the Order"), issued by the Central Government of India in terms of sub-section (11) of section 143 of the Act, we give in "Annexure A", a statement on the matters specified in paragraphs 3 and 4 of the Order, to the extent applicable.
- 8.2 As required by Section 143 (3) of the Act, we report that:
  - 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;
  - 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, 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 financial statements comply with the Indian Accounting Standards prescribed under Section 133 of the Act, read with Rule 7 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014;
  - e) On the basis of the written representations received from the directors as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2020 taken on record by the Board of Directors, none of the directors is disqualified as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2020 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) In our opinion, the managerial remuneration for the year ended March 31, 2020 has been paid / provided by the Company to its directors in accordance with the provisions of section 197 read with Schedule V to the Act; and
  - h) 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, in our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us:
    - i. The Company has disclosed the impact of pending litigations on its financial position in its financial statements Refer Note No: 37 to the financial statements;
    - ii. The Company did not have any long-term contracts including derivative contracts for which there were any material foreseeable losses; and
    - iii. There were no amounts which were required to be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund by the Company.

For M/s BRAHMAYYA & CO Chartered Accountants Firm Registration Number: 000511 S

> K JITENDRA KUMAR Partner Membership No. 201825

 Place : Chennai
 Membership No. 201825

 Date : 27<sup>th</sup> June, 2020
 UDIN No: 20201825AAAACZ1215

#### **ANNEXURE - A TO AUDITORS' REPORT**

(Referred to in Paragraph 7.1 of our Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements relevant to paragraph 3 & 4 of "the order")

The Annexure referred to in Independent Auditors' Report to the members of the Company on the financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2020, we report that:

- (i) (a) The Company has maintained proper records showing full particulars, including quantitative details and situation of its fixed assets.
  - (b) According to the information given to us, the fixed assets are physically verified by the management according to a phased program designed to cover all the items over a period of three years, which in our opinion , is reasonable having regard to the size of the company and the nature of its assets. The physical verification of fixed assets has been conducted by the management during the previous year. No material discrepancies were noticed on such verification and have been properly dealt with in the books of accounts.
  - (c) The title deeds of immovable properties are held in the name of the company.
- (ii) The inventory has been physically verified by the management at reasonable intervals. The discrepancies between the physical stocks and the book stocks were not material and have been properly dealt with in the books of account.
- (iii) According to the information and explanations given to us, during the year the Company has not granted any loans, secured or unsecured to companies, firms, Limited Liability Partnerships or other parties covered in the register maintained under Section 189 of the Companies Act, 2013.
- (iv) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the company has complied with the provisions of section 185 and 186 of the Companies Act 2013, with respect to the loans and investments made.
- (v) The Company has not accepted any deposit within the meaning of Sections 73 to 76 of the Companies Act 2013, during the year.
- (vi) In respect of the company, the provisions of the maintenance of cost records prescribed under sub-section (1) of Section 148 of the Act do not apply to the company.
- (vii) The company has not defaulted in repayment of loans or borrowing to a financial institution, bank and Government. The company has not issued any debentures.
- (viii) The company had not raised moneys either by way of initial public offer or further public offer (including debt instruments) and The Company has not availed any term loans.
- (ix) According to the information and explanations given to us by the management and based on audit procedures performed, no material fraud on or by the company by its officers or employees has been noticed or reported during the course of our audit.
- (x) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the Company has paid/provided managerial remuneration in accordance with the requisite approvals mandated by the provisions of Section 197 read with Schedule V to the Act.

- (xi) The company is not a Nidhi company.
- (xii) (a) According to the records of the Company, the Company is generally regular in depositing with appropriate authorities undisputed statutory dues including Provident Fund, Employees State Insurance, Income-Tax, Customs duty, Goods and Service Tax, Cess and any other statutory dues with the appropriate authorities. According to the information and explanations given to us, no undisputed amounts payable in respect of the above were in arrears as at March 31, 2020 for a period of more than six months from the date on when they become payable. Sales tax, Service Tax, Excise duty and Value added Tax are not applicable to the Company for the current year.
  - (b) According to the information and explanations given to us, there are no dues payable in respect of Sales Tax, Income Tax, Excise Duty, Goods and Service Tax, Wealth Tax, Custom Duty, Service Tax and Cess as at 31.03.2020 which were disputed except the following:

Name of the	Nature of	Total amount	Financial year to	Forum where dispute
Statute	the dues	(in lakhs)	which amount relates	is pending
Tamil Nadu VAT Act 2006	Disallowance of Input Tax Credit	44.19	2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10, 2011-12, 2012-13, 2013-14 and 2014-15	Madras High Court
Tamil Nadu VAT Act 2006	Disallowance of Input Tax Credit	4.57	2010-11	Assistant Commissioner (Commercial Taxes)
Tamil Nadu General Sales Tax Act 1959	Sales Tax	15.36	1986-87, 1992-93 and 2009-10	Sales Tax Appellate Tribunal

- (xiii) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the Company is in compliance with Section 177 and 188 of the Companies Act, 2013 where applicable, for all transactions with the related parties and the details of related party transactions have been disclosed in the financial statements as required by the applicable accounting standards.
- (xiv) The company has not made any preferential allotment or private placement of shares or fully or partly convertible debentures during the year.
- (xv) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, during the year the Company has not entered into any non-cash transactions with its Directors or persons connected to its directors and hence provisions of Section 192 of the Companies Act, 2013 are not applicable to the Company.

# M/s BRAHMAYYA & CO

**Chartered Accountants** 

(xvi) The company is not required to be registered under Section 45-IA of the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934.

For M/s BRAHMAYYA & CO
Chartered Accountants

Firm Registration Number: 000511 S

K JITENDRA KUMAR

Partner

Membership No. 201825

UDIN NO:20201825AAAACZ1215

Place : Chennai Date : 27<sup>th</sup> June, 2020

### ANNEXURE - B TO THE AUDITORS' REPORT

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

We have audited the internal financial controls over financial reporting of Sundaram Brake Linings Limited ("the Company") as of March 31, 2020 in conjunction with our audit of the financial statements of the Company for the year ended on that date.

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

The Company's management is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal financial controls based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the Company considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. These responsibilities include the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls that were operating effectively for ensuring the orderly and efficient conduct of its business, including adherence to company's policies, the safeguarding of its assets, the prevention and detection of frauds and errors, the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, and the timely preparation of reliable financial information, as required under the Companies Act, 2013.

# 2. 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 on Audit of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting (the "Guidance Note") and the Standards on Auditing, to the extent applicable to an audit of internal financial controls, both issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. 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 judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error.

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

# 3. Meaning of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting

A company's internal financial control over financial reporting is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for

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

#### 4. 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.

#### 5. Opinion

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 March 31, 2020, based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the Company considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.

For M/s BRAHMAYYA & CO Chartered Accountants Firm Registration Number: 000511 S

> K JITENDRA KUMAR Partner Membership No. 201825

UDIN No: 20201825AAAACZ1215

Place : Chennai Date : 27<sup>th</sup> June, 2020

# BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31st MARCH, 2020

										(₹ in lakhs)
						Note No.	As at 31.	.03.2020	As at 31.0	3.2019
<b>(I)</b>	ASS	SETS								
	1.		<b>n-current Assets</b> Property, Plant &	. Fauinment		5	6,444.33		6,660.16	
		a) b)	Capital Work-in-	orogress		3	229.44		3.14	
		c)	Investment Prope	erty		6	36.68		37.04	
		d)	Other Intangible	Assets			12.69		0.00	
		e)	Intangible assets	under development			88.59	6,811.73	0.00	6,700.34
		f)	Financial Assets					0,011./3		0,700.34
		-,	(i) Investments			7	92.48		2.58	
		,	(ii) Other finance			8	15.70		18.92	
		g) h)	Non Current tax Other Non-Curre			9	620.40		952.21	
		11)	Other Non-Curre	ent Assets		9	620.40	728.58	852.31	873.81
	2.	Cui	rent Assets					, =0.00		0, 5101
		a)	Inventories			10	3,770.65		3,857.51	
		b)	Financial Assets (i) Trade Recei	vables		11	E 260 10		6,229.88	
			(i) Trade Recei (ii) Cash and Ca			12	5,260.19 337.12		386.08	
			(iii) Other finance			13	59.07		52.67	
		c)	Other Current as	sets		14	930.99	40.050.00	<u>773.56</u>	44 000 =0
	τΩ	TAL						10,358.02 17,898.33		11,299.70 18,873.85
(II)			AND LIABILITIE	S				17,090.33		10,073.03
(11)	1.	Equ								
			Equity Share Cap	pital		15	393.46		393.46	
		b)	Other Equity			16	8,003.36	0 206 02	7,805.02	0 100 40
		LIA	BILITIES					8,396.82		8,198.48
	2.		n-current Liabilitio	es						
		a)	Financial Liabilit	ies		. <b>.</b> .				
		b)	(i) Borrowings Provisions			17 18	150.72		107.20	
		c)	Deferred Tax Lia	bilities (Net)		19	979.54		983.86	
		d)	Liabilities for tax	(Net)			1,064.20		1,084.13	
	•	C						2,194.46		2,175.19
	3.	a)	<b>rent Liabilities</b> Financial Liabilit	ies						
		α,	(i) Borrowings			20	2,400.99		3,338.06	
			(ii) Trade Payab			. 21	,			
			(A) total out small en	standing dues of micro er	nterprises an	d	780.43		491.58	
				standing dues of creditors	other than		700.43		491.30	
				nterprises and small enter			2,397.17		2,831.67	
			(iii) Other finance			22	1,387.15		1,657.00	
		p)	Other Current Li Provisions	abilities		23 24	320.26 21.05		116.19	
		c) d)	Liabilities for tax	(Net)		24	21.03	7,307.05	36.13 29.55	8,500.18
		TAL						17,898.33		18,873.85
			ccounting Policie			2				
See	Acc	omp		ne financial Statements						
	NNA	١N	P S RAMAN	ASHOK V CHOWGULE		IAGANATHAN		AMBASIVAM		eport Annexed
Dire	ctor		Director	Director	Director		Directo	I		MAYYA & CO d Accountants
SAN	DHY	A SU	BRAMANYAM	SHOBHANA RAMACHAND	ran shripri'	ya mahesh raman <i>a</i>	AN KRISHN	IA MAHESH		RN 000511 S)
Dire				Director	Director			ng Director		
Plan	۰ Ch	nenna	i	S RAMABADRAN					K JITEN	IDRA KUMAR Partner
			2020	Chief Financial Officer & Co	mpany Secreta	ry			Membershi	p No. 201825
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# STATEMENT OF PROFIT AND LOSS FOR THE YEAR ENDED $31^{st}$ MARCH, 2020

							(₹ in lakhs)
					Note No.	For the year ended 31.03.2020	For the year ended 31.03.2019
I.	Revenue fro	m operati	ons		25	25,814.17	28,625.86
II.	Other incor	ne			26	507.51	260.76
III.	Total Reven	ue (I + II)	1			26,321.68	26,886.62
IV.	Expenses						
	Cost of r	naterials o	consumed		27	12,357.96	14,636.75
			ories of finished good	S		()	()
		k-in-progr			28	(32.40)	(225.07)
		e benefit	expenses		29	4,795.59	5,171.84
	Finance				30	152.82	164.93
			amortisation expense		5 & 6	542.33	494.50
	Other ex	•			31	8,205.25	7,994.38
	Total expen					26,021.55	28,237.33
V.	items and ta	x (III - IV)	exceptional and extra-	ordinary		300.13	649.29
VI.	Exceptional						
VII.	Profit / (Los		Tax (V - VI)			300.13	649.29
VIII.	Tax expense						
	- Curren					52.68	133.67
			bility (net)			(4.32)	(189.79)
IX.			period from continui			251.77	705.41
Χ.			period from discontin	nued operations if	any		
XI.			period (IX+X)			251.77	705.41
XII.	Other Com					4	
			not be reclassified to			(67.28)	(9.90)
	recla	assified to	elating to item that wi Profit or Loss			13.85	(7.15)
			be reclassified to Prof			-	-
			ating to item that will		Profit or Loss	-	-
XIII.			Income for the period / (Loss) and other co		me)	198.34	732.97
XIV			hare - Basic and Dilut	•	32	6.40	17.93
,	(Face Value	• ′	ini e Busie una Bila		32	00	
Signif See A	icant Accoun	ting Polic	ies the financial Stateme	ents	2		
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T KANI Directo		RAMAN ctor	ASHOK V CHOWGULE Director	K S RANAGAN Director	NATHAN	K S D SAMBASIVAM Director	As per our Report Annexed for BRAHMAYYA & CO
	2	-					Chartered Accountants
SANDH Directo	HYA SUBRAMAN or	IYAM	SHOBHANA RAMACHAN Director	NDRAN SHRIPRIYA M. Director	AHESH RAMANAN	KRISHNA MAHESH Managing Director	(FRN 000511 S)
Dlass	Channai		C DAMADADDAM				K JITENDRA KUMAR
Place : Chennai S RAMABADRAN Date : June 27, 2020 Chief Financial Officer				Company Secretary			Partner Membership No. 201825

## CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2020

			(₹ in lakhs)
		For the year ended 31.03.2020	For the year ended 31.03.2019
A	Cash flow from Operating Activities		
	Profit / (Loss) Before Tax	300.13	649.29
	Adjustments for :		
	Depreciation and Amortization	542.33	494.50
	Unrealised (Gain) / loss on Foreign Exchange Fluctuations (Net)	253.91	(54.00)
	Other adjustments	(67.28)	34.71
	Profit / (Loss) on Sale of fixed assets	(0.83)	0.00
	Advance writen off	171.73	
	Payable written back	(280.96)	
	Provision for leave encashment	28.44	9.72
	Interest Income	(32.74)	(37.75)
	Interest Expenses	152.82	164.93
	Cash Generated Before Working Capital Changes	1,067.55	1,261.40
	Movement in Working Capital		
	Increase / (Decrease) in Trade Payables	(149.46)	333.44
	Increase / (Decrease) in Other Financial Liabilities	(14.97)	737.92
	Increase / (Decrease) in Other Liabilities	204.07	(163.23)
	(Increase) / Decrease in Trade Receivables	813.51	(978.06)
	(Increase) / Decrease in Inventories	86.86	(571.12)
	(Increase) / Decrease in Other Financial Assets	(1.98)	1.06
	(Increase) / Decrease in Other Assets	(204.60)	(258.27)
	Cash Generated From Operations	1,800.98	363.14
	Direct Taxes Paid (net)	(88.31)	(111.27)
	Net Cash Flow From / (Used in) Operating Activities	1,712.67	251.87
В	Cash Flow From / (Used in) Investing Activities		
	Purchase of Property, Plant & Equipment (PPE)	(640.4=)	(2.5 42)
	and Intangible Assets	(618.47)	(365.42)
	Proceeds from Sale of PPE	1.56	(00.00)
	Purchase of Non Current Investments /Advance	(2.24)	(90.00)
	Deposit made for Margin money for Bank Guaratee Sale of Non Current Investments	(2.34)	_
	Interest Income Received	0.10 31.54	38.24
	Net Cash Flow From / (Used in) Investing Activities	(587.61)	(417.18)

## CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2020 - (contd.,)

		(₹ in lakhs)
	For the year ended 31.03.2020	For the year ended 31.03.2019
C Cash flow from / (Used in) Financing Activities		
Proceeds from / (to) Short - Term Borrowings (Net) *	(1,030.99)	360.07
Repayment of Long Term Borrowings	-	_
Interest Paid	(143.61)	(164.93)
Net Cash Flow From / (Used in) Financing Activities	(1,174.60)	195.13
Net Increase / (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents (A+B+C)	(49.54)	29.82
Cash and Cash Equivalents at the beginning of the year	384.32	354.48
Cash and Cash Equivalents at the end of the year	334.78	384.30
Components of Cash and Cash Equivalents		
Cash and cheques on Hand	22.92	23.95
Balances with Banks		
- On Current Accounts	11.86	60.37
- On Deposit Accounts	300.00	300.00
Cheques, Drafts on hand	-	_
Cash and cash Equivalent (as per Note 12)	334.78	384.32
Non Cash Investement/Financing Activities		
*Foreign Exchange Movement	93.92	(43.67)

## **Notes:**

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<sup>1</sup> The above cash flow statement has been prepared under the 'Indirect Method' as set out in the Ind AS - 7 on Cash Flow Statements.

T KANNAN Director	P S RAMAN Director	ASHOK V CHOWGULE Director	K S RANAGANATHAN Director	K S D SAMBASIVAM Director	As per our Report Annexed for BRAHMAYYA & CO
Director	Director	Director	Director	Director	ioi bio ii iivii ti ii ta co
					Chartered Accountants
SANDHYA SUB	RAMANIVAM	SHORHANA RAMACHANDRAN	SHRIPRIYA MAHESH RAMANAN	KRISHNA MAHESH	(FRN 000511 S)
	IV/ UVI/ VI N I / UVI				(11(1) 000511 5)
Director		Director	Director	Managing Director	
				0 0	K JITENDRA KUMAR
DI CI '		C DALLADA DOLLA			*
Place : Chennai		S RAMABADRAN			Partner
Date: June 27,	2020	Chief Financial Officer & Compa	ny Secretary		Membership No. 201825
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#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### NOTE 1. CORPORATE INFORMATION

Sundaram Brake Linings Limited ('the company') is a public limited company incorporated in India whose shares are publicly traded. The registered office is located at 180, Anna Salai, Chennai - 600 006, Tamil Nadu, India. The Company has its primary listings on the BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited, in India. The company manufactures asbestos free friction materials. The company has five manufacturing plants located in Tamil Nadu.

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors and authorised for issue on June 27, 2020.

#### NOTE 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

## (a) Basis of preparation:

These financial statements are prepared in accordance with Indian Accounting Standard (Ind AS), under the historical cost convention on the accrual basis except for certain financial instruments which are measured at fair values, the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act') (to the extent notified) and guidelines issued by the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI). The IndAS are prescribed under Section 133 of the Act read with Rule 3 of the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015 and relevant amendment rules issued thereafter

Accounting policies have been consistently applied except where a newly issued accounting standard is initially adopted or are vision to an existing accounting standard requires a change in the accounting policy hitherto in use

The amounts disclosed in the financial statements and notes have been rounded off to nearest lakhs as per the requirement of schedule III, unless otherwise stated.

The financial statements are presented in Indian currency (INR), being the functional and presentation currency. Being the currency of the primary economic environment in which the company operate.

All assets and liabilities have been classified as current or non-current as per the Company's normal operating cycle and other criteria set out in the Schedule III to the Companies Act, 2013. Based on the nature of products and 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 12 months for the purpose of current - non-current classification of assets and liabilities.

### (b) Foreign Currency Translation and transactions:

#### **Initial Recognition**

On initial recognition, all foreign currency transactions (other than advance receipt or payment of foreign currency) receipts or payments are recorded by applying to the foreign currency amount the exchange rate between the reporting currency and the foreign currency at the date of the transaction. The foreign currency transactions received or paid in advance are accounted at the date of receipt or payment of foreign currency.

### **Subsequent Recognition**

As at the reporting date, non-monetary items which are carried at historical cost and denominated in a foreign currency are reported using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction. All non-monetary items which are carried at fair value or other similar valuation denominated in a foreign currency are reported using the exchange rates that existed when the values were the fair value measured.

All monetary assets and liabilities in foreign currency are restated at the end of accounting period. Exchange differences on restatement of other monetary items are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

### (c) Property, Plant and Equipment (PPE):

Freehold land is carries at historical cost. All other items of Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses, if any.

All property, plant and equipment are initially recorded at cost. Cost includes the acquisition cost or the cost of construction, including duties and taxes (other than those refundable), expenses directly related to the location of assets and making them operational for their intended use and, in the case of qualifying assets, the attributable borrowing costs (refer note no. 2(p) below).

Subsequent expenditure relating to property, plant and equipment is capitalised 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.

An assets' carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the asset's carrying amount is greater that it's estimated recoverable amount.

Depreciable amount for assets is the cost of an asset, or other amount substituted for cost, less its estimated residual value at 5% of Cost.

Depreciation on tangible fixed assets has been provided on the straight-line method as per the useful life prescribed in Schedule II to the Companies Act, 2013.

An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognized upon disposal or when no future economic benefits are expected to arise from the continued use of the asset. Any gain or loss arising on the disposal or retirement of an item of property, plant and equipment is determined as the difference between the sales proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset and is recognized in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

For transition to Ind AS, the Company has elected to continue with the carrying value of all of its property, plant and equipment recognized as of April 1, 2015 (transition date) measured as per the pervious GAAP and use that carrying value as its deemed cost as of the transition date.

Capital work in progress represents projects under which the property, plant and equipment's are not yet ready for their intended use and are carried at cost determined as aforesaid.

#### (d) Investment properties:

Investment properties are measured initially at cost, including transaction costs. Subsequent to initial recognition, investment properties are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment loss, if any. The cost includes the cost of replacing parts and borrowing costs for long-term construction projects if the recognition criteria are met. When significant parts of the investment property are required to be replaced at intervals, the Company depreciates them separately based on their specific useful lives. All other repair and maintenance costs are recognised in profit or loss as incurred.

The Company depreciates building component of investment property on the straight-line method as per the useful life prescribed in Schedule II to the Companies Act, 2013

For transition to Ind AS, the Company has elected to continue with the carrying value of all of its property, plant and equipment recognized as of April 1, 2015 (transition date) measured as per the pervious GAAP and use that carrying value as its deemed cost as of the transition date.

Investment properties are derecognised either when they have been disposed of or when they are permanently withdrawn from use and no future economic benefit is expected from their disposal. The difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset is recognised in profit or loss in the period of derecognition.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Contd.)

## (e) Intangible Assets:

Intangible assets are initially measured at acquisition cost including any directly attributable costs of preparing the asset for its intended use.

Expenditure on projects which are not yet ready for intended use are carried as intangible assets under development.

Intangible assets with finite lives are amortized over their estimated useful economic life and assessed for impairment whenever there is an indication that the intangible asset may be impaired.

#### **Amortisation:**

Intangible assets with finite life are amortised over their estimated useful economic life and assessed for impairment whenever there is an indication that the intangible asset may be impaired. The amortisation periods are reviewed and impairment evaluations are carried out at least once a year. Intangible assets are amortised on straight-line method over ten years.

An intangible asset is derecognized on disposal, or when no future economic benefits are expected from use of disposal. Gains or losses arising from de-recognition of an intangible asset, measured as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset, and are recognized in the Statement of Profit and Loss when the asset is derecognized.

For transition to Ind AS, the Company has elected to continue with carrying value of all of its intangible assets recognized as of April 1, 2015 (transition date) measured as per the previous GAAP and use that carrying value as its deemed cost as of the transition date.

## (f) Impairment of assets:

Assets that have an indefinite useful life are not subject to amortisation and are tested annually for impairment. Assets that are subject to amortisation are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount.

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 recognized immediately in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

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 recognized for the asset (or cash-generating unit) in prior years. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognized immediately in Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### (g) Leases:

## 1. The Company 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.

At the date of commencement of the lease, the Company recognizes a right-of-use asset ("ROU") and a corresponding lease liability for all lease arrangements in which it is a lessee, except for leases with a term of twelve months or less (short-term leases) and low value leases. For these short-term and low value leases, the Company recognizes the lease payments as an operating expense on a straight-line basis over the term of the lease.

Certain lease arrangements include the options to extend or terminate the lease before the end of the lease term. ROU assets and lease liabilities include these options when it is reasonably certain that they will be exercised.

The right-of-use assets are initially recognized 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 from the commencement date on a straight line basis over the shorter of the lease term and useful life of the underlying asset. 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 cashflows that are largely independent of those from other assets. In such cases, the recoverable amount is determined for the Cash Generating Unit (CGU) to which the asset belongs.

The lease liability is initially measured at amortized 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.

#### 2) The Company as a lessor

Leases for which the Company is a lessor is classified as a finance or operating lease. Whenever the terms of the lease transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of owner ship to the lessee ,the contract is classified as a finance lease. All other leases are classified as operating leases.

When the Company is an intermediate lessor, it accounts for its interests in the head lease and the sublease separately. The sublease is classified as a finance or operating lease by reference to the right-of-use asset arising from the head lease.

For operating leases, rental income is recognized on a straight line basis over the term of the relevant lease

## Lease-hold land:

Leasehold land that normally has a finite economic life and title which is not expected to pass to the lessee by the end of the lease term is treated as an operating lease.

The payment made on entering into or acquiring a leasehold land is accounted for as leasehold land use rights (referred to as prepaid lease payments in Ind AS 17 "Leases") and is amortized over the lease term in accordance with the pattern of benefits provided.

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#### (h) Inventories:

Inventories are carried at the lower of cost (computed on a Weighted Average basis) or net realisable value. Cost include the cost of fair value of consideration paid including duties and taxes (other than those refundable), inward freight, and other expenditure directly attributable to the purchase. Trade discounts and rebates are deducted in determining the cost of purchase.

#### **Inventories:**

Stores and Spares and Tools	At weighted average cost
Components	At weighted average cost
Work in progress	At Cost
Finished Goods	At Lower of cost and net realisable value
Stock in trade	At Cost

Stocks of stores, spares and tools, components and stock in trade are valued at cost and not written down below cost to net reailsable value since the finished products and the services in which they are to be incorporated are expected to be sold / billed at or above cost.

#### (i) Financial Instruments:

#### **Financial Assets:**

#### Classification

The Company classifies financial assets as subsequently measured at amortised cost, fair value through other comprehensive income ('FVTOCI') or fair value through profit or loss ('FVTPL') on the basis of its business model for managing the financial assets and the contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial asset.

### **Initial Recognition and measurement:**

All financial assets (not measured subsequently at fair value through profit or loss) are recognised initially at fair value plus transaction costs that are attributable to the acquisition of the financial asset. Purchases or sales of financial assets that require delivery of assets within a time frame established by regulation or convention in the market place (regular way trades) are recognised on the trade date, i.e., the date that the Company commits to purchase or sell the asset.

## Debt instruments at amortised cost

A 'debt instrument' is measured at the amortised cost if both the following conditions are met:

- a) The asset is held within a business model whose objective is to hold assets for collecting contractual cash flows, and
- b) Contractual terms of the asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest (SPPI) on the principal amount outstanding.

After initial measurement, such financial assets are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate (EIR) method. Amortised cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium and fees or costs that are an integral part of the EIR. The EIR amortisation is included in finance income in the Statement of Profit and Loss. The losses arising from impairment are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss. This category generally applies to loans and advances, deposits, trade and other receivables.

Debt instruments included within the fair value through profit and loss (FVTPL) category are measured at fair value with all changes recognized in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

## **De-recognition**

A financial asset (or, where applicable, a part of a financial asset or part of a group of similar financial assets) is primarily derecognised (i.e. removed from the Company's balance sheet) when:

- The rights to receive cash flows from the asset have expired, or
- The Company has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from the asset or has assumed an obligation to pay the received cash flows in full without material delay to a third party under a 'pass-through' arrangement; and either:
  - (a) the Company has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, or
  - (b) the Company has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, but has transferred control of the asset.

When the Company has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from an asset or has entered into a pass-through arrangement, it evaluates if and to what extent it has retained the risks and rewards of ownership. When it has neither transferred nor retained substantially all of the risks and rewards of the asset, nor transferred control of the asset, the Company continues to recognise the transferred asset to the extent of the Company's continuing involvement. In that case, the Company also recognises an associated liability. The transferred asset and the associated liability are measured on a basis that reflects the rights and obligations that the Company has retained.

Continuing involvement that takes the form of a guarantee over the transferred asset is measured at the lower of the original carrying amount of the asset and the maximum amount of consideration that the Company could be required to repay.

#### Impairment of financial assets

In accordance with Ind-AS 109, the Company applies Expected Credit Loss (ECL) model for measurement and recognition of impairment loss on the following financial assets and credit risk exposure:

- a) Financial assets that are debt instruments, and are measured at amortised cost e.g., loans, debt securities, deposits, and bank balance.
- b) Trade receivables.

The Company follows 'simplified approach' for recognition of impairment loss allowance on trade receivables which do not contain a significant financing component.

The application of simplified approach does not require the Company to track changes in credit risk. Rather, it recognises impairment loss allowance based on lifetime ECLs at each Balance Sheet date, right from its initial recognition.

### **Financial Liabilities**

### Classification

The Company classifies all financial liabilities as subsequently measured at amortised cost, except for financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss. Such liabilities, including derivatives that are liabilities, shall be subsequently measured at fair value.

### Initial recognition and measurement

Financial liabilities are classified, at initial recognition, as financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, loans and borrowings, payables, or as derivatives designated as hedging instruments in an effective hedge, as appropriate.

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All financial liabilities are recognised initially at fair value and, in the case of loans and borrowings and payables, net of directly attributable transaction costs.

The Company's financial liabilities include trade and other payables, loans and borrowings including bank overdrafts, financial guarantee contracts and derivative financial instruments.

## Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss include financial liabilities held for trading and financial liabilities designated upon initial recognition as at fair value through profit or loss. Financial liabilities are classified as held for trading if they are incurred for the purpose of repurchasing in the near term.

## Gains or losses on liabilities held for trading are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

Financial liabilities designated upon initial recognition at fair value through profit or loss are designated at the initial date of recognition, and only if the criteria in Ind-AS 109 - "Financial Instruments" are satisfied. For liabilities designated as Fair Value through Profit and Loss ("FVTPL"), fair value gains / losses attributable to changes in own credit risk are recognized in Other Comprehensive Income ("OCI"). These gains / loss are not subsequently transferred to the Statement of Profit and Loss. However, the Company may transfer the cumulative gain or loss within equity. All other changes in fair value of such liability are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss. The Company has not designated any financial liability as at fair value through profit or loss.

## Loans and borrowings

After initial recognition, interest-bearing loans and borrowings are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the EIR method. Gains and losses are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss when the liabilities are derecognised.

Amortised cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium on acquisition and fees or costs that are an integral part of the Effective Interest Rate ('EIR'). The EIR amortisation is included as finance costs in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

This category generally applies to interest-bearing loans and borrowings.

## **De-recognition**

A financial liability is derecognised when the obligation under the liability is discharged or cancelled or expires. When an existing financial liability is replaced by another from the same lender on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing liability are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification is treated as the derecognition of the original liability and the recognition of a new liability. The difference in the respective carrying amounts is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

## Offsetting of financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset and the net amount is reported in the balance sheet if there is a currently enforceable legal right to offset the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, to realise the assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously.

## (j) Provisions and contingent liabilities and Contingent Assets:

Provisions are recognized, when there is a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation, and when a reliable estimate of the amount of the obligation can be made. If the effect of the time value of money is material, the provision is discounted using a pre-tax rate that reflects current market assessments of the

time value of money and the risks specific to the obligation and the unwinding of the discount is recognised as interest expense.

Contingent liabilities are recognized only when there is a possible obligation arising from past events, due to occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more uncertain future events, not wholly within the control of the Company, or where any present obligation cannot be measured in terms of future outflow of resources, or where a reliable estimate of the obligation cannot be made. Obligations are assessed on an ongoing basis and only those having a largely probable outflow of resources are provided for.

Contingent assets are not recognized in the financial statements.

## (k) 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 recognized at the proceeds received, net of direct issue costs.

Repurchase of the Company's own equity instruments is recognized and deducted directly in equity. No gain or loss is recognized in Statement of Profit and Loss on the purchase, sale, issue or cancellation of the Company's own equity instruments.

## (I) Revenue recognition:

a) The Company derives revenues primarily from sale of products. Revenue is recognized when the promised goods are transferred to the customer and the customer obtains control over them. In the sale of goods, control is typically transferred to the customer on delivery to the transporter. Invoicing usually takes place at the same time. Revenue is measured at the transaction price that is expected to be received as consideration and adjusted for volume discounts, price concessions and incentives or increased / decreased by agreed and estimated price adjustments, if any. Revenue also excludes taxes collected from customers.

Ind AS 115 requires Company to present a contract as an asset or a liability based on the relationship between its performance and the customer's payment. Contract assets (Trade receivable) recognized in the statement of financial position represent the Company's right to receive consideration for goods already transferred to customers. In contrast, contract liabilities (Advance received from customers/) are presented when the Company has already received consideration from customers for goods still to be transferred and amount payable on volume discounts, price concessions and incentives or increased/decreased by agreed and estimated price adjustments.

Use of significant judgement in revenue recognition

Judgement is required to determine the transaction price for the contract. The transaction price could be either a fixed amount of customer consideration or variable consideration with elements such as volume discounts, price concessions, incentives and increased / decreased by agreed and estimated price adjustments. The transaction price is also adjusted for the effects of the time value of money if the contract includes a significant financing component. Any consideration payable to the customer is adjusted to the transaction price, unless it is a payment for a distinct product or service from the customer. The estimated amount of variable consideration is adjusted in the transaction price only to the extent that it is highly probable that a significant reversal in the amount of cumulative revenue recognised will not occur and is reassessed at the end of each reporting period.

- b) Dividends are accounted when the right to receive is established.
- c) Interest income is accrued on a time proportion basis using the effective interest rate method.

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#### (m) Government Grants:

Government grants are recognised in the period to which they relate when there is reasonable assurance that the grant will be received and that the Company will comply with the attached conditions

Government grants are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss on a systematic basis over the periods in which the Company recognises as expenses the related costs for which the grants are intended to compensate.

## (n) Employee Benefits:

## (i) Short-term Obligations

Liabilities for wages and salaries, including non-monetary benefits that are expected to be settled wholly within 12 months after the end of the period in which the employees render the related service are recognised in respect of employees' services up to the end of the reporting period and are measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled. The liabilities are presented as current employee benefit obligations in the balance sheet.

Other benefits, comprising of discretionary Long Service Awards and Leave Travel Allowances, are determined on an undiscounted basis and recognised based on the entitlement thereof.

## (ii) Other long-term employee benefit obligations

The liabilities for earned leave are not expected to be settled wholly within 12 months after the end of the period in which the employees render the related service. They are therefore measured as the present value of expected future payments to be made in respect of services provided by employees up to the end of the reporting period using the projected unit credit method. The benefits are discounted using the market yields at the end of the reporting period that have terms approximating to the terms of the related obligation. Re-measurements as a result of experience adjustments and changes in actuarial assumptions are recognised in profit or loss.

The obligations are presented as current liabilities in the balance sheet if the entity does not have an unconditional right to defer settlement for at least twelve months after the reporting period, regardless of when the actual settlement is expected to occur.

## (iii) Post-employment obligations

The Company operates the following post-employment schemes:

- Retirement benefits in the form of Provident Fund are a benefit obligations scheme and the contributions are recognised, when the contributions to the respective funds are due. Both the employees and the Company make monthly contributions to the Sundaram Brake Linings Limited Employees Provident Fund equal to a specified percentage of the covered employee's salary. Company also contributes to a government administered pension fund on behalf of its employees. The interest rate payable by the trust to the beneficiaries every year is being notified by the Government. The Company has an obligation to make good the shortfall, if any, between the return from the investments of the trust and the notified interest rate.
- Gratuity liability is defined benefit obligation and is provided for on the basis of an actuarial
  valuation on projected unit credit method made at the end of each financial year. Re measurement
  in case of defined benefit plans gains and losses arising from experience adjustments and changes
  in actuarial assumptions are recognised in the period in which they occur, directly in other
  comprehensive income and they are included in retained earnings in the statement of changes in
  equity in the balance sheet.

- Superannuation: Certain employees of the company are participants in a defined contribution
  plan. The Company has no further obligations to the Plan beyond its monthly contributions which
  are periodically contributed to a trust fund, the corpus of which is invested with the Life Insurance
  Corporation of India
- Compensated absences are provided for on the basis of an actuarial valuation on projected unit
  credit method made at the end of each financial year. Re measurements as a result of experience
  adjustments and changes in actuarial assumptions are recognised in profit or loss.
- The amount of Non-current and Current portions of employee benefits is classified as per the actuarial valuation at the end of each financial year.

#### (o) Income Taxes:

Income tax expense comprises current tax expense and the net change in the deferred tax asset or liability during the year. Current and deferred tax are recognised in profit or loss, except when they relate to items that are recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity, in which case, the current and deferred tax are also recognised in other comprehensive income or directly in equity, respectively.

#### (i) Current tax:

Current Tax expenses are accounted in the same period to which the revenue and expenses relate. Provision for current income tax is made for the tax liability payable on taxable income after considering tax allowances, deductions and exemptions determined in accordance with the applicable tax rates and the prevailing tax laws.

Current tax assets and current tax liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts and there is an intention to settle the asset and the liability on a net basis.

#### (ii) Deferred tax:

Deferred income tax is recognised using the balance sheet approach. Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are recognised for deductible and taxable temporary differences arising between the tax base of assets and liabilities and their carrying amount in financial statements, except when the deferred income tax arises from the initial recognition of goodwill, an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and affects neither accounting nor taxable profits or loss at the time of the transaction.

Deferred income tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences in the foreseeable future and the carry forward of unused tax credits and unused tax losses can be utilised.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each Balance Sheet date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available to allow all or part of the deferred income tax asset to be utilised.

Deferred tax liabilities and assets are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period in which the liability is settled or the asset realized, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the Balance Sheet date.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and when they relate to income taxes levied by the same taxation authority and the Company intends to settle its current tax assets and liabilities on a net basis.

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Minimum Alternative Tax ("MAT") credit is recognized as an asset only when and to the extent there is reasonable certainty that the Company will pay normal income tax during the specified period. Such asset is reviewed at each Balance Sheet date and the carrying amount of the MAT credit asset is written down to the extent there is no longer a reasonable certainty to the effect that the Company will pay normal income tax during the specified period.

## (p) Borrowing Costs:

General and specific borrowing costs directly attributable to the acquisition or construction of qualifying assets that necessarily takes a substantial period of time to get ready for their intended use or sale, are added to the cost of those assets, until such time as the assets are substantially ready for their intended use or sale. Borrowing costs consist of interest and other costs that the company incurs in connection with the borrowing of funds.

Interest income earned on temporary investment of specific borrowings pending their expenditure on qualifying assets is deducted from the borrowing costs eligible for capitalization. Borrowing costs that are not directly attributable to a qualifying asset are recognised in the Statement of Profit or Loss using the effective interest method.

### (q) Cash Flow Statement:

Cash flows are reported using the indirect method, whereby profit / (loss) before tax is adjusted for the effects of transactions of no cash nature and any deferrals or accruals of past or future cash receipts or payments. Cash flow for the year are classified by operating, investing and financing activities.

## (r) Earnings Per Share:

Basic earnings per share is computed by dividing the profit / (loss) after tax (including the post-tax effect of extraordinary items, if any) by the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the year including potential equity shares, if any, on compulsory convertible debentures. Diluted earnings per share is computed by dividing the profit / (loss) after tax (including the post-tax effect of extraordinary items, if any) as adjusted for dividend, interest and other charges to expense or income (net of any attributable taxes) relating to the dilutive potential equity shares, by the weighted average number of equity shares considered for deriving basic earnings per share and the weighted average number of equity shares which could have been issued on the conversion of all dilutive potential equity shares.

### (s) Segment Reporting:

The Company identifies operating segments based on the internal reporting provided to the chief operating decision-maker.

The chief operating decision-maker, who is responsible for allocating resources and assessing performance of the operating segments, has been identified as the committee that makes strategic decisions.

The accounting policies adopted for segment reporting are in line with the accounting policies of the Company. Segment revenue, segment expenses, segment assets and segment liabilities have been identified to segments on the basis of their relationship to the operating activities of the segment.

Inter-segment revenue is accounted on the basis of transactions which are primarily determined based on market / fair value factors. Revenue, expenses, assets and liabilities which relate to the Company as a whole and are not allocable to segments on reasonable basis have been included under "unallocated revenue / expenses / assets / liabilities".

## Note 3. Critical accounting estimates and judgments

The preparation of financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, disclosures of contingent liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses for the years presented. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

Estimates and underlying assumptions are continually evaluated. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimates are revised and in any future periods affected.

In particular, information about significant areas of estimation, uncertainty and critical judgments in applying accounting policies that have the most significant effect on the amounts recognized in the financial statements pertain to:

- Useful lives of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets: The Company has estimated useful life
  of each class of assets based on the nature of assets, the estimated usage of the asset, the operating condition
  of the asset, past history of replacement, anticipated technological changes, etc. The Company reviews the
  carrying amount of property, plant and equipment and Intangible assets at the Balance Sheet date. This
  reassessment may result in change in depreciation expense in future periods.
- Impairment testing: Property, plant and equipment and Intangible assets are tested for impairment when
  events occur or changes in circumstances indicate that the recoverable amount of the cash generating unit is
  less than its carrying value. The recoverable amount of cash generating units is higher of value-in-use and fair
  value less cost to sell. The calculation involves use of significant estimates and assumptions which includes
  turnover and earnings multiples, growth rates and net margins used to calculate projected future cash flows,
  risk-adjusted discount rate, future economic and market conditions.
- Income Taxes: Deferred tax assets are recognized to the extent that it is regarded as probable that deductible
  temporary differences can be realized. The Company estimates deferred tax assets and liabilities based on
  current tax laws and rates and in certain cases, business plans, including management's expectations regarding
  the manner and timing of recovery of the related assets. Changes in these estimates may affect the amount of
  deferred tax liabilities or the valuation of deferred tax assets and their tax charge in the statement of profit or
  loss.
  - Provision for tax liabilities require judgements on the interpretation of tax legislation, developments in case law and the potential outcomes of tax audits and appeals which may be subject to significant uncertainty. Therefore the actual results may vary from expectations resulting in adjustments to provisions, the valuation of deferred tax assets, cash tax settlements and therefore the tax charge in the statement of profit or loss.
- **Defined benefit plans:** The cost of the defined benefit plans and the present value of the defined benefit obligation are based on actuarial valuation using the projected unit credit method. An actuarial valuation involves making various assumptions that may differ from actual developments in the future. These include the determination of the discount rate, future salary increases, etc. Due to the complexities involved in the valuation and its long term nature, a defined benefit obligation is highly sensitive to changes in these assumptions. All assumptions are reviewed at each Balance Sheet date.
- Impact of COVID-19: The spread of COVID-19 has impacted global economic activity as has been witnessed in several countries. There have been severe disruptions in businesses in India during the Lock down period. The Company has resumed production and Export and domestic sales are picking up. The situation is evolving and the assessment of impact due to COVID-19 is a continuous process, given the uncertainties.
  - Management has conducted the possible impact of known events arising from COVID-19 pandemic in the preparation of these financial statements and has analysed events post Balance Sheet date and believes that there will not be any material effect on the carrying values of the assets and liabilities of the Company on the reporting date and there is no change in its ability to continue as a Going Concern.
- Standards issued but not yet effective:
  - Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") notifies new standard or amendments to the existing standards. There is no such notification which would have been applicable from April 1, 2020.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Contd.)

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

Statement of Changes in Equity for the period ended 31st March 2019

## A) EQUITY SHARE CAPITAL

Particulars	₹ in lakhs
As at 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2019	393.46
Change in Equity Share Capital	-
As at 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2020	393.46

## B) OTHER EQUITY

₹ in lakhs

	Reserves and Surplus				Equity Instrument	Other Items	
Particulars	General Reserve	Capital Reserves	Securities Premium Reserve	Retained Earnings	through	of other Comprehen-	Total
Balance at 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2018	4,849.38	0.03	1,700.43	530.68	0.61	(9.08)	7,072.05
Profit for the year	-	_	-	705.41	-	-	705.41
Other Comprehensive Income	_	-	-	-	-	27.56	27.56
Total Comprehensive Income for the Year	_	_	_	705.41	-	27.56	732.97
Balance at 31st March 2019	4,849.38	0.03	1,700.43	1,236.09	0.61	18.48	7,805.02
Balance at 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2019	4,849.38	0.03	1,700.43	1,236.09	0.61	18.48	7,805.02
Profit for the year	_	-	_	251.77	-	-	251.77
Other Comprehensive Income	_	-	-	-	-	(53.43)	(53.43)
Total Comprehensive Income for the Year	_	_	-	251.77	-	(53.43)	198.34
Balance at March 31 2020	4,849.38	0.03	1,700.43	1,487.86	0.61	(34.95)	8,003.36

## General reserve

The general reserve is a free reserve. The company transfers profits from time to time to general reserve.

## Capital reserve

The Company recognises excess amount received on Reissue of forfieted shares.

## Securities premium

Securities premium is used to record the premium on issue of shares. The reserve is utilised in accordance with the provisions of Section 52 of the Companies Act, 2013.

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Director	Director	Director	Director	Director	
SANDHYA SUB	RAMANYAM	SHOBHANA RAMACHANDRAN	SHRIPRIYA MAHESH RAMANAN	KRISHNA MAHESH	Chartered Accountants
Director		Director	Director	Managing Director	(FRN 000511 S)
Place : Chennai Date : June 27, 2020		S RAMABADRAN Chief Financial Officer & Compa	ny Secretary	U U	K JITENDRA KUMAR Partner Membership No. 201825

(₹ in lakhs)

## 5. PROPERTY, PLANT & EQUIPMENT

			Pr	operty, Plan	t & Equipme	nt			Other Intan	gible Assets
Description	Free hold land	Buildings	Plant & Equipment	Furniture & Fixtures	Office Equipments	Computers	Vehicles	Total	Intangibles (Software)	Total
Cost of Assets										
As at 01-04-2018	107.01	1,309.62	6,702.57	18.51	31.70	18.36	36.64	8,224.41		0.00
Additions		17.21	414.11			9.82		441.14		0.00
Sub-total	107.01	1,326.83	7,116.68	18.51	31.70	28.18	36.64	8,665.55		0.00
Sales / deletion	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00
Total	107.01	1,326.83	7,116.68	18.51	31.70	28.18	36.64	8,665.55	0.00	0.00
Depreciation / Amortisation										
Upto 31-03-2018	0.00	169.30	1,294.42	12.98	16.07	9.60	8.88	1,511.25		0.00
For the year	0.00	56.76	421.73	0.12	2.47	6.48	6.58	494.14		0.00
Sub-total	0.00	226.06	1,716.15	13.10	18.54	16.08	15.46	2,005.39	0.00	0.00
Withdrawn on assets sold / deleted	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00
Depreciation / Amortisation Total	0.00	226.06	1,716.15	13.10	18.54	16.08	15.46	2,005.39	0.00	0.00
As on 31-03-2019	107.01	1,100.77	5,400.53	5.41	13.16	12.10	21.19	6,660.16	0.00	0.00
Cost of Assets										
As at 01-04-2019	107.01	1,326.83	7,116.68	18.51	31.70	28.18	36.64	8,665.55		0.00
Additions		3.91	313.46	0.13	0.15	1.63	5.44	324.71	14.85	14.85
Sub-total	107.01	1,330.74	7,430.14	18.64	31.85	29.81	42.08	8,990.26	14.85	14.85
Sales / deletion	0.00	0.00	26.47	0.00	10.17	0.35	3.84	40.83		0.00
Total	107.01	1,330.74	7,403.67	18.64	21.68	29.46	38.24	8,949.43	14.85	14.85
Depreciation / Amortisation										
Upto 31-03-2019	0.00	226.06	1,716.15	13.10	18.54	16.08	15.46	2,005.39		0.00
For the year		55.50	431.14	0.54	2.91	8.29	4.51	502.90	2.16	2.16
Sub-total	0.00	281.56	2,147.29	13.64	21.45	24.37	19.97	2,508.29	2.16	2.16
Withdrawn on assets sold / deleted	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3.18	3.18		0.00
Depreciation / Amortisation Total	0.00	281.56	2,147.29	13.64	21.45	24.37	16.79	2,505.11	2.16	2.16
As on 31-03-2020	107.01	1,049.18	5,256.38	4.99	0.22	5.09	21.45	6,444.33	12.69	12.69

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					(₹ in lakhs)
		As at 31.	03.2020	As at 31.0	3.2019
6.	INVESTMENT PROPERTY				
	a) Residence Apartment				
	Residence Apartment at Chennai (RA Puram)		44.78		44.78
	Opening Accumulated Depreciation	(7.74)		(7.38)	
	Depreciation for the year	(0.36)		(0.36)	
	Closing Accumulated Depreciation	(0.30)	(8.10)	(0.30)	(7.74)
	Closing Accumulated Depreciation				
	NON-CURRENT ASSETS		36.68		<u>37.04</u>
7.	NON-CURRENT INVESTMENTS				
	Unquoted Investments - Non-Trade  a) Investments in equity instruments:  i. 3,583 equity shares (Previous Year - 4,613 equity shares)				
	of ₹ 10/- each fully paid up of Engineered Power Resources India Private Limited (cost ₹ 35,830/-)	0.39		0.49	
	ii. 1,100 Class 'C' equity shares (Previous Year - 1,100) of ₹ 10/- each with a premium of ₹ 126/- per share fully paid up of Suryadev Alloys & Power Private Limited (cost ₹ 1,49,600/-)	2.08		2.08	
	iii. 3,00,000 Class "B" equity shares (Previous Year - Nil) of ₹ 10/- each with a premium of ₹ 20/- per share fully paid up of Suryadev Alloys & Power Private Limited (cost ₹ 90,00,000/-)	90.00			
	b) Others:		92.47		2.57
	500 shares (Previous Year 500 shares) of ₹ 1/- each fully paid up of TVS				
	Co-operative Stores Limited (cost ₹ 500/-)		$\frac{0.01}{92.48}$		<u>0.01</u> <u>2.58</u>
8.	OTHER FINANCIAL ASSETS				
	a) Loans and Advances to Employees	15.70		18.92	
			<u>15.70</u>		18.92
			<u>15.70</u>		18.92
	Loans Receivables which have significant increase in credit risk Loans Receivables – credit impaired		-		_
9.	OTHER NON-CURRENT ASSETS				
	a) Prepayment for lease - land at Mahindra World City:		277.25		280.51
	<ul><li>b) Capital Advances</li><li>c) Share application Money</li></ul>		3.38		192.46
	<ul><li>c) Share application Money</li><li>d) Security Deposits</li></ul>		- 197.84		90.00 147.41
	e) Cenvat / VAT / Service Tax Credit Receivable		104.61		104.61
	f) Taxes Paid Under protest		37.32		37.32
			620.40		852.31

				(₹ in lakhs)
	As at 31.	.03.2020	As at 31.0	3.2019
CURRENT ASSETS				
10. INVENTORIES				
a) Raw Materials:				
i) In stock	1,261.62		999.16	
ii) In transit	61.84		448.21	
b) Work-in-progress	226.63		322.16	
c) Finished goods	1,754.83		1,626.90	
d) Spares and Stores	321.87		339.39	
e) Loose tools	<u>143.86</u>		121.69	
Inventories other than Finished Goods are valued at cost on Weighted average basis. Finished goods are valued at cost or net realisable value whichever is lower. Work-in-progress is valued at raw material cost plus cost of conversion excluding interest.		3,770.65		3,857.51
11. TRADE RECEIVABLES				
(Unsecured, considered good)				
a) More than six months	138.51		12.48	
b) Others	5,121.68		6,217.40	
4, 0 1.16.1		5,260.19		6,229.88
Trade Receivables which have significant increase in credit risk Trade Receivables – credit impaired		-		
12. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS				
a) Balances with banks				
i) on Current Account with banks	11.86		60.37	
ii) On Deposit Accounts with bank with maturity less than				
three months from Balance Sheet Date	300.00		300.00	
		311.86		360.37
iii) Cash on Hand		22.92		23.95
		334.78		384.32
b) Other Balances				
i) Margin Deposit with Banks	2.34		_	
ii) Earmarked balances with banks - for unclaimed dividends	_		1.76	
		2.34		1.76
		337.12		386.08
		337,112		300.00

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	As at 31.03.2020	(₹ in lakhs) As at 31.03.2019
13. OTHER FINANCIAL ASSETS	713 dt 31.03.2020	7.5 dt 51.05.2015
a) Loans and advances to related parties	_	
b) Others		
Interest recievable	26.70	25.50
Loans and Advances to Employees	20.07	12.45
others	12.30	14.72
Loans Receivables which have significant increase in credit risk Loans Receivables – credit impaired	<u>59.07</u> - -	52.67
14. OTHER CURRENT ASSETS		
a) Loans and advances to related parties	-	_
b) Others		
i) Prepaid Expenses	128.30	174.07
ii) Advances for services / goods	67.24	116.59
<ul><li>iii) Goods and Services Tax - Input Credit / TDS</li><li>iv) Export incentive receivable</li></ul>	118.17 616.11	63.61 417.55
iv) Receivables / Claims	1.17	1.74
	930.99	773.56
Export incentive balance		
Opening balance -1 <sup>st</sup> April	417.55	
Income accrued during the year	395.32	
Amount received / Scrip Utilised during the year Closing balance		
<u> </u>		417.33
15. SHARE CAPITAL Authorised		
50,00,000 equity shares of ₹ 10/- each	500.00	500.00
Issued, Subscribed and Paid-up		
39,34,575 equity shares of ₹ 10/- each fully paid up	393.46	393.46

- a) The Company has issued only one class of shares referred to as equity shares having a par value of ₹ 10/-.
- b) Each holder of equity shares is entitled to one vote per share.
- c) The Company declares and pays dividends in Indian Rupees.
- d) Except interim dividend which is declared and paid based on the decision of the Board of Directors, all other dividends are proposed by the Board of Directors and paid on approval of the shareholders at the Annual General Meeting.
- e) 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, no such preferential amounts exist currently. The distribution will be in proportion to the number of equity shares held by the shareholders.
- f) During the last five years immediately preceding the date of the Balance Sheet, the Company has not issued any shares as bonus shares or without payment being received in cash or has bought back any shares.
- g) During the financial year 12,130 (Previous Year 8,425) shares pertaining to the share holders, whose dividend were unclaimed for seven years, were transferred to Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF) Account.

h) Following are the shareholders holding more than 5% equity shares and the number of equity shares held by each of them:

	As at 31.03.2020			As at 31.03.2019	
Name of the Shareholder	me of the Shareholder  No. of shares held		No. of shares held	% of total shares	
T V Sundram Iyengar & Sons Private Limited	5,52,955	14.05	5,52,955	14.05	
Southern Roadways Private Limited	4,78,500	12.16	4,78,500	12.16	
Sundaram Industries Private Limited	2,53,835	6.45	2,53,835	6.45	
Krishna Mahesh	5,44,608	13.84	5,44,608	13.84	

(₹ in lakhs) As at 31.03.2019 As at 31.03.2020 16. RESERVES AND SURPLUS **Capital Reserves** Share premium account As per last Balance Sheet 1,700.43 1,700.43 ii) Reissue of forfieted shares As per last Balance Sheet 0.03 0.03 Total (i + ii) 1,700.46 1,700,46 Revenue Reserves **General Reserve** As per last Balance Sheet 4.849.38 4,849.38 4,849.38 4,849.38 **Retained Earnings** ii) As per last Balance Sheet 1,236.09 530.68 Profit / (Loss) After Tax for the year 251.77 705.41 1,487.86 1,236.09 iii) Other Compehensive Income To be reclassified to Profit & Loss As per last Balance Sheet 0.61 0.61 Changes in fair value of investments 0.00 0.00 0.61 0.61 Not to be reclassified to Profit & Loss As per last Balance Sheet 18.48 (9.08)Actuarial gain / (loss) on Gratuity (67.28)34.71 Less: Deferred Tax on the above 13.85 (7.15)(34.95)18.48 Total (i + ii + iii) 6,302.90 6,104.56 8,003.36 7,805.02

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Contd.)

		(₹ in lakhs)
	As at 31.03.2020	As at 31.03.2019
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		
17. LONG-TERM BORROWINGS		
Secured Borrowings	_	_
0		
18. LONG-TERM PROVISIONS		
On account of employee benefits		
Provision for Leave Encashment	150.72	107.20
TO NOTE OF EACH OF EACH OF THE CONTROL OF THE CONTR	150.72	107.20
10 DEFENDED TAY HADILITIES (AIFT)		107.20
19. DEFERRED TAX LIABILITIES (NET)		
a) Deferred Tax Liability	1 064 64	1 002 26
On account of depreciation	1,064.64	1,083.36
b) Deferred Tax Asset	4	()
On account of employee benefits	(85.10)	(99.50)
	<u>979.54</u>	983.86
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
20. SHORT-TERM BORROWINGS		
Cash Credit and Export Packing Credit from State Bank of India secured by		
first charge on present and future current assets and extension by way of		
second charge on other fixed assets - present and future (excluding vehicles)	2,400.99	3,338.06
	2,400.99	3,338.06
24 TRADE BAVABLES		
21. TRADE PAYABLES  (A) Total outstanding dues of Micro. Small 9. Modium Enterprises	700.42	401 F0
<ul><li>(A) Total outstanding dues of Micro, Small &amp; Medium Enterprises</li><li>(B) Total outstanding dues of creditors other than micro enterprises</li></ul>	780.43	491.58
and small enterprises	2,397.17	2,831.67
and small enterprises	3,177.60	3,323.25
Total outstanding dues of Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises	= 3,177100	3/323.23
a) Principal amount remaining unpaid	780.43	491.58
b) Interest due thereon	_	_
c) Interest paid by the Company in terms of Section 16 of the Micro,		
Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006, along with		
the amount paid to the supplier beyond the appointed day during the year	-	-
d) Interest due and payable for the period of delay in making payment		
(which have been paid but beyond the appointed day during the year)		
but without adding the interest specified under the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006		
e) Interest accrued and remaining unpaid	_	_
f) Further Interest remaining due and payable even in the succeeding years,	_	_
until such date when the interest dues as above are actually paid to the		
small enterprise	_	_
Outstanding dues of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises - ₹ 781.57 lakhs	as on 31.03.2020 out of wh	nich ₹ 300.35 lakhs was

Outstanding dues of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises - ₹ 781.57 lakhs as on 31.03.2020 out of which ₹ 300.35 lakhs was outstanding for more than 45 days as on 31.03.2020. Interest is not applicable in this case, as the payments to Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises could not be made before 31.03.2020, due to the lockdown imposed by the Government from 24<sup>th</sup> March, 2020.

				(₹ in lakhs)	
	As at 31.0	03.2020	As at 31.0	3.2019	
e of Fixed Assets ners includes amount payable to s, price difference and rebates	9.21 337.35 116.41 - 813.49 110.69	1,387.15	424.08 97.78 1.76 914.58 218.80	1,657.00	
n payment is received before ted. stomer towards Sale of goods. e obligation is met. Revenue ded in the opening balance Lakhs.	120.88 199.38	320.26	114.97 1.22	116.19	
	21.05	21.05	36.13	36.13	

### 22. OTHER FINANCIAL LIABILITIES

- a) Interest Accured and but not due
- b) Salaries and other benefits Payable
- c) Amount payable in respect of Purchase of Fixed Assets
- d) Unclaimed dividends
- e) Liability towards contracts with customers
- f) Other Payable

Liability towards contracts with customers includes amount payable to customers for volume discounts, incentives, price difference and rebates

## 23. OTHER CURRENT LIABILITIES

- a) Statutory dues
- b) Advances from customers

Advances from customers is recognised when payment is received before the related performance obligation is satisfied.

This includes advances received from the customer towards Sale of goods. Revenue is recognised once the performance obligation is met. Revenue recognised during the period that was included in the opening balance of Customer Advances amounted to ₹ 1.22 Lakhs.

### 24. SHORT-TERM PROVISIONS

a) Provision for employee benefits
 Provision for Leave Encashment

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Contd.)

	For the year ended March 31, 2020	(₹ in lakhs) For the year ended March 31, 2019
25. REVENUE FROM OPERATIONS		
<ul><li>a) Total revenue from contracts with customers</li><li>b) Other operating revenue</li></ul>	25,361.55	28,128.53
<ul><li>i) Export duty drawback and other incentives</li><li>ii) Scrap Sales</li></ul>	395.32 57.30	438.33 59.00
	452.62 25,814.17	497.33 28,625.86
Set out below is the disaggregation of the Company's revenue from contracts with customers:		
(The Company derives its revenue from the transfer of goods at a point of time)	7 665 11	10 720 41
Original Equipment After Market	7,665.11 5,376.26	10,728.41 5,223.82
Export	12,320.18 25,361.55	$\frac{12,176.30}{28,128.53}$
Reconciliation of revenue recognized with the contracted price is as follows:		
Contracted price Reductions towards variable consideration components	25,962.91 601.36	28,953.97 825.44
Revenue recognised  The reduction towards variable consideration comprises of volume discounts, incentives, and rebates etc.	25,361.55	28,128.53
26. OTHER INCOME		
<ul> <li>a) Interest Income (Includes interest ₹ Nil Previous Year ₹6.69 Lakhs on income tax refunds)</li> </ul>	32.74	37.75
<ul><li>b) Cash discount</li><li>c) Gain on foreign currency transactions</li></ul>	20.43 152.36	21.15 196.19
d) Profit on sale of Assets e) Insurance Claim	0.83 1.53	4.83
f) Payable Written back	280.96	4.03
g) Others h) Other Non-Operating Revenue	17.82	_
i) Rent	0.84	0.84
	507.51	260.76
27. COST OF MATERIALS CONSUMED - RAW MATERIALS AND COMPONENTS		
Opening Stock: Raw materials and Components	999.16	786.30
Add: Purchase of Raw Materials and Components	12,620.42 13,619.58	14,849.61 15,635.91
Less: Closing Stock -Raw materials and Components	1,261.62	999.16
Raw materials comprise of resins, glass fibre and other metals and chemicals	12,357.96	14,636.75

28. CHANGES IN INVENTORIES OF FINISHED GOODS AND WORK-IN-PROGRESS For the year ended March 31, 2020  For the year ended March 31, 2020  For the year ended March 31, 2020	
a) Opening Stocks:	
i) Work in progress 322.16 291.76	
ii) Finished goods <u>1,626.90</u> <u>1,432.24</u>	
1,949.06	1,724.00
b) Closing Stocks:	
i) Work in progress <b>226.63</b> 322.16	
ii) Finished goods 1,754.83 1,626.90	
1,981.46	1,949.06
Net (increase) / decrease (32.40)	(225.07)
29. EMPLOYEE BENEFIT EXPENSES	
a) Salaries, wages, bonus 3,831.12 4,148.30	
b) Contribution to Employee benefit funds:	
i) Provident Fund 184.62 166.38	
ii) Gratuity Fund 34.33 40.02	
iii) Other funds <b>62.03</b> 60.30	
c) Staff welfare expenses 683.49 756.84	
4,795.59	5,171.84
30. FINANCE COST	
a) Interest expense 152.82 164.93	
152.82	164.93

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Contd.)

			(₹ in lakhs)
		For the year ended	For the year ended
		March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019
31. O	THER EXPENSES		
a)	Stores consumed: Stores and spares		
	i) Stores and Spares	742.69	715.21
	ii) Loose Tools	365.15	355.86
		1,107.84	1,071.07
b)	Power and Fuel	2,272.32	2,465.80
c)	Rent	7.49	5.29
d)	Rates and Taxes	195.03	180.79
e)	Insurance	99.66	112.32
f)	Repairs to Building	259.45	331.18
g)	Repairs to Machinery	542.52	527.57
h)	Other Repairs	98.23	103.95
i)	Travelling expenses	398.86	378.16
j)	Packing and Forwarding	1,345.25	1,378.85
k)	Advertisement and Publicity	98.92	131.18
I)	Advance Written off	171.73	_
m)	Sitting fees	2.30	2.80
n)	Auditors' remunerations		
	i) As auditors	10.50	9.00
	ii) Tax Audit Fees	2.00	1.00
	iii) Other services	1.80	1.95
	iv) Reimbursement of expenses	0.86	0.49
		15.16	12.44
0)	Postage and Telephones	60.79	65.51
p)	Research and Development expenses - refer Note no. 34	776.02	538.38
q)	Commission on Sales	290.72	236.56
r)	Professional and legal Fee	148.83	166.02
s)	Royalty	22.98	32.97
t)	Bank Charges	93.11	87.38
u)	Printing and stationery	54.84	55.05
v)	Miscellaneous expenses	143.20	111.11
		8,205.25	7,994.38
32. EA	RNING PER SHARE		
Ear	ning per share is calculated by dividing the profit attributable to shareholders		
by	the number of equity shares outstanding during the year. The earning per is calculated as follows:		
	Profit / (Loss) after tax - ₹ lacs	251.77	705.41
	Number of Equity shares	39,34,575	39,34,575
	Face value per share	₹ 10	₹ 10
	Earnings per share (EPS)	6.40	17.93
	0- F.2. sumo (=: 0)	0.10	17.133

### 33. SEGMENT REPORTING

The operations of the Company relate only to one segment viz., friction materials.

Geographical Segements:

The analysis of geographical segment is based on the geographical location of the customers. The Company operates primarily in India and has presence in international markets as well. Its business is accordingly aligned geographically, catering to two markets i.e. India and Outside India. For customers located outside India, the Company has assessed that they carry same risk and rewards. The Company has considered domestic and exports markets as geographical segments and accordingly disclosed these as separate segments. The geographical segments considered for disclosure are as follows

- Sales within India include Sales to customers located within India.
- Sales outside India include sales to customers located outside India

Secondary Segment Reporting (by Geographical Segments)

The following is the distribution of the Company's total revenue of operations by geographical market, regardless of where the goods were produced:

(₹ in lakhs)

		(₹ In lakns)
	For the year ended March 31, 2020	For the year ended March 31, 2019
Within India	13,041.37	15,952.23
Outside India	12,320.18	12,176.30
Total	25,361.55	28,128.53
The following table shows the carrying amount of trade receivables by geographical segments		
Within India	2,750.00	3,465.94
Outside India	2,510.19	2,763.94
Total	5,260.19	6,229.88
All other assets (other than trade receivables) used in the Company's business are located in India and are used to cater to both the categories of customers (within India and outside India), accordingly the total cost incurred during the year to acquire Plant & Equipment and intangible assets has not been disclosed.		
34. EXPENDITURE ON RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT		
(a) Capital Expenditure	28.95	60.26
(b) Revenue Expenditure		
- Raw Material & Components consumed	127.82	91.78
- Stores & Tools consumed	362.99	207.83
- Power cost	77.00	78.30
- Travelling expenses	34.47	39.25
<ul> <li>Product development expenses</li> </ul>	54.93	60.89
- Other expenses	181.73	139.80
R&D Revenue Expenditure excluding employee benefit expenses	838.94	617.85
Add: R&D employees' Salaries, Wages & Bonus included in		
Employee Benefit Expenses under Note No.29	348.04	317.54
Total R&D Revenue Expenditure	1,186.99	935.38
Total R&D Expenditure	1,215.94	995.64

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Contd.)

#### 35. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

#### **Defined Contribution Plans**

#### (i) Superannuation

Eligible employees receive pension from Life Insurance Corporation of India, which is a defined contribution plan. Monthly Pension is paid after retirement, death, incapacitation or termination of employment for the life time and amount lying credit after the death is paid to the nominee. Company make every year contributions to Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group Superannuation policy) at specified percentage of the covered employee's salary.

The Company recognized ₹ 29.43 lakhs (Previous year ₹ 27 Lakhs) for superannuation contribution in the profit and loss account.

ii) In respect of the State Plans (Employee State Insurance), an amount of ₹ 32.63 Lakhs (Previous year: ₹ 33.23 Lakhs) has been recognized as expenditure in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### **Defined Benefit Plans**

#### (i) Provident fund

Eligible employees receive benefits from a provident fund, which is a defined contribution plan. Aggregate contributions along with interest thereon are paid at retirement, death, incapacitation or termination of employment. Both the employees and the Company make monthly contributions to the Sundaram Brake Linings Limited Employees Provident Fund equal to a specified percentage of the covered employee's salary. Company also contributes to a government administered pension fund on behalf of its employees. The interest rate payable by the trust to the beneficiaries every year is being notified by the government. The Company has an obligation to make good the shortfall, if any, between the return from the investments of the trust and the notified interest rate. The Company recognized ₹ 184.62 Lakhs (Previous Year ₹ 166.38 Lakhs) for provident fund contribution in the Statement of profit and loss.

## (ii) Gratuity

The Company provides for gratuity, a defined benefit retirement plan (the "Gratuity Plan") covering eligible employees. The Gratuity Plan provides a lump sum payment to vested employees at retirement, death, incapacitation or termination of employment, of an amount based on the respective employee's salary and the tenure of employment. Vesting occurs upon completion of five years of service. Liabilities with regard to the Gratuity Plan are determined by actuarial valuation as of the balance sheet date, based upon which, the Company contributes all the ascertained liabilities to Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy).

(₹ in lakhs)

Gratuity

	Gracuity			
Net Employee benefit expense recognized in the employee cost in	For the year ended March 31, 2020	For the year ended March 31, 2019		
statement of profit & loss				
Current service cost	38.04	40.89		
Interest cost on benefit obligation	37.37	34.59		
Expected return on plan assets	(41.08)	(35.46)		
Sub Total	34.33	40.02		
Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income				
Net actuarial (gain) / loss recognized in the year				
i. Demographic Assumptions on obligation	-	_		
ii. Financial Assumptions on obligation	66.33	(31.63)		
iii. Experience Adjustments on obligation	-	-		
iv. Financial Assumptions on plan assets	0.95	(3.08)		
Sub Total	67.28	(34.71)		
Net benefit expense	101.61	5.31		

(₹ in lakhs)

Balance Sheet         For the year ended March 31, 2020         For the year ended March 31, 2019         Assets 7, 81         507.81         507.81         507.81         507.81         507.81         507.81         507.81         507.80         524.88         Assets / 10.00         507.80         490.23         490.23         80         490.23         80         490.23         80         80         490.23         80         80         490.23         80         80         490.23         80         80         490.23         80         80         490.23         80         80         490.23         80         80         490.23         80         80         490.23         80         80         490.23         80         80         490.23         80         80         490.23         80         80         490.23         80         80         490.23         80         80         490.23         80         80         80         20         80         80         20         80         80         80         80         80         80         80         80         80         80         80		Gra	tuity
Benefit asset		For the year ended	For the year ended
Present value of plan assets         584.69         524.88           Assets / (Liability) recognized in the balance sheet         (23.72)         17.07           Change in the present value of the defined benefit obligation         507.80         490.23           Opening defined benefit obligation         507.80         490.23           Benefit transferred in         -         -           Benefit transferred Out         -         -           Expenses Recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss Account         38.04         40.89           Current service cost         38.04         40.89           Interest cost on benefit obligation         37.37         34.59           Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income         37.37         34.59           Actuarial (gain) / loss on obligation         66.33         (31.63)           Closing defined benefit obligation         66.83         491.92           Change in the fair value of plan assets         524.88         491.92           Contributions by employer         62.61         20.70           Contributions transfer in         -         -           Expenses Recognised in Profit and Loss Account         41.08         35.46           Expenses Recognised in Profit and Loss Account         41.08         35.46           <		March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019
Fair value of plan assets	,		
Assets / (Liability) recognized in the balance sheet	*	608.41	507.81
Change in the present value of the defined benefit obligation Opening defined benefit obligation Benefit transferred in Benefit transferred Out Benefit transferred Out Benefit transferred Out Benefit spaid Current service cost Interest cost on benefit obligation Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income Actuarial (gain) / loss on obligation Closing defined benefit obligation Closing defined benefit obligation Closing defined benefit obligation Closing in the fair value of plan assets Opening fair value of plan assets Opening fair value of plan assets Contributions by employer Contributions by employer Contributions by employer Contributions transfer in Benefits paid Expenses Recognised in Profit and Loss Account Expected return Actuarial (gain) / loss on plan assets Closing fair value of plan assets Expenses Recognised in Profit and Loss Account Expected return Actuarial (gain) / loss on plan assets Closing fair value of plan assets Closing fair	Fair value of plan assets	584.69	524.88
Opening defined benefit obligation         507.80         490.23           Benefit transferred in         –         –           Benefit transferred Out         –         –           Benefit spaid         (41.14)         (26.28)           Expenses Recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss Account         38.04         40.89           Current service cost         38.04         40.89           Interest cost on benefit obligation         37.37         34.59           Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income         66.83         (31.63)           Actuarial (gain) / loss on obligation         66.84         507.80           Closing defined benefit obligation         60.840         507.80           Change in the fair value of plan assets         524.88         491.92           Contributions by employer         62.61         20.70           Contributions transfer in         –         –           Expenses Recognised in Profit and Loss Account         Expenses Recognised in Profit and Loss Account         41.08         35.46           Expenses Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income         41.08         35.46           Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income         41.08         35.46           Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income         586.49         524.88 <td>Assets / (Liability) recognized in the balance sheet</td> <td>(23.72)</td> <td>17.07</td>	Assets / (Liability) recognized in the balance sheet	(23.72)	17.07
Benefit transferred in	Change in the present value of the defined benefit obligation		
Benefits paid   C41.14   C26.28     Benefits paid   C41.14   C26.28     Expenses Recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss Account     Current service cost   38.04   40.89     Interest cost on benefit obligation   37.37   34.59     Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income     Actuarial (gain) / loss on obligation   66.33   (31.63)     Closing defined benefit obligation   608.40   507.80     Change in the fair value of plan assets   C0pening fair value of plan assets   524.88   491.92     Contributions by employer   62.61   20.70     Contributions by employer   62.61   20.70     Contributions transfer in   -   -     Benefits paid   (41.14)   (26.28)     Expenses Recognised in Profit and Loss Account     Expected return   41.08   35.46     Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income   Actuarial (gain) / loss on plan assets   (0.95)   3.08     Closing fair value of plan assets   C0.95   524.88     Investment details of the plan assets: Company has deposited with Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)     Assumptions   Company the Company has deposited with Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)     Assumptions   Company the Company has deposited with Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)     Assumptions   Company the Company has deposited with Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)     Assumptions   Company the Company has deposited with Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)     Assumptions   Company the Company has deposited with Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)     Assumptions   Company the Company has deposited with Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)     Assumptions   Company the Company has deposited with Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)     Assumptions   Company the Company has deposited with Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)     Assumptions   Company the Company has deposited with Life Insurance Comp		507.80	490.23
Benefits paid         (41.14)         (26.28)           Expenses Recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss Account         38.04         40.89           Current service cost         38.04         40.89           Interest cost on benefit obligation         37.37         34.59           Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income         66.33         (31.63)           Actuarial (gain) / loss on obligation         668.40         507.80           Change in the fair value of plan assets         524.88         491.92           Contributions by employer         62.61         20.70           Contributions transfer in         -         -           Benefits paid         (41.14)         (26.28)           Expenses Recognised in Profit and Loss Account         Expected return         41.08         35.46           Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income         41.08         35.46           Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income         41.08         35.46           Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income         40.95         3.08           Closing fair value of plan assets         0.95)         3.08           Closing fair value of plan assets         586.49         524.88           Investment details of the plan assets         6.66%         7.67% <t< td=""><td>Benefit transferred in</td><td>-</td><td>-</td></t<>	Benefit transferred in	-	-
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Current service cost         38.04         40.89           Interest cost on benefit obligation         37.37         34.59           Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income         37.37         34.59           Actuarial (gain) / loss on obligation         66.33         (31.63)           Closing defined benefit obligation         608.40         507.80           Change in the fair value of plan assets         524.88         491.92           Contributions by employer         62.61         20.70           Contributions transfer in         -         -           Benefits paid         (41.14)         (26.28)           Expenses Recognised in Profit and Loss Account         41.08         35.46           Expenses Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income         41.08         35.46           Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income         (0.95)         3.08           Actuarial (gain) / loss on plan assets         (0.95)         3.08           Closing fair value of plan assets         586.49         524.88           Investment details of the plan assets: Company has deposited with Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)         586.49         524.88           Investment details of the plan assets:         6.66%         7.67%           Estimated Rate of Return on Plan Assets	Benefits paid	(41.14)	(26.28)
Interest cost on benefit obligation   37.37   34.59     Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income   66.33   (31.63)     Closing defined benefit obligation   66.34   507.80     Closing defined benefit obligation   608.40   507.80     Change in the fair value of plan assets	Expenses Recognised in Statement of Profit and Loss Account		
Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income         66.33         (31.63)           Actuarial (gain) / loss on obligation         608.40         507.80           Change in the fair value of plan assets         524.88         491.92           Contributions by employer         62.61         20.70           Contributions transfer in         -         -         -           Benefits paid         (41.14)         (26.28)           Expenses Recognised in Profit and Loss Account         41.08         35.46           Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income         41.08         35.46           Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income         (0.95)         3.08           Closing fair value of plan assets         (0.95)         3.08           Closing fair value of plan assets: Company has deposited with Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)         524.88           Assumptions         Sincount Rate (%)         6.66%         7.67%           Estimated Rate of Return on Plan Assets         6.66%         7.67%           Attrition Rate p.a. (depending on age)         2.00%         2.00%           Expected are of salary increase (%)         5.00%         5.00%           Expected Average Remaining Service (years)         17.80         17.80	Current service cost	38.04	40.89
Actuarial (gain) / loss on obligation         66.33         (31.63)           Closing defined benefit obligation         608.40         507.80           Change in the fair value of plan assets         8         491.92           Opening fair value of plan assets         524.88         491.92           Contributions by employer         62.61         20.70           Contributions transfer in         -         -         -         -           Benefits paid         (41.14)         (26.28)           Expenses Recognised in Profit and Loss Account         Expenses Recognised in Profit and Loss Account         41.08         35.46           Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income         41.08         35.46           Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income         (0.95)         3.08           Closing fair value of plan assets         (0.95)         3.08           Closing fair value of plan assets         Company has deposited with         524.88           Investment details of the plan assets: Company has deposited with         4 <td>•</td> <td>37.37</td> <td>34.59</td>	•	37.37	34.59
Closing defined benefit obligation         608.40         507.80           Change in the fair value of plan assets         491.92           Contributions by employer         62.61         20.70           Contributions transfer in         -         -           Benefits paid         (41.14)         (26.28)           Expenses Recognised in Profit and Loss Account         Expected return         41.08         35.46           Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income         41.08         35.46           Actuarial (gain) / loss on plan assets         (0.95)         3.08           Closing fair value of plan assets         586.49         524.88           Investment details of the plan assets: Company has deposited with Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)         586.49         7.67%           Assumptions         Discount Rate (%)         6.66%         7.67%           Estimated Rate of Return on Plan Assets         6.66%         7.67%           Attrition Rate p.a. (depending on age)         2.00%         2.00%           Expected rate of salary increase (%)         5.00%         5.00%           Expected Average Remaining Service (years)         17.80         17.80	·		
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Opening fair value of plan assets  Contributions by employer  Contributions transfer in  Benefits paid  Expenses Recognised in Profit and Loss Account  Expected return  Actuarial (gain) / loss on plan assets  Closing fair value of plan assets  Investment details of the plan assets: Company has deposited with Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)  Assumptions  Discount Rate (%)  Expected rate of salary increase (%)  Expected Average Remaining Service (years)  491.92  20.70  42.00%  42.00%  42.00%  42.00%  42.00%  5.00%  5.00%  17.80  17.80	Closing defined benefit obligation	<u>608.40</u>	507.80
Contributions by employer Contributions transfer in Contributions Account Contribution Account Contributions Account Contribution Contr	Change in the fair value of plan assets		
Contributions transfer in  Benefits paid  Expenses Recognised in Profit and Loss Account  Expected return  Actuarial (gain) / loss on plan assets  Closing fair value of plan assets  Investment details of the plan assets: Company has deposited with Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)  Assumptions  Discount Rate (%)  Estimated Rate of Return on Plan Assets  Attrition Rate p.a. (depending on age)  Expected Average Remaining Service (years)  17.80  Light 1.14  (26.28)  41.08  41.08  35.46  (0.95)  3.08  586.49  524.88  525.09  526.66  526.6	Opening fair value of plan assets	524.88	491.92
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Expenses Recognised in Profit and Loss Account  Expected return  Actuarial (gain) / loss on plan assets  Closing fair value of plan assets  Investment details of the plan assets: Company has deposited with Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)  Assumptions  Discount Rate (%)  Estimated Rate of Return on Plan Assets  Attrition Rate p.a. (depending on age)  Expected rate of salary increase (%)  Expected Average Remaining Service (years)  41.08  35.46  40.95)  3.08  586.49  524.88  524.	Contributions transfer in	-	_
Expected return  Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income  Actuarial (gain) / loss on plan assets  Closing fair value of plan assets  Investment details of the plan assets: Company has deposited with Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)  Assumptions  Discount Rate (%)  Estimated Rate of Return on Plan Assets  Attrition Rate p.a. (depending on age)  Expected rate of salary increase (%)  Expected Average Remaining Service (years)  41.08  35.46  (0.95)  3.08  586.49  524.88   524.88  6.66%  7.67%  6.66%  7.67%  5.00%  5.00%  5.00%  17.80	Benefits paid	(41.14)	(26.28)
Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income  Actuarial (gain) / loss on plan assets  Closing fair value of plan assets  Investment details of the plan assets: Company has deposited with Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)  Assumptions  Discount Rate (%)  Estimated Rate of Return on Plan Assets  Attrition Rate p.a. (depending on age)  Expected rate of salary increase (%)  Expected Average Remaining Service (years)  17.80  10.95)  3.08  524.88  524.88  6.66%  7.67%  6.66%  7.67%  7.67%  5.00%  5.00%  5.00%  17.80	Expenses Recognised in Profit and Loss Account		
Actuarial (gain) / loss on plan assets  Closing fair value of plan assets  Investment details of the plan assets: Company has deposited with Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)  Assumptions  Discount Rate (%)  Estimated Rate of Return on Plan Assets  Attrition Rate p.a. (depending on age)  Expected rate of salary increase (%)  Expected Average Remaining Service (years)  3.08  524.88	Expected return	41.08	35.46
Closing fair value of plan assets Investment details of the plan assets: Company has deposited with Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)  Assumptions Discount Rate (%) Estimated Rate of Return on Plan Assets Attrition Rate p.a. (depending on age) Expected rate of salary increase (%) Expected Average Remaining Service (years)  524.88 524.88 524.88 524.88 6.66 7.67% 7.67% 5.66% 7.67% 5.60% 5.00% 5.00% 5.00% 5.00%	Recognised in Other Comprehensive Income		
Investment details of the plan assets: Company has deposited with Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)  Assumptions  Discount Rate (%)  Estimated Rate of Return on Plan Assets  Attrition Rate p.a. (depending on age)  Expected rate of salary increase (%)  Expected Average Remaining Service (years)  Interview 1  6.66%  7.67%  2.00%  2.00%  5.00%  5.00%  17.80	Actuarial (gain) / loss on plan assets	(0.95)	3.08
Life Insurance Corporation of India (Group gratuity policy)  Assumptions  Discount Rate (%)  Estimated Rate of Return on Plan Assets  Attrition Rate p.a. (depending on age)  Expected rate of salary increase (%)  Expected Average Remaining Service (years)  Assumptions  6.66%  7.67%  2.00%  2.00%  5.00%  17.80	Closing fair value of plan assets	586.49	524.88
Discount Rate (%) 6.66% 7.67% Estimated Rate of Return on Plan Assets 6.66% 7.67% Attrition Rate p.a. (depending on age) 2.00% Expected rate of salary increase (%) 5.00% 5.00% Expected Average Remaining Service (years) 17.80	• • • • • •		
Estimated Rate of Return on Plan Assets  Attrition Rate p.a. (depending on age)  Expected rate of salary increase (%)  Expected Average Remaining Service (years)  6.66%  2.00%  5.00%  5.00%  17.80	Assumptions		
Attrition Rate p.a. (depending on age)  Expected rate of salary increase (%)  Expected Average Remaining Service (years)  2.00%  5.00%  17.80	Discount Rate (%)	6.66%	7.67%
Expected rate of salary increase (%) 5.00% Expected Average Remaining Service (years) 17.80 17.80	Estimated Rate of Return on Plan Assets	6.66%	7.67%
Expected rate of salary increase (%) 5.00% Expected Average Remaining Service (years) 17.80 17.80	Attrition Rate p.a. (depending on age)	2.00%	2.00%
Expected Average Remaining Service (years) 17.80 17.80		5.00%	5.00%
	·	17.80	17.80
	Expected Average Remaining Service/mortality and withdrawal (years)	_	_

The estimates of future salary increases, considered in actuarial valuation, take account of inflation, seniority, promotion and other relevant factors, such as supply and demand in the employment market.

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		_ (₹ in lakhs)
	For the year ended	For the year ended
Expected cash flow for the following year	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019
Expected employer contribution	68.61	107.63
Expected total benefits payments		
Year 1	68.61	107.63
Year 2	28.56	39.26
Year 3	49.05	23.80
Year 4	51.93	42.00
Year 5	53.54	44.46
Next 5 Years	227.06	185.06

Sensitivity analysis of the defined benefit obligation

Particulars	0.5% Increase		0.5 % Decrease	
Tarticulars	2020	2019	2020	2019
Impact of the change in discount rate	580.18	486.88	639.03	530.49
Impact of the change in salary increase	639.83	531.34	579.20	485.94

#### (iii) Leave encashment

The employees of the Company are entitled to compensate absence. The employees can carry forward a portion of the unutilized accrued compensated absence and utilize it in future periods or receive cash compensation at retirement or termination of employment for the unutilized accrued compensated absence. The company records an obligation for compensated absences in the period in which the employee renders the services that increase this entitlement. The Company measures the expected cost of compensated absence as the additional amount that the Company expects to pay as a result of the unused entitlement that has accumulated at the balance sheet date based on the Actuarial certificate.

For the year ended

For the year ended

23.99

<b>36. CAPITAL AND OTHER COMMITMENTS</b> Estimated amount of contracts remaining to be executed on	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019
capital account other than investment property and not provided for	3.46	121.62
<ul> <li>37. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES - NOT PROBABLE AND THEREFORE NOT PROVIDED FOR</li> <li>A. Claims disputed by the company</li> <li>a) Claims against the company not acknowledged as debt</li> </ul>		
1) Sales Tax under disputé	47.23	41.50
2) Excise Duty (Disallowance of Cenvat credit)	9.91	9.91
3) Liability towards Labour cases	14.86	16.86
4) Income Tax under dispute		
The Company has received Assessment order for Assessment year		
2017-18 making disallowance of ₹ 0.02 Lakh and addition of		
₹ 37.87 lakhs towards interest under section 244A, thereby reducing the		
loss carried forward. The Company has filed an appeal with the first appellate authority and the same is pending for decision.		
The Company had filed appeal with the first appellate authority against		
the Assessment Orders received for Assessment Year 2013-14 and		
2014-15 making disallowance of expenditure for ₹ 143.75 lakhs and		
₹ 85.29 lakhs respectively, there by reducing the loss carried forward are pending for decision.		
b) Guarantees		

1) Bank Guarantee

### B. Others

Income Tax demand aggregating to Rs. 2,282.65 lakhs was raised on the Company on completion of assessment / reassessment for the Assestment Year (AY) 2008-09 to 2012-13 in the earlier years. During the Financial Year 2016-17, the Company had received favourable Orders from the first appellate authority whereby the entire aforesaid demand has been nullified. The orders giving effect have been received for all the five AYs. During the Financial Year 2017-18, the company had received order on the appeals filed by the Income Tax Department for all the five Assessment Years, from the Income Tax Appellate Tribunal (ITAT), which has upheld the decision of the first appellate authority. The Income Tax Department had filed appeals in the Hon'ble Madras High Court against the above Orders. The Company has initiated action under the Direct Tax Vivad Se Vishwas Act, 2020.

			(₹ in lakhs)
		For the year ended	For the year ended
38. IN	COME TAX EXPENSE	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019
a)	Income tax expense in the statement of profit and loss comprises:		
	Current tax	52.68	133.67
	Deferred tax	(4.32)	(189.79)
		48.36	(56.12)
	Decrease (increase) in deferred tax assets	14.40	7.90
	(Decrease) increase in deferred tax liabilities	(18.72)	(197.69)
	Total deferred tax expenses / (benefit)	(4.32)	(189.79)
	Income tax expense	48.36	(56.12)
b)	A reconciliation of the income tax provision to the amount computed by applying the statutory income tax rate to the income before income taxes is summarized below:		
	Profit / (Loss) from the operation before income tax expenditure	300.13	649.29
	Tax at Indian tax rate 26% (2018-19-26%)	78.03	168.82
	Tax effect of amount which are not deductible in calculating taxable income		
	Weighted Deduction for R&D Expenditure Under Section 35 (2AB)	(155.12)	(115.62)
	Effect on deferred tax balances due to the change in income tax rate		
	from 30.90% to 26% (effective from the financial year 2018-19)	0.00	(186.11)
	Tax effect due to non-taxable income of SEZ unit	0.00	(42.14)
	Effect of Unrecognised MAT Credit as deferred tax assets	52.68	133.67
	Effect of Unrecognised tax losses as deferred tax assets	68.32	0.00
	Others	4.45	(14.74)
	Income tax expense	48.36	(56.12)
c)	The following table provides the details of income tax assets and income tax liabilities as at March 31, 2020 and March 31, 2019:		
	Income tax assets	288.17	199.86
	Income tax liabilities	1,352.37	1,313.54
	Net current income tax asset / (liability) at the end	(1,064.20)	(1,113.68)

(₹ in lakhs)

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	For the year ended March 31, 2020	(₹ in lakhs) For the year ended March 31, 2019
d) The gross movement in the current income tax asset / (liability) for the year ended March 31, 2020 and March 31, 2019 is as follows:		
Net current income tax asset / (liability) at the beginning	(1,113.68)	(1,084.13)
Income tax paid	88.31	111.27
Refund received	0.00	0.00
Current income tax expense	(52.68)	(133.67)
Income tax on other comprehensive income	13.85	(7.15)
Net current income tax asset / (liability) at the end	(1,064.20)	(1,113.68)

e) Significant components of net deferred tax assets and liabilities for the year ended March 31, 2018 are as follows: (₹ in lakhs)

	March 31, 2020			March 31, 2019				
	Opening balance	Recognised/ reversed through profit or loss	Recognised in/ reclassified from other comprehensive income	Closing balance	Opening balance	Recognised/ reversed through profit or loss	Recognised in/ reclassified from other comprehensive income	Closing balance
Deferred tax assets / (liabilities) in relation to								
Property, plant and equipment and Intangible assets	(1,083.36)	18.72		(1,064.64)	(1,281.05)	197.69		(1,083.36)
Provision for Employee Benefits	59.78	1.51		61.29	41.29	18.49		59.78
Expenditure incurred under voluntary retirement scheme	39.72	(15.91)		23.81	66.11	(26.39)		39.72
Net deferred tax Asset (Liability)	(983.86)	4.32	0.00	(979.54)	(1,173.65)	189.79	0.00	(983.86)

- f) Deferred tax assets have not been recognised in respect of Carried forward losses (₹ 2,300.78 Lakhs) (Previous year ₹ 2,817.98 Lakhs) which can be carried forward for a period of 8 years and carried forward unabsorbed depreciation (₹ 4,342.51 Lakhs) (Previous year ₹ 4,079.76 Lakhs) under Indian Income Tax Act 1961 based on the working of the Company and considering the Virtual Certainty. If the Company were to recognise deferred tax assets, the profit for the year would be higher by ₹ Nil Lakhs for the current year and the cumulative deferred tax asset not recognised would be ₹ 1,727.26 lakhs.
- g) Under the Indian Income Tax Act, 1961, the Company is liable to pay Minimum Alternate Tax (MAT) on book profits. MAT paid can be carried forward for a period of 15 years and can be set off against the future tax liabilities. MAT is recognised as a deferred tax asset only when the asset can be measured reliably and it is probable that the future economic benefit associated with the asset will be realised. Accordingly, the Company has not recognised a deferred tax asset of ₹ 38.84 Lakhs for current year and Cumlative deferred tax asset not recognised is ₹ 301.10 Lakhs.

	(< in lakns)
For the year ended March 31, 2020	For the year ended March 31, 2019
7.80	3.68
0.00	0.00
7.84	3.70

(7 : lalda)

## 39. EXPENDITURE ON CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY ACTIVITIES

Gross amount required to be spent by the company during the year Amount spent during the year Contruction / acquisition of any asset On purposes other than above

This policy encompasses the company's philosophy of delivering its responsibility as a corporate citizen and undertaking socially useful programs for the welfare and development of the communities in which it is operating. During the year under review, the Company's commitment towards CSR expenditure as required by the Companies Act, 2013 was ₹ 7.80 lakhs. The Company has spent an amount of ₹ 7.84 lakhs consisting of (i). ₹ 0.47 lakhs towards provision of school uniforms, books, etc. to a school in Kanjamanaickenpatti village and (ii) ₹ 7.37 lakhs towards Reverse Osmosis (RO) Plant and accessories at Kanjamanaickenpatti village to provide safe drinking water to the residents of the Kanjamanaickenpatti village during the current year.

### 40. RELATED PARTY DISCLOSURE

a) Description of relationship and Names of related Parties

i)	Subsidiaries	None
ii)	Associates	None
iii)	Group member	<ul> <li>(i) Sundaram-Clayton Limited, Chennai</li> <li>(ii) TVS Motor Company Limited, Chennai</li> <li>(iii) Brakes India Private Limited, Chennai</li> <li>(iv) India Motor Parts &amp; Accessories Limited, Chennai</li> <li>(v) Sundaram Industries Private Limited, Madurai</li> <li>(vi) Southern Roadways Private Limited, Madurai</li> <li>(vii) Lucas Indian Service Limited, Chennai</li> </ul>
iv)	Key Management Personnel	Mr. Krishna Mahesh, Managing Director Mr. S Ramabadran, CFO & Company Secretary
v)	Relatives of Key Management Personnel	Mr. K. Mahesh (Late) Ms. Shrimathi Mahesh Ms. Shrikirti Mahesh
vi)	Enterprise with common Key Managmenent Personnel	None
vii)	Enterprise in which relatives of Key Management Personnel have significant interest	T V Sundram Iyengar & Sons Private Limited Alagar Farms Private Limited Alagar Resins Private Limited

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(₹ in lakhs)

				(₹ in lakhs
SI. No	Name of Transactions	Name of the Company	For the year ended March 31, 2020	For the year ended March 31, 2019
1	Sale of goods	T V Sundram Iyengar & Sons Private Limited	1,845.09	2,029.32
2	Sale of goods	T V S Motor Company Limited	831.99	869.31
3	Sale of goods	Brakes India Private Ltd.	4,215.34	6,249.29
4	Sale of goods	India Motor Parts & Accessories Limited	1,624.64	1,624.68
5	Rent received	T V Sundram Iyengar & Sons Private Limited	0.72	0.72
6	Rent received	Alagar Resins Private Limited	0.12	0.12
7	Purchase of Raw Materials	Sundaram Industries Private Limited	108.26	79.35
8	Contract Manufacture charges	Alagar Resins Private Limited	1,030.01	1,075.75
9	Purchase of Raw Materials	Alagar Farms Private Limited	353.37	441.29
10	Freight charges	Southern Roadways Private Limited	80.00	72.44
11	Purchase of Spares	Lucas Indian Service Limited	7.13	8.28
12	Managerial Remuneration paid	Mr. Krishna Mahesh	106.68	106.68
13	Sitting Fees paid	Mr. K Mahesh (Late)	0.00	0.05
14	Remuneration paid	Mr S Ramabadran	43.57	40.23
15	Reimbursement of expenses	T V Sundram Iyengar & Sons Private Limited	8.00	8.00
16	Reimbursement of expenses	Sundaram-Clayton Limited	3.94	2.12
17	Reimbursement of expenses	Brakes India Private Ltd.	3.94	3.36
18	Outstanding as on 31st March Receivables	T V Sundram Iyengar & Sons Private Limited	77.64	244.16
		T V S Motor Company Limited	287.04	287.04
		Brakes India Private Ltd.	695.96	1,106.86
		India Motor Parts & Accessories Limited	140.31	226.23
	Receivables towards claims made for Reimbursement of expenses	Sundaram-Clayton Limited	3.94	0.00
		Brakes India Private Ltd.	0.96	0.00
19	Outstanding as on 31 <sup>st</sup> March Payables	Sundaram Industries Private Limited	12.89	16.95
		Alagar Resins Private Limited	210.93	231.60
		Alagar Farms Private Limited	76.16	94.68
		Southern Roadways Private Limited	12.34	8.46
		Lucas Indian Service Limited	1.61	0.00

### 41. FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES

### a. Capital Management

The objective of the Company's capital management structure is to ensure sufficient liquidity to support its business and provide adequate return to shareholders. Management monitors the long term cash flow requirements including externally imposed capital requirements of the business in order to assess the requirement for changes to the capital structure to meet the said objective. As part of this monitoring, the management considers the cost of capital and the risks associated with each class of capital and makes adjustments to the capital structure, where appropriate, in light of changes in economic conditions and the risk characteristics of the underlying assets. The funding requirement is met through a combination of equity, internal accruals, borrowings or undertake other restructuring activities as appropriate.

No changes were made in the objectives, policies or processes during the year ended 31st March 2020.

## b. Financial Risk Management Framework

Company's principal financial liabilities comprise borrowings, trade payables and Other financial liabilities. The main purpose of these financial liabilities is to finance the Company's operations. The Company's principal financial assets include Investments, Trade receivables, loans, cash and bank balances and other financial assets.

### **Risk Exposures and Responses**

The Company is exposed to market risk, credit risk and liquidity risk. The Board of Directors reviews policies for managing each of these risks, which are summarised below.

#### i) 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 prices comprise three types of risk i.e. interest rate risk, currency risk, and Commodity risk.

#### Interest rate risk

The Company obtains financing through borrowings. The Company's policy is to obtain the most favourable interest rates available.

The Company's exposure to interest rate risk relates primarily to interest bearing financial liabilities. Interest rate risk is managed by the company on an on-going basis with the primary objective of limiting the extent to which interest expense could be affected by an adverse movement in interest rates.

#### Sensitivity Analysis

An increase / decrease of 100 basis points in interest rate at the end of the reporting period for the variable financial instruments would (decrease) / increase profit before tax for the year by the amounts shown below. This analysis assumes all other variables remain constant.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Contd.)

(₹ in lakhs)

### Profit / (Loss) before tax

For the year ended March 31, 2020	For the year ended March 31, 2019
(28.70)	(29.59)
28.70	29.59

Financial Liabilities - Borrowings

+1% (100 basis points)

-1% (100 basis points)

Financial Assets - Loans (not significant)

There is no hedging instruments to mitigate this risk.

## Foreign currency risk

Foreign currency risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of financial instruments will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates. The Company is exposed to foreign exchange risk arising from transactions i.e. imports of materials, recognised assets and liabilities denominated in a currency that is not the company's functional currency.

## Company's Total Foreign currency exposure: (Un hedged)

	March 31, 2020			
Particulars	Currency	Exchange Rate (₹)	Amount in Foreign Currency (in lakhs)	₹in lakhs
Trade Receivables	EUR	83.08	0.72	59.98
	GBP	93.87	0.97	91.40
	USD	75.37	33.53	2,526.88
Bank Balance	USD	75.37	0.03	2.57
Trade Payables	USD	75.37	0.83	62.75
	EUR	83.08	0.00	0.15
	JPY	0.71	121.30	86.12
Other payable	USD	75.37	0.54	40.86
	EUR	83.08	0.03	2.08
Foreign currency term loans	USD	75.37	24.88	1,875.45

	March 31, 2019			
Particulars	Currency	Exchange Rate (₹)	Amount in Foreign Currency (in lakhs)	₹in lakhs
Trade Receivables	EUR	77.74	0.82	63.67
	GBP	90.36	1.32	119.61
	USD	69.28	35.19	2,437.81
Bank Balance	USD	69.28	0.64	44.58
Trade Payables	USD	69.28	1.93	133.93
	EUR	77.74	0.14	10.94
Other payable	USD	69.28	6.74	466.88
	EUR	77.74	0.43	33.72
Foreign currency term loans	USD	69.28	33.60	2,328.09

### Sensitivity

If foreign currency rates had moved as illustrated in the table below, with all other variables held constant, currency fluctuations on unhedged foreign currency denominated financial instruments, pre tax profit would have been affected as follows:

(₹ in lakhs)

#### Profit / (Loss) before tax

For the year anded

For the year ended March 31, 2020	For the year ended March 31, 2019
(30.67)	(0.66)
30.67	0.66
	March 31, 2020 (30.67)

## **Commodity Risk**

The company has commodity price risk, primarily related to the purchases of Steel and Aluminium. However, the company do not bear significant exposure to earnings risk, as such changes are included in the rate-recovery mechanisms with the customers.

#### ii. Credit risk

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 for trade and other receivables), including short-term deposits with banks, and other financial assets.

#### Credit risk management

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the company if a customer or counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations. The company is mainly exposed to credit risk from credit sales. At  $31^{st}$  March 2020, the company has trade receivables of ₹ 5,260.19 Lakhs and ₹ 6,229.88 Lakhs as on  $31^{st}$  March 2019.

The company is exposed to credit risk in respect of these balances such that, if one or more customers encounter financial difficulties, this could materially and adversely affect the company's financial results. The company attempts to mitigate credit risk by assessing the credit worthiness of customers and closely monitoring payment history.

(₹ in lakhs)

The ageing of debtors is given below:	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2019
Period		
0-30 days	1,515.50	2,407.96
31 days to 60 days	1,793.97	1,867.71
61 days to 90 days	886.67	954.79
Greater than 91days	1,064.05	999.42
	5,260.19	6,229.88

There have been no material impairments to trade or other receivables in the two years included within these financial statements and no indication of enhanced customer credit risk.

Credit risk on cash and cash equivalents is considered to be minimal as the counterparties are all substantial banks with high credit ratings.

The Directors are unaware of any factors affecting the recoverability of outstanding balances at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020, and consequently no material provisions are required for bad and doubtful debts.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Contd.)

## iii. Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk arises from the company's management of working capital and the continued availability of its other funding facilities. It is the risk that the company will encounter difficulty in meeting its financial obligations as they fall due. The company actively manages its cash generation and maintains sufficient cash holdings to cover its immediate obligations. There was an unutilised ₹ 3,099 Lakhs.

(₹ in lakhs)

March 31, 2020					
	Up to 1 year	1 to 2 years	2 to 5 years	Total	
Cash credit	525.54			525.54	
Trade and other payables	3,784.32			3,784.32	
Bank loans	1,875.45			1,875.45	
Total	6,185.31	-	-	6,185.31	

March 31, 2019					
	Up to 1 year	1 to 2 years	2 to 5 years	Total	
Cash credit	1,009.97			1,009.97	
Trade and other payables	4,488.67			4,488.67	
Bank loans	2,328.09			2,328.09	
Total	7,826.73	_	_	7,826.73	

#### 42. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

## (i) Fair value hierarchy

Financial assets and financial liabilities measured at fair value in the statement of financial position are grouped into three Levels of a fair value hierarchy. The three Levels are defined based on the observability of significant inputs to the measurement, as follows:

- **Level 1:** Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- **Level 2:** Inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (prices) or indirectly (derived from prices).
- **Level 3:** Inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data.

### (ii) Financial assets measured at fair value through Other Comprehensive Income (FVTOCI)

a. Financial assets measured at fair value – recurring fair value measurements

(₹ in lakhs)

March 31, 2020						
Level 1 Level 2 Level 3 Total						
Un listed equity instruments	_	_	92.48	92.48		
Total	_	_	92.48	92.48		

March 31, 2019					
Level 1 Level 2 Level 3 Total					
Un listed equity instruments	-	_	2.58	2.58	
Total	-	_	2.58	2.58	

The fair value of unquoted equity Shares is determined using Level 3 inputs like Discounted cash flows, Market multiple method, Option pricing model etc.

There are no transfer between levels during the periods.

## b. Financial instruments by category

For amortised cost instruments, carrying value represents the best estimate of fair value.

(₹ in lakhs)

	March 31, 2020			
	Far Value Through Profit & Loss account (FVTPL)	FVTOCI	Amortised Cost	
Financial assets				
Investments				
Equity Shares		92.48		
Trade receivables			5,260.19	
Loans			35.77	
Cash and cash equivalents			311.86	
Bank Balances			_	
Other Financial Assets			39.00	
Total		92.48	5,646.82	
Financial liabilities				
Borrowings			2,400.99	
Trade payables			2,397.17	
Other Financial Liabilities			1,387.15	
Total			6,185.31	

	March 31, 2019			
	FVTPL	FVTOCI	Amortised Cost	
Financial assets				
Investments Equity Shares		2.58		
Trade receivables			6,229.88 31.37	
Loans Cash and cash equivalents			360.37	
Bank Balances Other Financial Assets			1.76	
Total		2.58	40.22 6,663.60	
Financial liabilities				
Borrowings Trade payables			3,338.06 2,831.67	
Other Financial Liabilities			1,657.00	
Total			7,826.73	

All financial instruments are carried at amortised cost and the carrying value of the Company's financial assets and liabilities is considered to approximate to their fair value at each reporting date.

T KANNAN	P S RAMAN	ASHOK V CHOWGULE	K S RANAGANATHAN	K S D SAMBASIVAM	As per our Report Annexed for BRAHMAYYA & CO
Director	Director	Director	Director	Director	
SANDHYA SUB	RAMANYAM	SHOBHANA RAMACHANDRAN	SHRIPRIYA MAHESH RAMANAN	KRISHNA MAHESH	Chartered Accountants
Director		Director	Director	Managing Director	(FRN 000511 S)
Place : Chennai S RAMABADRAN Date : June 27, 2020 Chief Financial Officer & Company Secretary		ny Secretary		K JITENDRA KUMAR Partner Membership No. 201825	









