

#### SIKKO INDUST RIES LIMITED

Corporate Identification Number: L51909GJ2000PLC037329

Our Company was originally incorporated as "Sikko Sprayers Private Limited" on February 08, 2000 under the provisions of Companies Act, 1956 vide certificate of Incorporation issued by Deputy Registrar of Companies, Gujarat, Dadra and Nagar Haveli at Ahmedabad. Consequent up on the conversion of our Company into public limited company, the name of our Company was changed to "Sikko Sprayers Limited" vide fresh certificate of incorporation dated March 16, 2010 issued by the Assistant Registrar of Companies, Gujarat, Dadra and Nagar Haveli. Subsequently the name of our company was changed to "Sikko Industries Limited" and Fresh certificate of Incorporation pursuant to change of name was issued by Assistant Registrar of Companies, Gujarat and Dadra Nagar Haveli on March 17, 2010. The Corporate Identification Number of our Company is L51909GJ2000PLC037329. For details of changes in our Name and Registered Office of the Company and other details, kindly refer to the section titled "General Information" beginning on page no. 36 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

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### OUR PROMOTERS: MR. GHANSHYAMBHAI KUMBHANI AND MR. JAYANTIBHAI KUMBHANI

FOR PRIVATE CIRCULATION TO THE ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS OF SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED (OUR "COMPANY" OR THE "ISSUER") ONLY

#### THE ISSUE

RIGHT ISSUE OF UPTO [●] EQUITY SHARES OF FACE VALUE OF ₹ 10.00 EACH ("EQUITY SHARES" OR "RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES) OF SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED ("SIL" OR THE "COMPANY" OR THE "ISSUER") FOR CASH AT A PRICE OF ₹ [•] PER RIGHTS EQUITY SHARE INCLUDING A SHARE PREMIUM OF ₹ [•] PER RIGHTS EQUITY SHARE (THE "ISSUE PRICE") AGGREGATING UP TO ₹ 4,950.00 LAKHS ("THE ISSUE ") ON A RIGHTS BASIS TO THE ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS OF OUR COMPANY IN THE RATIO OF [●] RIGHTS EQUITY SHARE FOR EVERY [●] FULLY PAID-UP EQUITY SHARES HELD BY THE ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS ON THE RECORD DATE, THAT IS ON [•] (THE "ISSUE"). FOR FURTHER DETAILS, SEE "*TERMS OF THE ISSUE*" BEGINNING ON PAGE 128 OF THIS DRAFT LETTER OF OFFER.

THE ISSUE PRICE FOR THE RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES IS [●] TIMES THE VALUE OF THE EQUITY SHARES. FOR FURTHER DETAILS, PLEASE REFER TO THE CHAPTER TITLED "TERMS OF THE ISSUE" ON PAGE 128 OF THIS DRAFT LETTER OF OFFER.

#### WILLFUL DEFAULTERS AND/OR FRAUDLENT BORROWERS

Neither our company, nor our Promoters, or Directors are or have been categorized as willful defaulters or fraudulent borrowers by bank or financial institutions (as defined under the Companies Act, 2013) or consortium thereof, in accordance with the guidelines on willful defaulters or fraudulent borrowers issued by the Reserve Bank of India.

# GENERAL RISK

Investment in equity and equity related securities involve a degree of risk and investors should not invest any funds in the Issue unless they can afford to take the risk with such investment. Investors are advised to read the risk factors carefully before taking an investment decision in the Issue. For taking an investment decision, investors must rely on their own examination of our Company and the Issue including the risks involved. The securities being offered in the Issue have not been recommended or approved by the Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI") nor does SEBI guarantee the accuracy or adequacy of this Draft Letter of Offer. Specific attention of the investors is invited to the section titled "Risk Factors" on page 22 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

### ISSUER'S ABSOLUTE RESPONSIBILITY

Our Company, having made all reasonable inquiries, accepts responsibility for and confirms that this Draft Letter of Offer contains all information with regard to our Company and the Issue, which is material in the context of the Issue, and that the information contained in this Draft Letter of Offer is true and correct in all material aspects and is not misleading in any material respect, that the opinions and intentions expressed herein are honestly held and that there are no other facts, the omission of which makes this Draft Letter of Offer as a whole or any such information or the expression of any such opinions or intentions misleading in any material respect

#### LISTING

The existing Equity Shares are listed on the National Stock Exchange of India Limited ("NSE" or "Stock Exchange"). Our Company has received 'in-principle' approvals from NSE for listing the Rights Equity Shares to be allotted pursuant to this Issue vide its letter dated [•]. Our Company will also make an application to the NSE to obtain the trading approval for the Rights Entitlements as required under the SEBI circular (SEBI/HO/CFD/DIL2/CIR/P/2020/13) dated January 22, 2020. For the purpose of this Issue, the Designated Stock Exchange is NSE.

#### REGISTRAR TO THE ISSUE



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Validity of Registration: Permanent.

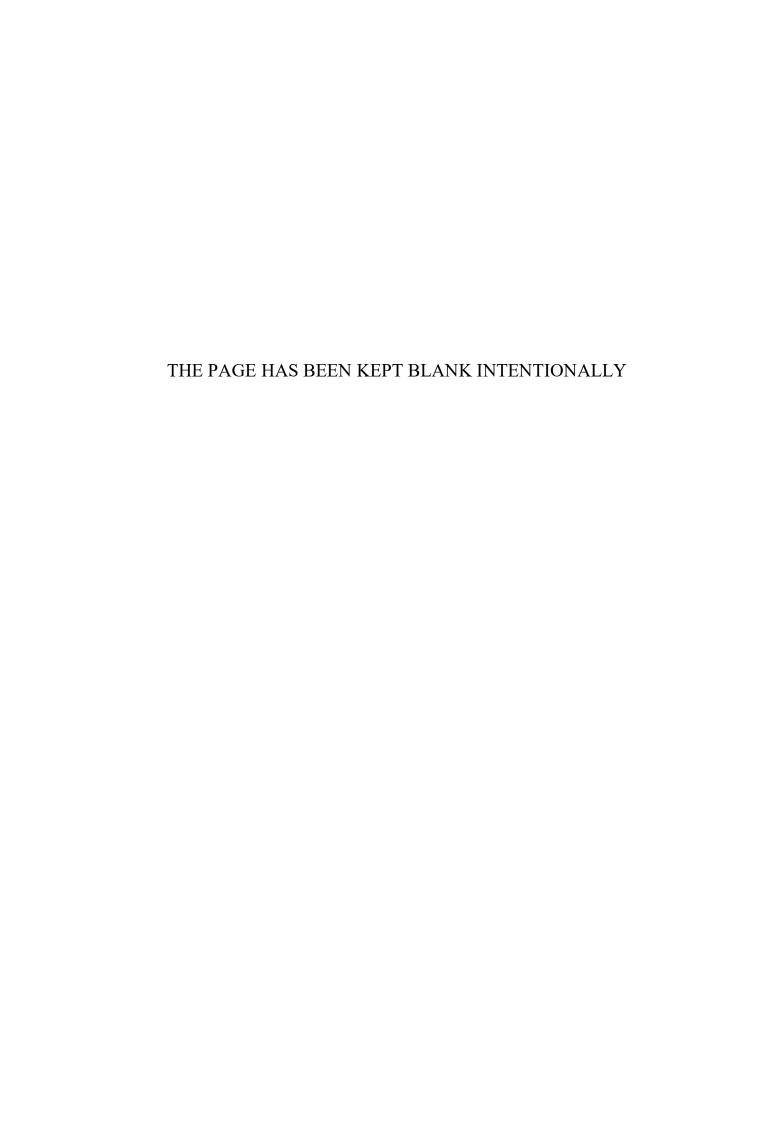
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ISSUE OPENS ON	LAST DATE FOR ON MARKET RENUNCIATION*	ISSUE CLOSES ON**
[•]	[•]	[•]

<sup>\*</sup> Eligible Equity Shareholders are requested to ensure that renunciation through off-market transfer is completed in such a manner that the Rights Entitlements are credited to the demat account of then Renouncee(s) on or prior to the Issue Closing Date.

\*\* Our Board or a Rights Issue Committee thereof will have the right to extend the Issue period as it may determine from time to time but not exceeding 30 (thirty) days from the Issue Opening Date

<sup>(</sup>inclusive of the Issue Opening Date). Further, no withdrawal of Application shall be permitted by any Applicant after the Issue Closing Date.



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### **SECTION I – GENERAL**

### **DEFINITION AND ABBREVIATIONS**

This Draft Letter of Offer uses certain definitions and abbreviations set forth below, which you should consider when reading the information contained herein. The following list of certain capitalized terms used in this Draft Letter of Offer is intended for the convenience of the reader/prospective investor only and is not exhaustive.

Unless otherwise specified, the capitalized terms used in this Draft Letter of Offer shall have the meaning as defined hereunder. References to any legislations, acts, regulation, rules, guidelines, circulars, notifications, policies or clarifications shall be deemed to include all amendments, supplements or re-enactments and modifications there to notified from time to time and any reference to a statutory provision shall include any subordinate legislation made from time to time under such provision.

Provided that terms used in the sections/chapters titled "Industry Overview", "Summary of Draft Letter of Offer", "Financial Information", "Statement of Special Tax Benefits", "Outstanding Litigation and Material Developments" and "Issue Related Information" on pages 56, 18, 92, 53, 104, and 128 respectively, shall, unless indicated otherwise, have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the respective sections/chapters.

#### **GENERAL TERMS**

Term	Description
	Sikko Industires Limited, a public limited company incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956, having its registered office at 508, Iscon Eligance, Nr. Jain Temple Nr. Prahladnagar Pick up Stand, Vejalpur, Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India, 380051
"we", "us", or "our"	Unless the context otherwise indicates or implies, refers to our Company.

### **COMPANY RELATED TERMS**

Term	Description
"Annual Audited Financial Statements	The audited financial statements of our Company prepared under Ind AS for Fiscal 2022, 2023 and 2024 prepared in line with Ind AS notified under the Companies Act, 2013, as amended read with the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015, as amended.
"Articles" / "Articles of Association" / "AoA"	Articles / Articles of Association of our Company, as amended from time to time.
"Audit Committee"	Audit Committee of our Board, as describe in "Our Management - Committees of our Board" on page No. 80.
"Auditor" / "Statutory Auditor"/ "Peer Review Auditor"	Statutory and peer review auditor of our Company, namely, M/s. D G M S & Co., Chartered Accountants, Jamnagar.
"Board"/ "Board of Directors"	Board of directors of our Company or a duly constituted committee thereof.
"Chairman"	Mr. Ghanshyam Kumbhani, the Chairman of the Company.
"Chief Financial Officer / CFO"	Mr. Mukesh Shah, the Chief Financial Officer of our Company.
"Company Secretary and Compliance Officer"	Mr. Dhruvitkumar Mandliya, the Company Secretary and the Compliance Officer of our Company.
"Director(s)"	The director(s) on the Board of our Company, unless otherwise specified.
"Equity Shareholder"	A holder of Equity Shares of our company.
"Equity Shares"	Equity shares of our Company of face value of ₹ 10.00 each.
"Executive Directors"	Executive directors of our Company.



Term	Description
"Independent Director(s)"	The independent director(s) of our Company, in terms of Section 2 (47) and Section 149(6) of the Companies Act, 2013.
"Key Management Personnel" / "KMP"	Key management personnel of our Company in terms of the Companies Act, 2013 and the SEBI ICDR Regulations as described in this Letter of Offer.
"Managing Director"	Mr. Jayantibhai Kumbhani, the Managing Director of our Company.
"Memorandum of Association" / "MoA"	Memorandum of Association of our Company, as amended from time to time.
"Nomination and Remuneration Committee"	Nomination and remuneration committee of our Board, as described in "Our Management – Committees of our Board" on page 80.
"Non-executive Directors"	Non-executive Directors of our Company.
"Non-Executive and Independent Director"	Non-executive and independent directors of our Company, unless otherwise specified
"Promoter Group"	Persons and entities forming part of the promoter group of our Company as determined in terms of Regulation 2(1) (pp) of the SEBI ICDR Regulations
"Promoters"	Mr. Ghanshyambhai Kumbhani And Mr. Jayantibhai Kumbhani are the Promoters of our Company. For further details, see "Our Promoters and Promoter Group" on page 89 of this Draft Letter of Offer.
"Registered Office"	The registered office of our Company is located at 508, Iscon Eligance, Nr. Jain Temple Nr. Prahladnagar Pick up Stand, Vejalpur, Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India, 380051
"Registrar of Companies"/ "ROC"	Registrar of Companies, Ahmedabad situated at ROC Bhavan, Opp. Rupal Park Society, Behind Ankur Bus Stop, Naranpura, Ahmedabad – 380 013, Gujarat
"Shareholders / Equity Shareholders"	The Equity Shareholders of our Company, from time to time.
"Whole-Time Director"	Mr. Ghanshyambhai Kumbhani, the Whole-Time Director of our Company.

# ISSUE RELATED TERMS

Term	Description
Abridged Letter of Offer	Abridged Letter of Offer to be sent to the Eligible Equity Shareholders with respect to the Issue in accordance with the provisions of the SEBI ICDR Regulations and the Companies Act.
Additional Right Equity Shares	The Rights Equity shares applied or allotted under the issue in addition to the Rights Entitlements.
Allot/Allotment/Allotted	Allotment of Rights Equity Shares pursuant to the Issue.
Allotment Account	The account opened with the Banker(s) to the Issue, into which the Application Money lying to the credit of the escrow account(s) and amounts blocked by Application Supported by Blocked Amount in the ASBA Account, with respect to successful Applicants will be transferred on the Transfer Date in accordance with Section 40(3) of the Companies Act.
Allotment Account Bank	Bank(s) which are clearing members and registered with SEBI as bankers to an issue and with whom the Allotment Accounts will be opened, in this case being, [●]
Allotment Advice	Note, advice or intimation of Allotment sent to each successful Applicant who has been or is to be Allotted the Rights Equity Shares pursuant to the Issue.
Allotment Date	Date on which the Allotment is made pursuant to this Issue.



Term	Description
Allottee(s)	Persons to whom the Rights Equity Shares are Allotted pursuant to the Issue.
Applicant(s) / Investor(s)	Eligible Equity Shareholder(s) and/or Renouncee (s) who make an application for the Rights Equity Shares pursuant to the Issue in terms of this Draft Letter of Offer, including an ASBA Investor.
Application	Application made through submission of the Application Form or plain paper Application to the Designated Branch of the SCSBs or online/ electronic application through the website of the SCSBs (if made available by such SCSBs) under the ASBA process to subscribe to the Rights Equity Shares at the Issue Price.
Application Form	Unless the context otherwise requires, an application form (including online application form available for submission of application though the website of the SCSBs (if made available by such SCSBs) under the ASBA process) used by an Applicant to make an application for the Allotment of Rights Equity Shares in this Issue.
Application Money	Aggregate amount payable in respect of the Rights Equity Shares applied for in the Issue at the Issue Price.
Application Supported by Blocked Amount/ASBA	Application (whether physical or electronic) used by ASBA Applicants to make an Application authorizing a SCSB to block the Application Money in the ASBA Account
ASBA Account	Account maintained with a SCSB and specified in the Application Form or plain paper application, as the case may be, for blocking the amount mentioned in the Application Form or the plain paper application, in case of Eligible Equity Shareholders, as the case may be.
ASBA Applicant / ASBA Investor	As per the SEBI Circular SEBI/HO/CFD/DIL2/CIR/P/2020/13 dated January 22, 2020, all investors (including renouncees) shall make an application for a rights issue only through ASBA facility.
ASBA Bid	A Bid made by an ASBA Bidder including all revisions and modifications thereto as permitted under the SEBI ICDR Regulations.
Banker(s) to the Issue	Collectively, the Escrow Collection Bank and the Refund Banks to the Issue, in this case being [●]
Bankers to the Issue Agreement	Agreement dated [•] entered into by and amongst our Company, the Registrar to the Issue and the Bankers to the Issue for collection of the Application Money from Applicants/Investors, transfer of funds to the Allotment Account and where applicable, refunds of the amounts collected from Applicants/Investors, on the terms and conditions thereof.
Basis of Allotment	The basis on which the Rights Equity Shares will be Allotted to successful applicants in the Issue and which is described in "Terms of the Issue" on page No. 128.
Controlling Branches/ Controlling Branches of the SCSBs	Such branches of SCSBs, which coordinate Bids under the Issue with the Registrar and the Stock Exchange, a list of which is available on the website of SEBI at http://www.sebi.gov.in.
Demographic Details	Details of Investors including the Investor's address, name of the Investor's father/ husband, investor status, occupation and bank account details, where applicable.
Depository(ies)	NSDL and CDSL or any other depository registered with SEBI under the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Depositories and Participants) Regulations, 2018 as amended from time to time read with the Depositories Act, 1996.
Designated SCSB Branches	Such branches of the SCSBs which shall collect the ASBA Forms submitted by



Term	Description
	ASBA Bidders, a list of which is available on the website of SEBI at http://www.sebi.gov.in/sebiweb/other/OtherAction.do?doRecognisedFpi=yes&intmId=35, updated from time to time, or at such other website as may be prescribed by SEBI from time to time.
Designated Stock Exchange	National Stock Exchange of India Limited (NSE)
Draft Letter of Offer / DLOF	This Draft Letter of Offer dated September 14, 2024 filed with the Stock Exchange and submitted with SEBI.
Eligible Equity Shareholders	Existing Equity Shareholders as on the Record Date i.e. [•].  Please note that the investors eligible to participate in the Issue exclude certain overseas shareholders.
Escrow Collection Bank	Banks which are clearing members and registered with SEBI as bankers to an issue and with whom Escrow Account(s) will be opened, in this case being [•].
FII / Foreign Institutional Investors	Foreign Institutional Investor [as defined under SEBI (Foreign Institutional Investors) Regulations, 1995, as amended] registered with SEBI under applicable laws in India.
Fugitive Economic Offender	An individual who is declared a fugitive economic offender under Section 12 of Fugitive Economic Offenders Act, 2018
IEPF	Investor Education and Protection Fund
ISIN	International securities identification number is INE112X01017
Issue / Rights Issue	Up to [•] Equity Shares of face value of ₹ 10.00 each for cash at a price of ₹ [•] (Including a premium of ₹ [•]) per Rights Equity Share not exceeding an amount of ₹ 4,950.00 Lakhs on a rights basis to the Eligible Equity Shareholders of our Company in the ratio of [•] Rights Equity Shares for every [•] Equity Shares held by the Eligible Equity Shareholders of our Company on the Record Date.
Issue Closing Date	[•]
Issue Opening Date	[•]
Issue Period	The period between the Issue Opening Date and the Issue Closing Date, inclusive of both days, during which Applicants/Investors can submit their applications, in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations.
Issue Price	₹ [•] per Rights Equity Share including Premium of ₹ [•] per Equity Share.
Issue Proceeds	Gross proceeds of the Issue.
Issue Size	Up to [•] Equity Shares of face value of ₹ 10.00 each for cash at a price of ₹ [•] (Including a premium of ₹ [•]) per Rights Equity Share not exceeding an amount of ₹ 4,950.00 Lakhs.
Letter of Offer / LOF	
	This letter of offer dated [●] filed with the Stock Exchange and submitted with SEBI.
Net Proceeds	
Net Proceeds  Net Worth	SEBI.  Proceeds of the Issue less our Company's share of Issue related expenses. For further information about the Issue related expenses, see "Object of the Issue" on
	SEBI.  Proceeds of the Issue less our Company's share of Issue related expenses. For further information about the Issue related expenses, see "Object of the Issue" on page 44 of this Letter of Offer.



Term	Description
	Buyer as defined under Regulation 2(1)(jj) of the SEBI ICDR Regulations.
Off Market Renunciation	The renunciation of Rights Entitlements undertaken by the Investor by transferring them through off market transfer through a depository participant in accordance with the SEBI Rights Issue Circulars and the circulars issued by the Depositories, from time to time, and other applicable laws.
On Market Renunciation	The renunciation of Rights Entitlements undertaken by the Investor by trading them over the secondary market platform of the Stock Exchange through a registered stockbroker in accordance with the SEBI Rights Issue Circulars and the circulars issued by the Stock Exchange, from time to time, and other applicable laws, on or before [•]
QIBs or Qualified Institutional Buyers	Qualified institutional buyers as defined under Regulation 2(1)(ss) of the SEBI ICDR Regulations.
Record Date	Designated date for the purpose of determining the Equity Shareholders eligible to apply for Rights Equity Shares, being [●]
Refund Bank(s)	The Banker(s) to the Issue with whom the Refund Account(s) will be opened, in this case being, [●].
"Registrar to the Issue"	Purva Sharegistry (India) Private Limited
Registrar Agreement	Agreement dated July 10, 2024 entered into among our Company and the Registrar in relation to the responsibilities and obligations of the Registrar to the Issue pertaining to the Issue.
Renouncee(s)	Person(s) who has/have acquired Rights Entitlements from the Eligible Equity Shareholders on renunciation either through On Market Renunciation or through Off Market Renunciation in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations, the SEBI– Rights Issue Circular, the Companies Act and any other applicable law.
Renunciation Period	The period during which the Investors can renounce or transfer their Rights Entitlements, which shall commence from the Issue Opening Date. Such period shall close on [•] in case of On Market Renunciation. Eligible Equity Shareholders are requested to ensure that renunciation through off-market transfer is completed in such a manner that the Rights Entitlements are credited to the demat account of the Renouncee on or prior to the Issue Closing Date.
Retail Individual Bidders(s)/Retail Individual Investor(s)/ RII(s)/RIB(s)	An individual Investor (including an HUF applying through karta) who has applied for Rights Equity Shares and whose Application Money is not more than ₹ 200,000 in the Issue as defined under Regulation 2(1)(vv) of the SEBI ICDR Regulations
Rights Entitlements	The number of Rights Equity Shares that an Eligible Equity Shareholder is entitled to in proportion to the number of Equity Shares held by the Eligible Equity Shareholder on the Record Date, being [●], [●] Rights Equity Shares for every [●] Equity Shares held on the Record Date.  Pursuant to the provisions of the SEBI ICDR Regulations and the SEBI − Rights Issue Circular, the Rights Entitlements shall be credited in dematerialized form in respective demat accounts of the Eligible Equity Shareholders before the Issue Opening Date.
Rights Entitlement Letter	Letter including details of Rights Entitlements of the Eligible Equity Shareholders. The Rights Entitlements will also accessible on the website of our Company and Registrar.
Rights Equity Shares	Equity Shares of our Company to be Allotted pursuant to this Issue.
SEBI Rights Issue Circulars	Collectively, SEBI circular, bearing reference number SEBI/HO/CFD/DIL2/CIR/P/2020/13 dated January 22, 2020.
Self-Certified Syndicate Banks" or	The banks registered with SEBI, offering services (i) in relation to ASBA (other



Term	Description
"SCSBs	than through UPI mechanism), a list of which is available on the website of SEBI at https://www.sebi.gov.in/sebiweb/other/OtherAction.do?doRecognisedFpi=yes &intmId=34 or
	https://www.sebi.gov.in/sebiweb/other/OtherAction.do?doRecognisedFpi=yes &intmId=35, as applicable, or such other website as updated from time to time, and (ii) in relation to ASBA (through UPI mechanism), a list of which is available on the website of SEBI at https://sebi.gov.in/sebiweb/other/OtherAction.do?doRecognisedFpi=yes&intmI d=40 or such other website as updated from time to time
Stock Exchanges	Stock exchange where the Equity Shares are presently listed, being National Stock Exchange of India Limited (NSE).
Transfer Date	The date on which the amount held in the escrow account(s) and the amount blocked in the ASBA Account will be transferred to the Allotment Account, upon finalization of the Basis of Allotment, in consultation with the Designated Stock Exchange.
Wilful Defaulter	A Company or person, as the case may be, categorized as a wilful defaulter or Fraudulent Borrower by any bank or financial institution or consortium thereof, in accordance with the guidelines on wilful defaulters issued by the RBI, including any company whose director or promoter is categorized as such.
Working Days	All days other than second and fourth Saturday of the month, Sunday or a public holiday, on which commercial banks in Mumbai are open for business; provided however, with reference to (a) announcement of Price Band; and (b) Bid/Issue Period, Term Description the term Working Day shall mean all days, excluding Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays, on which commercial banks in Mumbai are open for business; and (c) the time period between the Bid/Issue Closing Date and the listing of the Equity Shares on the Stock Exchange. "Working Day" shall mean all trading days of the Stock Exchange, excluding Sundays and bank holidays, as per the circulars issued by SEBI.

# CONVENTIONAL AND GENERAL TERMS OR ABBREVIATIONS

Term	Description
A/c	Account
AGM	Annual general meeting
AIF	Alternative investment fund, as defined and registered with SEBI under the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Alternative Investment Funds) Regulations, 2012
AS	Accounting Standards issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India
CDSL	Central Depository Services (India) Limited.
CFO	Chief Financial Officer
CIN	Corporate Identification Number
Companies Act, 2013 / Companies Act	Companies Act, 2013 along with rules made thereunder.
Companies Act 1956	Companies Act, 1956, and the rules thereunder (without reference to the provisions thereof that have ceased to have effect upon the notification of the Notified Sections).
CSR	Corporate Social Responsibility



Term	Description
Depository(ies)	A depository registered with SEBI under the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Depositories and Participants) Regulations, 1996.
Depositories Act	The Depositories Act, 1996
DIN	Director Identification Number
DP ID	Depository Participant's Identification Number
EBITDA	Earnings before Interest, Tax, Depreciation and Amortization
EGM	Extraordinary General Meeting
EPS	Earnings per share
ESI Act	Employees' State Insurance Act, 1948
FCNR Account	Foreign Currency Non-Resident (Bank) account established in accordance with the FEMA
FEMA	The Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 read with rules and regulations thereunder
FEMA Regulations	The Foreign Exchange Management (Transfer or Issue of Security by a Person Resident Outside India) Regulations, 2017.
Financial Year/Fiscal	The period of 12 months commencing on April 1 of the immediately preceding calendar year and ending on March 31 of that particular calendar year
FPIs	A foreign portfolio investor who has been registered pursuant to the SEBI FPI Regulations, provided that any FII who holds a valid certificate of registration shall be deemed to be an FPI until the expiry of the block of three years for which fees have been paid as per the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Foreign Institutional Investors) Regulations, 1995
FVCI	Foreign Venture Capital Investors (as defined under the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Foreign Venture Capital Investors) Regulations, 2000) registered with SEBI
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GoI / Government	The Government of India
GST	Goods and Services Tax
HUF(s)	Hindu Undivided Family(ies)
ICAI	Institute of Chartered Accountants of India
ICSI	The Institute of Company Secretaries of India
IFRS	International Financial Reporting Standards
IFSC	Indian Financial System Code
Income Tax Act / IT Act	Income Tax Act, 1961
Ind AS	The Indian Accounting Standards referred to in the Companies (Indian Accounting Standard) Rules, 2015, as amended
Indian GAAP	Generally Accepted Accounting Principles in India
Insider Trading Regulations	Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015, as amended
Insolvency Code	Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016, as amended
	Indian Rupee, the official currency of the Republic of India.



Term	Description
ISIN	International Securities Identification Number
IT	Information Technology
MCA	The Ministry of Corporate Affairs, GoI
Mn / mn	Million
Mutual Funds	Mutual funds registered with the SEBI under the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996
N.A. or NA	Not Applicable
NAV	Net Asset Value
Notified Sections	The sections of the Companies Act, 2013 that have been notified by the MCA and are currently in effect.
NSDL	National Securities Depository Limited
NSE	National Stock Exchange of India Limited
OCB	A company, partnership, society or other corporate body owned directly or indirectly to the extent of atleast 60% by NRI's including overseas trusts, in which not less than 60% of beneficial interest is irrevocably held by NRIs directly or indirectly and which was in existence on October 3, 2003 and immediately before such date was eligible to undertake transactions pursuant to general permission granted to OCBs under FEMA. OCBs are not allowed to invest in the Issue.
p.a.	Per annum
P/E Ratio	Price/Earnings Ratio
PAN	Permanent account number
PAT	Profit after Tax
Payment of Bonus Act	Payment of Bonus Act, 1965
Payment of Gratuity Act	Payment of Gratuity Act, 1972
RBI	The Reserve Bank of India
RBI Act	Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, as amended
Regulation S	Regulation S under the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended
SCRA	Securities Contract (Regulation) Act, 1956, as amended
SCRR	The Securities Contracts (Regulation) Rules, 1957 as amended
SEBI FPI Regulations	Securities and Exchange Board of India (Foreign Portfolio Investors) Regulations, 2014, as amended
SEBI ICDR Regulations	The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018, as amended
SEBI Listing Regulations	Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended
SEBI Takeover Regulations	The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011, as amended
SEBI VCF Regulations	Securities and Exchange Board of India (Venture Capital Funds) Regulations, 1996
Securities Act	The United States Securities Act of 1933.



Term	Description
STT	Securities Transaction Tax
State Government	The government of a state in India
Trademarks Act	Trademarks Act, 1999
TDS	Tax deducted at source
US\$/ USD/ US Dollar	United States Dollar, the official currency of the United States of America
USA/ U.S./ US	United States of America, its territories and possessions, any state of the United States of America and the District of Columbia
U.S. GAAP	Generally Accepted Accounting Principles in the United States of America

# INDUSTRY RELATED TERMS

Term	Description
AAY	Antodaya Ann Yojna
ACC	advanced chemistry cell
AIDef	AI in Defence
AIFs	Alternative Investment Funds
BGs	bank guarantees
BOT	Build-Operate-Transfer
BSNL	Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited
CAD	current account deficit
CAGR	compound annual growth rate
CAZRI	Central Arid Zone Research Institute
CCSS	carbon capture sequestration and storage
CEPA	India-UAE Comprehensive Partnership Agreement
CGSS	Credit Guarantee Scheme for Start-ups
CPI	Consumer Price Index
CSO	Central Statistics Office
DII	Domestic Institutional Investors
DIPP	Department of Industrial Policies and Promotion
DoS	Department of Space
DPA	Deendayal Port Authority
DPIIT	Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade
EDP	Entrepreneurship Development Programme
EMDEs	emerging market and developing economies
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
EPFO	Employees' Provident Fund Organisation
ESI	Employee State Insurance
ETPs	Effluent Treatment Plant



Term	Description
FCNR	Foreign Currency Non-Resident
FDI	Foreign Direct Investment
FII	Foreign Institutional Investors
FIPB	Foreign Investment Promotion Board
FMCG	Fast Moving Consumer Goods
FPIs	Foreign Portfolio Investors
FRE	First Revised Estimates
FTAs	Free Trade Agreements
FY	Financial Year
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
G-secs	government securities
GST	Goods and Services Tax
GVA	Gross Value Added
HACCP	Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Points
HFIs	High-Frequency Indicators
IDRCL	India Debt Resolution Co. Ltd
IFFCO	Indian Farmers Fertiliser Cooperative Limited
IMF	International Monetary Fund
IndAus ECTA	India-Australia Economic Cooperation and Trade Agreement
IVFA	India Value Fund Advisors
LMT	lakh metric tonnes
MEIS	Merchandise Exports from India Scheme
MFP	Mega Food Parks
MOCI	Minister of Commerce and Industry
MoSPI	Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation
MoU	Memorandum of Understanding
M-SIPS	Modified Special Incentive Package Scheme
MSME	Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises
MYEA	Mid-Year Economic Analysis
NABARD	National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development
NaBFID	National Bank for Financing Infrastructure and Development
NARCL	National Asset Reconstruction Company Ltd
NBS	nutrient based subsidy
NGHM	National Green Hydrogen Mission
РНН	Primary Household
PLI	Production Linked Incentive Scheme
PM-DevINE	Prime Minister's Development Initiative for North-East Region



Term	Description
PMGKAY	Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Ann Yojana
PMGKY	Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Yojana
PMSY	Pradhan Mantri Suryodaya Yojana
PP Sheet	Polypropylene Sheet
PPP	Public-Private Partnership
PPP	purchasing power parity
RBI	Reserve Bank of India
RPS	Retention Pricing Scheme
SDLs	State Development Loans
SPI	Strengthening of Pharmaceutical Industry
SSP	single super phosphate
TTDF	Telecom Technology Development Fund
UDAY	Ujwal DISCOM Assurance Yojana Scheme
UNIDO	United Nations Industrial Development Organization
US/ U.S./ USA	United States of America
USD	US Dollars
USOF	Universal Service Obligation Fund
WPI	Wholesale Price Index
WSFs	Water soluble fertilizers



# PRESENTATION OF FINANCIAL, INDUSTRY AND MARKET DATA

#### **Certain Conventions**

All references to "India" contained in this Draft Letter of Offer are to the Republic of India and its territories and possessions and all references herein to the "Government", "Indian Government", "GOI", Central Government" or the "State Government" are to the Government of India, central or state, as applicable.

Unless otherwise specified or the context otherwise requires, all references in this Draft Letter of Offer to the 'US' or 'U.S.' or the 'United States' are to the United States of America and its territories and possessions.

Unless otherwise specified, any time mentioned in this Draft Letter of Offer is in Indian Standard Time ("IST"). Unless indicated otherwise; all references to a year in this Draft Letter of Offer are to a calendar year.

A reference to the singular also refers to the plural and one gender also refers to any other gender, wherever applicable.

Unless stated otherwise, all references to page numbers in this Draft Letter of Offer are to the page numbers of this Letter of Offer.

### **Financial Data**

Unless stated otherwise or the context otherwise requires, the financial information and financial ratios in this Draft Letter of Offer has been derived from our Financial Statements. For details, please see "Financial Information" on page 92. Our Company's financial year commences on April 1 and ends on March 31 of the next year. Accordingly, all references to a particular financial year, unless stated otherwise, are to the twelve (12) month period ended on March 31 of that year.

The GOI has adopted the Indian accounting standards ("Ind AS"), which are converged with the International Financial Reporting Standards of the International Accounting Standards Board ("IFRS") and notified under Section 133 of the Companies Act read with the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015, as amended (the "Ind AS Rules").

The Financial Statements of our Company for the Financial Years ended March 2022, 2023 and 2024 are prepared in accordance with Ind AS as prescribed under Section 133 of Companies Act read with the Ind AS Rules and other the relevant provisions of the Companies Act and restated in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations and the Guidance Note on Reports in Company Prospectuses (revised), 2019, issued by the ICAI. Our Company publishes its financial statements in Rupees.

In this Draft Letter of Offer, any discrepancies in any table between the total and the sums of the amounts listed are due to rounding off and unless otherwise specified all financial numbers in parenthesis represent negative figures. Our Company has presented all numerical information in this Draft Letter of Offer in "lakh" units or in whole numbers where the numbers have been too small to represent in lakh. One lakh represents 1,00,000 and one million represents 1,000,000.

There are significant differences between Ind AS, US GAAP and IFRS. We have not provided a reconciliation of the financial information to IFRS or US GAAP. Our Company has not attempted to also explain those differences or quantify their impact on the financial data included in this Draft Letter of Offer, and you are urged to consult your own advisors regarding such differences and their impact on our financial data. Accordingly, the degree to which the financial information included in this Draft Letter of Offer will provide meaningful information is entirely dependent on the reader's level of familiarity with Indian accounting policies and practices, Ind AS, the Companies Act and the SEBI ICDR Regulations. Any reliance by persons not familiar with these accounting principles and regulations on our financial disclosures presented in this Draft Letter of Offer should accordingly be limited. For further information, see "Financial Information" on page 92.

Certain figures contained in this Draft Letter of Offer, including financial information, have been subject to rounded off adjustments. All figures in decimals (including percentages) have been rounded off to one or two decimals. However, where any figures that may have been sourced from third-party industry sources are rounded off to other than two decimal points in their respective sources, such figures appear in this Draft Letter of Offer rounded-off to such number of decimal points as provided in such respective sources. In this Draft Letter of Offer, (i) the sum or percentage change of certain numbers may not conform exactly to the total figure given; and (ii) the sum of the numbers in a column or row in certain tables may not conform exactly to the total figure given for that column or row. Any such discrepancies are due to rounding off.



### **Currency and Units of Presentation**

All references to:

- "Rupees" or "₹" or "INR" or "Rs." are to Indian Rupee, the official currency of the Republic of India;
- "USD" or "US\$" or "\$" are to United States Dollar, the official currency of the United States of America; and
- "Euro" or "€" are to Euros, the official currency of the European Union.

Our Company has presented certain numerical information in this Draft Letter of Offer in "lakh" or "Lac" units or in whole numbers. One lakh represents 1,00,000 and one million represents 1,000,000. All the numbers in the document have been presented in lakh or in whole numbers where the numbers have been too small to present in lakh. Any percentage amounts, as set forth in "Risk Factors", "Our Business", "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Conditions and Results of Operation" and elsewhere in this Draft Letter of Offer, unless otherwise indicated, have been calculated based on our Restated Financial Information.

# **Exchange Rates**

This Draft Letter of Offer contains conversions of certain other currency amounts into Indian Rupees that have been presented solely to comply with the SEBI ICDR Regulations. These conversions should not be construed as a representation that these currency amounts could have been, or can be converted into Indian Rupees, at any particular rate or at all. The following table sets forth, for the periods indicated, information with respect to the exchange rate between the Indian Rupee and other foreign currencies:

Cumanav	Exchange rate as on			
Currency	March 31, 2024	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022	
1 USD	83.3739	82.2169	75.8071	
1 Euro	90.2178	89.6076	84.6599	

(Source: RBI reference rate https://www.fbil.org.in/#/home)

### **Industry and Market Data**

Unless stated otherwise, industry and market data used in this Draft Letter of Offer has been obtained or derived from publicly available information as well as industry publications and sources.

Industry publications generally state that the information contained in such publications has been obtained from publicly available documents from various sources believed to be reliable but their accuracy and completeness are not guaranteed and their reliability cannot be assured.

Although we believe the industry and market data used in this Draft Letter of Offer is reliable, it has not been independently verified by us, or any of affiliates or advisors. The data used in these sources may have been reclassified by us for the purposes of presentation. Data from these sources may also not be comparable. Such data involves risks, uncertainties and numerous assumptions and is subject to change based on various factors, including those discussed in "Risk Factors" on page 22 of this Letter of Offer. Accordingly, investment decisions should not be based solely on such information.

The extent to which the market and industry data used in this Draft Letter of Offer is meaningful depends on the reader's familiarity with and understanding of the methodologies used in compiling such data. There are no standard data gathering methodologies in the industry in which the business of our Company is conducted, and methodologies and assumptions may vary widely among different industry source.



#### FORWARD – LOOKING STATEMENTS

Certain statements contained in this Draft Letter of Offer that are not statements of historical fact constitute 'forward-looking statements.' Investors can generally identify forward-looking statements by terminology including 'anticipate', 'believe', 'continue', 'can', 'could', 'estimate', 'expect', 'future', 'forecast', 'intend', 'may', 'objective', 'plan', 'potential', 'project', 'pursue', 'shall', 'should', 'target', 'will', 'would' or other words or phrases of similar import. Similarly, statements that describe our objectives, plans or goals are also forward-looking statements. However, these are not the exclusive means of identifying forward-looking statements. All statements regarding our Company's expected financial conditions, results of operations, business plans and prospects are forward-looking statements. These forward-looking statements may include planned projects, revenue and profitability (including, without limitation, any financial or operating projections or forecasts) and other matters discussed in this Draft Letter of Offer that are not historical facts.

These forward-looking statements contained in this Draft Letter of Offer (whether made by our Company or any third party), are predictions and involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties, assumptions and other factors that may cause the actual results, performance or achievements of our Company to be materially different from any future results, performance or achievements expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements or other projections. All forward-looking statements are subject to risks, uncertainties and assumptions about our Company that could cause actual results to differ materially from those contemplated by the relevant forward-looking statement. Important factors that could cause our actual results, performances and achievements to differ materially from any of the forward-looking statements include, among others:

- > performance of the industries in which our clients operate;
- > performance of our key clients and our relationship with our intermediaries;
- > adverse effect of competition on our market share and profits;
- > changes in technology and our ability to manage any disruption or failure of our technology systems;
- > our ability to:
  - manage our growth effectively;
  - manage our credit risk;
  - manage our quality of services;
- hire and retain senior management personnel and other skilled manpower;
- > manage cost of compliance with labor laws or other regulatory developments;
- > manage our operating costs;
- > manage breakdown or failure of equipment, power supply or processes, natural disasters and accidents;
- > successfully implement our business strategies and expansion plans;
- > maintain effective internal controls;
- > adequate and timely supply of assets necessary for our operations such as vehicles and equipment;
- > state of road, air and other transportation infrastructure in India;
- > changes in general, political, social and economic conditions in India and elsewhere;
- > general levels of GDP growth, and growth in employment and personal disposable income; and
- Economic uncertainties, fiscal crises or instability in India.

For further discussion of factors that could cause the actual results to differ from our estimates and expectations, see "Risk Factors", "Business Overview" and "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Position and Results of Operations" beginning on pages 22, 64 and 96 respectively, of this Letter of Offer. By their nature, certain market risk disclosures are only estimating and could be materially different from what actually occurs in the future. As a result, actual gains or losses could materially differ from those that have been estimated.

We cannot assure investors that the expectations reflected in these forward-looking statements will prove to be correct. Given these uncertainties, investors are cautioned not to place undue reliance on such forward-looking statements and not to regard such statements as a guarantee of future performance.



Forward-looking statements reflect the current views of our Company as at the date of this Draft Letter of Offer and are not a guarantee or assurance of future performance. These statements are based on our management's beliefs and assumptions, which in turn are based on currently available information. Although we believe the assumptions upon which these forward-looking statements are based are reasonable, any of these assumptions could prove to be inaccurate, and the forward-looking statements based on these assumptions could be incorrect. Accordingly, we cannot assure investors that the expectations reflected in these forward-looking statements will prove to be correct and given the uncertainties, investors are cautioned not to place undue reliance on such forward-looking statements. If any of these risks and uncertainties materialize, or if any of our Company's underlying assumptions prove to be incorrect, the actual results of operations or financial condition of our Company could differ materially from that described herein as anticipated, believed, estimated or expected. All subsequent forward-looking statements attributable to our Company are expressly qualified in their entirety by reference to these cautionary statements. None of our Company, our Directors, nor any of their respective affiliates has any obligation to update or otherwise revise any statements reflecting circumstances arising after the date of this Draft Letter of Offer or to reflect the occurrence of underlying events, even if the underlying assumptions do not come to fruition.

In accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations, our Company will ensure that investors are informed of material developments from the date of this Draft Letter of Offer until the time of receipt of the listing and trading permissions from the Stock Exchanges.



# NOTICE TO INVESTORS

The distribution of this Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, Application Form and Rights Entitlement Letter and the issue of Rights Entitlement and Rights Equity Shares to persons in certain jurisdictions outside India may be restricted by legal requirements prevailing in those jurisdictions. Persons into whose possession this Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer or Application Form may come are required to inform themselves about and observe such restrictions. Our Company is making this Issue on a rights basis to the Eligible Equity Shareholders and will dispatch through email and courier this Letter of Offer / Abridged Letter of Offer, Application Form and Rights Entitlement Letter only to Eligible Equity Shareholders who have a registered address in India or who have provided an Indian address to our Company. Further, this Letter of Offer will be provided, through email and courier, by the Registrar on behalf of our Company to the Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided their Indian addresses to our Company or who are located in jurisdictions where the offer and sale of the Rights Equity Shares is permitted under laws of such jurisdictions and in each case, who make a request in this regard. Investors can also access this Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer and the Application Form from the websites of the Registrar, our Company, the Stock Exchanges.

No action has been or will be taken to permit the Issue in any jurisdiction where action would be required for that purpose. Accordingly, the Rights Entitlements or Rights Equity Shares may not be offered or sold, directly or indirectly, and this Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer or any offering materials or advertisements in connection with the Issue may not be distributed, in whole or in part, in any jurisdiction, except in accordance with legal requirements applicable in such jurisdiction. Receipt of this Letter of Offer or the Abridged Letter of Offer will not constitute an offer in those jurisdictions in which it would be illegal to make such an offer and, in those circumstances, this Letter of Offer and the Abridged Letter of Offer must be treated as sent for information purposes only and should not be acted upon for subscription to the Rights Equity Shares and should not be copied or redistributed. Accordingly, persons receiving a copy of this Letter of Offer or the Abridged Letter of Offer or Application Form should not, in connection with the issue of the Rights Equity Shares or the Rights Entitlements, distribute or send this Letter of Offer or the Abridged Letter of Offer or the Abridged Letter of Offer or Application Form is received by any person in any such jurisdiction, or by their agent or nominee, they must not seek to subscribe to the Rights Equity Shares or the Rights Entitlements referred to in this Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer or the Application Form.

Any person who makes an application to acquire the Rights Entitlements or the Rights Equity Shares offered in the Issue will be deemed to have declared, represented, warranted and agreed that such person is authorised to acquire the Rights Entitlements or the Rights Equity Shares in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations prevailing in his jurisdiction. Our Company, the Registrar or any other person acting on behalf of our Company reserves the right to treat any Application Form as invalid where they believe that Application Form is incomplete or acceptance of such Application Form may infringe applicable legal or regulatory requirements and we shall not be bound to allot or issue any Rights Equity Shares or Rights Entitlement in respect of any such Application Form.

Neither the delivery of this Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, Application Form and Rights Entitlement Letter nor any sale hereunder, shall, under any circumstances, create any implication that there has been no change in our Company's affairs from the date hereof or the date of such information or that the information contained herein is correct as at any time subsequent to the date of this Letter of Offer and the Abridged Letter of Offer and the Application Form and Rights Entitlement Letter or the date of such information.

THE CONTENTS OF THIS LETTER OF OFFER SHOULD NOT BE CONSTRUED AS LEGAL, TAX OR INVESTMENT ADVICE. PROSPECTIVE INVESTORS MAY BE SUBJECT TO ADVERSE FOREIGN, STATE OR LOCAL TAX OR LEGAL CONSEQUENCES AS A RESULT OF THE OFFER RIGHTS OF EQUITY SHARES OR RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS. ACCORDINGLY, EACH INVESTOR SHOULD CONSULT THEIR OWN COUNSEL, BUSINESS ADVISOR AND TAX ADVISOR AS TO THE LEGAL, BUSINESS, TAX AND RELATED MATTERS CONCERNING THE OFFER OF EQUITY SHARES. IN ADDITION, OUR COMPANY IS NOT MAKING ANY REPRESENTATION TO ANY OFFEREE OR PURCHASER OF THE EQUITY SHARES REGARDING THE LEGALITY OF AN INVESTMENT IN THE EQUITY SHARES BY SUCH OFFEREE OR PURCHASER UNDER ANY APPLICABLE LAWS OR REGULATIONS.

# NO OFFER IN THE UNITED STATES

The Rights Entitlements and the Rights Equity Shares have not been and will not be registered under the Securities Act or the securities laws of any state of the United States and may not be offered or sold in the United States of America or the territories or possessions thereof ("United States"), except in a transaction not subject to, or exempt from, the registration requirements of the Securities Act and applicable state securities laws. The offering to which this Letter of Offer relates is



not, and under no circumstances is to be construed as, an offering of any Rights Equity Shares or Rights Entitlement for sale in the United States or as a solicitation therein of an offer to buy any of the Rights Equity Shares or Rights Entitlement. There is no intention to register any portion of the Issue or any of the securities described herein in the United States or to conduct a public offering of securities in the United States. Accordingly, this Letter of Offer / Abridged Letter of Offer and the enclosed Application Form and Rights Entitlement Letters should not be forwarded to or transmitted in or into the United States at any time. In addition, until the expiry of 40 days after the commencement of the Issue, an offer or sale of Rights Entitlements or Rights Equity Shares within the United States by a dealer (whether or not it is participating in the Issue) may violate the registration requirements of the Securities Act.

Neither our Company nor any person acting on our behalf will accept a subscription or renunciation from any person, or the agent of any person, who appears to be, or who our Company or any person acting on our behalf has reason to believe is in the United States when the buy order is made. Envelopes containing an Application Form and Rights Entitlement Letter should not be postmarked in the United States or otherwise dispatched from the United States or any other jurisdiction where it would be illegal to make an offer, and all persons subscribing for the Rights Equity Shares Issue and wishing to hold such Equity Shares in registered form must provide an address for registration of these Equity Shares in India. Any person who acquires Rights Entitlements and the Rights Equity Shares will be deemed to have declared, represented, warranted and agreed that, (i) it is not and that at the time of subscribing for such Rights Equity Shares or the Rights Entitlements, it will not be, in the United States, and (ii) it is authorized to acquire the Rights Entitlements and the Rights Equity Shares in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations.

Our Company reserves the right to treat any Application Form as invalid which: (i) does not include the certification set out in the Application Form to the effect that the subscriber is authorised to acquire the Rights Equity Shares or Rights Entitlement in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations; (ii) appears to us or our agents to have been executed in or dispatched from the United States; or (iii) where our Company believes that Application Form is incomplete or acceptance of such Application Form may infringe applicable legal or regulatory requirements; and our Company shall not be bound to allot or issue any Rights Equity Shares or Rights Entitlement in respect of any such Application Form.

The Rights Entitlements may not be transferred or sold to any person in the United States.

The Rights Entitlements and the Rights Equity Shares have not been approved or disapproved by the US Securities and Exchange Commission (the "US SEC"), any state securities commission in the United States or any other US regulatory authority, nor have any of the foregoing authorities passed upon or endorsed the merits of the offering of the Rights Entitlements, the Rights Equity Shares or the accuracy or adequacy of this Letter of Offer.

Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offence in the United States.

The above information is given for the benefit of the Applicants / Investors. Our Company is not liable for any amendments or modification or changes in applicable laws or regulations, which may occur after the date of this Letter of Offer / Letter of Offer.

Investors are advised to make their independent investigations and ensure that the number of Rights Equity Shares applied for do not exceed the applicable limits under the applicable laws or regulations.

THIS DOCUMENT IS SOLELY FOR THE USE OF THE PERSON WHO RECEIVED IT FROM OUR COMPANY OR FROM THE REGISTRAR. THIS DOCUMENT IS NOT TO BE REPRODUCED OR DISTRIBUTED TO ANY OTHER PERSON.



### SECTION II - SUMMARY OF DRAFT LETTER OF OFFER

The following is a general summary of the terms of this Issue, and should be read in conjunction with and is qualified by the more detailed information appearing in this Draft Letter of Offer, including the sections titled "Risk Factors", "The Issue", "Capital Structure", "Objects of the Issue", "Business Overview", "Industry Overview", "Outstanding Litigation and Material Developments" and "Terms of the Issue" on pages, 22, 34, 40, 44, 64, 56, 104 and 128 respectively.

# **SUMMARY OF INDUSTRY**

Global growth is projected to stabilize at 2.6 percent this year, holding steady for the first time in three years despite flaring geopolitical tensions and high interest rates. It is then expected to edge up to 2.7 percent in 2025-26 amid modest growth in trade and investment. Global inflation is projected to moderate - but at a slower clip than previously assumed, averaging 3.5 percent this year. Given continued inflationary pressures, central banks in both advanced economies and emerging market and developing economies (EMDEs) will likely remain cautious in easing monetary policy. As such, average benchmark policy interest rates over the next few years are expected to remain about double the 2000-19 average.

Despite an improvement in near-term growth prospects, the outlook remains subdued by historical standards in advanced economies and EMDEs alike. Global growth over the forecast horizon is expected to be nearly half a percentage point below its 2010-19 average pace. In 2024-25, growth is set to underperform its 2010s average in nearly 60 percent of economies, representing more than 80 percent of global population and world output. EMDE growth is forecast to moderate from 4.2 percent in 2023 to 4 percent in both 2024 and 2025. Prospects remain especially lackluster in many vulnerable economies - over half of economies facing fragile- and conflict-affected situations will still be poorer by the end of this year than on the eve of the pandemic.

# **India Agrochemical Market**

Driven largely by government support, expanding production capacities, a flourishing domestic and export market, and a steady stream of innovative products, the Indian agrochemicals industry is projected to clock a robust compound annual growth rate (CAGR) of nine per cent from FY2025 to FY2028, says a report by Rubix Data Sciences, a leading risk management and monitoring company.

This steady growth will propel the market size of the Indian agrochemical industry to \$14.5 billion by FY28 from the current levels of around \$10.3 billion, the report said, adding that India's agrochemicals exports registered a strong 14 per cent CAGR from FY2019 to FY2023, reaching \$5.4 billion in FY2023.

This impressive export growth stands in stark contrast to imports, which registered a more moderate 6 per cent CAGR during the same period, thus solidifying India's position as a net exporter, it said.

The report noted that within the agrochemicals sector, herbicides have emerged as the leading export segment, experiencing the fastest growth at 23 per cent CAGR from FY2019 to FY2023. The share of herbicides in total agrochemical exports increased from 31 per cent to 41 per cent during the same timeframe.

# **Indian Fertiliser Sector**

India's fertilizer industry has transformed, ensuring food security for over half a century. Despite challenges like geopolitical tensions and climate change, innovations and policy support drive sustainable agricultural growth.

Unlike other periods in contemporary Indian history there has been no famine in India during the past half a century. Agricultural production witnessed a steady increase from the 1970's to the present (2023), which now stands at 329.7 million tons of grain production. In India, several factors contributed to this big achievement, the foremost among them being the use of mineral fertilizers in the farmlands. Globally, India is the second largest producer and consumer of fertilizers only after China.

As of now, the fertilizer manufacturing industry in India is a robust venture, utilization of installed capacities is good and the profitability of the business is also better. The situation was different just five years back when government subsidy was inadequate and that too not available to the manufacturing units in time resulting in heavy financial strains to maintain operations of the unit. Some major players left the scene as they found other investment options more lucrative.

Urea, DAP, NP and NPK complex fertilizers, ammonium sulphate, potash and single super phosphate (SSP) are the major fertilizer products used in Indian agriculture. India has a high dependency on imported fertilizer raw materials, intermediate and products.

For further details, please refer to the chapter titled "Industries Overview" at page 51 of this Draft Letter of Offer.



#### SUMMARY OF BUSINESS

In the year 1998, Our Promoter was running proprietorship firm, namely Sikko Sprayers & Exports Co. which was engaged in the manufacturing of "Growth Promoters" and its used as supplements in agriculture by farmers. In the blanket of Growth Promoters various products are sold namely Vakil, Diamond, Vasool, Biomono which are in combination of granules and liquid form. In addition, firm was engaged in assembling of different parts of Spray Pump having Inside and cylinder without bearing. The spray pumps are used by farmers in agriculture to sprey pesticides.

In the year 2000 our Company was incorporated as Sikko Sprayers Private Limited. Our Company acquired Sikko Sprayers & Exports Co., proprietorship concern of Mr. Pravinbhai M. Kumbhani in the year 2000 and consequent to which entire assets-liabilities including outstanding creditors of the said proprietorship concern were taken over by our company for which there was no formal agreement for acquisition of the said business was entered.

To avail the rich experience of our promoters in the field of agrochemicals and after establishing strong foot hold in the field of agro chemicals and pesticides, Our Company also started fertilizer unit on March 30, 2011. This has improved our top line. To sum up our Company is engaged in manufacturing of Pesticides including organic Pesticides, Fertilizers including organic fertilizer, Spray Pump and Organic Seeds.

The initial object of the Company is to set up facilities for manufacture of all kinds of sprayers for agricultural purposes and all spare parts of such sprayers. Afterwards the main object of the Company has been changed vide Special Resolution passed through Postal Ballot and Remote e-Voting on October 13, 2022. As per latest Object clause of Memorandum of Association of the Company, followings are main objects of the Company;

Company was initially engaged in manufacturing of pesticides, fertilizers, all types of agricultural chemicals, pesticides intermediates, including insecticides, fungicides, herbicides, weedicides and all allied and agricultural products, seeds, seed products and its byproducts thereof. However, management on boarding, has arrived to a decision to enter into manufacturing of pharmaceuticals goods and agricultural commodities.

Our company is manufacturing and supplying a wide range of agrochemicals, pesticides, bio pesticides, organic pesticides, bio larvicides, organic larvicides, bio miticides, organic fertilizers, water soluble fertilizers, chemical fertilizers, and many more products for Agri inputs.

For further details, please refer to the chapter titled "Business Overview" at page 64 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

# INTENTION AND EXTENT OF PARTICIPATION BY PROMOTER/PROMOTER GROUP

The Promoters of our Company are Mr. Ghanshyambhai Kumbhani and Mr. Jayantibhai Kumbhani.

Our Promoter and members of the Promoter Group of our Company have, vide their letters dated September 14, 2024 ("Subscription Letters") indicated that they will not subscribe fully to their portion of right entitlement and that they may renounce their rights entitlements. Further, the promoters have confirmed that do not intend to apply for, and subscribe to, additional Rights Equity Shares over and above their Rights Entitlements (including unsubscribed portion of the Issue, if any).

# **OBJECTS OF THE ISSUE**

We propose to deploy the Net Proceeds towards the Objects in accordance with the estimated schedule of implementation and deployment of funds set forth in the table below:

(₹ In Lakhs)

			( The Estimo)
Particulars	Amount (₹ in Lakhs)	% of gross proceeds	% of Net proceeds
Capital expenditure for acquisition of Land, Building Construction and fabrication and acquisition of Plant & Machineries and Electricals.		[•]	[•]
To meet General corporate purposes#	[•]	[•]	[•]
Total	[•]	[•]	[•]

<sup>\*</sup> To be finalized upon determination of the Issue Price and updated in the Letter of Offer prior to filing with the RoC. # The amount to be utilised for general corporate purposes will not exceed 25% of the gross Offer proceeds.



For further details, please see chapter titled "Objects of the Issue" beginning on page 44 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

# SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Following are the details as per the Financial Information for the Financial Years ended on March 31, 2024, 2023 and 2022.

(₹ In Lakhs)

Sr. No	Particulars	March 31, 2024	March 31, 2023	March 31, 2022
1.	Authorized Share Capital	1,750.00	1,750.00	1,200.00
2.	Paid-up Capital	1,680.00	1,680.00	1,120.00
3.	Net Worth attributable to Equity Shareholders	1,107.45	2,381.02	2,116.97
4.	Total Income	6,470.59	4,992.51	5,124.34
5.	Profit after tax	406.44	289.25	187.70
6.	Earnings per Share (basic & diluted) (in ₹)	2.42	1.72	1.12
7.	Net Asset Value per Equity Share (in ₹)	16.59	14.17	18.90
8.	Total Borrowings	588.99	861.43	163.66

# SUMMARY OF OUTSTANDING LITIGATION

A summary of the pending tax proceedings and other material litigations involving our Company, our Promoters, our Directors and our Group Companies is provided below:

Nature of Cases	Number of Cases	Amount Involved (₹ in Lakh)		
Issuer Company – Sikko Industries Limited				
Direct and Indirect Tax				
E-Proceedings	1	26.76		
Proceedings	1	260.41		
TDS	3	0.0038		
Criminal Proceedings*	5	359.96		
Litigation based on Materiality Policy of our Company	-	-		
Directors other than Promoters				
Direct and Indirect Tax				
E-Proceedings	-	-		
Proceedings	-	-		
Criminal Proceedings	-	-		
Litigation based on Materiality Policy of our Company	-	-		
Promoters				
Direct and Indirect Tax				
E-Proceedings	-	-		
Proceedings	-	-		
Criminal Proceedings	-	-		
Litigation based on Materiality Policy of our Company	-	-		
Group Companies				
Direct and Indirect Tax				
E-Proceedings	-	-		
Proceedings	-	-		
Criminal Proceedings	-	-		
Litigation based on Materiality Policy of our Company	-	-		

<sup>\*</sup> All Criminal proceedings are initiated by the Company against total 146 various parties / individuals under the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 for recovery of dues.

# **RISK FACTORS**

Please see the chapter titled "Risk Factors" beginning on page 22 of this Draft Letter of Offer.



# SUMMARY OF CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

For details, see "Financial Information" on page 92 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

# SUMMARY OF RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

For details of the related party transactions and as reported in the Restated Financial Statements, see "Financial Information" on page 92 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

# ISSUE OF EQUITY SHARES MADE IN LAST ONE YEAR FOR CONSIDERATION OTHER THAN CASH.

Our Company has not issued any Equity Shares for consideration other than cash in the one year preceding the date of this Draft Letter of Offer.

# SPLIT/ CONSOLIDATION OF EQUITY SHARES IN THE LAST ONE YEAR.

There were no split or consolidation of the equity shares of the Company.



### **SECTION III - RISK FACTOR**

An investment in our Equity Shares involves a high degree of risk. You should carefully consider each of the following risk factors and all other information set forth in this Draft Letter of Offer, including in "Our Business", "Industry Overview", "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations", and "Financial Statements" before making an investment in our Equity Shares.

The risks and uncertainties described below are not the only risks that we currently face. Additional risks and uncertainties not presently known to us or that we currently believe to be immaterial may also adversely affect our business, financial condition, results of operations and cash flows. If any or some combination of the following risks, or other risks that are not currently known or believed to be adverse, actually occur, our business, financial condition and results of operations could suffer, the trading price of, and the value of your investment in, our Equity Shares could decline and you may lose all or part of your investment. In making an investment decision with respect to this Issue, you must rely on your own examination of our Company and the terms of this Issue, including the merits and risks involved. You should consult your tax, financial and legal advisors about the consequences of an investment in our Equity Shares and its impact on you.

This Draft Letter of Offer also contains forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties. Our results could differ materially from such forward-looking statements as a result of certain factors, including the considerations described below and elsewhere in this Draft Letter of Offer.

Unless specified or quantified in the relevant risk factors below, we are not in a position to quantify the financial or other implications of any of the risks described in this section. Unless the context otherwise requires, in this section, reference to "we", "us" "our" refers to our Company.

# INTERNAL RISK FACTORS:

# BUSINESS RELATED RISK

1. We require high working capital for our smooth day to day operations of business and any discontinuance or our inability to procure adequate working capital timely and on favorable terms may have an adverse effect on our operations, profitability and growth prospects.

Our business demands substantial funds towards working capital requirements. In case there are insufficient cash flows to meet our working capital requirement or we are unable to arrange the same from other sources or there are delays in disbursement of arranged funds, or we are unable to procure funds on favorable terms, it may result into our inability to finance our working capital needs on a timely basis which may have an adverse effect on our operations, profitability and growth prospects.

2. Our lenders have charge over our movable and immovable properties in respect of finance availed by us.

We have secured our lenders by creating a charge over our movable and immovable properties in respect of loans / facilities availed by us from banks and financial institutions. The total amounts outstanding and payable by us as long-term borrowing were ₹ 153.81 Lakhs and short-term borrowing were ₹ 435.18 Lakhs based on audited financial statements as on March 31, 2024. In the event, we default in repayment of the loans / facilities availed by us and any interest thereof, our properties may be forfeited by lenders, which in turn could have significant adverse effect on business, financial condition or results of operations.

3. Our Company's failure to maintain the quality standards of the products could adversely impact our business, results of operations and financial condition.

Any failure to maintain the quality standards may affect our business. Although we have put in place strict quality control procedures, we cannot assure that our products will always be able to satisfy quality standards. Any negative publicity regarding our Company, or products, including those arising from any deterioration in quality of our products from our vendors, or any other unforeseen events could adversely affect our reputation, our operations and our results from operations. Introduction of new products or for any other reason and failure on our part to meet their expectation could adversely affect our business, result of operations and financial condition. While, we believe that we have always introduced new products to cater to the growing demand of our customers and also endeavour regularly to update our products, our failure to anticipate or to respond adequately to changing market demands and/or consumer requirements could adversely affect our business and financial results.



#### 4. Our business is a high volume-low margin business.

Ours is a high-volume low margin business. Our inability to regularly grow our turnover and effectively execute our key business processes could lead to lower profitability and hence adversely affect our operating results, debt service capabilities and financial conditions. Due to the nature of the products, we sell, we may not be able to charge higher margins on our products. Hence, our business model is heavily reliant on our ability to effectively grow our turnover and manage our key processes including but not limited to procurement of raw material/ traded goods, timely sales / order execution and continuous cost control of non-core activities.

5. The agricultural products business is highly seasonal in our country and such seasonality may adversely affect the demand for our Fertilizers and Pesticides and also our operating results.

We are engaged in the manufacturing of Fertilizers and Pesticides Products. While fertilizers help in plant growth, pesticides work as a safeguard against pests. We have two major crop seasons in our country namely Rabi & Kharif. The demand for our product is affected by the crop season and therefore the demand for our fertilizer is highly seasonal in nature. Further, majority of the farmers depend on rain for cultivation. Generally, rainfall occurs during Kharif season and hence, the timing and seasonality of rainfall also impacts the business of our Company. Thus, we are subject to seasonal factors, which make our operating results relatively unpredictable.

We recognize revenues only upon the sale of our products. During period of lower sales, we continue to incur, substantial operating expenses, but our revenues remain usually lower. Due to inherent seasonality of our business, results of one reporting period may not be necessarily comparable with preceding or succeeding reporting periods.

Sometimes if there is slight change in timing of rainfall, the sales will get differed from one reporting period to the other reporting period. The sales that were supposed to take place during one financial year may get added to the sales of the next financial year and therefore results of even full financial year may not be necessarily comparable to the other financial year.

6. Our Company has manufacturing facilities located at At: Ivaya, Sanand Viramgam Highway, Taluka: Sanand, District: Ahmedabad – 382110. Any delay in production at, or shutdown of, or any interruption for a significant period of time, in this facility may in turn adversely affect our business, financial condition and results of operations.

Our Company has Present manufacturing facility at At: Ivaya, Sanand Viramgam Highway, Taluka: Sanand, District: Ahmedabad – 382110. Our success depends on our ability to successfully manufacture and deliver our products to meet our customer demand. Our manufacturing facility is susceptible to damage or interruption or operating risks, such as human error, power loss, breakdown or failure of equipment, power supply or processes, performance below expected levels of output or efficiency, obsolescence, loss of services of our external contractors, terrorist attacks, acts of war, break-ins, earthquakes, other natural disasters and industrial accidents and similar events. Operating risks may result in personal injury and property damage and in the imposition of civil and criminal penalties. If our Company experiences delays in production or shutdowns at any or all of these facilities due to any reason, including disruptions caused by disputes with its workforce or any external factors, our Company's operations will be significantly affected, which in turn would have a material adverse effect on its business, financial condition and results of operations.

7. We face competition in our business from domestic competitors. Such competition would have an adverse impact on our business and financial performance.

The industry, in which we are operating, is highly and increasingly competitive due to presence of many small-time players in unorganized sector. Our results of operations and financial condition are sensitive to, and may be materially adversely affected by, competitive pricing and other factors. Competition may result in pricing pressures, reduced profit margins or lost market share or a failure to grow our market share, any of which could substantially harm our business and results of operations. There can be no assurance that we can effectively compete with our competitors in the future, and any such failure to compete effectively may have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations.

8. Our industry is labour intensive and our business operations may be materially adversely affected by strikes, work stoppages or increased wage demands by our employees or those of our suppliers.

We believe that our industry faces competitive pressures in recruiting and retaining skilled and unskilled labour. Our industry being labour intensive is highly dependent on labour force for carrying out its manufacturing operations.



Shortage of skilled/unskilled personnel or work stoppages caused by disagreements with employees could have an adverse effect on our business and results of operations. Our Company has taken efforts to maintain a lower attrition among the labourers by facilitating them with various in-house facilities and benefits to our employees. India has stringent labour legislation that protects the interests of workers, including legislation that sets forth detailed procedures for the establishment of unions, dispute resolution and employee removal and legislation that imposes certain financial obligations on employers upon retrenchment. We are also subject to laws and regulations governing relationships with employees, in such areas as minimum wage and maximum working hours, overtime, working conditions, hiring and terminating of employees and work permits. Although our employees are not currently unionized, there can be no assurance that they will not unionize in the future. If our employees unionize, it may become difficult for us to maintain flexible labour policies, and we may face the threat of labour unrest, work stoppages and diversion of our management's attention due to union intervention, which may have a material adverse impact on our business, results of operations and financial condition.

### 9. Our operations may be adversely affected in case of industrial accidents at any of our production facilities.

Usage of heavy machinery, handling of materials by labour during production process or otherwise, lifting of materials by humans etc. may result in accidents, which could cause injury to our labour, employees, other persons on the site and could also damage our properties thereby affecting our operations. Though our plants and machinery and personnel are covered under insurance, occurrence of accidents could hamper our production and consequently affect our profitability.

# 10. Our business operations involve handling and storage of hazardous materials. Risks arising from the same may result in damages to life and property, as also exposure to litigations:

Our Company is engaged in manufacturing of fertilizers and Pesticide which require handling hazardous materials including explosive, toxic and combustible materials. We are also required to obtain several licenses and approvals for the storage and handling of such materials, which in turn impose several obligations and restrictions on our Company. If improperly handled or subjected to less than optimal conditions, these materials could harm employees and other persons, cause damage to life and to property and harm the environment. This in turn could subject our Company to significant penalties including closure of our manufacturing units and / or litigation which may have an adverse effect on our business and financial operations. For details of licenses and approvals obtained by our Company for the storage and handling of certain materials, please refer to the chapter titled "Government Approvals" beginning on page no. 108 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

# 11. The under-utilization of our manufacturing facilities may have a material effect on our results of operations and financial condition.

Our business and results of operations are dependent on our ability to effectively plan our manufacturing processes and on our ability to optimally utilize our manufacturing capacities for the various products we manufacture. Any disruption to our manufacturing process or the operation of our production facilities may result from various factors beyond our control, including, among others, the following:

- Utility supply disturbances, particularly power supply;
- Forced close down or suspension of our manufacturing facilities due to factors such as breakdown or failure of equipment, performance below expected levels of output or efficiency, facility obsolescence or disrepair, labour disputes such as strikes and work stoppages, natural disasters and industrial accidents;
- o Severe weather condition; and
- o Interruption of our information technology systems that facilitate the management of our manufacturing facilities.

Although our production facilities have not experienced any material disruption in the past, there can be no assurance that there will not be any material disruption to our operations in the future. If we fail to take adequate steps to mitigate the likelihood or potential impact of these events, or to effectively respond to these events if they occur, our business, results of operations and financial condition could be materially affected.

# 12. Our Company is dependent on third party transportation providers for the delivery of our goods and any disruption in their operations or a decrease in the quality of their services could affect our Company's reputation and results of operations.

Our Company uses third party transportation providers for delivery of our goods. Though our business has not experienced any disruptions due to transportation strikes in the past, any future transportation strikes may have an



adverse effect on our business. In addition, goods may be lost or damaged in transit for various reasons including occurrence of accidents or natural disasters. There may also be delay in delivery of products which may also affect our business and results of operation negatively. An increase in the freight costs or unavailability of freight for transportation of our raw materials may have an adverse effect on our business and results of operations.

Further, disruptions of transportation services due to weather-related problems, strikes, lock-outs, inadequacies in the road infrastructure, or other events could impair ability to procure raw materials on time. Any such disruptions could materially and adversely affect our business, financial condition and results of operations.

# 13. Our existing manufacturing operation is geographically located at one place. Hence, we may face the risk of geographical non-diversification of manufacturing facilities.

Although we exercise centralized control, being a single point manufacturing facility will prove to be disadvantageous at times because of any disruption on account of labour unrest, power failures, natural calamities, or civic unrest. Our operations will have to be stalled which will impact our production, delivery of goods and financial results.

# 14. We are dependent on various kinds of Supplier for the supply of raw materials, services and finished goods.

Our business is significantly affected by the availability, cost and quality of the raw materials and bought out items. The prices and supply of raw materials and bought out items depend on factors not under our control, including domestic and international general economic conditions, competition, availability of quality suppliers, production levels, transportation costs and import duties.

Although we may enter into back-to-back supplier contracts or provide for price contingencies in our contracts to limit our exposure, if, for any reason, our primary suppliers of raw materials and bought out items should curtail or discontinue their delivery of such materials to us in the quantities we need, provide us with raw materials and bought out items that do not meet our specifications, or at prices that are not competitive or not expected by us, our ability to meet our material requirements for our products could be impaired and our results of operations and business could suffer.

# 15. Our Company does not have any long-term contracts with suppliers, which may adversely affect our results of operations.

We are, to a major extent, dependent on external suppliers for our raw materials and fuel requirements and we do not have any long-term supply agreements or commitments in relation to the same or for any other raw materials used in our manufacturing process. There can be no assurance that there will not be a significant disruption in the supply of raw materials and fuel from current sources or, in the event of a disruption, that we would be able to locate alternative suppliers of materials of comparable quality on terms acceptable to us, or at all. Identifying a suitable supplier involves a process that requires us to become satisfied with their quality control, responsiveness and service, financial stability and labour and other ethical practices. Consequently, we are also exposed to price fluctuations in raw materials, and these fluctuations may adversely affect our ability to obtain orders and/or to execute them in a timely manner, which would have a material adverse effect on our business, results of operations and financial condition.

In case of non-availability of raw materials on favourable terms, we may have to procure the same at the terms and conditions prevalent at that point. This may result in reducing our revenues by a considerable amount due to shortage of raw material or due to inability to procure the same. Further, unfavourable terms of raw materials may also force us to reduce the scale of our operations resulting in a down-sizing of our overall business. We may have to put on hold any expansion plans and our future growth will be severely stunted. Any delay, interruption or increased cost in the supply arising from a lack of long-term contracts could have an adverse effect on our ability to meet customer demand for our products and result in lower revenue from operations both in the short and long term.

# 16. Our success depends largely upon the services of our Directors, Promoters and other Key Managerial Personnel and our ability to attract and retain them. Demand for Key Managerial Personnel in the industry is intense and our inability to attract and retain Key Managerial Personnel may affect the operations of our Company.

Our success is substantially dependent on the expertise and services of our Directors, Promoters and our Key Managerial Personnel. They provide expertise which enables us to make well informed decisions in relation to our business and our future prospects. Our future performance will depend upon the continued services of these persons. Demand for Key Managerial Personnel in the industry is intense. We cannot assure you that we will be able to retain any or all, or that our succession planning will help to replace, the key members of our management. The loss of the



services of such key members of our management team and the failure of any succession plans to replace such key members could have an adverse effect on our business and the results of our operations.

### 17. Our business depends on the availability of skilled and unskilled and our ability to attract and retain them.

Our business is substantially dependent on the availability of skilled and unskilled workers. Demand for these workers in our industry is intense and our ability to retain them may affect the operations of our company. We cannot assure you that we will be able to retain any or all. The failure of any succession plans to replace such workers could have an adverse effect on our business and the results of our operations.

# 18. We have not made any alternate arrangements for meeting our requirements for the Objects of the issue. Further we have not identified any alternate source of financing the "Objects of the Issue". Any shortfall in raising/meeting the same could adversely affect our growth plans, operations and financial performance.

As on date, we have not made any alternate arrangements for meeting our requirements for the objects of the issue. We meet our requirements through our bank finance, owned funds and internal accruals. Any shortfall in our net owned funds, internal accruals and our inability to raise debt in future would result in us being unable to meet our requirements, which in turn will negatively affect our financial condition and results of operations. Further we have not identified any alternate source of funding and hence any failure or delay on our part to raise money from this issue or any shortfall in the issue proceeds may delay the implementation schedule and could adversely affect our growth plans. For further details please refer to the chapter titled "Objects of the Issue" beginning on page no. 44 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

# 19. Conflicts of interest may arise out of common business undertaken by our Company, Promoters and our Group Company:

Our Group Companies, Sikko Trade Link Private Limited, Sikko Products Private Limited are also authorized to carry similar activities as those conducted by our Company. As a result, conflicts of interests may arise in allocating business opportunities amongst our Company, and our Group Companies in circumstances where our respective interests diverge. In cases of conflict, our Promoters may favour other companies in which our Promoters have interests. There can be no assurance that our Promoters or our Group Companies or members of the Promoter Group will not compete with our existing business or any future business that we may undertake or that their interests will not conflict with ours. Any such present and future conflicts could have a material adverse effect on our reputation, business, results of operations and financial condition.

### 20. Insurance coverage obtained by us may not adequately protect us against unforeseen losses.

We have maintained insurance coverage of our assets and accident policies. We believe that the insurance coverage maintained, would reasonably cover all normal risks associated with the operation of our business, however, there can be no assurance that any claim under the insurance policies maintained by us will be met fully, in part or on time. In the event we suffer loss or damage that is not covered by insurance or exceeds our insurance coverage, our results of operations and cash flow may be adversely affected.

# 21. Our Company had negative cash flow in recent fiscals, details of which are given below. Sustained negative cash flow could adversely impact our business, financial condition and results of operations.

The detailed break up of cash flows is summarized in below mentioned table and our Company has reported negative cash flow in certain financial years / period and which could affect our business and growth:

(₹ in Lakh)

Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2024	For the year ended on March 31, 2023	For the year ended on March 31, 2022
Net cash from (used in) Operating activities	221.48	(404.72)	636.40
Net cash from (used in) Investing activities	86.98	(195.24)	(61.08)
Net cash from (used in) Financing activities	(348.88)	628.32	(568.63)

Cash flow of a company is a key indicator to show the extent of cash generated from operations to meet its capital expenditure, pay dividends, repay loans and make new investments without raising finance from external resources. If we are not able to generate sufficient cash flow, it may adversely affect our business and financial operations.



However, For further details please refer to the section titled "Financial Statements" and chapter titled "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Conditions and Results of Operations" beginning on page no. 92 and page no. 96 respectively, of this Draft Letter of Offer.

22. We require certain statutory and regulatory approvals, registrations and licenses for our business & proposed premises and our inability to renew or maintain our statutory and regulatory permits and approvals required to operate our business would adversely affect our operations and profitability.

Our Company requires several statutory and regulatory permits, licenses and approvals to operate the business. Many of these approvals are granted for fixed periods of time and need renewal from time to time. Our Company is required to renew such permits, licenses and approvals. Further, we may require new registrations and approvals for any proposed operations, including any expansion of existing operations. While we believe that we will be able to renew or obtain such registrations and approvals, as and when required, there can be no assurance that the relevant authorities will issue any of such permits or approvals in time or at all. Further, these permits, licenses and approvals are subject to several conditions, and our Company cannot assure that it shall be able to continuously meet such conditions or be able to prove compliance with such conditions to statutory authorities, and this may lead to cancellation, revocation or suspension of relevant permits/ licenses/ approvals. Failure to obtain and renew such registrations and approvals within statutory time frame attracts penal provisions. Further, such non-compliance may result in proceedings against our Company and the Directors and such actions may directly and immediately affect our operations and may have a material adverse effect on our revenues, profits and operations. For details please refer to chapter titled "Government Approvals" beginning on page no. 108 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

23. We are subject to various laws and regulations relating to the handling and disposal of hazardous materials and wastes and bio-medical wastes. If we fail to comply with such laws and regulations, we can be subjected to prosecution, including imprisonment and fines or incur costs that could have a material adverse effect on the success of our business.

The Environmental Protection Act, 1986, as amended, the Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, as amended, the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, as amended and other regulations promulgated by the Ministry of Environment and Forest and various statutory and regulatory authorities and agencies in India regulate our handling of hazardous substances and bio-medical wastes.

We are required to obtain registrations from the relevant State Pollution Control Board to be able to handle and dispose hazardous and bio-medical wastes. We are also required to take a number of precautionary measures and follow prescribed practices in this regard. Our failure to comply with these laws could result in us being prosecuted, including our directors and officers responsible for compliance being subjected to imprisonment and fines. We may also be liable for damage caused to the environment. Any such action could adversely affect our business and financial condition.

24. Any loss of or breakdown of operations at any of our operational facilities may have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations.

Our operational facilities are subject to operating risks, such as the breakdown or failure of equipment, power supply or processes, performance below expected levels of output or efficiency, obsolescence, labour disputes, natural disasters, accidents and the need to comply with the directives of relevant government authorities. The occurrence of any of these risks could significantly affect our operating results.

25. Changes in technology may impact our business by making our products less competitive or obsolete or require us to incur additional capital expenditures.

Our future success will depend in part on our ability to respond to technological advances and emerging industry standards and practices on a cost-effective and timely basis. Changes in technology may make newer products more competitive than ours or may require us to incur additional capital expenditures to upgrade our technology, innovations, research and development facilities in order to provide newer products. If we are unable to adapt our technology in a timely manner to changing market conditions, client requirements or technological changes, our business, financial performance and the results of operations could be affected.

26. Our actual results could differ from the estimates and projections used to prepare our financial statements.

The estimates and projections are based on and reflect our current expectations, assumptions and/ or projections as well as our perception of historical trends and current conditions, as well as other factors that we believe are appropriate



and reasonable under the circumstances. There can be no assurance that our expectations, estimates, assumptions and/or projections, including with respect to the future earnings and performance will prove to be correct or that any of our expectations, estimates or projections will be achieved.

# 27. Our ability to pay dividends in the future will depend upon our future earnings, financial condition, cash flows, working capital requirements, capital expenditure and restrictive covenants in our financing arrangements.

We may retain all our future earnings, if any, for use in the operations and expansion of our business. As a result, we may not declare dividends in the foreseeable future. Any future determination as to the declaration and payment of dividends will be at the discretion of our Board of Directors and will depend on factors that our Board of Directors deem relevant, including among others, our results of operations, financial condition, cash requirements, business prospects and any other financing arrangements. Additionally, under some of our loan agreements, we may not be permitted to declare any dividends, if there is a default under such loan agreements or unless our Company has paid all the dues to the lender up to the date on which the dividend is declared or paid or has made satisfactory provisions thereof. Accordingly, realization of a gain on shareholders investments may largely depend upon the appreciation of the price of our Equity Shares. There can be no assurance that our Equity Shares will appreciate in value. For details of our dividend history, see "Dividend Policy" on page no. 91 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

# 28. There are outstanding legal proceedings involving our Company, Promoters and Directors. Any adverse decision in such proceedings may have a material adverse effect on our business, results of operations and financial condition.

We are involved in certain legal proceedings which are pending at different levels of adjudication before various courts, tribunals, enquiry officers, and appellate authorities. We cannot provide assurance that these legal proceedings will be decided in our favour. Any adverse decisions in any of the proceedings may have a significant adverse effect on our business, results of operations, cash flows and financial condition.

A summary of the pending civil and other proceedings involving our Company, Promoters and Directors are provided below:

Nature of Cases	Number of Cases	Amount Involved (₹ in Lakh)			
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Litigation based on Materiality Policy of our Company	-	-			
Directors other than Promoters					
Direct and Indirect Tax					
E-Proceedings	-	-			
Proceedings	-	-			
Criminal Proceedings	-	-			
Litigation based on Materiality Policy of our Company	-	-			
Promoters					
Direct and Indirect Tax					
E-Proceedings	-	-			
Proceedings	-	-			
Criminal Proceedings	-	-			
Litigation based on Materiality Policy of our Company	-	-			
Group Companies					
Direct and Indirect Tax					
E-Proceedings	-	-			
Proceedings	-	-			
Criminal Proceedings	-	-			
Litigation based on Materiality Policy of our Company	-	-			

<sup>\*</sup> All Criminal proceedings are initiated by the Company against total 146 various parties / individuals under the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 for recovery of dues.



For further details of litigation proceedings, please refer the chapter titled "Outstanding Litigations and Material Developments" on page 104 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

29. We are a listed company and are required to comply with rules and regulations imposed by the Stock Exchanges and SEBI with respect to continuous listing and the Companies Act. Any failure to comply with such rules and regulations or any wrong disclosure made to the Stock Exchange or any statutory authority could result in penalties being imposed on us, which may adversely affect our business and operations.

As a listed company, we are required to comply with certain conditions for continuous listing under the SEBI Listing Regulations and other rules and regulations imposed by SEBI, which require us to make certain periodic disclosures, including disclosures about any material events or occurrences with respect to our Company, disclosure of our financial statements and disclosure of our updated shareholding pattern. There have been instances in the past wherein, our Company has failed to comply with the requirements of the SEBI Listing Regulations in a timely manner, the details of the same have been provided below:

S. No.	Non-Compliance	Fine/ penalty levied (in ₹)*	Name of Stock Exchange	Date of payment of fine	Status of Compliance as on date
1.	Non-Completion of Bonus Issue within 60	70,800.00	NSE	November	Complied
	days from September 9, 2022			10, 2022	with

<sup>\*</sup> Inclusive of GST

Our Company endeavors to comply with all such obligations/reporting requirements, there may be nondisclosures / delayed / erroneous disclosures and/or any other violations which might have been committed by us, and the same may result into Stock Exchanges and/or SEBI imposing penalties, issuing warnings and show cause notices against us and/or taking actions as provided under the SEBI Act and Rules and Regulations made there under and applicable SEBI Circulars. Any such adverse regulatory action or development could affect our business reputation, divert management attention, and result in a material adverse effect on our business prospects and financial performance and on the trading price of the Equity Shares.

Moreover, though at present, we are in compliance with rules and regulations imposed by the NSE and SEBI with respect to continuous listing, any failure to comply with such rules and regulations could result in penalties being imposed on us, which may adversely affect our business and operations.

30. As on the date of this Draft Letter of Offer, no investor complaint is outstanding on SCORES.

As on the date of this Draft Letter of Offer, no investor complaint is outstanding on SCORES. But there is no assurance that in future the Company will be able to resolve each and every investor complaint received on SCORES. For detailed information of the no. of Investor Complaints received and resolved by the Company, kindly refer to page 102 of this Draft letter of letter.

31. There is no monitoring agency appointed by our Company and the deployment of funds are at the discretion of our Management and our Board of Directors, though it shall be monitored by the Audit Committee.

As per SEBI (ICDR) Regulations, 2018 appointment of monitoring agency is required only for Issue size above ₹ 10,000 Lacs. Hence, we have not appointed a monitoring agency to monitor the utilization of Issue proceeds. However, the audit committee of our Board will monitor the utilization of Issue proceeds. Further, our Company shall inform about material deviations in the utilization of Issue proceeds to the NSE and shall also simultaneously make the material deviations / adverse comments of the audit committee public.

32. We may not be successful in implementing our business and growth strategies.

The success of our business depends substantially on our ability to implement our business and growth strategies effectively. Even though we have successfully executed our business strategies in the past, there is no guarantee that we can implement the same on time and within the estimated budget going forward, or that we will be able to meet the expectations of our targeted customers. Changes in regulations applicable to us may also make it difficult to implement our business strategies. Further, our growth strategies could place significant demand on our management team and other resources and would require us to continuously develop and improve our operational, financial and other controls,



none of which can be assured. Failure to implement our business and growth strategies would have a material adverse effect on our business and results of operations.

33. Delay in raising funds from the Right issue could adversely impact the implementation schedule.

The proposed expansion, as detailed in the section titled "Objects of the Issue" is to be funded from the proceeds of this Issue. We have not identified any alternate source of funding and hence any failure or delay on our part to mobilize the required resources or any shortfall in the Issue proceeds may delay the implementation schedule. We therefore, cannot assure that we would be able to execute the expansion process within the given time frame, or within the costs as originally estimated by us. Any time overrun or cost overrun may adversely affect our growth plans and profitability.

34. The Objects of the Issue for which funds are being raised, are based on our management estimates and any bank or financial institution or any independent agency has not appraised the same. The deployment of funds in the project is entirely at our discretion, based on the parameters as mentioned in the chapter titles "Objects of the Issue.

The fund requirement and deployment, as mentioned in the "Objects of the Issue" on page 44 of this Letter of Offer is based on the estimates of our management and has not been appraised by any bank or financial institution or any other independent agency. These fund requirements are based on our current business plan. We cannot assure that the current business plan will be implemented in its entirety or at all. In view of the highly competitive and dynamic nature of our business, we may have to revise our business plan from time to time and consequently these fund requirements. Our Board of Directors along with the Audit Committee will monitor the utilisation of Issue proceeds and shall have the flexibility in applying the proceeds of this Issue. However, the management of our Company shall not have the power to alter the objects of this Issue except with the approval of the Shareholders of the Company given by way of a special resolution in a general meeting, in the manner specified in Section 27 of the Companies Act, 2013. Additionally, the dissenting shareholders being those shareholders who have not agreed to the proposal to vary the objects of this Issue, our Promoters shall provide them with an opportunity to exit at such price, and in such manner and conditions as may be specified by the SEBI, in respect to the same. We hereby confirm and undertake that the deployment of funds will be done in compliance with all applicable laws.

35. Our future fund requirements, in the form of further issue of capital or securities may be prejudicial to the interest of the Shareholders depending upon the terms on which they are eventually raised.

We may require additional capital from time to time depending on our business needs. Any further issue of Equity Shares or convertible securities would dilute the shareholding of the existing Shareholders and such issuance may be done on terms and conditions, which may not be favourable to the then existing Shareholders. If such funds are raised in the form of loans or debt or preference shares, then it may substantially increase our fixed interest/dividend burden and decrease our cash flows, thus adversely affecting our business, results of operations and financial condition.

# ISSUE RELATED RISK

36. Failure to exercise or sell the Rights Entitlements will cause the Rights Entitlements to lapse without compensation and result in a dilution of Investor's shareholding.

The Rights Entitlements that are not exercised prior to the end of the Closing Date will expire and become null and void, and Eligible Equity Shareholders will not receive any consideration for them. The proportionate ownership and voting interest in our Company of Eligible Equity Shareholders who fail (or are not able) to exercise their Rights Entitlements will be diluted pursuant to increase in paid up share capital. Even if you elect to sell your unexercised Rights Entitlements, the consideration you receive for them may not be sufficient to fully compensate you for the dilution of your percentage ownership of the equity share capital of our Company that may be caused as a result of the Rights Issue. Renouncees may not be able to apply in case of failure in completion of renunciation through off-market transfer in such a manner that the Rights Entitlements are credited to the Demat Account of the Renouncees prior to the Issue Closing Date. Further, in case, the Rights Entitlements do not get credited in time, in case of On Market Renunciation, such Renouncee will not be able to apply in this Rights Issue with respect to such Rights Entitlements.

37. You may not receive the Equity Shares that you subscribe in the Issue until fifteen days after the date on which this Issue closes, which will subject you to market risk.

The Equity Shares that you subscribe in the Issue may not be credited to your demat account with the depository participants until approximately 15 days from the Issue Closing Date. You can start trading such Equity Shares only after receipt of the listing and trading approval in respect thereof. There can be no assurance that the Equity Shares



allocated to you will be credited to your demat account, or that trading in the Equity Shares will commence within the specified time period, subjecting you to market risk for such period.

38. There is no guarantee that our Equity Shares will be listed in a timely manner or at all which may adversely affect the trading price of our Equity Shares.

In accordance with Indian law and practice, final approval for listing and trading of the Equity Shares will not be granted by the Stock Exchanges until after those Equity Shares have been issued and allotted. Approval will require all relevant documents authorizing the issuing of Equity Shares to be submitted. There could be a failure or delay in listing the Equity Shares on Stock Exchanges. Any failure or delay in obtaining the approval would restrict your ability to dispose of your Equity Shares. Further, historical trading prices, therefore, may not be indicative of the prices at which the Equity Shares will trade in the future which may adversely impact the ability of our shareholders to sell the Equity Shares or the price at which shareholders may be able to sell their Equity Shares at that point of time.

39. The Issue Price of our Right Equity Shares may not be indicative of the market price of our Equity Shares after the Issue.

The market price of the Equity Shares could be subject to significant fluctuations after the Issue, and may decline below the Issue Price. There can be no assurance that the Investors will be able to sell their Equity Shares at or above the Issue Price. The factors that could affect our share price are:

- (a) quarterly variations in the rate of growth of our financial indicators such as earnings per share;
- (b) changes in revenue or earnings estimates or publication of research reports by analysts;
- (c) speculation in the press or investment community;
- (d) general market conditions; and
- (e) domestic and international economic, legal and regulatory factors unrelated to our performance.

### **EXTERNAL RISK FACTORS:**

40. The COVID-19 pandemic, or any future pandemic or widespread public health emergency, could materially and adversely impact our business, financial condition, cash flows and results of operations.

Since first being reported in December 2019, the outbreak of COVID-19 has spread globally. The World Health Organization declared the outbreak of COVID-19 to be a public health emergency of international concern on January 30, 2020, and a global pandemic on March 11, 2020.

The COVID-19 pandemic has had, and any future pandemic or widespread public health emergency could have, repercussions across regional and global economies and financial markets. The outbreak of COVID-19 in many countries, including India has significantly and adversely impacted economic activity and has contributed to significant volatility and negative pressure in financial markets, and it is possible that the outbreak of COVID-19 will cause a prolonged global economic crisis, recession or depression, despite monetary and fiscal interventions by governments and central banks globally.

The global impact of the outbreak has been rapidly evolving. As cases of COVID-19 have continued to be identified in additional countries, many jurisdictions, including the governments of India, have reacted by instituting restrictive measures including invoking lock downs and quarantines, requiring the closure of non-essential businesses and placing restrictions on the types of businesses that may continue to operate, mandating restrictions on travel, implementing "shelter-in-place" rules and "stay-at-home" orders, and enforcing remote working regulations.

There can be no assurance that there will not be any material impact on our operations if the outbreak of COVID-19 is not effectively controlled. Further, there can be no assurance that further restrictions will not be introduced. Further, we may be required to quarantine employees that are suspected of being infected of COVID-19, as well as others that have come into contact with those employees or shut down our manufacturing facilities as a health measure, which could have an adverse effect on our business operations or result in a delay in the production and supply of products to our customers in a timely manner. If any of our suppliers are affected by COVID-19 to the extent our supply chain is disrupted, this may affect our ability to meet the demand of our customers.

The full extent to which the COVID-19 pandemic, or any future pandemic or widespread public health emergency impacts our business, operations and financial results will depend on numerous evolving factors that we may not be able to accurately predict, including the scope, severity, and duration of the pandemic; actions taken by governments,



business and individuals in response to the pandemic; the effect on customer demand for and ability to pay for our products; the disruptions or restrictions on our employees' and suppliers' ability to work and travel; volatility in foreign exchange rates; any extended period of remote work arrangements; and strain on our or our customers' business continuity plans, and resultant operational risk.

The COVID-19 pandemic, or any future pandemic or widespread public health emergency could therefore materially and adversely impact our business, financial condition, cash flows and results of operations.

# 41. Changes in government regulations or their implementation could disrupt our operations and adversely affect our business and results of operations.

Our business and industry is regulated by different laws, rules and regulations framed by the Central and State Government. These regulations can be amended/ changed on a short notice at the discretion of the Government. If we fail to comply with all applicable regulations or if the regulations governing our business or their implementation change adversely, we may incur increased costs or be subject to penalties, which could disrupt our operations and adversely affect our business and results of operations.

# 42. Political instability or a change in economic liberalization and deregulation policies could seriously harm business and economic conditions in India generally and our business in particular.

The Government of India has traditionally exercised and continues to exercise influence over many aspects of the economy. Our business and the market price and liquidity of our Equity Shares may be affected by interest rates, changes in Government policy, taxation, social and civil unrest and other political, economic or other developments in or affecting India. The rate of economic liberalization could change, and specific laws and policies affecting the information technology sector, foreign investment and other matters affecting investment in our securities could change as well. Any significant change in such liberalization and deregulation policies could adversely affect business and economic conditions in India, generally, and our business, prospects, financial condition and results of operations, in particular.

### 43. Conditions in the Indian securities market may affect the price or liquidity of our Equity Shares.

The Indian securities markets are smaller than securities markets in more developed economies and the regulation and monitoring of Indian securities markets and the activities of investors, brokers and other participants differ, in some cases significantly, from those in the more developed economies. Indian stock exchanges have in the past experienced substantial fluctuations in the prices of listed securities. Further, the Indian stock exchanges have experienced volatility in the recent times. The Indian stock exchanges have also experienced problems that have affected the market price and liquidity of the securities of Indian companies, such as temporary exchange closures, broker defaults, settlement delays and strikes by brokers. In addition, the governing bodies of the Indian stock exchanges have from time to time restricted securities from trading and limited price movements. A closure of, or trading stoppage on the Emerge Platform of National Stock Exchange of India Limited could adversely affect the trading price of the Equity Shares.

# 44. Global economic, political and social conditions may harm our ability to do business, increase our costs and negatively affect our stock price.

Global economic and political factors that are beyond our control, influence forecasts and directly affect performance. These factors include interest rates, rates of economic growth, fiscal and monetary policies of governments, inflation, deflation, foreign exchange fluctuations, consumer credit availability, fluctuations in commodities markets, consumer debt levels, unemployment trends and other matters that influence consumer confidence, spending and tourism. Increasing volatility in financial markets may cause these factors to change with a greater degree of frequency and magnitude, which may negatively affect our stock prices.

# 45. Foreign investors are subject to foreign investment restrictions under Indian law that limits our ability to attract foreign investors, which may adversely impact the market price of the Equity Shares.

Under the foreign exchange regulations currently in force in India, transfers of shares between non-residents and residents are freely permitted (subject to certain exceptions) if they comply with the pricing guidelines and reporting requirements specified by the RBI. If the transfer of shares, which are sought to be transferred, is not in compliance with such pricing guidelines or reporting requirements or fall under any of the exceptions referred to above, then the prior approval of the RBI will be required. Additionally, shareholders who seek to convert the Rupee proceeds from a sale of shares in India into foreign currency and repatriate that foreign currency from India will require a no objection/



tax clearance certificate from the income tax authority. There can be no assurance that any approval required from the RBI or any other government agency can be obtained on any particular terms or at all.

# 46. The extent and reliability of Indian infrastructure could adversely affect our Company's results of operations and financial condition.

India's physical infrastructure is in developing phase compared to that of many developed nations. Any congestion or disruption in its port, rail and road networks, electricity grid, communication systems or any other public facility could disrupt our Company's normal business activity. Any deterioration of India's physical infrastructure would harm the national economy; disrupt the transportation of goods and supplies, and costs to doing business in India. These problems could interrupt our Company's business operations, which could have an adverse effect on its results of operations and financial condition.

### 47. Any downgrading of India's sovereign rating by an independent agency may harm our ability to raise financing.

Any adverse revisions to India's credit ratings for domestic and international debt by international rating agencies may adversely impact our ability to raise additional financing, and the interest rates and other commercial terms at which such additional financing may be available. This could have an adverse effect on our business and future financial performance, our ability to obtain financing for capital expenditures and the trading price of our Equity Shares.

# 48. Natural calamities could have a negative impact on the Indian economy and cause our Company's business to suffer.

India has experienced natural calamities such as earthquakes, tsunami, floods etc. In recent years, the extent and severity of these natural disasters determine their impact on the Indian economy. Prolonged spells of abnormal rainfall or other natural calamities could have a negative impact on the Indian economy, which could adversely affect our business, prospects, financial condition and results of operations as well as the price of the Equity Shares.

# 49. Terrorist attacks, civil unrests and other acts of violence or war involving India or other countries could adversely affect the financial markets, our business, financial condition and the price of our Equity Shares.

Any major hostilities involving India or other acts of violence, including civil unrest or similar events that are beyond our control, could have a material adverse effect on India's economy and our business. Incidents such as the terrorist attacks, other incidents such as those in US, Indonesia, Madrid and London, and other acts of violence may adversely affect the Indian stock markets where our Equity Shares will trade the global equity markets as well generally. Such acts could negatively impact business sentiment as well as trade between countries, which could adversely affect our Company's business and profitability. Additionally, such events could have a material adverse effect on the market for securities of Indian companies, including the Equity Shares.



# SECTION IV – INTRODUCTION

# THE ISSUE

This Issue has been authorized through a resolution passed by our Board at its meeting held on May 30, 2024 pursuant to Section 62(1)(a) of the Companies Act. Further, our Board has, vide its resolution dated [●], decided the ratio, issue price, issue size etc., which are detailed below.

The following is a summary of this Issue and should be read in conjunction with and is qualified entirely by the information detailed in the chapter titled "*Terms of the Issue*" on page 128 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

Particulars	<b>Details of Equity Shares</b>		
Equity Shares proposed to be issued	Up to [●] Equity Shares		
Rights Entitlement	[●] Equity Share for every [●] fully paid-up Equity Share held on the Record Date		
Fractional Entitlement	The Rights Equity Shares are being offered on a rights basis to existing Eligible Public Equity Shareholders in the ratio of [•] Rights Equity Shares for every [•] fully paid-up Equity Shares held as on the Record Date. As per ASBA Circular the fractional entitlements are to be ignored. Accordingly, if the shareholding of any of the Eligible Equity Shareholders is less than [•] Equity Shares or is not in the multiple of [•] Equity Shares, the fractional entitlements of such Eligible Equity Shareholders shall be ignored by rounding down of their Rights Entitlements.		
	However, the Eligible Equity Shareholders whose fractional entitlements are being ignored, will be given preferential consideration for the Allotment of one additional Rights Equity Share if they apply for additional Rights Equity Shares over and above their Rights Entitlements, if any, subject to availability of Rights Equity Shares in this Issue post allocation towards Rights Entitlements applied for.		
Record date	[●]		
Face Value per Equity Shares	₹ 10.00 each		
Issue Price per Rights Equity Shares	₹ [•] per Rights Equity Shares		
Issue Size  Voting Rights and Dividend	Up to [•] Equity Shares of face value of ₹ 10.00 each for cash at a price of ₹ [•] (Including a premium of ₹ [•]) per Rights Equity Share not exceeding an amount of ₹ 4,950.00 Lakhs.  The Equity Shares issued pursuant to this Issue shall rank pari		
	passu in all respects with the Equity Shares of our Company.		
Equity Shares issued, subscribed and paid up prior to the Issue	16800000 Equity Shares		
Equity Shares subscribed and paid-up after the Issue (assuming full subscription for and allotment of the Rights Entitlement)	[•] Equity Shares		
Equity Shares outstanding after the Issue (assuming full subscription for and Allotment of the Rights Entitlement)	[•] Equity Shares		
Scrip Details	ISIN: INE112X01017 NSE: SIKKO ISIN for Rights Entitlement: [●]		
Use of Issue Proceeds	For details, please refer to the chapter titled "Objects of the Issue" on page 44 of this Letter of Offer.		
Terms of the Issue	For details, please refer to the chapter titled "Terms of the Issue" on page 128 of this Letter of Offer.		
Terms of Payment	The full amount of the Issue Price is payable on Application		



# **Issue Schedule**

The subscription will open upon the commencement of the banking hours and will close upon the close of banking hours on the dates mentioned below:

Event	Indicative Date	
Issue Opening Date	[•]	
Last Date for On Market Renunciation of Rights*	[•]	
Issue Closing Date**	[•]	

<sup>\*</sup> Eligible Equity Shareholders are requested to ensure that renunciation through off-market transfer is completed in such a manner that the Rights Entitlements are credited to the demat account of the Renouncee(s) on or prior to the Issue Closing Date.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Our Board or a Rights Issue Committee thereof will have the right to extend the Issue period as it may determine from time to time but not exceeding 30 (thirty) days from the Issue Opening Date (inclusive of the Issue Opening Date). Further, no withdrawal of Application shall be permitted by any Applicant after the Issue Closing Date.



# **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Our Company was originally incorporated as "Sikko Sprayers Private Limited" on February 08, 2000 under the provisions of Companies Act, 1956 vide certificate of Incorporation issued by Deputy Registrar of Companies, Gujarat, Dadra and Nagar Haveli at Ahmedabad. Consequent up on the conversion of our Company into public limited company, the name of our Company was changed to "Sikko Sprayers Limited" vide fresh certificate of incorporation dated March 16, 2010 issued by the Assistant Registrar of Companies, Gujarat, Dadra and Nagar Haveli. Subsequently the name of our company was changed to "Sikko Industries Limited" and Fresh certificate of Incorporation pursuant to change of name was issued by Assistant Registrar of Companies, Gujarat and Dadra Nagar Haveli on March 17, 2010. The Corporate Identification Number of our Company is L51909GJ2000PLC037329.

# REGISTERED OFFICE OF OUR COMPANY

#### SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED

508, Iscon Eligance, Nr. Jain Temple Nr. Prahladnagar Pick up Stand, Vejalpur, Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India, 380051

Tel: +91 79 6616 8950 / 51

Email: <a href="mailto:compliance@sikkoindia.com">compliance@sikkoindia.com</a>; Website: <a href="www.sikkoindia.com">www.sikkoindia.com</a>; Corporate Identification Number: L51909GJ2000PLC037329

Company Secretary and Compliance Officer: Mr. Dhruvitkumar Mandliya

# REGISTRAR OF COMPANIES

#### REGISTRAR OF COMPANIES, AHMEDABAD

ROC Bhavan, Opp. Rupal Park Society, Behind Ankur Bus Stop, Naranpura, Ahmedabad – 380 013, Gujarat.

Telephone Number- 079-27438531 Email Id-roc.ahmedabad@mca.gov.in

# DETAILS OF CHANGE IN REGISTERED OFFICE

The Registered Office of our company was originally situated at 6/135, Nityanand Nagar No 4, Swami Nityanand Road, Andheri East, Mumbai- 400069, Maharashtra, India. Thereafter, the registered office of our company was changed to the following address:

Date of Change	New Address
On Incorporation	17, Karnavati Estate, Nr. Bhagyodaya Hotel, Sanand Road, Sarkhej, Ahmedabad – 382 210.
November 20, 2001	312, Ashram Avenue, B/h Kocharab Ashram, Palidi Char Rasta, Ellisbridge, Ahmedabad – 380 006.
November 1, 2005	310-311, Circle-P Vejalpur, S G Highway, Ahmedabad – 380 051.
December 1, 2011	508, Iscon Elegance, Nr. Jain Temple Nr. Prahladnagar Pick up Stand, Vejalpur, Ahmedabad – 380 051

# **BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF OUR COMPANY**

Set forth below are the details of our Board of Directors as on the date of this Draft Letter of Offer:

NAME	AGE	DIN	DESINGAITON	ADDRESS
Mr. Ghanshyam	60 years	00587855	Chairperson & Whole-	F 67/47, Sterling City, Nr Prakruti
Mohanbhai			time director	Bunglow, Bopal, Daskroi, Ahmedabad,
Kumbhani				Gujarat - 380 058, India
Mr. Jayantibhai	58 years	00587807	Managing Director	8, Pooja Bungalows, Opp. Govt,
Mohanbhai				Tubewell, Bopal, Ahmedabad, Gujarat -
Kumbhani				380058, India
Mrs. Alpaben	50 Years	00587848	Executive Director	8, Pooja Bunglows, Opp. Govt Tubewell,
Jayantibhai				B/H Vanza Hospital, Bopal, Ahmedabad,
Kumbhani				Gujarat – 380 058, India
Mrs. Mamtaben	43 years	07732851	Independent Director	C-14, Parikrama Flat, Bopal,
Hiteshbhai Thumbar				Ahmedabad, Gujarat – 380 058, India
Mr. Hasmukh	51 years	07807509	Independent Director	16, Puja Appartment, Nadan Park, Bopal,
Veljibhai Vavaiya				Ahmedabad, Gujarat - 380 058, India



NAME	AGE	DIN	DESINGAITON	ADDRESS
Mr. Ashvinkumar	29 years	10198672	Independent Director	Block-E-501, Ishvar Icon, Nikol Road
Ramnikbhai				Opp Sunrise Park, Nr. Jivan Twin
Trapasiya				Bunglows, Jivanvadi, Ahmedabad,
				Gujarat – 382 350, India

For detailed profile of our directors, please refer to the chapter titled "Our Management" on page 80 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

# COMPANY SECRETARY AND COMPLIANCE OFFICER

Mr. Dhruvitkumar Mandliya, Company Secretary and Compliance Officer of our Company. Her contact details are set forth hereunder.

# SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED

508, Iscon Eligance, Nr. Jain Temple Nr. Prahladnagar Pick up Stand, Vejalpur, Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India, 380051

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# REGISTRAR TO THE ISSUE

# PURVA SHAREGISTRY (INDIA) PRIVATE LIMITED

Address: Unit No. 9, Ground Floor, Shiv Shakti Industrial Estate, J. R. Boricha Marg, Lower Parel

(East), Mumbai – 400011, Maharashtra, India; **Contact Number:** 022 4961 4132 / 3522 0056;

Website: www.purvashare.com;

Investor Greivances E-Mail Address: newissue@purvashare.com;

E-mail Address: Support@purvashare.com Contact Person: Ms. Deepali Dhuri;

**SEBI Registration Number:** INR000001112;

Validity of Registration: Permanent.

# ADVISOR TO THE ISSUE

# ALAP & CO. LLP

Address: 416, 4th Floor, Shreenathji Staff Co. Op. Soc. Ltd, Pushpam Complex, Opp. Seema Hall, 100 feet Ring Road,

Satellite Jodhpur Char Rasta, Ahmedabad, Ahmadabad City, Gujarat, India, 380015

Tel: +91 79 3578 9144:

E-mail ID: csanandlavingia@gmail.com Contact Person: Mr. Anand Lavingia

# STATUTORY AND PEER REVIEW AUDITOR OF OUR COMPANY

# M/s. D G M S & CO.,

Address: 217/218/219, Manek Centre, P.N. Marg, Jamnagar – 361008.

Peer Review Number: 014466

Firm Registration Number: 0112187W Contact Person: CA Shashank P. Doshi Membership Number: 108456 Contact Number: 0288-2661942 E-mail ID: dgmsco.jam@gmail.com

# BANKERS TO THE ISSUE/ REFUND BANK

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# **Self-Certified Syndicate Banks**

The list of banks that have been notified by SEBI to act as SCSBs for the ASBA process is provided at the website of the SEBI <a href="https://www.sebi.gov.in/sebiweb/other/OtherAction.do?doRecognised=yes">https://www.sebi.gov.in/sebiweb/other/OtherAction.do?doRecognised=yes</a> and updated from time to time. For



details on Designated Branches of SCSBs collecting the Application Forms, refer to the website of the SEBI <a href="https://www.sebi.gov.in/sebiweb/other/OtherAction.do?doRecognised=yes">https://www.sebi.gov.in/sebiweb/other/OtherAction.do?doRecognised=yes</a>. On Allotment, the amount will be unblocked and the account will be debited only to the extent required to pay for the Rights Equity Shares Allotted.

# **Inter-se Allocation of Responsibilities**

The Company is not required to appoint any Lead Manager. Hence a statement of inter se allocation of responsibilities is not required. However, all the responsibilities related to this issue is of the Company.

# **Investor grievances**

Investors may contact the Company Secretary and Compliance Officer for any pre-Issue/ post-Issue related matters such as non-receipt of Letters of Allotment/ share certificates/ demat credit/ Refund Orders, etc.

Investors are advised to contact the Registrar to the Issue or our Company Secretary and Compliance Officer for any pre-Issue or post-Issue related problems such as non-receipt of Abridged Letter of Offer/ Application Form and Rights Entitlement Letter/ Letter of Allotment, Split Application Forms, Share Certificate(s) or Refund Orders, etc. All grievances relating to the ASBA process may be addressed to the Registrar to the Issue, with a copy to the SCSBs, giving full details such as name, address of the applicant, ASBA Account number and the Designated Branch of the SCSBs, number of Equity Shares applied for, amount blocked, where the Application Form and Rights Entitlement Letter or the plain paper application, in case of Eligible Equity Shareholder, was submitted by the ASBA Investors through ASBA process.

#### **Credit Rating**

As this is an Issue of Equity Shares, credit rating is not required.

### **Debenture Trustees**

As the Issue is of Equity Shares, the appointment of Debenture trustees is not required.

# **Monitoring Agency**

As the net proceeds of the Issue will be less than ₹ 10,000 lakhs, under the SEBI ICDR Regulations, it is not required that a monitoring agency be appointed by our Company.

#### **Filing**

The size of this Issue falls below this threshold, the Draft Letter of Offer has been filed with the Stock Exchanges and not with SEBI. However, this Draft Letter of Offer will be submitted with SEBI for information and dissemination and will be filed with the Stock Exchanges.

#### **Underwriting Agreement**

This Issue is not underwritten and our Company has not entered into any underwriting arrangement.

# Changes in Auditors during the last three years

There has been no change in the statutory auditors of our Company during the three years immediately preceding the date of this Draft Letter of Offer.

# **Minimum Subscription**

In accordance with Regulation 86 of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, for this Issue the minimum subscription which is required to be achieved is of at least 90% of the Issue. Our Company does not fall under the exemption to Regulation 86(1) which has been inserted by the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) (Fourth Amendment) Regulations, 2020.

In accordance with Regulation 86 of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, if our Company does not receive the minimum subscription of 90% of the Issue Size, our Company shall refund the entire subscription amount received within 4 (four) days from the Issue Closing Date in accordance with SEBI circular bearing reference number



SEBI/HO/CFD/DIL1/CIR/P/2021/47 dated March 31, 2021. If there is any delay in the refund of the subscription amount beyond such period as prescribed by applicable laws, our Company and Directors who are "officers in defaults" shall pay interest for the delayed period, at such rates as prescribed under the applicable laws.

#### **EXPERTS**

Except for the reports of the Auditor of our Company on the audited Financial Information and Statement of Tax Benefits, included in the Draft Letter of Offer, our Company has not obtained any expert opinions.

# **ISSUE SCHEDULE:**

Event	Indicative Date
Issue Opening Date	[•]
Last Date for On Market Renunciation of Rights*	[•]
Issue Closing Date**	[•]
Finalizing the basis of allotment with the Designated Stock Exchange (on or about)	[•]
Date of Allotment (on or about)	[•]
Date of credit (on or about)	[•]
Date of listing (on or about)	[•]

<sup>\*</sup> Eligible Equity Shareholders are requested to ensure that renunciation through off-market transfer is completed in such a manner that the Rights Entitlements are credited to the demat account of the Renouncee(s) on or prior to the Issue Closing Date

Please note that if Eligible Equity Shareholders holding Equity Shares in physical form as on Record Date, have not provided the details of their demat accounts to our Company or to the Registrar, they are required to provide their demat account details to our Company or the Registrar not later than two Working Days prior to the Issue Closing Date, i.e., [•] to enable the credit of the Rights Entitlements by way of transfer from the demat suspense escrow account to their respective demat accounts, at least one day before the Issue Closing Date, i.e., [•].

Investors are advised to ensure that the Application Forms are submitted on or before the Issue Closing Date. Our Company or the Registrar will not be liable for any loss on account of non-submission of Application Forms on or before the Issue Closing Date. For details on submitting Application Forms, see "Terms of the Issue - Process of making an Application in the Issue" beginning on page 128 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

The details of the Rights Entitlements with respect to each Eligible Equity Shareholders can be accessed by such respective Eligible Equity Shareholders on the website of the Registrar at <a href="https://www.purvashare.com">www.purvashare.com</a> after keying in their respective details along with other security control measures implemented thereat. For further details, see "Terms of the Issue - Credit of Rights Entitlements in demat accounts of Eligible Equity Shareholders" beginning on page 128 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

Please note that if no Application is made by the Eligible Equity Shareholders of Rights Entitlements on or before Issue Closing Date, such Rights Entitlements shall get lapsed and shall be extinguished after the Issue Closing Date. No Equity Shares for such lapsed Rights Entitlements will be credited, even if such Rights Entitlements were purchased from market and purchaser will lose the premium paid to acquire the Rights Entitlements. Persons who are credited the Rights Entitlements are required to make an application to apply for Equity Shares offered under Rights Issue for subscribing to the Equity Shares offered under Issue.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Our Board or a Rights Issue Committee thereof will have the right to extend the Issue period as it may determine from time to time but not exceeding 30 (thirty) days from the Issue Opening Date (inclusive of the Issue Opening Date). Further, no withdrawal of Application shall be permitted by any Applicant after the Issue Closing Date.



# **CAPITAL STRUCTURE**

Share capital of our Company, as on the date of filing of this Draft Letter of Offer with NSE and after giving effect to the Issue is set forth below: -

Par	ticulars	Aggregate Value at Face Value (₹ in Lakh)	Aggregate Value at Issue Price (₹ in Lakh)	
A	Present Authorized Share Capital			
	25000000 Equity Shares of face value of ₹ 10.00 each	2500.00	NA	
В	Present Issue, Subscribed and Paid-up Capital			
	16800000 Equity Shares of face value of ₹ 10.00 each	1680.00	NA	
C	Present Issue in terms of this Draft Letter of Offer			
	Up to [•] Right Equity Shares of Face Value of ₹ 10.00 each for cash at a price of ₹ [•] per Equity Share*	[•]	[•]	
D	Issued, Subscribed and Paid-Up Equity Share Capital after this Issue**			
	Up to [●] Equity Shares of Face Value of ₹ 10.00 each	[•]	[•]	
	Securities Premium Account	_	(₹ in Lakh)	
	Before the Issue		Nil	
	After the Issue	[•]		

<sup>\*</sup> Assuming full subscription for and allotment of the Rights Entitlement.

The present Issue has been authorized by the Board of Directors pursuant to a resolution passed at its meeting held on May 30, 2024 under Section 62(1)(c) of the Companies Act 2013. Further, our Board has, vide its resolution dated [●], decided the ratio, issue price, issue size etc.,

For further details, please refer to the Chapter titled "The Issue" on page 128 of this Draft Letter of Offer. Our Company has no outstanding convertible instruments as on the date of this Draft Letter of Offer.

# NOTES TO CAPITAL STRUCTURE:

- 1. Our Company does not have any employee stock option scheme or employee stock purchase scheme.
- Our Company does not have any outstanding warrants, options, convertible loans, debentures or any other securities convertible at a later date into Equity Shares, as on the date of this Draft Letter of Offer, which would entitle the holders to acquire further Equity Shares.

# 3. Shareholding of Promoter and Promoter Group:

The details of specified securities held by the Promoter and Promoter Group including the details of lock-in, pledge and encumbrance on such securities as on the date of this Draft Letter of Offer are set forth hereunder:

Q	Name of the Promoter and		No. of	% of total	Details of Equity Shares pledged/ encumbered		Details of Equity Shares locked-in	
Sr. No.	& Promoter Group	Category	Equity Shares held	share capital	No. of Equity Shares	% of total share capital	No. of Equity Shares	% of total share capital
1.	Jayantibhai Mohanbhai Kumbhani	Promoter	5573346	33.17	-	-	-	-
2.	Ghanshyam Mohanbhai Kumbhani	Promoter	1912220	11.38	-	-	-	-
3.	Alpaben Jayantibhai Kumbhani	Promoter Group	1677960	9.99	ı	I	ı	-
4.	Nandaben Ghanshyam Kumbhani	Promoter Group	1020000	6.07	-	-	-	-



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Sr. No.	Name of the Promoter and & Promoter Group	Category	Equity Shares held		No. of Equity Shares	% of total share capital	No. of Equity Shares	% of total share capital
5.	Pravinbhai Mohanbhai Kumbhani	Promoter Group	982000	5.85	-	-	-	-
6.	Rudiben M Kumbhani	Promoter Group	516024	3.07	-	-	-	-
7.	Bhavnaben Pravinbhai Kumbhani	Promoter Group	318450	1.90	-	-	-	-
8.	Rasilaben Rasikbhai Savalia	Promoter Group	1500	0.01	-	-	-	-
9.	Kush Kumbhani	Promoter Group	0	0.00	-	-	-	-
10.	Jinal Jaimin Gondalia	Promoter Group	0	0.00	-	-	-	-
11.	Dhanjibhai Ramjibhai Gondaliya	Promoter Group	0	0.00	-	-	-	-
12.	Rama Dhanjibhai Gondaliya	Promoter Group	0	0.00	1	-	-	-
13.	Satish Dhanjibhai Gondaliya	Promoter Group	0	0.00	-	-	-	-
14.	Chetankumar Dhanjibhai Gondaliya	Promoter Group	0	0.00	-	-	-	-
15.	Parulben Dineshbhai Vaghasiya	Promoter Group	0	0.00	-	-	-	-
16.	Sangitaben Lalitkumar Vaghasiya	Promoter Group	0	0.00	-	-	-	-
17.	Karan Jayantibhai Kumbhani	Promoter Group	0	0.00	1	-	-	-
18.	Gargi Jayantibhai Kumbhani	Promoter Group	0	0.00	1	-	-	-
19.	Ranchhodbhai Boghabhai Chovatiya	Promoter Group	0	0.00	-	-	-	-
20.	Ramaben Ranchodbhai Chovatiya	Promoter Group	0	0.00	-	-	-	-
21.	Anjuben Sureshbhai Usdadiya	Promoter Group	0	0.00	1	-	-	-
22.	Vibhaben Mukeshbhai Sardhara	Promoter Group	0	0.00	-	-	-	1
23.	Toralben Chiragbhai Vaishnav	Promoter Group	0	0.00	-	-	-	-
24.	Shilpa Chetanbhai Thumar	Promoter Group	3800	0.02	-	-	-	-
25.	Sikko Trade Link Private Limited	Promoter Group	0	0.00	-	-	-	-
26.	Sikko Products Private Limited	Promoter Group	0	0.00	-	-	-	-
27.	Siganjka Indsutries Private Limited (Formerly Known as Kimaya Extractions Private Limited)	Promoter Group	0	0.00	-	-	-	-

None of the Equity Shares held by our Promoter and Promoter Group are pledged with any bank or institution, locked-in or otherwise encumbered.



4. Equity Shares have been acquired by the Promoter and members of the Promoter Group in the year immediately preceding the date of this Draft Letter of Offer which are as follows.

Sr. No.	Name of the Promoter & Promoter Group	Category	Transaction Period	No. of Equity Shares
1.	GHANSHYAM MOHANBHAI KUMBHANI	Promoter	13/06/2023	8,30,000
2.	JAYANTIBHAI MOHANBHAI KUMBHANI	Promoter	31/05/2023	9,92,220
3.	Shilpa Chetanbhai Thumar	Promoter Group	25-01-2024	650
4.	Shilpa Chetanbhai Thumar	Promoter Group	13-02-2024	831
5.	Shilpa Chetanbhai Thumar	Promoter Group	14-02-2024	419
6.	Shilpa Chetanbhai Thumar	Promoter Group	15-02-2024	500
7.	Shilpa Chetanbhai Thumar	Promoter Group	16-02-2024	105
8.	Shilpa Chetanbhai Thumar	Promoter Group	19-02-2024	1245
9.	Shilpa Chetanbhai Thumar	Promoter Group	07-03-2024	50

5. Intention and extent of participation in the Issue by the Promoter and Promoter Group:

Our Promoter and members of the Promoter Group of our Company have, vide their letters dated September 14, 2024 ("Subscription Letters") indicated that they will not subscribe fully to their portion of right entitlement and that they may renounce their rights entitlements either in part or full. Further, the Promoter and members of the Promoter Group have confirmed that they do not intend to apply for, and subscribe to, additional Rights Equity Shares over and above their Rights Entitlements (including unsubscribed portion of the Issue, if any).

The Company shall maintain minimum public shareholding requirements as stipulated under the SEBI Listing Regulations.

As such, other than meeting the requirements indicated in the chapter titled "Objects of the Issue" at page 44 of this Draft Letter of Offer, there is no other intention / purpose for the Issue, including any intention to delist our Equity Shares.

In case the Rights Issue remains unsubscribed and / or minimum subscription is not achieved, the Board of Directors may dispose of such unsubscribed portion in the best interest of the Company and the Equity Shareholders and in compliance with the applicable laws.

- 6. All the Equity Shares of our Company are fully paid-up as on the date of this Draft Letter of Offer. Further, the Equity Shares offered in the Rights Issue shall be made fully paid at the time of their allotment.
- 7. At any given time, there shall be only one denomination of the Equity Shares of our Company, excluding any equity shares with superior rights, if any, issued by our Company.
- 8. The ex-rights price per Equity Share arrived in accordance with Regulation 10(4)(b) of the SEBI Takeover Regulations is ₹ [•].
- 9. The details of the shareholders holding more than 1% of the share capital of the Company as on June 30, 2024 are as under:

Sr. No.	Name of Shareholders	No. of Equity Shares held	% of total share capital
1.	Jayantibhai Mohanbhai Kumbhani	55,73,346	33.17
2.	Ghanshyam Mohanbhai Kumbhani	19,12,220	11.38
3.	Alpaben Jayantibhai Kumbhani	16,77,960	9.99
4.	Nandaben Ghanshyam Kumbhani	10,20,000	6.07
5.	Pravinbhai Mohanbhai Kumbhani	9,82,000	5.85
6.	Rudiben M Kumbhani	5,16,024	3.07
7.	Bhavnaben Pravinbhai Kumbhani	3,18,450	1.90
8.	Dilipsinh Ranjitsinh Makwana	2,64,000	1.57
9.	Rupen Jayantibhai Patel	2,45,200	1.46
10.	Sureshbhai Bachubhai Usdadiya	1,74,226	1.04
11.	Hiteshbhai Chimanbhai Kumbhani	1,70,639	1.02



# 10. Shareholding Pattern of our Company:

Shareholding Pattern of the Equity Shares of our Company as per the last filing with the Stock Exchange, i.e., as on June 30, 2024 can be accessed on the website of the NSE at - <a href="https://www.nseindia.com/companies-listing/corporate-filings-shareholding-pattern?symbol=SIKKO&tabIndex=equity">https://www.nseindia.com/companies-listing/corporate-filings-shareholding-pattern?symbol=SIKKO&tabIndex=equity</a>

The statement showing the holding of Equity Shares of persons belonging to the category "Promoter and Promoters Group" as on June 30, 2024 can be accessed on the website of the NSE at - <a href="https://www.nseindia.com/companies-listing/corporate-filings-shareholding-pattern?symbol=SIKKO&tabIndex=equity">https://www.nseindia.com/companies-listing/corporate-filings-shareholding-pattern?symbol=SIKKO&tabIndex=equity</a>

The Statement of showing the details of shares pledged, encumbrance by promoters and promoter group as on June 30, 2024 can be accessed on the website of the NSE at - <a href="https://www.nseindia.com/companies-listing/corporate-filings-shareholding-pattern?symbol=SIKKO&tabIndex=equity">https://www.nseindia.com/companies-listing/corporate-filings-shareholding-pattern?symbol=SIKKO&tabIndex=equity</a>

# 11. Details of options and convertible securities outstanding as on the date of this Draft Letter of Offer:

There are no outstanding options or convertible securities, including any outstanding warrants or rights to convert debentures, loans or other instruments convertible into our Equity Shares as on the date of this Draft Letter of Offer.



# SECTION V – PARTICULARS OF THE ISSUE

#### **OBJECTS OF THE ISSUE**

The Issue Proceeds from the Issue will be utilized towards the following objects:

- 1) Capital expenditure for purchase of Land, Building Construction and fabrication and Plant & Machineries
- 2) To meet General corporate purposes
- 3) Offer Related Expenses

(Collectively referred as the "objects")

The main objects of our Memorandum of Association permit us to undertake our existing activities and the activities for which the funds are being raised by us, through the present Issue. The fund requirement and deployment is based on internal management estimates and has not been appraised by any bank or financial institution.

Our funding requirements are dependent on a number of factors, which may not be in the control of our management, changes in our financial condition and current commercial conditions. Such factors may entail rescheduling and/or revising the planned expenditure and funding requirement and increasing or decreasing the expenditure for a particular purpose from the planned expenditure, subject to compliance with applicable law.

# REQUIREMENTS OF FUNDS

The proceeds of the Issue, after deducting Issue related expenses, are estimated to be ₹ [•] Lakhs (the "Net Issue Proceeds").

The following table summarizes the requirement of funds:

Particulars	Amount (₹ in Lakhs)
Gross Offer Proceeds*	[•]
Less: Offer Related Expenses	[•]
Net Offer Proceeds	[•]

<sup>\*</sup>To be finalized upon determination of the Issue Price and updated in the Letter of Offer prior to filing with the RoC.

# UTILIZATION OF NET ISSUE PROCEEDS

We intend to utilise the Net Proceeds from the Issue, in the manner set below:

Particulars	Amount (₹ in Lakhs)	% of gross proceeds	% of Net proceeds
Capital expenditure for acquisition of Land, Building Construction and fabrication and acquisition of Plant & Machineries and Electricals.	4,100.43	[•]	[•]
To meet General corporate purposes#	[•]	[•]	[•]
Total	[•]	[•]	[•]

<sup>#</sup> The amount to be utilised for general corporate purposes will not exceed 25% of the gross Offer proceeds.

# SCHEDULE OF IMPLEMENTATION/ UTILIZATION OF ISSUE PROCEEDS

Our Company proposes to deploy the Net Proceeds in the aforesaid objects as follows:

Particulars	Amount (₹ in Lakhs) Proposed to	Estimated Schedule o	
ratucmars	be Deployed from Issue Proceeds	FY 2024-25	FY 2025-26
Capital expenditure for acquisition of Land, Building Construction and fabrication and acquisition of Plant & Machineries and Electricals.	4,100.43	2,500.00	1,600.43
To meet General corporate purposes#	[•]	[•]	[•]
Total	[•]	[•]	[•]

<sup>#</sup> The amount to be utilised for general corporate purposes will not exceed 25% of the gross Offer proceeds.



To the extent our Company is unable to utilize any portion of the Net Proceeds towards the Objects, as per the estimated schedule of deployment specified above, Our Company shall deploy the Net Proceeds in the subsequent Financial Years towards the Objects, subject to compliance of applicable laws.

# MEANS OF FINANCE

The funding requirements mentioned above are based on our Company's internal management estimates and have not been appraised by any bank, financial institution or any other external agency. They are based on current circumstances of our business and our Company may have to revise these estimates from time to time on account of various factors beyond our control, such as market conditions, competitive environment and interest or exchange rate fluctuations. Consequently, our Company's funding requirements and deployment schedules are subject to revision in the future at the discretion of our management, subject to compliance of applicable law. If additional funds are required for the purposes as mentioned above, such requirement may be met through internal accruals, additional capital infusion, debt arrangements or any combination of them, subject to compliance with applicable laws.

The fund requirements set out above are proposed to be entirely funded from the Net Proceeds. Accordingly, we confirm that there are no requirements to make firm arrangements of finance under Regulation 62(1)(c) of the SEBI ICDR Regulations through verifiable means towards 75% of the stated means of finance, excluding the amount to be raised from the Issue.

# **DETAILS OF THE OBJECTS**

The details of the objects of the Issue are set out below:

# 1. CAPITAL EXPENDITURE FOR ACQUISITION OF LAND, BUILDING CONSTRUCTION AND FABRICATION AND PLANT & MACHINERIES:

As part of our continuing endeavour to expand our product portfolio, increase our manufacturing capabilities, strengthen our presence, and become a key supplier of pesticide and fertilizer in domestic as well as international market, we intend to set up new processing unit to manufacture and expand our existing facilities of manufacturing Pesticides and Fertilizers.

The proposed enhancement of manufacturing facilities consists of (i) Additional Unit of Pesticides and (ii) New Unit of Fertilizers.

With a view to increase our capacity of manufacturing Pesticides and Fertilizers, we are in the process of expanding existing facilities by acquiring the Non-Agriculture Land situated at Survey No. 173 paiki Plot No. 173/174, Ajanta Industrial Estate Village. Vasna Iyava, Tal. Sanand, Ahmedabad, Gujarat – 382 110, India and establishing new manufacturing unit thereat of Pesticides and Fertilizers. The new manufacturing Pesticides and Fertilizers will add on our Capacity of Pesticides and Fertilizers as under;

Capacity of	<b>Existing Capacity</b>	Proposed Expansion
Pesticide (Per Day 2 Shift)		
Powder (in KGS/Day)	28500	110000
Liquid (in KGS/Day)	28000	120000
Fertilizer (Per Day 2 Shift)		
Fertilizer (in MT)	0	450

The capacity is expanded looking at the demand from existing customers in addition to other opportunities of job works to other domestic and international customers. We believe that this enhancement of manufacturing capacity will help us to increase our productivity, widen our product range, improve our operational efficiencies, and assist in the reduction of our overall expenses which will improve our profit margins.

# **Details of Estimated Costs**;

The total estimated cost of capital expenditure for enhancement of manufacturing capacity is ₹ 4,125.43 lakhs. The detailed break-down of estimated cost is set forth below:



(₹ in Lakh)

Particulars		<b>Total Estimated Amount</b>
Land		972.00
Buildings Construction and Fabrication		2,273.82
Plant, Machineries and Electricals		779.61
Provisions for contingency, interest cost during construction and other expenses		100.00
	Total	4,125.43

Out of total estimated cost of capital expenditure for enhancement of manufacturing capacity of ₹ 4,125.43 lakhs, our Company intends to utilize 4,100.43 lakhs from Right Issue Proceed in following manner;

#### Land:

Our Company has entered into Agreement to Sale dated May 23, 2024 with Siganjka Industries Private Limited (formally known as Kimaya Extractions Private Limited), one of our Group Company, for acquiring the Non-Agriculture Land situated at Survey No. 173 paiki Plot No. 173/174, Ajanta Industrial Estate Village. Vasna Iyava, Tal. Sanand, Ahmedabad, Gujarat − 382 110, India admeasuring 16723.50 Sq. Mtrs for an aggregate consideration of ₹ 900.0 lakhs. Out of which the Company has given advance of ₹ 25.00 Lakh and balance ₹ 875.00 Lakh is payable by our Company by on or before 6 months from the date of Agreement to Sale. Additionally, our Company is required to pay expenses related to final agreement like Stamp Duty, registration fees, professional fees and other incidental expenses. Our Company estimates that total of ₹ 72.00 Lakh may be payable towards such expenses and accordingly, the Company will utilized total ₹ 947.00 Lakh out of right issue proceeds towards acquiring above land.

To the extent of Rupees 875.00 Lakh which is to be financed from the Net Issue Proceeds towards acquisition of above properties which is payable to Siganjka Industries Private Limited whose beneficiaries are Promoters and Directors of our Company, such amount shall be deemed to be paid to our Promoters and Directors of the Company. Our Company has obtained the approval for the proposal for entering into this Material Related Party Transaction(s) in relation to "purchasing of land situated at Survey No. 173 paiki Plot No. 173/174, Ajanta Industrial Estate Village. Vasna Iyava, Tal. Sanand, Ahmedabad, Gujarat – 382 110, India admeasuring 16723.50 Sq. Mtrs between the Company and M/s. Siganjka Industries Private Limited (Formerly Known as Kimaya Extractions Private Limited), a private company in which a director or manager or his relative is a member or director, by the Members vide their resolution passed in their Extra-Ordinary General Meeting of the Company on Saturday, June 22, 2024.

# **Buildings and Construction**

Our Company proposes to incur an aggregate cost of ₹ 2,273.82 lakhs towards building and civil and construction works for establishing manufacturing facility as set forth below:

Sr. No.	Particulars	Name of the Supplier^	Quotation# and Date	Validity	Amount* (₹ in lakhs)
1.	Construction and installing Factory Shed comprising of Supply & Erection of structure Supply & Fitting of Roof & wall sheeting including freight charges, Turbo Ventilator And 6MM Thick Insulation	AN INFRA PROJECTS	Ref No. Not Available dated July 23, 2024	6 Months	221.82
2.	Construction of Block A and Ground Floor thereof, Office Building, Block – C Shed Foundation, Block B and Ground Floor and First Floor thereof, Block – D and Ground Floor, First Floor and Second Floor thereof, Road Area and Open Area / Land Development, RCC underhead Water Tank, RCC decorative main gate and Admin Building Renovation	Karan Builders	Ref No. Not Available dated July 23, 2024	7 Months	2,052.00
	<del>-</del>			Total	2,273.82

<sup>\*</sup> The above cost excludes applicable taxes

<sup>^</sup> Our Company shall have flexibilities in choosing the Suppliers within the parameter of cost, time, quality and such other parameters as may be decided by the Board of Directors. Any additional cost will be met from the Internal Accruals of the Company.



# Plant, Machineries and Electricals

Our Company proposes to incur an aggregate cost of  $\ \ 779.61$  lakhs towards purchase of various Plant, Machineries and Electricals for establishing manufacturing facility as set forth below:

Sr. No.	Particulars	Name of the Supplier^	Quotation and Date	Validity	Amount* (₹ in lakhs)
1.	Electronics cables, Penal, Switch Board & Accessories etc.	Shraddha Refrigeration & Electric Service	Ref No. 31(1), 31(2), 31(3) and 31(4) dated July 24, 2024	6 Months	142.07
2.	Electric Fluid Bed Dryer 120 Kgs Capacity, Ribbon Blender 150 Kgs Capacity and Vibro Sifter 48" Eh Single Deck	Veer Pharma Tech	Ref No. Not Available dated July 24, 2024	6 Months	12.76
3.	Single Head Semi-Automatic Digital Liquid filling Machine, 36" Turn Table, 4 Head PLC Based filling Machine, Automatic Linear Screw Capping Machine (Cap placing Manual), Automatic Induction Cap Sealing Machine with S.S. Conveyor, Self-Adhesive Round bottle Sticker labeling machine (Without printer)	Shree Vishvakarma Industries	Ref No. SVI-047-2024-25 dated July 22, 2024	6 Months	44.11
4.	Coated Granules Formulation plant 2 mt cap./Batch, Emulsifying Concentrate Liquid Formulation Plant	D.K. Engineering Co.	Ref No. DKE/SIPL - 01/2024-25 dated July 22, 2024	6 Months	147.95
5.	50 Ltr Cap Horizontal Sand Mill (NFLP), 2000 Ltr High Speed Stirrer Tank With 20 HP Motor with VFD and 2000 Ltr Anchor Type Mixing Tank With 7.5 HP Gear Motor	Innovative Fabricator	Ref No. 134/24-25 dated July 22, 2024	180 Days	20.12
6.	Agrochemical Formulation Plant with Jet Mill – Spiral Type (BMF – 20") + Pre- Blender + LSS + Post blender (2 Nos.) + Control Panel + Optional Items Full plant – FLAME PROOF – SS 304 – 1,000 kg Batch	Techno Bonanza Private Limited	Ref No. TBPL/2049/24-25/110 dated July 22, 2024	180 Days	92.55
7.	Drum Trolley, Platform Trolley, Semi Electric Stacker, Hydraulic Single Mast Goods Lift, Hydraulic Single Mast Goods Lift	Liftmech Industries	Ref No. Quotation 10 dated July 22, 2024	6 months	7.67
8.	Induction Cap Sealing Machine - FLUXOSEALER BREZO_A_C_SS (Air Cooled)	Arshad Electronics Private Limited	Ref No. AEPL/SIL/ICS/2024- 25/22072024/14 dated July 22, 2024	180 days	2.55
9.	ACE Electric Forklift Truck Model AF20E	Pristine Enterprise	Ref No. PE/GUJ/FLT/SJ/2024- 25/073 dated July 22, 2024	180 days	11.20



C		No Cdl		Amount*	
Sr. No.	Particulars	Name of the Supplier^	Quotation and Date	Validity	(₹ in lakhs)
10.	Gid-tie Solar PV rooftop System having capacity of 99.36 kW	Designlux Private Limited	Ref No. DPL/ISE/2024- 25/16 dated July 22, 2024	180 days	31.50
11.	Gliphosate Reactor 5KL Limpet Coil, Holding Vessel Capacity 5 KL, Dozzing Tank For Mippa 1KL and Basket Extruder Complete Jacketed SS-304L	AB Tech Engineers	Ref No. ABTQ/24-25/679 dated July 26, 2024	6 months	25.00
12.	UV VIS Spectrophotometer Model 2704, ChroZen HPLC Solvent Bottle Tray, ChroZen HPLC Solvent Bottle Tray, ChroZen HPLC Quaternary Gradient Pump with Vacuum degasser, Column Oven HCO-02, ChroZen HPLC UV/Vis Detector, 7725i with Column holder for mounting the injector/Valve, YL-Clarity Chromatography Data System for Young In Chromass LC, ChroZen GC Mainframe Assembly, Packed Inlet Assembly for ChroZen GC, FID (Flame Ionization Detector) Assembly for ChroZen GC, Add One Instruments of YL-Clarity, GC Control (A23) and GC tool Kit	Samarth Instruments	Ref No. 39A-2324, 40-2324 and 41-2324 dated July 24, 2024	180 days	26.55
13.	Weight Scales	Blue Birds Instruments Private Limited	Ref No. Not Available dated July 24, 2024	6 months	1.15
14.	Vx 150i 53mm TTO Thermal Transfer Overprint, Domino Thermal Ink Jet system model Gx150i-1, Ink Jet Printer Ax350i and its Accessories & Fluids	Domino Printech India LLP	Ref No. Not Available dated July 22, 2024	180 days	12.24
15.	Sonicator/ Ultrasonic Cleaner 3.2 Ltr, Ultrasonic Cleaner/ Sonicator bath Cap. 4.5 Ltr, Vacuum Pump Oil Single Stage without accessories Oil sealed, air cooled, V-beit driven and mounted on base plate with belt guard etc., with mitor 220 volts AC single phase, Heating Mantle Cap. 1Ltr., Laboratory Oven, Magnetic Stirrer with Hot Plate 2 MLH, Centrifuge Dome Type Electric 4 Tube, Melting Point Apparatus Digital Make: jkle, Flash Point, Heating Mantle Cap. 2Ltr, Heating Mantle Cap. 3Ltr, Heating Mantle Cap. 5Ltr	Jay Shree Khodiyar Lab. Equipment	Ref No. 2023-24/1716 dated July 22, 2024	180 days	1.38



Sr. No.	Particulars	Name of the Supplier^	Quotation and Date	Validity	Amount* (₹ in lakhs)
16.	Continuous Inkjet Printer, Tij Printer 12.7mm 7 Inch Screen Single Head (Heavy)	Shakti Printech	Ref No. SP/24-25/061 dated July 22, 2024	6 Months	5.45
17.	10ml to 30ml Pesticide Liquid Packing Machine, 50gm to 1kg Pesticide Powder Filling Machine, 50gm to 1kg Pesticide Powder Filling Machine, 50gm to 1kg Pesticide Powder Filling Machine, Continuous Band Sealer Machine, Continuous Band Sealer Machine, 500kg Powder Mixer Machine, Screw Conveyor for Hopper Filling, 3hp Compressor and Extra Screw Funnel 1kg to 5kg Grenules, Pulses Packing Machine, Bucket Elevator for Hopper Filling 50gm to 1kg Pesticides Grenules With Online Convyor Filling Machine, Bucket Elevator for Hopper Filling	Chamunda Packaging Industries	Ref No. 93/24-25, 94/24-25, 95/24-25 dated July 22, 2024	180 days	50.54
18.	Single Head Ampoule filling Machine, Double Head Ampoule filling Machine, Box Stepping Machine, Bach Mark Coding Machine, Powder Filling Augar Machine, WDG Machine, Pouch Sealling Machine, Weight Machines (1 kg to 5 kg), Weight Machines (10 kg to 250 kg), 2000 Ltr Capacity Mixing Vassels for Formulation, 1000 Ltr Capacity Mixing Vassels for Formulation	Nexus Agro Industries	Ref No. Nexus / Quotation /56/24.7.2024 dated July 24, 2024	6 Months	33.77
19.	HPLC Lob Testing instrument, GC Lob Testing instrument, UV Spectrophotometer Lab Testing instrument, Filling Line, Semi-Automatic Filling Machines	Guru Corporation	Ref No. Not Available dated July 24, 2024	6 Months	37.91
20.	Computers, Laptops, CCTV Camera, Printers, Software and other accessories	Gajera Infocom	Ref No. SEI/147, 194/2024 and SIS-154 dated July 24, 2024	180 days	19.04
21.	Bagger Machine Model Auto 500 (PNEUMATIC) - 2 Set, Forming Assembly for 1kg POUCH SIZE - 2 Set, Structure for Combination weigh Filler - 2 Set, Weigh Filler -6Head (7L Bucket) - 1Set, Bucket Elevator With Vibro Hopper (75 Liter) Suitable To Load Product To Weigh Filler	Prolific Packaging & Projects	Ref No. 006/2024 and 007/2024 dated July 24, 2024	180 days	54.11



Sr. No.	Particulars	Name of the Supplier^	Quotation and Date	Validity	Amount* (₹ in lakhs)
	Hopper. Electricals: 415vac, 3-				
	Phase, 50hz, 1hp Motor,				
	Discharge Height: 3750mm				
	Qty. 2 Set, Set Of Forming Assembly For 4kg				
	Bagger Machine Model Auto				
	300 (PNEUMATIC) - 2 Set,				
	Forming Assembly for 500g				
	POUCH SIZE – 2 Set, Servo				
	Auger Filler with level sensor –				
	2 Set,				
	Inclined Screw Feeder With				
	Base Hopper To Load Product				
	From Bottom To Machine				
	Hopper With Vibro Feeder. Motor: 1.5hp + 0.5hp With				
	Stirrer Electricals:				
	415vac/50hz – 3-Phase, Set Of				
	Forming Assembly For 5g To				
	20g – 2 set				
		Т	otal Plant, Machineries and	Electricals	779.62

<sup>\*</sup> The above cost excludes applicable taxes

# Provisions for contingency, interest cost during construction and other expenses

The current estimates and specifications in relation to the capital expenditure requirements of the new Manufacturing Facilities are based on the current status of project design and layout. For Manufacturing Facilities, our Company has received quotations for Buildings Construction and Fabrication, plant & machineries, and electrical, as above, however we may have to incur additional costs that would be known only at the time of commencement of the construction or commissioning of the plant & machineries and electrical fittings. Further, expenses such as pre-operative expenses, erection, and commission expenses would require to be incurred. Our Company envisages that there might be price fluctuations and the cost may increase. The total cost for contingencies during construction period, pre-operative expenses and other miscellaneous expenses are estimated to ₹ 100.00 Lakhs.

# **Infrastructure facilities and Utilities**

# Power

In relation to the establishment of new manufacturing facilities, our Company will require initial supply of 300KW power and we propose to seek the power connection by entering a power supply agreement with Gujarat State Electricity Corporation Limited ("GSECL"). The proposed 310KVA sub-station with single combined connection to the Company will provide seamless transfer of energy between eligible units. The Company is also installing Gid-tie Solar PV rooftop System having capacity of 99.36 kW which will be captively consumed by the Company.

# Water

The processing unit will consume ~2KLD water. The said water will be made available through Sanand Nagarpalika.

# **Technical Knowhow**

Since our Company will undertake the same line of business activity, no other special technical "know how" is required.

# Government and other Approvals

<sup>^</sup> Our Company shall have flexibilities in choosing the Suppliers within the parameter of cost, time, quality and such other parameters as may be decided by the Board of Directors. Any additional cost will be met from the Internal Accruals of the Company.



In relation to the new Manufacturing Facilities, our Company has will apply for obtaining necessary approvals under the Factories Act, 1948 and Gujarat Pollution Control Board. For further details, see the chapter titled "GOVERNMENT APPROVALS" on page 108.

#### 2. GENERAL CORPORATE PURPOSE:

We propose to utilize [•] of the Net Proceeds towards general corporate purposes as approved by the Board, from time to time, subject to such utilization for general corporate purposes not exceeding 25% of the gross proceeds Issue Proceeds, in compliance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations.

In accordance with the policies set up by our Board, we have flexibility in applying the remaining Net Proceeds, for general corporate purpose including but not restricted to, meeting operating expenses, initial development costs for projects other than the identified projects, and the strengthening of our business development and marketing capabilities, Strategic initiatives, including investments or acquisitions, from time to time, Repayment of present or future loans, meeting exigencies, which the Company in the ordinary course of business may not foresee or any other purposes as approved by our Board of Directors, subject to compliance with the necessary provisions of the Companies Act.

The quantum of utilization of funds towards any of the purposes mentioned above will be determined by the Board, based on the amount actually available under this head and the business requirements of our Company, from time to time, subject to compliance of applicable laws.

We confirm that any issue related expenses shall not be considered as a part of General Corporate Purpose. Further, we confirm that the amount for general corporate purposes, as mentioned in this Draft Letter of Offer, shall not exceed 25% of the amount raised by our Company through this Issue.

# 3. ISSUE RELATED EXPENSES

The total expenses of the Issue are estimated to be approximately ₹ [•]. The expenses of this include, among others, underwriting and management fees, printing and distribution expenses, advertisement expenses, legal fees and listing fees. The estimated Issue expenses are as follows:

Expenses	Expenses (₹ In Lakh)	Expenses (% of Total Issue expenses)	Expenses (% of Gross Issue Proceeds)
Fees Payable to Advisor to the Offer	[•]	[•]	[•]
Fees Payable to Registrar to the Offer	[•]	[•]	[•]
Fees Payable Advertising, Marketing Expenses and Printing Expenses	[•]	[•]	[•]
Fees Payable to Regulators including Stock Exchanges and other Intermediaries	[•]	[•]	[•]
Escrow Bank Fees	[•]	[•]	[•]
Certification charges	[•]	[•]	[•]
Other issue related expense	[•]	[•]	[•]
Total Estimated Offer Expenses	[•]	[•]	[•]

# Details of funds already deployed till date and sources of funds deployed:

The funds deployed up to September 13, 2024 pursuant to the object of this Issue as certified by the Auditors of our Company pursuant to their certificate dated September 14, 2024 is given below:

Deployment of funds	Expenses (₹ In Lakh)
Issue Related	Nil
Objects Related – Advance Payment for Acquisition of Land	25.00
Total	25.00

Sources of funds	Expenses (₹ In Lakh)
Internal Accruals	25.00
Bank Finance	Nil
Total	25.00



# APPRAISAL REPORT

None of the objects for which the Issue Proceeds will be utilised have been financially appraised by any financial institutions / banks.

# **BRIDGE FINANCING**

We have not entered into any bridge finance arrangements that will be repaid from the Net Issue Proceeds.

#### INTERIM USE OF FUNDS

Pending utilization of the Issue Proceeds for the Objects of the Issue described above, our Company shall deposit the funds only in Scheduled Commercial Banks included in the Second Schedule of Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934.

In accordance with Section 27 of the Companies Act, 2013, our Company confirms that, pending utilization of the proceeds of the Issue as described above, it shall not use the funds from the Issue Proceeds for any investments in equity and/or real estate products and/or equity linked and/or real estate linked products.

# MONITORING UTILIZATION OF FUNDS

There is no requirement for the appointment of a monitoring agency, as the Issue size is less than ₹ 10,000 Lakhs. Our Board will monitor the utilization of the proceeds of the Issue and will disclose the utilization of the Net Proceeds under a separate head in our balance sheet along with the relevant details, for all such amounts that have not been utilized. Our Company will indicate investments, if any, of unutilized Net Proceeds in the balance sheet of our Company for the relevant Fiscal subsequent to receipt of listing and trading approvals from the Stock Exchanges.

Pursuant to Regulation 32 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, our Company shall on quarterly basis disclose to the Audit Committee the Application of the proceeds of the Issue. On an annual basis, our Company shall prepare a statement of funds utilized for purposes other than stated in this Draft Letter of Offer and place it before the Audit Committee. Such disclosures shall be made only until such time that all the proceeds of the Issue have been utilized in full.

#### **VARIATION IN OBJECTS**

In accordance with Section 13(8) and Section 27 of the Companies Act, 2013 and applicable rules, our Company shall not vary the objects of the Issue without our Company being authorized to do so by the Shareholders by way of a special resolution through postal ballot. In addition, the notice issued to the Shareholders in relation to the passing of such special resolution (the "Postal Ballot Notice") shall specify the prescribed details as required under the Companies Act and applicable rules. The Postal Ballot Notice shall simultaneously be published in the newspapers, one in English and one in the vernacular language of the jurisdiction where the Registered Office is situated. Our Promoters or controlling Shareholders will be required to provide an exit opportunity to such Shareholders who do not agree to the proposal to vary the objects, at such price, and in such manner, as may be prescribed by SEBI, in this regard.

# OTHER CONFIRMATIONS

Except, to the extent of Rupees 875.00 Lakh which is to be financed from the Net Issue Proceeds towards acquisition of above properties and payable to Siganjka Industries Private Limited whose beneficiaries are Promoters and Directors of our Company, no part of the proceeds of the Issue will be paid by us to the Promoters and Promoter Group, the Directors, Associates, Key Management Personnel or Group Companies except in the normal course of business and in compliance with the applicable law.



# STATEMENT OF SPECIAL TAX BENEFITS

To,

#### SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED

508, Iscon Eligance, Nr. Jain Temple Nr. Prahladnagar Pick up Stand, Vejalpur, Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India, 380051

Subject -

Rights issue of equity shares of face value of ₹ 10 each (the "Equity Shares") of Sikko Industries Limited (the "Company") under Chapter III of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018, as amended (the "SEBI ICDR Regulations"), and the Companies Act, 2013, as amended (the "Companies Act, 2013") ("Rights Issue").

Reference - Right Issue of Equity Shares by Sikko Industries Limited

Dear Sir/Madam

We hereby confirm that the enclosed **Annexure A**, prepared by the Company and initialled by us for identification purpose ("**Statement**") for the Rights Issue, provides the possible special tax benefits available to the Company and its shareholders under direct tax and indirect tax laws presently in force in India, as amended and read with the rules, circulars and notifications, applicable for Financial Year 2024-25.

Several of these benefits are dependent on the Company or its shareholders fulfilling the conditions prescribed under the relevant statutory provisions. Hence, the ability of the Company and/or its shareholders to derive the tax benefits is dependent upon fulfilling such conditions, which based on business imperatives the Company or its shareholders faces in the future, the Company or its shareholders may not choose to fulfil.

This statement of possible special tax benefits is required as per Schedule VI (Part B - 1) (10) of the SEBI ICDR Regulations. For the purpose of this Statement, it is assumed that with respect to special tax benefits available to the Company, and/or its shareholders, the same would include those benefits as enumerated in **Annexure A**. Further, any benefits available under any other laws within or outside India, except for those mentioned in **Annexure A** have not been examined and covered by this statement.

The preparation of the accompanying statement is accurate, complete, and free from misstatement is the responsibility of the management of the Company including the preparation and maintenance of all accounting and other relevant supporting records and documents.

The benefits discussed in the enclosed Statement are not exhaustive. The Statement is only intended to provide general information to the investors and is neither designed nor intended to be a substitute for professional tax advice. In view of the individual nature of the tax consequences and changing tax laws, each investor is advised to consult his or her own tax consultant with respect to the specific tax implications arising out of their participation in the Rights Issue.

Also, our confirmation is based on the existing provisions of law and our interpretation of the same, which are subject to change from time to time. We do not assume responsibility to update the views consequent to such changes.

In respect of non-residents, the tax rates and the consequent taxation in India shall be further subject to any benefits available under the applicable Double Taxation Avoidance Agreement, if any, between India and the country in which the non-resident has fiscal domicile.

Our confirmation is based on the information, explanations and representations obtained from the Company and based on our understanding of the business activities and operations of the Company.

We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance as to whether:

- a) The Company and its shareholders will continue to obtain the benefits as per the Statement in future;
- b) The conditions prescribed for availing the benefits, wherever applicable have been/would be met with; and
- c) The revenue authorities/courts will concur with the views expressed herein.



We hereby consent to be named an "expert" under the Companies Act, 2013, as amended, and our name may be disclosed as an expert to any applicable legal or regulatory authority insofar as may be required, in relation to the statements contained therein. We further confirm that we are not and have not been engaged or interested in the formation or promotion or management of the Company.

We also consent to the inclusion of this Statement and the Annexure as a part of "Material Contracts and Documents for Inspection" in connection with the Rights Issue, which will be available for inspection from date of the filing of the Draft Letter of Offer until the Issue Closing Date.

We confirm that the information in this certificate is true and correct and there is no untrue statement or omission which would render the contents of this certificate misleading in its form or context. We have conducted our examination in accordance with the ethical requirements of the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI) and accordingly, confirm that we have complied with such Code of Ethics issued by the ICAI.

This certificate is for information and for inclusion (in part or full) in the Issue Documents or any other Rights Issue-related material, and may be relied upon by the Company and the advisors appointed by the Company in relation to the Offer.

We hereby consent to (i) the submission of this certificate as may be necessary to the SEBI, the relevant stock exchanges and any other regulatory authority and/or for the records to be maintained by the Lead Managers and in accordance with applicable law; and (ii) the disclosure of this certificate if required by reason of any law, regulation or order of a court or by any governmental or competent regulatory authority; or in seeking to establish a defence in connection with, or to avoid, any actual, potential or threatened legal, arbitral or regulatory proceeding or investigation.

Yours Faithfully

For, D G M S & CO Chartered Accountants FRN: 0112187W

Hiren J. Maru Partner Membership No. 115279 UDIN: 24115279BKBWJP3050

Place: Mumbai Date: 10/07/2024



# ANNEXURE 1 TO THE STATEMENT OF TAX BENEFITS

The information provided below sets out the possible special tax benefits available to the Company and the Equity Shareholders under the Act presently in force in India. It is not exhaustive or comprehensive and is not intended to be a substitute for professional advice. Investors are advised to consult their own tax consultant with respect to the tax implications of an investment in the Equity Shares particularly in view of the certain recently enacted legislation may not have a direct legal precedent or may have a different interpretation on the benefits, which an investor can avail.

YOU SHOULD CONSULT YOUR OWN TAX ADVISORS CONCERNING THE INDIAN TAX IMPLICATIONS AND CONSEQUENCES OF PURCHASING, OWNING AND DISPOSING OF EQUITY SHARES IN YOUR PARTICULAR SITUATION

# A. SPECIAL TAX BENEFITS TO THE COMPANY

The Company is not entitled to any special tax benefits under the Act.

# B. SPECIAL TAX BENEFITS TO THE SHAREHOLDER

The Shareholders of the Company are not entitled to any special tax benefits under the Act.

#### Note:

- 1. All the above benefits are as per the current tax laws and will be available only to the sole / first name holder where the shares are held by joint holders.
- 2. The above statement covers only certain relevant direct tax law benefits and does not cover any indirect tax law benefits or benefit under any other law.

We hereby give our consent to include our above referred opinion regarding the tax benefits available to the Company and to its shareholders in this Draft Letter of Offer.



# SECTION VI - ABOUT THE COMPANY

# INDUSTRY OVERVIEW

The information in this section has been extracted from various websites and publicly available documents from various industry sources. The data may have been re-classified by us for the purpose of presentation. None of the Company and any other person connected with the Issue have independently verified this information. Industry sources and publications generally state that the information contained therein has been obtained from believed to be reliable, but their accuracy, completeness and underlying assumptions are not guaranteed and their reliability cannot be assured. Industry sources and publications are also prepared based on information as of specific dates and may no longer be current or reflect current trends. Industry sources and publications may also base their information on estimates, projection forecasts and assumptions that may prove to be incorrect. Accordingly, investors should not place undue reliance on information.

Shareholders should note that this is only a summary of the industry in which we operate and does not contain all information that should be considered before investing in the Equity Shares. Before deciding to invest in the Equity Shares, shareholders should read this Draft Letter of Offer, including the information in the sections "Financial Statement" on pages 92 of this Draft Letter of Offer. An investment in the Equity Shares involves a high degree of risk. For a discussion of certain risks in connection with an investment in the Equity Shares please see the section "Risk Factors" on page 22 of this Draft Letter of Offer. Accordingly, investment decisions should not be based on such information.

# GLOBAL OUTLOOK

Global growth is projected to stabilize at 2.6 percent this year, holding steady for the first time in three years despite flaring geopolitical tensions and high interest rates. It is then expected to edge up to 2.7 percent in 2025-26 amid modest growth in trade and investment. Global inflation is projected to moderate - but at a slower clip than previously assumed, averaging 3.5 percent this year. Given continued inflationary pressures, central banks in both advanced economies and emerging market and developing economies (EMDEs) will likely remain cautious in easing monetary policy. As such, average benchmark policy interest rates over the next few years are expected to remain about double the 2000-19 average.

Despite an improvement in near-term growth prospects, the outlook remains subdued by historical standards in advanced economies and EMDEs alike. Global growth over the forecast horizon is expected to be nearly half a percentage point below its 2010-19 average pace. In 2024-25, growth is set to underperform its 2010s average in nearly 60 percent of economies, representing more than 80 percent of global population and world output. EMDE growth is forecast to moderate from 4.2 percent in 2023 to 4 percent in both 2024 and 2025. Prospects remain especially lackluster in many vulnerable economies - over half of economies facing fragile- and conflict-affected situations will still be poorer by the end of this year than on the eve of the pandemic.

Global risks remain tilted to the downside despite the possibility of some upside surprises. Escalating geopolitical tensions could lead to volatile commodity prices, while further trade fragmentation risks additional disruptions to trade networks. Already, trade policy uncertainty has reached exceptionally high levels compared to other years that have featured major elections around the world since 2000. The persistence of inflation could lead to delays in monetary easing. A higher-for-longer path for interest rates would dampen global activity. Some major economies could grow more slowly than currently anticipated due to a range of domestic challenges. Additional natural disasters related to climate change could also hinder activity. On the upside, global inflation could moderate more quickly than assumed in the baseline, enabling faster monetary policy easing. In addition, growth in the United States could be stronger than expected.

Against this backdrop, decisive global and national policy efforts are needed to meet pressing challenges. At the global level, priorities include safeguarding trade, supporting green and digital transitions, delivering debt relief, and improving food security. At the national level, persistent inflation risks underscore the need for EMDE monetary policies to remain focused on price stability. High debt and elevated debt-servicing costs will require policy makers to seek ways to sustainably boost investment while ensuring fiscal sustainability. To meet development goals and bolster long-term growth, structural policies are needed to raise productivity growth, improve the efficiency of public investment, build human capital, and close gender gaps in the labor market.

**Regional Prospects:** Growth is projected to soften in most EMDE regions in 2024. In East Asia and Pacific, the expected slowdown this year mainly reflects moderating growth in China. Growth in Europe and Central Asia, Latin America and the Caribbean, and South Asia is also set to decelerate amid a slowdown in their largest economies. In contrast, growth is projected to pick up this year in the Middle East and North Africa and SubSaharan Africa, albeit less robustly than previously forecast.



Harnessing the Benefits of Public Investment: Public investment can be a powerful policy lever in EMDEs to help ignite growth, including by catalyzing private investment. However, public investment in these economies has experienced a significant slowdown in the past decade. In EMDEs with ample fiscal space and a record of efficient government spending, scaling up of public investment by one percent of GDP can increase output by up to 1.6 percent over the medium term. Public investment also crowds in private investment and boosts productivity, promoting long-run growth in these economies.

To maximize the impact of public investment, EMDEs should undertake wide-ranging policy reforms to improve public investment efficiency - by, among other things, strengthening governance and fiscal administration - and create fiscal space through revenue and expenditure measures. The global community can play an important role in facilitating these reforms - particularly in lower-income developing countries - through financial support and technical assistance.

**Fiscal Challenges in Small States: Weathering Storms, Rebuilding Resilience:** The COVID-19 pandemic and the global shocks that followed have worsened fiscal and debt positions in small states. This has intensified their already substantial fiscal challenges—especially the need to manage more frequent climate change-related natural disasters. Two-fifths of the 35 EMDE small states are at high risk of debt distress or already in it, roughly twice the share for other EMDEs. Fiscal deficits in small states have widened since the pandemic, reflecting increased government spending to support households and firms, as well as weaker revenues.

Comprehensive fiscal reforms are essential to address the fiscal challenges confronting small states. First, small states' revenues, which are highly volatile, should be drawn from a more stable and secure tax base. Second, spending efficiency needs to be improved. These changes should be complemented by reforms to fiscal frameworks, including better utilization of fiscal rules and sovereign wealth funds. Finally, the global community can bolster funding for small states to invest in climate change resilience and adaptation, and other priority areas, including technical assistance in fiscal policy and debt management.

(Source:

https://openknowledge.worldbank.org/server/api/core/bitstreams/88d04f90-2597-488e-a693-1246cbfeb06b/content)

# INDIAN ECONOMY

# India is the world's 5th largest economy and expected to be in the top 3 by FY 28

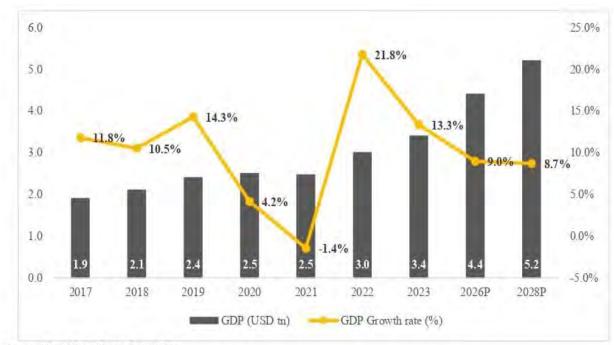
India ranked fifth in the world in terms of nominal gross domestic product ("GDP") for FY 22 and is the third largest economy in the world in terms of purchasing power parity ("PPP"). India is expected to be USD ~5.2 trillion economy by FY 28 and is estimated to be the third largest economy surpassing Germany and Japan.

# India's nominal GDP at current prices (In USD Tn) and GDP Growth rate (%) (FY)

India's nominal GDP has grown at a CAGR of 9.6% between FY 17 and FY 22 and is expected to continue the trend by registering an expected CAGR of 8.9% for 5-year time period from FY 23 to FY 28. Since FY 05, the Indian economy's growth rate had been twice as that of the world economy and it is expected to sustain this growth momentum in the long term. From FY 23 to FY 28, India's nominal GDP is expected to grow at a CAGR of 8.9%, which compares favorably to the world average (4.9%) and with other major economies, including China (6.5%), UK (4.6%), Japan (0.4%), Germany (2.1%) and the USA (4.1%) for the similar period of CY 22 to CY 27. It is also expected that the growth trajectory of Indian economy will enable India to be among the top 3 global economies by FY 28. Several factors are likely to contribute to economic growth in the long run. These include favourable demographics, reducing dependency ratio, rapidly rising education levels, steady urbanization, growing young & working population, IT revolution, increasing penetration of mobile & internet infrastructure, government policies, increasing aspirations and affordability etc.

Strong economic growth in the first quarter of FY23 helped India overcome the UK to become the fifth-largest economy after it recovered from the COVID-19 pandemic shock. Nominal GDP or GDP at Current Prices in the year 2023-24 is estimated at Rs. 293.90 lakh crores (US\$ 3.52 trillion), against the First Revised Estimates (FRE) of GDP for the year 2022-23 of Rs. 269.50 lakh crores (US\$ 3.23 trillion). The growth in nominal GDP during 2023-24 is estimated at 9.1% as compared to 14.2% in 2022-23. Strong domestic demand for consumption and investment, along with Government's continued emphasis on capital expenditure are seen as among the key driver of the GDP in the first half of FY24. During the period January-March 2024, India's exports stood at US\$ 119.10 billion, with Engineering Goods (25.01%), Petroleum Products (17.88%) and Organic and Inorganic Chemicals (7.65%) being the top three exported commodity. Rising employment and increasing private consumption, supported by rising consumer sentiment, will support GDP growth in the coming months.





Source: World Bank Data, RBI, IMF

Future capital spending of the government in the economy is expected to be supported by factors such as tax buoyancy, the streamlined tax system with low rates, a thorough assessment and rationalisation of the tariff structure, and the digitization of tax filing. In the medium run, increased capital spending on infrastructure and asset-building projects is set to increase growth multipliers. The contact-based services sector has demonstrated promise to boost growth by unleashing the pent-up demand. The sector's success is being captured by a number of HFIs (High-Frequency Indicators) that are performing well, indicating the beginnings of a comeback.

India has emerged as the fastest-growing major economy in the world and is expected to be one of the top three economic powers in the world over the next 10-15 years, backed by its robust democracy and strong partnerships.

(Source: www.ibef.org)

# MARKET SIZE

India's nominal GDP at current prices was estimated at ₹ 232.15 trillion (US\$ 3.12 trillion) in FY22. With more than 100 unicorns valued at US\$ 332.7 billion, India has the third-largest unicorn base in the world. The government is also focusing on renewable sources to generate energy, and is planning to achieve 40% of its energy from non-fossil sources by 2030.

According to the McKinsey Global Institute, India needs to boost its rate of employment growth and create 90 million non-farm jobs between 2023 to 2030 in order to increase productivity and economic growth. The net employment rate needs to grow by 1.5% per annum from 2023 to 2030 to achieve 8-8.5% GDP growth between same time period. India's current account deficit (CAD) narrowed to 1.2% of GDP in the October-December quarter. The CAD stood at US\$ 10.5 billion for the third quarter of 2023-24 compared to US\$ 11.4 billion or 1.3% of GDP in the preceding quarter. This was largely due to higher service exports.

Exports fared remarkably well during the pandemic and aided recovery when all other growth engines were losing steam in terms of their contribution to GDP. Going forward, the contribution of merchandise exports may waver as several of India's trade partners witness an economic slowdown. According to Minister of Commerce and Industry, Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution and Textiles Mr. Piyush Goyal, Indian exports are expected to reach US\$ 1 trillion by 2030.

(Source: https://www.ibef.org/economy/indian-economy-overview)

# RECENT DEVELOPMENTS



India is primarily a domestic demand-driven economy, with consumption and investments contributing to 70% of the economic activity. With an improvement in the economic scenario and the Indian economy recovering from the Covid-19 pandemic shock, several investments and developments have been made across various sectors of the economy. According to World Bank, India must continue to prioritise lowering inequality while also putting growth-oriented policies into place to boost the economy. In view of this, there have been some developments that have taken place in the recent past. Some of them are mentioned below.

- According to HSBC Flash India PMI report, business activity surged in April to its highest level in about 14 years as well as sustained robust demand. The composite index reached 62.2, indicating continuous expansion since August 2021, alongside positive job growth and decreased input inflation, affirming India's status as the fastest-growing major economy.
- As of April 12, 2024, India's foreign exchange reserves stood at US\$ 643.162 billion.
- ► In 2023, India saw a total of US\$ 49.8 billion in PE-VC investments.
- Merchandise exports in March 2024 stood at US\$ 41.68 billion, with total merchandise exports of US\$ 437.06 billion during the period of April 2023 to March 2024.
- India was also named as the 48th most innovative country among the top 50 countries, securing 40th position out of 132 economies in the Global Innovation Index 2023. India rose from 81st position in 2015 to 40th position in 2023. India ranks 3rd position in the global number of scientific publications.
- ➤ In March 2024, the gross Goods and Services Tax (GST) stood at second highest monthly revenue collection at Rs.1.78 lakh crore (US\$ 21.35 billion), of which CGST is Rs. 34,532 crore (US\$ 4.14 billion), SGST is Rs. 43,746 crore (US\$ 5.25 billion).
- ➤ Between April 2000—December 2023, cumulative FDI equity inflows to India stood at US\$ 971.52 billion.
- In February 2024, the overall IIP (Index of Industrial Production) stood at 147.2. The Indices of Industrial Production for the mining, manufacturing and electricity sectors stood at 139.6, 144.5 and 187.1, respectively, in February 2024.
- According to data released by the Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation (MoSPI), India's Consumer Price Index (CPI) based retail inflation reached 5.69% in December 2023.
- Foreign Institutional Investors (FII) inflows between April-July (2023-24) were close to Rs. 80,500 crore (US\$ 9.67 billion), while Domestic Institutional Investors (DII) sold Rs. 4,500 crore (US\$ 540.56 million) in the same period. As per depository data, Foreign Portfolio Investors (FPIs) invested (US\$ 8.06 billion) in India during January-April 2024.
- ➤ The wheat procurement during RMS 2023-24 (till May) was estimated to be 262 lakh metric tonnes (LMT) and the rice procured in KMS 2023-24 was 385 LMT. The combined stock position of wheat and rice in the Central Pool is over 579 LMT (Wheat 312 LMT and Rice 267 LMT).

(Source: https://www.ibef.org/economy/indian-economy-overview)

# **GOVERNMENT INITIATIVES**

Over the years, the Indian government has introduced many initiatives to strengthen the nation's economy. The Indian government has been effective in developing policies and programmes that are not only beneficial for citizens to improve their financial stability but also for the overall growth of the economy. Over recent decades, India's rapid economic growth has led to a substantial increase in its demand for exports. Besides this, a number of the government's flagship programmes, including Make in India, Start-up India, Digital India, the Smart City Mission, and the Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation, is aimed at creating immense opportunities in India. In this regard, some of the initiatives taken by the government to improve the economic condition of the country are mentioned below:

- ➤ In February 2024, the Finance Ministry announced the total expenditure in Interim 2024-25 estimated at Rs. 47,65,768 crore (US\$ 571.64 billion) of which total capital expenditure is Rs. 11,11,111 crores (US\$ 133.27 billion).
- On January 22, 2024, Prime Minister Mr. Narendra Modi announced the 'Pradhan Mantri Suryodaya Yojana'. Under this scheme, 1 crore households will receive rooftop solar installations.
- ➤ On September 17, 2023, Prime Minister Mr. Narendra Modi launched the Central Sector Scheme PM-VISHWAKARMA in New Delhi. The new scheme aims to provide recognition and comprehensive support to traditional artisans & craftsmen who work with their hands and basic tools. This initiative is designed to enhance the quality, scale, and reach of their products, as well as to integrate them with MSME value chains.
- ➤ On August 6, 2023, Amrit Bharat Station Scheme was launched to transform and revitalize 1309 railway stations across the nation. This scheme envisages development of stations on a continuous basis with a long-term vision.
- ➤ On June 28, 2023, the Ministry of Environment, Forests, and Climate Change introduced the 'Draft Carbon Credit Trading Scheme, 2023'.
- From April 1, 2023, Foreign Trade Policy 2023 was unveiled to create an enabling ecosystem to support the philosophy of 'AtmaNirbhar Bharat' and 'Local goes Global'.



- To enhance India's manufacturing capabilities by increasing investment and production in the sector, the government of India has introduced the Production Linked Incentive Scheme (PLI) for Pharmaceuticals.
- ➤ Prime Minister's Development Initiative for North-East Region (PM-DevINE) was announced in the Union Budget 2022-23 with a financial outlay of Rs. 1,500 crore (US\$ 182.35 million).
- ➤ Prime Minister Mr Narendra Modi has inaugurated a new food security scheme for providing free food grains to Antodaya Ann Yojna (AAY) & Primary Household (PHH) beneficiaries, called Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Ann Yojana (PMGKAY) from January 1, 2023.
- The Amrit Bharat Station scheme for Indian Railways envisages the development of stations on a continuous basis with a long-term vision, formulated on December 29, 2022, by the Ministry of Railways.
- > On October 7, 2022, the Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT) launched Credit Guarantee Scheme for Start-ups (CGSS) aiming to provide credit guarantees up to a specified limit by start-ups, facilitated by Scheduled Commercial Banks, Non-Banking Financial Companies and Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) registered Alternative Investment Funds (AIFs).
- ➤ Telecom Technology Development Fund (TTDF) Scheme was launched in October 2022 by the Universal Service Obligation Fund (USOF), a body under the Department of Telecommunications. The objective is to fund R&D in rural-specific communication technology applications and form synergies among academia, start-ups, research institutes, and the industry to build and develop the telecom ecosystem.
- Home & Cooperation Minister Mr. Amit Shah laid the foundation stone and performed Bhoomi Pujan of Tanot Mandir Complex Project under Border Tourism Development Programme in Jaisalmer in September 2022.
- In August 2022, Mr. Narendra Singh Tomar, Minister of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare inaugurated four new facilities at the Central Arid Zone Research Institute (CAZRI), which has been rendering excellent services for more than 60 years under the Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR).
- In August 2022, a Special Food Processing Fund of Rs. 2,000 crore (US\$ 242.72 million) was set up with National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) to provide affordable credit for investments in setting up Mega Food Parks (MFP) as well as processing units in the MFPs.
- ➤ In July 2022, Deendayal Port Authority (DPA) announced plans to develop two Mega Cargo Handling Terminals on a Build-Operate-Transfer (BOT) basis under Public-Private Partnership (PPP) Mode at an estimated cost of Rs. 5,963 crore (US\$ 747.64 million).
- In July 2022, the Union Cabinet chaired by Prime Minister Mr. Narendra Modi, approved the signing of the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between India & Maldives. This MoU will provide a platform to tap the benefits of information technology for court digitization and can be a potential growth area for IT companies and start-ups in both countries.
- India and Namibia entered a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) on wildlife conservation and sustainable biodiversity utilization on July 20, 2022, for establishing the cheetah into the historical range in India.
- ➤ In July 2022, the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) approved international trade settlements in Indian rupees (Rs.) to promote the growth of global trade with emphasis on exports from India and to support the increasing interest of the global trading community.
- The Agnipath Scheme aims to develop a young and skilled armed force backed by an advanced warfare technology scheme by providing youth with an opportunity to serve Indian Army for a 4-year period. It is introduced by the Government of India on June 14, 2022.
- In June 2022, Prime Minister Mr. Narendra Modi inaugurated and laid the foundation stone of development projects worth Rs. 21,000 crore (US\$ 2.63 billion) at Gujarat Gaurav Abhiyan at Vadodara.
- ➤ Mr. Rajnath Singh, Minister of Defence, launched 75 newly developed Artificial Intelligence (AI) products/technologies during the first-ever 'AI in Defence' (AIDef) symposium and exhibition organized by the Ministry of Defence in New Delhi on July 11, 2022.
- In June 2022, Prime Minister Mr. Narendra Modi laid the foundation stone of 1,406 projects worth more than Rs. 80,000 crore (US\$ 10.01 billion) at the ground-breaking ceremony of the UP Investors Summit in Lucknow. The Projects encompass diverse sectors like Agriculture and Allied industries, IT and Electronics, MSME, Manufacturing, Renewable Energy, Pharma, Tourism, Defence & Aerospace, and Handloom & Textiles.
- The Indian Institute of Spices Research (IISR) under the Indian Council for Agricultural Research (ICAR) inked a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Lysterra LLC, a Russia-based company for the commercialization of bio capsule, an encapsulation technology for bio-fertilization on June 30, 2022.
- As of April 2022, India signed 13 Free Trade Agreements (FTAs) with its trading partners including major trade agreements like the India-UAE Comprehensive Partnership Agreement (CEPA) and the India-Australia Economic Cooperation and Trade Agreement (IndAus ECTA).
- 'Mission Shakti' was applicable with effect from April 1, 2022, aimed at strengthening interventions for women's safety, security, and empowerment.
- ➤ The Union Budget of 2022-23 was presented on February 1, 2022, by the Minister for Finance & Corporate Affairs, Ms. Nirmala Sitharaman. The budget had four priorities PM GatiShakti, Inclusive Development, Productivity Enhancement and Investment, and Financing of Investments. In the Union Budget 2022-23, effective capital



- expenditure is expected to increase by 27% at Rs. 10.68 trillion (US\$ 142.93 billion) to boost the economy. This will be 4.1% of the total Gross Domestic Production (GDP).
- > Strengthening of Pharmaceutical Industry (SPI) was launched in March 2022 by the Ministry of Chemicals & Fertilisers to provide credit linked capital and interest subsidy for Technology Upgradation of MSME units in pharmaceutical sector, as well as support of up to Rs. 20 crore (US\$ 2.4 million) each for common facilities including Research centre, testing labs and ETPs (Effluent Treatment Plant) in Pharma Clusters, to enhance the role of MSMEs.
- ➤ Under PM GatiShakti Master Plan, the National Highway Network will develop 25,000 km of new highways network, which will be worth Rs. 20,000 crore (US\$ 2.67 billion). In 2022-23. Increased government expenditure is expected to attract private investments, with a production-linked incentive scheme providing excellent opportunities. Consistently proactive, graded, and measured policy support is anticipated to boost the Indian economy.
- In February 2022, The Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment launched the Scheme for Economic Empowerment of Denotified/Nomadic/SemiNomadic tribal communities (DNTs) (SEED) to provide basic facilities like good quality coaching, and health insurance. livelihoods initiative at a community level and financial assistance for the construction of houses.
- In February 2022, Minister for Finance and Corporate Affairs Ms. Nirmala Sitharaman said that productivity linked incentive (PLI) schemes would be extended to 14 sectors to achieve the mission of AtmaNirbhar Bharat and create 60 lakh jobs with an additional production capacity of Rs. 30 trillion (US\$ 401.49 billion) in the next five years.
- ➤ In the Union Budget of 2022-23, the government announced funding for the production-linked incentive (PLI) scheme for domestic solar cells and module manufacturing of Rs. 24,000 crore (US\$ 3.21 billion).
- In the Union Budget of 2022-23, the government announced a production-linked incentive (PLI) scheme for Bulk Drugs which was an investment of Rs. 2,500 crore (US\$ 334.60 million).
- In the Union Budget of 2022, Minister for Finance & Corporate Affairs Ms. Nirmala Sitharaman announced that a scheme for design-led manufacturing in 5G would be launched as part of the PLI scheme.
- In September 2021, Union Cabinet approved major reforms in the telecom sector, which are expected to boost employment, growth, competition, and consumer interests. Key reforms include rationalization of adjusted gross revenue, rationalization of bank guarantees (BGs), and encouragement of spectrum sharing.
- ➤ In the Union Budget of 2022-23, the government has allocated Rs. 44,720 crore (US\$ 5.98 billion) to Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited (BSNL) for capital investments in the 4G spectrum.
- Minister for Finance & Corporate Affairs Ms. Nirmala Sitharaman allocated Rs. 650 crore (US\$ 86.69 million) for the Deep Ocean mission that seeks to explore vast marine living and non-living resources. Department of Space (DoS) has got Rs. 13,700 crore (US\$ 1.83 billion) in 2022-23 for several key space missions like Gaganyaan, Chandrayaan-3, and Aditya L-1 (sun).
- In May 2021, the government approved the production-linked incentive (PLI) scheme for manufacturing advanced chemistry cell (ACC) batteries at an estimated outlay of Rs. 18,100 crore (US\$ 2.44 billion); this move is expected to attract domestic and foreign investments worth Rs. 45,000 crore (US\$ 6.07 billion).
- Minister for Finance & Corporate Affairs Ms. Nirmala Sitharaman announced in the Union Budget of 2022-23 that the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) would issue Digital Rupee using blockchain and other technologies.
- ➤ In the Union Budget of 2022-23, Railway got an investment of Rs. 2.38 trillion (US\$ 31.88 billion) and over 400 new high-speed trains were announced. The concept of "One Station, One Product" was also introduced.
- To boost competitiveness, Budget 2022-23 has announced reforming the 16-year-old Special Economic Zone (SEZ)
- ➤ In June 2021, the RBI (Reserve Bank of India) announced that the investment limit for FPI (foreign portfolio investors) in the State Development Loans (SDLs) and government securities (G-secs) would persist unaffected at 2% and 6%, respectively, in FY22.
- ➤ In November 2020, the Government of India announced Rs. 2.65 trillion (US\$ 36 billion) stimulus package to generate job opportunities and provide liquidity support to various sectors such as tourism, aviation, construction, and housing. Also, India's cabinet approved the production-linked incentives (PLI) scheme to provide ~Rs. 2 trillion (US\$ 27 billion) over five years to create jobs and boost production in the country.
- Numerous foreign companies are setting up their facilities in India on account of various Government initiatives like Make in India and Digital India. Prime Minister of India Mr. Narendra Modi launched the Make in India initiative with an aim to boost the country's manufacturing sector and increase the purchasing power of the average Indian consumer, which would further drive demand and spur development, thus benefiting investors. The Government of India, under its Make in India initiative, is trying to boost the contribution made by the manufacturing sector with an aim to take it to 25% of the GDP from the current 17%. Besides, the government has also come up with the Digital India initiative, which focuses on three core components: the creation of digital infrastructure, delivering services digitally, and increasing digital literacy.
- ➤ On January 29, 2022, the National Asset Reconstruction Company Ltd (NARCL) will acquire bad loans worth up to Rs. 50,000 crore (US\$ 6.69 billion) about 15 accounts by March 31, 2022. India Debt Resolution Co. Ltd (IDRCL) will control the resolution process. This will clean up India's financial system, help fuel liquidity, and boost the Indian economy.



- National Bank for Financing Infrastructure and Development (NaBFID) is a bank that will provide non-recourse infrastructure financing and is expected to support projects from the first quarter of FY23; it is expected to raise Rs. 4 trillion (US\$ 53.58 billion) in the next three years.
- ➤ By November 1, 2021, India, and the United Kingdom hope to begin negotiations on a free trade agreement. The proposed FTA between these two countries is likely to unlock business opportunities and generate jobs. Both sides have renewed their commitment to boost trade in a manner that benefits all.
- ➤ In August 2021, Prime Minister Mr. Narendra Modi announced an initiative to start a national mission to reach the US\$ 400 billion merchandise export target by FY22.
- In August 2021, Prime Minister Mr. Narendra Modi launched a digital payment solution, e-RUPI, a contactless and cashless instrument for digital payments.
- In April 2021, Dr. Ahmed Abdul Rahman AlBanna, Ambassador of the UAE to India and Founding Patron of IFIICC, stated that trilateral trade between India, the UAE and Israel is expected to reach US\$ 110 billion by 2030.
- India is expected to attract investment of around US\$ 100 billion in developing the oil and gas infrastructure during 2019-23.
- > The Government of India is expected to increase public health spending to 2.5% of the GDP by 2025

(Source: https://www.ibef.org/economy/indian-economy-overview)

# ROAD AHEAD

India's economic story during the first half of the current financial year highlighted the unwavering support the government gave to its capital expenditure, which, in 2023-24, stood 37.4% higher than the same period last year. In the budget of 2023-24, capital expenditure took lead by steeply increasing the capital expenditure outlay by 37.4 % in BE 2023-24 to Rs.10 lakh crore (US\$ 120.12 billion) over Rs. 7.28 lakh crore (US\$ 87.45 billion) in RE 2022-23. The ratio of revenue expenditure to capital outlay increased by 1.2% in the current year, signalling a clear change in favour of higher-quality spending. Stronger revenue generation because of improved tax compliance, increased profitability of the company, and increasing economic activity also contributed to rising capital spending levels. In February 2024, the Finance Ministry announced the total expenditure in Interim 2024-25 estimated at Rs. 47,65,768 crore (US\$ 571.64 billion) of which total capital expenditure is Rs. 11,11,111 crore (US\$ 133.27 billion).

Since India's resilient growth despite the global pandemic, India's exports climbed at the second-highest rate with a year-over-year (YoY) growth of 8.39% in merchandise exports and a 29.82% growth in service exports till April 2023. With a reduction in port congestion, supply networks are being restored. The CPI-C inflation reduction from June 2022 already reflects the impact. In September 2023 (Provisional), CPI-C inflation was 5.02%, down from 7.01% in June 2022. With a proactive set of administrative actions by the government, flexible monetary policy, and a softening of global commodity prices and supply-chain bottlenecks, inflationary pressures in India look to be on the decline overall.

(Source: https://www.ibef.org/economy/indian-economy-overview)

# INDIA AGROCHEMICAL MARKET

Driven largely by government support, expanding production capacities, a flourishing domestic and export market, and a steady stream of innovative products, the Indian agrochemicals industry is projected to clock a robust compound annual growth rate (CAGR) of nine per cent from FY2025 to FY2028, says a report by Rubix Data Sciences, a leading risk management and monitoring company.

This steady growth will propel the market size of the Indian agrochemical industry to \$14.5 billion by FY28 from the current levels of around \$10.3 billion, the report said, adding that India's agrochemicals exports registered a strong 14 per cent CAGR from FY2019 to FY2023, reaching \$5.4 billion in FY2023.

This impressive export growth stands in stark contrast to imports, which registered a more moderate 6 per cent CAGR during the same period, thus solidifying India's position as a net exporter, it said.

The report noted that within the agrochemicals sector, herbicides have emerged as the leading export segment, experiencing the fastest growth at 23 per cent CAGR from FY2019 to FY2023. The share of herbicides in total agrochemical exports increased from 31 per cent to 41 per cent during the same timeframe.

It said that the Indian agrochemicals export landscape reveals a growing concentration in key markets.

The top five countries (Brazil, USA, Vietnam, China, and Japan) now account for nearly 65 per cent of India's agrochemical exports, up from 48 per cent in FY2019. India's domestic agrochemicals usage currently totals a mere 0.6



kg per hectare, which is a fraction compared to the Asian average (3.6 kg/ha) and a mere quarter of the global average (2.4 kg/ha).

"This low utilisation signifies immense potential for market expansion in the coming years, presenting a fertile ground for industry growth," the report said. It, however, added that the road ahead for the sector is not without its fair share of challenges.

"Global economic uncertainties pose a risk, as do intensifying competitive pressures from established players like China. Climate change further complicates the equation, with unpredictable monsoons disrupting agricultural patterns and impacting crop yields," the report added.

(Source: https://eng.ruralvoice.in/agribusiness/indian-agrochemical-sector-poised-for-9pc-cagr-growth-by-fy28.html)

The rising population in India, accompanied by rising affluence, is creating a shift in consumption patterns. There is a need to not just increase production to meet demand but also to ensure that the nutritional needs of an increasingly affluent population are met. Shrinking arable land and loss of crops due to pest attacks lead to wastage, posing a critical challenge to ensuring food and nutritional security. The agrochemical market is an important agriculture support industry, which boosts the agriculture output. These factors support the growth of the market.

In India, about 15-25% of potential crop production is lost due to pests, weeds, and diseases. The need for improving crop productivity with a focus on the effective use of pest control measures and the adoption of weed management practices has been recognized as an important factor in increasing agricultural output. These factors are aiding the use of agrochemicals in agriculture to increase output.

Pesticide usage is high among other chemicals. Price premiums and innovative eco-friendly production methods are emerging steadily in the agrochemical market. There is an increasing need to balance the judicious use of the best chemicals and minimize the impact of that use. As the Central Government focuses on promoting sustainable agriculture practices, there is an increase in the use of biopesticides which now accounts for 15% of the market.

According to the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry, the Indian government recognizes the agrochemical industry as one of its top 12 industries to achieve global leadership, growing at 8-10% through 2025. Thus, the agrochemical sector in India is projected to witness growth during the forecast period. (Source: https://www.mordorintelligence.com/industry-reports/india-agrochemicals-market)

India is one of the major players in the agriculture sector worldwide and it is the primary source of livelihood for 55% of India's population. India has the world's largest cattle herd (buffaloes), largest area planted to wheat, rice, and cotton, and is the largest producer of milk, pulses, and spices in the world. It is the second-largest producer of fruit, vegetables, tea, farmed fish, cotton, sugarcane, wheat, rice, cotton, and sugar. Agriculture sector in India holds the record for second-largest agricultural land in the world generating employment for about half of the country's population. Thus, farmers become an integral part of the sector to provide us with means of sustenance. Consumer spending in India will return to growth in 2021 post the pandemic-led contraction, expanding by as much as 6.6%. The Indian food industry is poised for huge growth, increasing its contribution to world food trade every year due to its immense potential for value addition, particularly within the food processing industry. The Indian food processing industry accounts for 32% of the country's total food market, one of the largest industries in India and is ranked fifth in terms of production, consumption, export and expected growth.

# INDIAN FERTILISER SECTOR

India's fertilizer industry has transformed, ensuring food security for over half a century. Despite challenges like geopolitical tensions and climate change, innovations and policy support drive sustainable agricultural growth.

# Introduction

Unlike other periods in contemporary Indian history there has been no famine in India during the past half a century. Agricultural production witnessed a steady increase from the 1970's to the present (2023), which now stands at 329.7 million tons of grain production. In India, several factors contributed to this big achievement, the foremost among them being the use of mineral fertilizers in the farmlands. Globally, India is the second largest producer and consumer of fertilizers only after China.

As of now, the fertilizer manufacturing industry in India is a robust venture, utilization of installed capacities is good and the profitability of the business is also better. The situation was different just five years back when government subsidy



was inadequate and that too not available to the manufacturing units in time resulting in heavy financial strains to maintain operations of the unit. Some major players left the scene as they found other investment options more lucrative.

#### **Domestic Production**

Urea, DAP, NP and NPK complex fertilizers, ammonium sulphate, potash and single super phosphate (SSP) are the major fertilizer products used in Indian agriculture. India has a high dependency on imported fertilizer raw materials, intermediate and products.

	Nitrogen (N) (million tonnes)				Pho sphate (P2O5) (million tonnes)				
Year	No of plants	Installed Capacity	Production	Capacity Utilization %	No of plants	Installed Capacity	Production	Capacity Utilization %	
2021-	56	15.35	13.87	91.9	119	7.1	4.71	68	
2022-	60	17.28	15.74	95.2	122	7.28	5.01	70.6	

# Table 1: Installed capacity and production of fertilizers

In India, farming and the production of food grains is not a big-ticket business being operated at industry level. Though there are large farm holdings owned by some houses, the bulk of the Indian farmers are small and marginal ones who cultivate for subsistence and sell surplus to the market. Therefore, there is a heavy dependence on government support system, which are available in the form of fertilizer subsidies and minimum support price for procurement of grain by the agencies in the government.

Year	2021	-'22 (mi	llion tor	nnes)	2022-'23 (million tonnes)			
Nutrient	N	P205	K20	Total	N	P205	K20	Total
Production	13.87	4.71	-	18.58	15.74	5.01	10-1	20.75
Import	5.38	2.78	1.66	9.82	5.22	3.76	1.46	10.44
Consumption	19.44	7.83	2.53	29.80	20.21	7.92	1.72	29.84

# Table 2: Production, import and consumption of fertilizers

Food fertilizer and fuel subsidies constitute a big junk of government finances in the budgets presented to the Parliament every year. Following the Ukraine war and development of a troubled geo-political situation in the Middle East; there has been a complete disruption in the supply chain in the fertilizer industry.in the government from time to time and thus the government still has a say in fixing the prices of complex and potassic fertilizers.

# **Import of Fertilizers**

The highest import dependence is for potash for which no domestic sources are available. Efforts are underway to recover potash from spent lye from the sugar industry and from seawater bittern. In the case of phosphatic fertilizers for which raw material (phosphate rock), intermediate (phosphoric acid) and finished products (DAP and NPK complex fertilizers) need to be imported from other countries. Available phosphate deposits in Jhamarkotra in Rajasthan contain only a lower P2O5 content suitable for making SSP only. Around 30% of the country's urea requirement is met by imports. Every year the government earmarks a sizable quantum of foreign exchange for the above imports.



#### **Fertilizer Subsidy**

Under the Indian fertilizer subsidy regime, producers are asked to sell fertilizer materials (especially urea under the Retention Pricing Scheme – RPS) to the farmers at a price fixed by the government that is affordable to them. The price differential between cost of production together with a reasonable return on investment and the market realisation for every ton of product dispatched from the plants is paid to the manufacturer as a fertilizer subsidy. Urea is the largest volume fertilizer consumed in India and it comes under the subsidy regime.

Phosphate, complex and potash fertilizers have been partly decontrolled from pricing in 1992 and placed under a nutrient based subsidy (NBS) scheme since 2010. A fixed subsidy amount depending on its nutrient content (N, P, K, and S) is allowed for these products. It is revised by the Department of Fertilizers in the government from time to time and thus the government still has a say in fixing the prices of complex and potassic fertilizers.

Following the shift in the geopolitical situation in Europe the cost of domestic production increased heavily and so also the subsidy burden on the government. To sustain production, the government absorbed all price rice and thus during 2022-23 the subsidy bill went as high as 2.51 trillion rupees.

Subsidybudgeted (Rs trillion)	2022-'23	2023-24	2024-'25		
Urea Subsidy					
Indigenous	1.253	1.021	1.003		
Imported	0.434	0.300	0.226		
Nutrient Based Subsidy					
Indigenous	0.500	0.324	0.265		
Imported	0.360	0.279	0.185		
Total (less recoveries)	2.513	1.889	1.641		

Table 3: Fertilizer subsidies

### **Nutrient Efficiency**

Even though per hectare consumption of fertilizer nutrients in India is much lower than compared to Japan, China, Egypt, Korea etc., the fertilizer use is still lower. Serious efforts were made to scientifically analyse the nutrient demand of the soil and administer the requisite quantum of nutrients to the crops. The government has issued soil health cards to farmers to promote integrated nutrient management for improving soil fertility and increase productivity. Farmers are advised to use a judicial mix of chemical, organic, bio fertilisers and other innovative fertilisers as recommended by the soil health card. Together with fertigation, drip irrigation, proactive soil nutrient and water management, the fertilizer use efficiency is being improved and wastage of valuable crop inputs is reduced to some extent.

Farmers are also encouraged to use coated, modified, and fortified fertilizer materials for better nutrient administration and to reduce pollution from leaching of nutrients to the environment. Thrust was also given to the use of secondary and micronutrients. Water soluble fertilizers (WSFs) are also produced and marketed by several producers. It dissolves completely in water and the nutrients are more efficiently absorbed by the plant through fertigation. Additional subsidy is provided under the NBS scheme for fertilizers fortified with boron and zinc.

# Nano Urea and DAP

A major turning point in the Indian fertilizer sector is the development of Nano urea and DAP by agriculture scientists. These are nano technology products in liquid form which can be used as foliar spray for top-dressing instead of conventional soil based application of urea and DAP. The country's major fertilizer producer in the cooperative sector IFFCO started industry scale manufacturing of the nano-products and that is made available to the farmers. Initial results indicate promising gains from the foliar application of nano-products to the crops and its long term implications are being studied

Being an agrarian country India has a large reserve of biomass. Use of biomass for fertilizer application is being promoted in a big way. Composted municipal waste is also being used widely by Indian farmers. Of late, gasification of biomass to produce ammonia is also being explored by manufacturers.



# **Decarbonization of the Industry**

The fertilizer Industry is both energy and carbon intensive. The carbon intensity has substantially reduced from the shift in the feedstock from coal and liquid petroleum components to natural gas. The Indian industry is highly optimized on the energy consumption front over the years incorporating the developments in unit operations, energy conservation, waste reduction, reactor revamp technologies, use of innovative equipment and catalysts and improving overall plant safety.

Most of the Indian plants are of vintage prior to 1995 except a few. A good number of retrofits and revamps have taken place in each of these plants as part of modernization, energy conservation and efforts to better safety and environmental aspects. In the present context of advancing decarbonisation, existing operators may have to adopt carbon capture sequestration and storage (CCSS) or other technologies to fall in line with the national agenda towards net zero emissions. In the coming years, water electrolysis using rene-wable power to produce green hydrogen is slated to become the technology for ammonia synthesis. India's National Green Hydrogen Mission (NGHM), National Solar Mission, National Bioenergy program, Ministry of Renewable Energy and Bureau of Energy Efficiency are partners in this pioneering program.

Already serious carbon reduction programs are being taken up by the world's most renowned fertilizer producers across the globe and the Indian industry has also to fall in line with the above to ward off the adverse impacts of climate change.

#### **Outlook for Future**

Fertilizer is a strategic input to agriculture and therefore it is still one of the prime considerations of the government. The industry which was mostly a public sector activity in the 1980s is now dominated by the private sector due to change in the Government of India's public policy towards state owned industries. The Government of India has made serious attempts to disinvest the public sector fertilizer units but so far not succeeded. Of late, the disinvestment of the public sector fertilizer units is not a priority item before the Government. Decarbonization of the industry to produce green fertilizers will certainly add on to the cost of production which can be overcome by diligent application based on the 4R concept (right source, right rate, right time, and right place) and by increasing nutrient efficiencies.

The Indian population now stands at 1430 million in 2023 and is growing at the rate of 0.92 % per annum. Around 68% of the people belong to a working age group and thus India is a young nation. The food demand is going to increase in the coming years and therefore a stable policy for sustainable agriculture duly supported by optimized production, effective delivery and utmost diligence in its use efficiency are important for the country.



# **BUSINESS OVERVIEW**

The following information is qualified in its entirety by, and should be read together with, the more detailed financial and other information included in this Draft Letter of Offer, including the information contained in the section titled "Risk Factors", beginning on page no.22 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

Unless the context otherwise requires, in relation to business operations, in this section of this Draft Letter of Offer, all references to "we", "us", "our" and "our Company" are to Sikko Industries Limited and Group Entities as the case may be.

#### **OVERVIEW**

Sikko Industries Limited was originally incorporated in the name of Sikko Sprayers Private Limited on February 8, 2000. Thereafter, the company was converted in to public limited company and name of the Company was changed from Sikko Sprayers Private Limited to Sikko Sprayers Limited via Special Resolution passed by the members on 16/02/2010. Subsequently, the Name of Company has changed from Sikko Sprayers Limited to Sikko Industries Limited and Fresh certificate of Incorporation pursuant to change of name was issued by Assistant Registrar of Companies, Gujarat and Dadra Nagar Haveli on March 17, 2010.

In the year 1998, Our Promoter was running proprietorship firm, namely Sikko Sprayers & Exports Co. which was engaged in the manufacturing of "Growth Promoters" and its used as supplements in agriculture by farmers. In the blanket of Growth Promoters various products are sold namely Vakil, Diamond, Vasool, Biomono which are in combination of granules and liquid form. In addition, firm was engaged in assembling of different parts of Spray Pump having Inside and cylinder without bearing. The spray pumps are used by farmers in agriculture to sprey pesticides.

In the year 2000 our Company was incorporated as Sikko Sprayers Private Limited. Our Company acquired Sikko Sprayers & Exports Co., proprietorship concern of Mr. Pravinbhai M. Kumbhani in the year 2000 and consequent to which entire assets-liabilities including outstanding creditors of the said proprietorship concern were taken over by our company for which there was no formal agreement for acquisition of the said business was entered.

To avail the rich experience of our promoters in the field of agrochemicals and after establishing strong foot hold in the field of agro chemicals and pesticides, Our Company also started fertilizer unit on March 30, 2011. This has improved our top line. To sum up our Company is engaged in manufacturing of Pesticides including organic Pesticides, Fertilizers including organic fertilizer, Spray Pump and Organic Seeds.



The initial object of the Company is to set up facilities for manufacture of all kinds of sprayers for agricultural purposes and all spare parts of such sprayers. Afterwards the main object of the Company has been changed vide Special Resolution passed through Postal Ballot and Remote e-Voting on October 13, 2022. As per latest Object clause of Memorandum of Association of the Company, followings are main objects of the Company;

- 1. To carry on business as manufacturers, assemblers, stockist, agents, importers, exporters, traders, whole-sellers, retailers, distributors or dealers of all kinds of sprayers for agricultural purposes and all spare parts of such sprayers..
- 2. To manufacture, process, refine, install, work, store, maintain, improve, manipulate, formulate, pack, mix, prepare for market, sell both in wholesale or retail, buy, repair, alter, exchange, export, import, distribute and deal in all kinds of and types of pesticides, fertilizers, all types of agricultural chemicals, pesticides intermediates, including insecticides, fungicides, herbicides, weedicides and all allied and agricultural products, seeds, seed products and its byproducts thereof.
- 3. To manufacture, formulate, process, develop, refine, import, export, wholesale and/or retail trade all kinds of pharmaceuticals, surgical with surgical instruments, antibiotics, drugs, medicines, biologicals, nutraceuticals, healthcare, Ayurvedic and dietary supplement products, medicinal preparations, vaccines, chemicals, chemical products, dry salters, mineral waters, wines, cordials, liquors, soups, broths and other restoratives or foods and also to deal in medicinal goods such as surgical instruments, contraceptives, photographic goods, oils, perfumes, cosmetics, patent medicines, soaps, artificial limbs, hospital requisites, proprietary medicines, veterinary medicines and tinctures extracts and to carry on the business of vialling, bottling, repacking, processing of tablets, capsules, syrups, injections,



ointments, etc. and also to carry on the business of chemists, druggists, buyers, sellers, agents, distributors and stockists of all kinds of pharmaceuticals and allied products.

4. To carry on business of export, import, buying, selling, processing, and trading of agricultural commodities of all kinds such as fruits, vegetables, pulses, grains, spices or any other agro commodities or produce whatsoever including processed foods.

Company was initially engaged in manufacturing of pesticides, fertilizers, all types of agricultural chemicals, pesticides intermediates, including insecticides, fungicides, herbicides, weedicides and all allied and agricultural products, seeds, seed products and its byproducts thereof. However, management on boarding, has arrived to a decision to enter into manufacturing of pharmaceuticals goods and agricultural commodities.

Our company is manufacturing and supplying a wide range of agrochemicals, pesticides, bio pesticides, organic pesticides, bio larvicides, organic larvicides, bio miticides, organic fertilizers, water soluble fertilizers, chemical fertilizers, and many more products for Agri inputs.

# OUR PRODUCTS

We sell a wide range of products. Some products are as mentioned below:

# I. Range of Organic Pesticide:

1.	Khanjar (Organic Pesticide)	2.	Dokamar (Organic Larvicide)
3.	Shakti (Organic Miticide Cum Acaricide)	4.	Mite Win (Organic Miticide)
5.	Sulala (Organic Pesticide)	6.	Japan Jet (Organic Pesticide for All Sucking Pest Control)
7.	Mundamar (Herbal Pesticide+Bio Stimulant)	8.	Mono Tej (Herbal Pesticide)
9.	NEMATOSIK (ORGANIC NEMATICIDE)	10.	BPH Plus / Ultra Super(For Paddy BPH Control)
11.	Neemox (Neem Based Herbal Pesticide)	12.	Safayo (Organic Pesticide)
13.	Vat (Herbal Pesticide-Like Acephate)	14.	Sective (Organic Pesticide GR.)
15.	Forato-4 (Herbal+Bio Stimulant)-100% Organic	16.	Vakil-3D (Herbal Pesticide + Fungicide + Bio Stimulant
17.	Dokamar-GR (Organic Pesticide Granules)		

# II. Range of Organic Fungicide:

1.	Fungi Plus (Organic Fungicide)	2.	Volvino (Organic Fungicide)
3.	Adhunic (New Organic Fungicide)	4.	BIO-M-45 (Bio Fungicide)
5.	Beej Rakshak (Seed Treatment Powder)		

# III. Range of Organic Plant Growth Promoter:

1.	Vakil (Bio-Stimulant)	2.	Mr. India (Flowering And Growth Stimulant)
3.	Maharathi	4.	Signatic (Flowering And Growth Stimulant)
5.	Diamond (Growth Promoter)	6.	Humisik-12% ( Liquid.)
7.	Voom Plus (Nitrobenzene)	8.	Jiraking (Growth Promoter For Cumin )
9.	Humic-95	10.	Sulpho-100
11.	Siktone (Plant Micro Nutrient)	12.	Sikzyme Plus (Growth Promoter)



13	Vibrant	14.	Mogambo
15	Trap In	16.	Drip Master

# IV. Range of Animal Repellant:

1.	Bhagam Bhag	2.	Nil Master
1.	Bnagam Bnag	2.	N11 Master

# V. Range of Pesticide Products:

1.	Aceper (Acetamipride 1.1%+Cypermethrin 5.5% EC)	2.	Alpha-5 (Alphacypermethrin 5% WP)
3.	Alpha-10 (Alphamethrin 10% SC)	4.	Alfasik (Alphamethrin 10% EC)
5.	Azasik (Azadirectin 0.03% (300 PPM)	6.	Bansik-GR (Chloropyriphos 10% GR)
7.	Benesik (Permethrin 25% EC)	8.	Bifen-8 (Bifenthrin 8% SC)
9.	Bifeno (Bifenthrin 2.5% EC)	10.	Bifensik (Bifenthrin 10% EC)
11.	Bufisik (Buprofezin 22% + Fipronil 3% SC)	12.	Buprosik (Buprofezin 25% SC)
13.	CarboSik (Carbosulfan 25% EC)	14.	Cartap-75 (Cartap Hydrochloride 75% SG)
15.	Cartsik (Cartap Hydrochloride 50% SP)	16.	Chloro-DP (Chloropyriphos 1.5% DP)
17.	Chlorsik (Chlorpyrifos 50% EC)	18.	Chlothrin (Chlorpyrifos 16% + Alphamethrin 1% EC)
19.	Congo (Fipronil 40% + Imidacloprid 40% WG)	20.	Cyprosik (Profenofos 40% Cypermethrin 4% EC)
21.	Deltasik (Deltamethrin 11% EC)	22.	Dicet (Difenthiuron 40.1% + Acetamiprid 3.9% WP)
23.	Benzomax (Emamectin Benzoate 3% + Thiamethoxam 12% WG)	24.	Femasik (Emamectin 1.5% + Fipronil 3.5% SC)
25.	Fepro 2.92 (Fipronil 2.92% EC)	26.	Fiprosik (Fiprosik 0.3% GR)
27.	Fipro WG (Fipronil 80% WG)	28.	Flubensik (Flubendiamide 39.35% SC)
29.	Khanjar (Emamectin 1.9% EC)	30.	Lacycap (Lambda cyhalothrin 4.9% CS)
31.	Lemsik (Lambdacyhalothrin 5% EC)	32.	Lenocet – 505 (Chlo 50% + Cyper 5% EC)
33.	Malasik (Malathion 50% EC)	34.	Midapower (Imidacloprid 70% WS)
35.	Mida FS (Imidacloprid 48% FS)	36.	Midasik (Imidacloprid 30.5% SC)
37.	Midaton (Imidacloprid 75% WG)	38.	Midhex (Imida 18.5% + Hexa 1.5% FS)
39.	Mitesik (Propargite 57% EC)	40.	Neemsik (Azadirectin 1% EC)
41.	O-claim (Emamectin Benzoate 5% SG)	42.	Olo-SC (Diafenthiuron 47.8% SC)
43.	Olosik (Diafenthiuron 50% WP)	44.	Propisik (Propiconazole 25% EC)
45.	Prosik (Profenophos 50% EC)	46.	Sikquin-DP (Quinalphos 1.5% DP)



47.	Sikko-DDVP (Dichlorvous 76% EC)	48.	Sikkoban (Chlorpyriphos 20% EC)
49.	Sikkocil (Monocrotophos 36% SL)	50.	Sikkofen-DP (Fenvalerate 0.4% DP)
51.	Sikkofen (Fenvalerate 20% EC)	52.	Sikkofol (Dicofol 18.5% EC)
53.	Sikkomida (Imidacloprid 17.8% SL)	54.	Sikkorin-10 (Cypermethrin 10% EC)
55.	Sikkorin (Cypermethrin 25% EC)	56.	Sikkorin-DP (Cypermethrin 0.25% DP)
57.	Sikkovant (Indoxacarb 14.5% SC)	58.	Siklane (Isoprothiolane 40% EC)
59.	Sikmite (Ethion 50% EC)	60.	Sikphate (Acephate 95% SG)
61.	Siknil (Fipronil 5% SC)	62.	Sikprid (Acetamiprid 20% SP)
63.	Sikquin (Quinalphos 25% EC)	64.	Siktara (Thimethoxam 25% WG)
65.	Sikthen (Acephate 75% SP)	66.	Sikthim (Thiamethoxam 30% FS)
67.	Smosik (Cypermethrin 3% Smoke Generator)	68.	Spinosik (Spinosad 45% SC)
69.	Thialem (Thiamethoxam 12.6% + Lambda Cyhalothrin 9.5% ZC)	70.	Trisik (Trizophos 40% EC)

# VI. Range of Fungicide Products:

1.	Azotab (Azoxystrobin 11% + Tabuconazole 18.3% SC)	2.	Tezubo(Azoxystrobin 12.5%+Tabuconazole 12.5 SC)
3.	Azodi (Azoxystrobin 18.2%+Difenoconazole 11.4% SC)	4.	Azobin (Azoxystrobin 23% SC)
5.	Bluecarb (Copper Oxychloride 54% + Carbendazim 18% WP)	6.	Blue-DG (Copper Oxychloride 50% WDG)
7.	Bluesik (Copper Oxychloride 50% WP)	8.	Moxride (Copper Oxychloride 56% OP)
9.	Carbenda-G (Carbendazim 5% GR)	10.	Carzeb-GR (Carbendazim 1.92% + Mancozeb 10.08% GR)
11.	Carbensik (Carbendazim 46.27% SC)	12.	Sikstin (Carbendazim 50% WP)
13.	Carmasik (Carbendazim 25% + Mancozeb 50% WS)	14.	Combosik (Carbendazim 12% + Mancozeb 63% WP)
15.	Dizone (Difenoconazole 25% EC)	16.	Hevasik (Hexaconazole 5% + Validamycin 2.5% SC)
17.	Hexar (Hexaconazole 2% SC)	18.	Hexasik (Hexaconazole 5% EC)
19.	Sikkotaf (Hexaconazole 5% SC)	20.	Taf – 75 (Hexaconazole 75% WG)
21.	Siklane (Isoprothiolane 40% EC)	22.	Memsik (Metalaxyl 8% + Mancozeb 64% WP)
23.	Metasik (Metalaxyl 35% WS)	24.	Sikkozeb (Mancozeb 75% WP)
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25.	Propisik (Propiconazole 25% EC)	26.	Prodi (Propiconazole 13.9% + Difenoconazole 13.9% EC)
27.	Siksulf (Sulphur 80% WP)	28.	Sulf Power (Sulphur 55.16% SC)
29.	Sulsik (Sulphur 80% WDG)	30.	Sulpho (Sulphur 22% SC)
31.	Sulpho-SC (Sulphur 40% SC)	32.	Tabu Plus (Tabuconazole 25.9% EC)
33.	Tacasik (Tabuconazole 6.7% + Captan 26.9% SC)	34.	Tebusik (Tabuconazole 10% + Sulphur 65% WG)
35.	Tebu-25 (Tabuconazole 25% WG)	36.	Topsik (Thiophanate Methyl 70% WP)
37.	Tritosik (Tricyclozole 70% WG)	38.	Trihex (Tricyclozole 45% + Hexaconazole 10% WG)
39.	Trimasik (Tricyclozole 18% + Mancozeb 62% WP)	40.	Validasik (Validamycin 3% L)

# VII. Range of Plant Growth Regulator:

1.	Ethesik (Ethephon 39% SL)	2.	Gibrasik (Gibberallic Acid 0.001% SL)
3.	Gibro (Gibberallic Acid 0.0186% SP)	4.	Siculan (Triacontanol 0.05% EC)

# VIII. Range of Fertilizers:

1.	BAP	2.	Bio Star
3.	Bhumi Star	4.	Sikko prom
5.	Black Suriya	6.	Vasool
7.	Vakil Gr	8.	Sikko Fast
9.	Chelated Fertilizer	10.	NPK Fertilizer
11.	Sulpher Fertilizer	12.	Water Soluble Fertilizer

# IX. Range of Seeds:

1.	Bajra	2.	Corriander
3.	Cotton BG-II	4.	Cotton Research
5.	Ground Nut	6.	Maize
7.	Moong	8.	Rajka Bajri
9.	Sesame	10.	Tur
11.	Wheat	12.	Water Mallon
13.	Valor	14.	Tomato
15.	Tandarjo	16.	Sponge Gaurd



17.	Ridge Gaurd	18.	Palak
19.	Padadi	20.	Onion
21.	Cluster Bean	22.	Cucumber
23.	Cawpea	24.	Chilly
25.	Carrot	26.	Cabbage
27.	Brinjal	28.	Bottle Guard
29.	Bitter Guard	30.	Bhindi

## COMPETITIVE STRNGTH

## Vast experience over 23 years with sound market knowledge

Our promoters are having experience of more than 23 years who have been involved in the business of manufacturing of agrochemicals which has enabled us to successfully implement our growth strategies. We benefit from the experience of the promoters and core management team.

# Relationship with Clients

We guide our loyal clients to purchase the hot products in advance, allocate the price-rising products at lower costs, what's more, and avoid purchasing abundant slack products. This has won much appreciation and good reputation from our loyal clients at home and abroad.

# **Prime Location of our Unit**

The unit is located at the outskirts of the Ahmedabad city on Sanand Highway and thus enjoys the good connectivity with different parts of the states, which makes the movements of the raw-material as well as our products easy and comfortable. Thus, it helps in procurement of raw material and dispatch of our products to the various clients.

# **Quality Assurance**

All products that dispatch from the factory premises are inspected by the packing and dispatch department. Further, quality check is done at every stage of manufacturing to ensure the adherence to desired specifications. Since, our Company is dedicated towards quality of products, processes and inputs; we get repetitive orders from our buyers, as we are capable of meeting their quality standards, which enables them to maintain their brand image in the market.

# **BUSINESS STRATEGY**

# 1. Continuous Innovation of Products and diverse products

The management is of the opinion that in order to be successful and competitive in the market, the company needs to be innovative. We offer special and exclusive range of agrochemicals including organic pesticides, organic fertilizers and others. Such diverse product mix helps us to cater the diverse customer segments and to various sectors of Industry. The product mix helps us to sustain the growth level. Over the years we have developed various products which is used by farmer in agriculture.

## 2. 2. Well-equipped Research and Development facility

We have well equipped research and Development facility to improve quality of the products and to produce high performance growth promoters, pesticides and fertilizer. Company has in house sound R&D Department backed by technical expertise of our Managing Director Mr. Jayantibhai Kumbhani which helps the company to enhance our product range.



# 3. Maintain and expand long-term relationships with clients

Our Company believes that business is a by-product of relationship. The business model is based on client relationships that are established over period of time rather than a project-based execution approach. Our Company believes that a long-term client relationship with large clients fetches better dividends. Long-term relations are built on trust and continuous maintaining of the requirements of the customers. It forms basis of further expansion for our Company, as we are able to monitor a potential product/ market closely.

# 4. Optimal Utilization of Resources

Our Company constantly endeavors to improve our production process, skill up-gradation of workers, modernization of machineries to optimize the utilization of resources. We regularly analyze our existing material procurement policy and manufacturing process to identify the areas of bottlenecks and correct the same. This helps us in improving efficiency and putting resources to optimal use.

# COLLABORATIONS

Our Company has not entered into any collaboration agreements as on date of this Draft Letter of Offer.

# OUR RAW MATERIALS

**Pesticide Unit:** Our major raw material for Organic Pesticides: Castorl Oil, Alcolide, Nim-Oil/Neem Extract, Dhatura Extract, Naffat Valley Extract, Aloveda and other solvent mix.

Organic Fungicides: Lantana Camara & Fatty Acid

Chemical Pesticides: Solvent and Filler Material- DMSO, DMF, Xylene, Acitone, Silica and China Clay.

Fertilizer Unit: Poultry Manure, Gypsum, Carbon, Castor Cake, Benotimite, Single Surphur Phosphate, Dolomite, Farm manure etc.

The requirement of raw material is also seasonal which can be bifurcated on monthly basis:

Pick Season: May to Augustedium: September to November

• Medium to Slack: December to March

All the raw materials are available on door delivery basis and almost all the raw material suppliers are situated within 10 to 200 kms from our factory unit.

# SWOT ANALYSIS

# **Strengths**

- The Promoters have been involved in the agro chemical business for more than 23 years
- The manufacturing unit is located on Sanand Highway and thus enjoys excellent connectivity.
- Our Existing Unit is located on outskirts of Ahmedabad, Sanand Highway, having raw material suppliers units in the surrounding area of 10 Kms to 200 Kms belt; thus having easy access to raw material at best market rates and requisite manpower.

#### Weaknesses

- Our business is highly seasonal in our country and such seasonality may adversely affect the demand for our fertilizers and pesticide and also our operating results.
- Strict government and environmental policies and controls may pose real hurdle to the development of our products.

## **Threats**

- The generic threat of economic slowdown exits, which may subdue the domestic demand for the products.
- Increasing popularity of agrochemical product may impact the pace of growth of agro chemicals industry, indirectly impacting the off-take and pace of growth of fertilizer and pesticides.

# **Opportunities**

The Gujarat and Indian Government are supportive of agriculture. Department of Fertilizers, Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers introduced Nutrient Based Subsidy Policy for decontrolled Phosphatic & Potassic Fertilizers for import of P & K fertilizers.



# **REVENUE FROM OPERATION:**

Our Company sales its goods in Domestic as well as International Market. The details of geographic revenue is provided as under;

(₹ in Lakh)

Particulars	For the	For the year ended on March 31,				
raruculars	2024	2023	2022			
Domestic	6,052.27	4,568.39	5,102.64			
Export (including deemed export through SEZ)	76.44	377.80	-			
Tota	6,128.71	4,946.19	5,102.64			

## COMPETITION

We operate in a highly competitive market and there are large numbers of players in organized sector as well as in unorganized sector. Our competition depends on the products being offered by various companies in the organized segment besides several other factors like quality, price, and timely delivery. Competition emerges not only from organized sector but also from the unorganized sector and from both small and big regional and National players. Our experience in this business has enabled us to provide quality products in response to customer's demand for best quality.

# END USERS

We sold our Products to Farmers, who are end user.

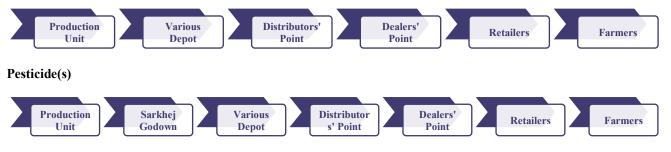
## MARKETING

Our success lies in the strength of our relationship with our over 400 reputed dealers who have been associated with our Company for a long period. We do marketing of our products by Television Advertisement, Poster, Banner, and as per requirement of our Area Managers we conduct Road Show – "Rath Show" in various cities of India and carry out Field work activity programmes for Farmers, one to one Meeting with Farmers and giving Live Demonstrations of our products.

Our company has appointed Mr. Chimanbhai Ranpariya as Marketing Manager who looks after our marketing department.

In addition, our company has appointed General Manager and Area Manager Officers, representative who are engaged in various field work and helps us to increase top line of our Company. Our Promoter Mr. Jayantibhai Kumbhani and Mr. Ghanshyambhai Kumbhani through their vast experience and good relations with clients owing to timely and quality delivery of products plays an instrumental role in creating and expanding a work platform for our Company. Our clients are spreader all over India; However, our majority of clients are located in the state of Gujarat, Rajasthan, Maharashtra, Uttar Pradesh, West Bengal etc. We have the locational advantage as regards to our manufacturing facility located in outskirts of the Ahmedabad on Sanand Highway, which is known for its agricultural and industrial products. Based on experience of our promoters and market conditions, we do keep our buffer stock. The whole process of Marketing and Distribution arrangement is summarized below;

# Fertilizer(s)



# INSURANCE

Our Company has insurance coverage which we consider reasonably sufficient to cover all normal risks associated with our operations and which we believe is in accordance with the industry standards. We have taken Standard Fire & Special Perils Policy for a substantial majority of our assets at our office and factory. Our policies are subject to customary



exclusions and customary deductibles. We believe that our insurance coverage is adequate for our business needs and operations. We will continue to review our policies to ensure adequate insurance coverage is maintained.

# INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Sr. No.	Brand Name / Logo Trademark	Registration and Class Number	Owner	Date of Applica tion	Authority	Current Status	Date of Expiry
1.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark BHAGAM BHAG	2618595 under Class No. 5 (Orgaic Animal Repellant, Pesticides and Insecticides)	Sikko Industries Limited	October 25, 2013	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	October 25, 2033
2.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark BHAGAM BHAG	3325301 under Class No. 1 (Chemicals Used in Agriculture. Horticulture and Bio Chemicals)	Sikko Industries Limited	August 02, 2016	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	August 02, 2026
3.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark <b>B.A.P.</b>	2092824 under Class No. 1 (Fertilizer, Soil, Conditioner, Agrochemicals included in Class- 1)	Sikko Industries Limited	Februar y 1, 2011	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	February 1, 2031
4.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark	1771330 under Class No. 5 (Pesticides, Herbicides and fungicides included in Class-5)	Sikko Industries Limited	January 6, 2009	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	January 6, 2029
5.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark MUNDAMAR	3181785 under Class No. 5 (Pesticides, Vermicides Included In Class 5)	Sikko Industries Limited	Februar y 10, 2016	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	February 10, 2026
6.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark MUNDAMAR	5058756 under Agro Chemicals, Fertilizers, Manure Included In Class - 1	Sikko Industries Limited	July 26, 2021	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	July 26, 2031
7.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark KHANJAR	5058757 under Agro Chemicals, Fertilizers, Manure Included In Class - 1	Sikko Industries Limited	July 26, 2021	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	July 26, 2031
8.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark BHOOMI STAR	3512131 under Class No. 1 (Agro Chemicals, Bio Chemicals, Fertilizers, Manure)	Sikko Industries Limited	March 22, 2017	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	March 22, 2027
9.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark MAHARATHI	3509596 under Class No. 5 (Pesticides, insecticides and animal repellent)	Sikko Industries Limited	March 17, 2017	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	March 17, 2027



Sr. No.	Brand Name / Logo Trademark	Registration and Class Number	Owner	Date of Applica tion	Authority	Current Status	Date of Expiry
10.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark  BLACK SURIYA Slow Release Soil Conditioner	2305134 under Class No. 1 (Agro Chemicals and Fertilizers)	Sikko Industries Limited	March 03, 2012	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	March 03, 2032
11.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark DR. AGRI	3469149 under Class No. 5 (Organic Animal repellant, Pesticides And insecticides)	Sikko Industries Limited	January 30, 2017	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	January 30, 2027
12.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark BHIMA	3469148 under Class No. 1 (Chemicals Used in Agriculture, Horticulture and bio Chemicals)	Sikko Industries Limited	January 30, 2017	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	January 30, 2027
13.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark GATUR 71	3478886 under Class No. 5 (Pesticides And insecticides, Animal repellant)	Sikko Industries Limited	Februar y 10, 2017	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	February 10, 2027
14.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark VASOOL	3478921 under Class No. 1 (Agro Chemicals And fertilizer)	Sikko Industries Limited	Februar y 10, 2017	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	February 10, 2027
15.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark	4370041 under Class No. 1 (Fertilizers And agro Chemicals)	Sikko Industries Limited	Decemb er 06, 2019	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	Decembe r 06, 2029
16.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark	Refer "Table A" provided hereunder	Sikko Industries Limited	July 10, 2015	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	July 10, 2025
17.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark MUNDAMAR	5058756 under Class No. 1 (Fertilizers And agro Chemicals)	Sikko Industries Limited	July 26, 2021	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	July 26, 2031
18.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark.  KHANJAR	5058757 under Class No. 1 (Fertilizers And agro Chemicals)	Sikko Industries Limited	July 26, 2021	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	July 26, 2031



Sr. No.	Brand Name / Logo Trademark	Registration and Class Number	Owner	Date of Applica tion	Authority	Current Status	Date of Expiry
19.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark ZUMZUM	5451030 under Class No. 1 (Fertilizers And agro Chemicals)	Sikko Industries Limited	May 17, 2022	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	May 17, 2032
20.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark ZUMZUM	5451031 under Class No. 5 (Pesticides And insecticides, Animal repellant)	Sikko Industries Limited	May 17, 2022	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	May 17, 2032
21.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark VAKIL	5065562 under Class No. 1 (Fertilizers And agro Chemicals)	Sikko Industries Limited	July 29, 2021	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	July 29, 2031
22.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark LOGO WITH TAG LINE "HAR KISAN KI DHADKAN"	5420822 under Class No. 5 (Pesticides And insecticides, Animal repellant)	Sikko Industries Limited	April 23, 2022	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	April 23, 2032
23.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark LOGO WITH TAG LINE "HAR KISAN KI DHADKAN"	5420824 under Class No. 7 Agro Equipments, Machinery and parts include	Sikko Industries Limited	April 23, 2022	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	April 23, 2032
24.	Approval for using below mark as registered trade mark LOGO WITH TAG LINE "HAR KISAN KI DHADKAN"	5420823 under Class No. 31 All Type of Seeds	Sikko Industries Limited	April 23, 2022	Registrar Of Trademark, Mumbai	Registered	April 23, 20232

# Table – A

Sr. No.	Registration No.	Owner	Class of Trademark	Validity
1.	TradeMark No. 3005148 issued vide certificate No. 2433160 dated July 10, 2015	Sikko Industries Limited	Class 4	Valid up to July 10, 2025
2.	TradeMark No. 3005149 issued vide certificate No. 1422434 dated July 10, 2015	Sikko Industries Limited	Class 6	Valid up to July 10, 2025
3.	TradeMark No. 3005151 issued vide certificate No. 1740425 dated July 10, 2015	Sikko Industries Limited	Class 08	Valid up to July 10, 2025
4.	TradeMark No. 3005153 issued vide certificate No. 1740763 dated July 10, 2015	Sikko Industries Limited	Class 10	Valid up to July 10, 2025
5.	TradeMark No. 3005154 issued vide certificate No. 2433161 dated July 10, 2015	Sikko Industries Limited	Class 11	Valid up to July 10, 2025



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No.	Registration No.	Owner	Class of Trademark	Validity
6.	Trademark No. 3005156 issued vide	Sikko Industries	Class 13	Valid up to July 10,
	certificate No. 1372465 dated July 10, 2015	Limited	Cluss 19	2025
7.	TradeMark No. 3005158 issued vide	Sikko Industries	Class 15	Valid up to July 10,
	certificate No. 1414617 dated July 10, 2015	Limited	01465 10	2025
8.	TradeMark No. 3005160 issued vide	Sikko Industries	Class 17	Valid up to July 10,
	certificate No. 1414622 dated July 10, 2015	Limited		2025
9.	TradeMark No. 3005161 issued vide	Sikko Industries	Class 18	Valid up to July 10,
10	certificate No. 1414616 dated July 10, 2015 TradeMark No. 3005162 issued vide	Limited Sikko Industries		2025 Valid up to July 10,
10.	TradeMark No. 3005162 issued vide certificate No. 2081257 dated July 10, 2015	Limited	Class 19	2025
11.	TradeMark No. 3005163 issued vide	Sikko Industries		Valid up to July 10,
11.	certificate No. 1415280 dated July 10, 2015	Limited	Class 20	2025
12.	TradeMark No. 3005165 issued vide	Sikko Industries		Valid up to July 10,
12.	certificate No. 1372474 dated July 10, 2015	Limited	Class 22	2025
13.	TradeMark No. 3005166 issued vide	Sikko Industries		Valid up to July 10,
	certificate No. 1372473 dated July 10, 2015	Limited	Class 23	2025
14.	TradeMark No. 3005167 issued vide	Sikko Industries	C1 24	Valid up to July 10,
	certificate No. 1722664 dated July 10, 2015	Limited	Class 24	2025
15.	TradeMark No. 3005169 issued vide	Sikko Industries	Class 26	Valid up to July 10,
	certificate No. 1379753 dated July 10, 2015	Limited	Class 26	2025
16.	TradeMark No. 3005170 issued vide	Sikko Industries	Class 27	Valid up to July 10,
	certificate No. 1379926 dated July 10, 2015	Limited	Class 27	2025
17.	TradeMark No. 3005174 issued vide	Sikko Industries	Class 31	Valid up to July 10,
1.0	certificate No. 1379673 dated July 10, 2015	Limited	01465 01	2025
18.	TradeMark No. 3005176 issued vide	Sikko Industries	Class 33	Valid up to July 10,
10	certificate No. 1379711 dated July 10, 2015	Limited		2025
19.	TradeMark No. 3005177 issued vide certificate No. 1403297 dated July 10, 2015	Sikko Industries Limited	Class 34	Valid up to July 10, 2025
20.	TradeMark No. 3005178 issued vide	Sikko Industries		Valid up to July 10,
20.	certificate No. 1402676 dated July 10, 2015	Limited	Class 35	2025
21.	TradeMark No. 3005179 issued vide	Sikko Industries		Valid up to July 10,
21.	certificate No. 1736694 dated July 10, 2015	Limited	Class 36	2025
22.	Trademark No. 3005180 issued vide	Sikko Industries	G1 25	Valid up to July 10,
	certificate No. 1402773 dated July 10, 2015	Limited	Class 37	2025
23.	Trademark No. 3005181 issued vide	Sikko Industries	Class 38	Valid up to July 10,
	certificate No. 1402833 dated July 10, 2015	Limited	Class 30	2025
24.	Trademark No. 3005183 issued vide	Sikko Industries	Class 40	Valid up to July 10,
	certificate No. 1402779 dated July 10, 2015	Limited	C1033 T0	2025
25.	Trademark No. 3005184 issued vide	Sikko Industries	Class 41	Valid up to July 10,
	certificate No. 1402745 dated July 10, 2015	Limited		2025
26.	Trademark No. 3005185 issued vide	Sikko Industries	Class 42	Valid up to July 10,
27	certificate No. 1402674 dated July 10, 2015	Limited		2025
27.	Trademark No. 3005186 issued vide certificate No. 1408092 dated July 10, 2015	Sikko Industries Limited	Class 43	Valid up to July 10, 2025
28.	Trademark No. 3005187 issued vide	Sikko Industries		
۷٥.	certificate No. 1408240 dated December 9,	Limited	Class 44	Valid up to July 10,
	2016	Limited	C1035 T1	2025
29.	Trademark No. 3005188 issued vide	Sikko Industries	C1 45	Valid up to July 10,
	certificate No. 1443002 dated July 10, 2015	Limited	Class 45	2025
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# **OUR PROPERTIES**

We own and lease certain properties for our corporate operations and projects. The brief details of some of the material properties owned/leased by our Company are set out below:



Name of the Seller / Lessor	Location	Area	Purpose	Purchase / On Rent / Leased	Rent / Consideration (₹ in Lakh)	Date of Agreement	Validity of Agreement
Mr. Tanwir Abdulkadar Rushnaiwala, Proprietor of Sunpack Industries Unit - 2	Ambica Industrial Estate 55-B, Ambica Industrial Estate, Sanand Viram Gam Highway, At- Iyava, Dist- Ahmedabad	1500 Sq. Mtrs	Factory – Pesticides Unit	Purchase	1.50	September 12, 2007	-
Mr. Tanwir Abdulkadar Rushnaiwala, Proprietor of Sunpack Industries	Ambica Industrial Estate 55-A, Ambica Industrial Estate, Sanand Viram Gam Highway, At- Iyava, Dist- Ahmedabad	2155 Sq. Mtrs	Factory – Pesticides Unit	Purchase	21.00	September 12, 2007	-
Parasnath (Vejalpur) Cooperative Housing Society Limited	Iskon Elegence 508, Iskon Elegence, Nr. Jain Temple, S. G. Highway, Ahmedabad – 380 051	4220 Sq. Fts.	Registered Office	Purchase	69.63	October 30, 2010	-
Mr. Umang Thakkar, C/o. Dharmdev Housing Corporation	Sahjanand Estate 95, Sahjanand Estate, Opp Bhavani Motors, Sarkhej Dist- Ahmedabad	909.94 Sq. Fts.	Godown	Purchase	3.37	December 13, 2003	-
Mr. Hadlahalli Subbeggowda Venkatesh	Iskon Elegence 507, Iskon Elegence, Nr. Jain Temple, S. G. Highway, Ahmedabad – 380051.	1610 Sq. Fts.	Office Premise	Purchase	150	March 03, 2023	-

# **EXPORTS & EXPORTS OBLIGATIONS**

We export our Products. As on date, our Company has not exported and as on date of this Prospectus there is no export obligation on the Company.



# **OUR MANAGEMENT**

Our Articles of Association require us to have not less than 3 Directors and not more than 15 Directors, subject to the applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013. Set forth below are details regarding our Board as on the date of this Draft Letter of Offer.

We currently have Six (6) directors on our Board.

1. Mr. Ghanshyambhai Kumbhani : Chairman & Whole-Time Director

Mr. Jayantibhai Kumbhani
 Mrs. Alpaben Kumbhani
 Executive Director
 Mrs. Mamtaben Thumbar
 Independent Director
 Mr. Hasmukh Vavaiya
 Independent Director
 Mr. Ashvinkumar Trapasiya
 Independent Director

The Following table sets forth details regarding the Board of Directors as of the date of this Draft Letter of offer.

MR. GHANSHYAM MOHANBHAI KUMBHANI				
Father's Name	Late Mr. Mohanbhai Nanjibhai Kumbhani			
Present Address	F 67/47, Sterling City, Nr Prakruti Bunglow, Bopal, Daskroi, Ahmedabad, Gujarat - 380			
	058, India			
Date of Birth	August 12, 1963			
Age	60 years			
Designation	Chairman & Whole-Time Director			
Status	Executive			
DIN	00587855			
Occupation	Business			
Nationality	Indian			
Qualification	Bachelor Degree of Science in Chemistry from the Sardar Patel University, Gujarat			
No. of Years of Experience	38 years of experience in agricultural field including 26 years of experience in			
	agricultural business			
Date of Appointment	January 1, 2010			
Present Term of	He holds the office for the period of five (5) years w.e.f. October 1, 2021, liable to retire			
Appointment	by rotation.			
Other Directorships/	Sikko Trade Link Private Limited			
Designated Partner	Siganjka Industries Private Limited			

MR. JAYANTIBHAI MOHANBHAI KUMBHANI				
Father's Name	Late Mr. Mohanbhai Nanjibhai Kumbhani			
Present Address	8, Pooja Bungalows, Opp. Govt, Tubewell, Bopal, Ahmedabad, Gujarat - 380058, India			
Date of Birth	April 10, 1966			
Age	58 years			
Designation	Managing Director			
Status	Executive			
DIN	00587807			
Occupation	Business			
Nationality	Indian			
Qualification	Bachelor Degree of Science in Agriculture from the Gujarat Agricultural University			
No. of Years of Experience	35 years of experience in agricultural field including 26 years of experience in agricultural business			
Date of Appointment	January 15, 2003			
Present Term of	He holds the office for the period of five (5) years w.e.f. October 1, 2021, liable to retire			
Appointment	by rotation.			
Other Directorships/	Sikko Trade Link Private Limited			
Designated Partner	Agro Chemicals Manufacturers Association of India			
	Siganjka Industries Private Limited			



MRS. ALPABEN JAYANTI	BHAI KUMBHANI
Father's Name	Mr. Ranchhodbhai Boghabhai Chovatiya
Address	8, Pooja Bunglows, Opp. Govt Tubewell, B/H Vanza Hospital, Bopal, Ahmedabad,
	Gujarat – 380 058, India
Date of Birth	November 05, 1973
Age	50 years
Designation	Executive Director
Status	Executive
DIN	00587848
Occupation	Business
Nationality	Indian
Qualification	Bachelor of Commerce
No. of Years of Experience	14 years of experience of general administration Work.
Date of Appointment	June 4, 2021
Present Term of	She holds the office for the period of five (5) years w.e.f. October 1, 2021, liable to retire
Appointment	by rotation.
Other Directorships/	Siganjka Industries Private Limited
Designated Partner	

MRS. MAMTABEN HITES	HBHAI THUMBAR
Father's Name	Mr. Jamanbhai Devarajbhai Ramani
Address	C-14, Parikrama Flat, Bopal, Ahmedabad, Gujarat – 380 058, India
Date of Birth	April 16, 1981
Age	43 years
Designation	Independent Director
Status	Non-Executive
DIN	07732851
Occupation	Service
Nationality	India
Qualification	Bachelor Degree of Science in Chemistry
No. of Years of Experience	10 years of work experience in Agricultural products and administrative work
<b>Date of Appointment</b>	February 10, 2017
Present Term of	Re-Appointed for second term of five years w.e.f. February 10, 2022 to February 9,
Appointment	2027 and not liable to Retire by Rotation
Other Directorships/	-
Designated Partner	

MR. HASMUKH VELJIBH	MR. HASMUKH VELJIBHAI VAVAIYA				
Father's Name	Mr. Veljibhai Savajibhai Vavaiya				
Address	16, Puja Appartment, Nadan Park, Bopal, Ahmedabad, Gujarat - 380 058, India				
Date of Birth	March 15, 1973				
Age	51 years				
Designation	Independent Director				
Status	Non-Executive				
DIN	07807509				
Occupation	Service				
Nationality	Indian				
Qualification	Bachelor of Arts (English)				
No. of Years of Experience	34 years of work experience in his own business.				
Date of Appointment	May 4, 2017				
Present Term of	Re-Appointed for second term of five years w.e.f. May 04, 2022 to May 03, 2027 and				
Appointment	not liable to Retire by Rotation				
Other Directorships/	-				
Designated Partner					



MR. ASHVINKUMAR RAMNIKBHAI TRAPASIYA				
Father's Name	Mr. Ramnikbhai Ramjibhai Trapasiya			
Address	Block-E-501, Ishvar Icon, Nikol Road Opp Sunrise Park, Nr. Jivan Twin Bunglows, Jivanvadi, Ahmedabad, Gujarat – 382 350, India			
Date of Birth	January 27, 1995			
Age	29 years			
Designation	Independent Director			
Status	Non-Executive			
DIN	10198672			
Occupation	Service			
Nationality	Indian			
Qualification	B.E. (Computer Engineering) from Gujarat Technological University			
No. of Years of Experience	2 years of experience in the field of technology			
Date of Appointment	June 13, 2023			
Present Term of	Appointed for first term of five years w.e.f. June 13, 2023 and not liable to Retire by			
Appointment	Rotation			
Other Directorships/	-			
Designated Partner				

# BRIEF BIOGRAPHIES OF DIRECTORS

#### Mr. Ghanshyambhai Mohanbhai Kumbhani, Chairman and Whole-time Director

Mr. Ghanshyambhai Kumbhani (DIN: 00587855) is the Chairman and Whole-time Director of our Company. He holds Bachelor Degree of Science in Chemistry from the Sardar Patel University, Gujarat. He has 38 years of experience in agricultural field including 26 years of experience in agricultural business. Mr. Ghanshyambhai Kumbhani has apt knowledge and understanding of the chemical processes that go into manufacturing and thus maintains the quality of products throughout the process in the Company. Furthermore, working experience in teams, he is well-suited to teamoriented tasks such as the design project. In our Company, he heads the Purchase, Production and Technical Departments. He was acting as Director of the Company since incorporation. He has resigned from the Directorship in the year 2007 and appointed in the year 2010. He is further appointed as the Chairman and Whole-Time Director of the Company for a period of five years w.e.f. January 12, 2017. Further, he has been re-appointed as such for a second term of five years from October 01, 2021 to September 30, 2026.

# Mr. Jayantibhai Mohanbhai Kumbhani, Managing Director

Mr. Jayantibhai Kumbhani (DIN: 00587807) is the Managing Director of our Company. He holds Bachelor Degree of Science in Agriculture from the Gujarat Agricultural University. Mr. Jayantibhai Mohanbhai Kumbhani is the original founder of the SIKKO GROUP. He joined our Company in the year 2003 as Director. He has 35 years of experience in agricultural field including 26 years of experience in agricultural business and hence appointed as Managing Director of the Company for a period of five years w.e.f. January 12, 2017. He looks after the marketing department, administrative and finance Department of the Company. He is also responsible for formulation of the strategies for expansion and growth of business of the Company. His skill helps the Company to maintain the healthy relationship with clients, dealers, distributors and other stakeholders of the Company. Nevertheless, his experience helps the Company to infuse latest technologies for easy manufacturing process. Further, he has been re-appointed as such for a second term of five years from October 01, 2021 to September 30, 2026.

#### Mrs. Alpaben Jayantibhai Kumbhani, Executive Director

Mr. Alpaben Jayantibhai Kumbhani (DIN: 00587848) holds Bachelor's Degree of Commerce. She has around 14 years of experience of general administration Work. She has been initially appointed as an Additional (Non-Executive) Director of the Company w.e.f. June 04, 2021 by the board of directors in their meeting held on June 04, 2021. Further, an appointment of Mrs. Alpaben Jayantibhai Kumbhani (DIN: 00587848) was regularized at the 21<sup>st</sup> Annual General Meeting of the Members of the Company held on September 28, 2021. Later on, the designation of Mrs. Alpaben Jayantibhai Kumbhani (DIN: 00587848) has been changed from Non-Executive Director to Executive Director of the Company w.e.f. October 01, 2021 vide Special Resolution passed through Postal Ballot by the Members of the Company on October 15, 2021. She is wife of our Managing Director, Mr. Jayantibhai Kumbhani.

# Mrs. Mamtaben Hiteshbhai Thumbar, Independent Director



Mrs. Mamtaben Hiteshbhai Thumbar (DIN: 07732851) holds Bachelor Degree of Science in Chemistry and is having 10 years of work experience in Agricultural products and administrative work. He was originally appointed as an Independent Director w.e.f. February 10, 2017 vide Members approval in Extra-Ordinary General Meeting held on February 16, 2017. Further, she has been re-appointed as an Independent Director for a second term of five years from February 10, 2022 by the Members of the Company through Postal Ballot on October 15, 2021.

# Mr. Hasmukh Veljibhai Vavaiya, Independent Director

Mr. Hasmukh Veljibhai Vavaiya (DIN: 07807509), is an Independent Director of our Company. He holds degree of Bachelor of Arts (English) and is having 34 years of work experience in his own business of building materials. He is involved in his own business i.e. Vavaiya Corporation (Firm) from many years. He was originally appointed as an Additional (Independent) Director w.e.f. May 4, 2017. Later on, his designation was changed vide Members approval in Annual General Meeting held on September 29, 2017 and he was appointed as Independent Director of the Company for a period of 5 years w.e.f. May 4, 2017. Further, he has been re-appointed as an Independent Director for a second term of five years from May 04, 2022 by the Members of the Company through Postal Ballot on October 15, 2021.

## Mr. Ashvinkumar Ramnikbhai Trapasiya, Independent Director

Mr. Ashvinkumar Ramnikbhai Trapasiya (DIN: 10198672) holds degree of B.E. (Computer Engineering) in 2021 from Gujarat Technological University. He enjoys solving technical challenges, using creative strategies to overcome difficulties or applying their imagination to innovate new technologies that fulfil specific needs. He has overall 2 years of experience in the field of technology. He was originally appointed as an Additional (Independent) Director w.e.f. June 13, 2023. Later on, his designation was changed vide Members approval in Annual General Meeting held on September 11, 2023 and he was appointed as Independent Director of the Company for a period of 5 years w.e.f. June 13, 2023.

# CONFIRMATION

None of our Directors is or was a director of any company listed on any stock exchange, whose shares have been or were suspended from being traded during the five years preceding the date of this Draft Letter of Offer, during the term of his/her directorship in such company.

None of our Director is or was a director of any listed company which has been or was delist from any stock exchange, during the term of their directorship in such company, in the last five years immediately preceding the date of filing of this Draft Letter of Offer.

# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

The provisions of the SEBI Listing Regulations and the Companies Act with respect to corporate governance are applicable to us. We are in compliance with the requirements of the applicable regulations, including the SEBI Listing Regulations, Companies Act and the SEBI (ICDR) Regulations, in respect of corporate governance including constitution of our Board and Committees thereof. Our corporate governance framework is based on an effective independent Board, separation of the Board 's supervisory role from the executive management team and constitution of the Board Committees, as required under law.

Our Board undertakes to take all necessary steps to continue to comply with all the requirements of the SEBI Listing Regulations and the Companies Act. Our Board functions either directly, or through various committees constituted to oversee specific operational areas.

#### **Committees of our Board**

In addition to the committees of our Board detailed below, our board may from time to time constitute committees for various functions.

- 1. Audit Committee.
- 2. Nomination and Remuneration Committee.
- 3. Stakeholders Relationship Committee.

Details of composition, terms of reference etc. of each of the above committees are provided hereunder.

1. Audit Committee:



The present constitution of the Audit Committee is as follows:

Name of the Directors	Designation	Nature of Directorship
Ashvinkumar Ramnikbhai Trapasiya	Independent Director	Chairman
Hasmukh Veljibhai Vavaiya	Independent Director	Member
Mamtaben Hiteshbhai Thumbar	Independent Director	Member
Jayantibhai Mohanbhai Kumbhani	Executive Director	Member

Our Company Secretary and Compliance officer act as the secretary of the Audit Committee. The scope and function of the Audit Committee and its terms of reference shall include the following:

### **Role of Committee:**

- 1. Oversight of the Company's financial reporting process and the disclosure of its financial information to ensure that the financial statement is correct, sufficient and credible;
- 2. Recommendation for appointment, remuneration and terms of appointment of auditors of the Company;
- 3. Approval of payment to statutory auditors for any other services rendered by the statutory auditors;
- 4. Reviewing, with the management, the annual financial statements and auditor's report thereon before submission to theboard for approval, with particular reference to:
  - a) Matters required being included in the Director's Responsibility Statement to be included in the Board's report in terms of clause (c) of sub-section 3 of section 134 of the Companies Act, 2013.
  - b) Changes, if any, in accounting policies and practices and reasons for the same.
  - c) major accounting entries involving estimates based on the exercise of judgment by management;
  - d) significant adjustments made in the financial statements arising out of audit findings;
  - e) compliance with listing and other legal requirements relating to financial statements;
  - f) disclosure of any related party transactions;
  - g) modified opinion(s) in the draft audit report;
- 5. reviewing, with the management, the quarterly financial statements before submission to the board for approval;
- 6. reviewing, with the management, the statement of uses / application of funds raised through an issue (public issue, rights issue, preferential issue, etc.), the statement of funds utilized for purposes other than those stated in the offer document / prospectus / notice and the report submitted by the monitoring agency monitoring the utilisation or proceeds of a public or rights issue, and making appropriate recommendations to the board to take up steps in this matter:
- 7. reviewing and monitoring the auditor's independence and performance, and effectiveness of audit process;
- 8. approval or any subsequent modification of transactions of the listed entity with related parties;
- 9. scrutiny of inter-corporate loans and investments;
- 10. valuation of undertakings or assets of the listed entity, wherever it is necessary;
- 11. evaluation of internal financial controls and risk management systems;
- 12. reviewing, with the management, performance of statutory and internal auditors, adequacy of the internal control systems;
- 13. reviewing the adequacy of internal audit function, if any, including the structure of the internal audit department, staffing and seniority of the official heading the department, reporting structure coverage and frequency of internal audit;
- 14. discussion with internal auditors of any significant findings and follow up there on;
- 15. reviewing the findings of any internal investigations by the internal auditors into matters where there is suspected fraud or irregularity or a failure of internal control systems of a material nature and reporting the matter to the board;
- 16. discussion with statutory auditors before the audit commences, about the nature and scope of audit as well as postaudit discussion to ascertain any area of concern;
- 17. to look into the reasons for substantial defaults in the payment to the depositors, debenture holders, shareholders (in case of non-payment of declared dividends) and creditors;
- 18. to review the functioning of the whistle blower mechanism;
- 19. approval of appointment of chief financial officer after assessing the qualifications, experience and background, etc. of the candidate;
- 20. Carrying out any other function as is mentioned in the terms of reference of the audit committee.
- 21. reviewing the utilization of loans and/ or advances from/investment by the holding company in the subsidiary exceeding rupees 100 crore or 10% of the asset size of the subsidiary, whichever is lower including existing loans / advances / investments existing as on the date of coming into force of this provision.
- 22. Consider and comment on rationale, cost-benefits and impact of schemes involving merger, demerger, amalgamation etc., on the listed entity and its shareholders.



- 23. Call for comments of the auditors about internal control systems, scope of audit including the observations of the auditor and review of the financial statements before submission to the Board;
- 24. Further, the Audit committee is empowered to investigate any activity within its terms of reference, seek information it requires from any employee, obtain outside legal or other independent professional advice and secure attendance of outsiders with relevant expertise, if considered necessary. Apart from the above, the Audit Committee also exercises the role and powers entrusted upon it by the Board of Directors from time to time.

# REVIEW OF INFORMATION BY THE COMMITTEE: -

The Audit Committee shall mandatorily review the following information:

- 1. Management discussion and analysis of financial condition and results of operations;
- 2. Statement of significant related party transactions (as defined by the Audit Committee), submitted by management;
- 3. Management letters/letters of internal control weaknesses issued by the statutory auditors;
- 4. Internal audit reports relating to internal control weaknesses;
- 5. The appointment, removal and terms of remuneration of the internal auditor shall be subject to review by the Audit Committee and
- 6. Statement of deviations:
  - a) Quarterly statement of deviation(s) including report of monitoring agency, if applicable, submitted to stock exchange(s) in terms of Regulation 32(1).
  - b) Annual statement of funds utilized for purposes other than those stated in the offer document/prospectus/notice in terms of Regulation 32(7).
- 7. Review and monitor the auditors' independence and performance, and effectiveness of audit process;
- 8. Examination of the financial statement and auditors' report thereon;
- 9. Approval or any subsequent modification of transactions of the Company with related parties;
- 10. Scrutiny of inter-corporate loans and investment;
- 11. Valuation of undertakings or assets of the Company, wherever it is necessary;
- 12. Evaluation of internal financial controls and risk management systems;
- 13. Monitoring the end use of funds raised through public offers and related matters;
- 14. Any other matters as prescribed by law from time to time.

## **POWERS OF COMMITTEE: -**

- 1. May call for comments of auditors about internal control system, scope of audit, including observations of auditors and review of financial statement before their submission to board;
- 2. May discuss any related issues with internal and statutory auditors and management of the Company;
- 3. To investigate into any matter in relation to above items or referred to it by Board;
- 4. To obtain legal or professional advice from external sources and have full access to information contained in the records of the Company;
- 5. To seek information from any employee;
- 6. To secure attendance of outsiders with relevant expertise, if it considers necessary;
- 7. Any other power may be delegated to the Committee by way of operation of law.

#### **Quorum and Meetings**

The audit committee shall meet as and when required to discuss and approve the items included in its role. The quorum of the meeting of the Audit Committee shall be two members or one third of the members of the audit committee, whichever is greater, subject to minimum two Independent Director shall present at the Meeting.

#### 2. Nomination and Remuneration Committee:

The present constitution of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee is as follows:

Name of the Directors	Designation	Nature of Directorship	
Hasmukh Veljibhai Vavaiya	Independent Director	Chairperson	
Ashvinkumar Ramnikbhai Trapasiya	Independent Director	Member	
Mamtaben Hiteshbhai Thumbar	Independent Director	Member	

Our Company Secretary and Compliance officer shall act as the secretary of the Committee.



#### Terms of reference

- 1. formulation of the criteria for determining qualifications, positive attributes and independence of a director and recommend to the board of directors a policy relating to, the remuneration of the directors, key managerial personnel and other employees;
- 2. For every appointment of an independent director, the Nomination and Remuneration Committee shall evaluate the balance of skills, knowledge and experience on the Board and on the basis of such evaluation, prepare a description of the role and capabilities required of an independent director. The person recommended to the Board for appointment as an independent director shall have the capabilities identified in such description. For the purpose of identifying suitable candidates, the Committee may:
  - a) use the services of an external agencies, if required;
  - b) consider candidates from a wide range of backgrounds, having due regard to diversity; and
  - c) consider the time commitments of the candidates.
- 3. formulation of criteria for evaluation of performance of independent directors and the board of directors;
- 4. devising a policy on diversity of board of directors;
- 5. Identifying persons who are qualified to become directors and who may be appointed in senior management in accordance with the criteria laid down, and recommend to the board of directors their appointment and removal.
- 6. Whether to extend or continue the term of appointment of the independent director, on the basis of the report of performance evaluation of independent directors.
- 7. Recommend to the board, all remuneration, in whatever form, payable to senior management.

#### **Quorum and Meetings**

The Committee is required to meet at least once a year. Additional meetings are held for the purpose of recommending appointment/re-appointment of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel and their remuneration. The quorum necessary for a meeting of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee is one third of total members of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee or 2 members, whichever is higher, including at least one independent director in attendance.

## 3. Stakeholder Relationship Committee:

The present constitution of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee is as follows:

Name of the Directors	Designation	Nature of Directorship	
Mamtaben Hiteshbhai Thumbar	Independent Director	Chairman	
Ashvinkumar Ramnikbhai Trapasiya	Independent Director	Member	
Hasmukh Veljibhai Vavaiya	Independent Director	Member	
Alpaben Jayantibhai Kumbhani	Executive Director	Member	

Our Company Secretary and Compliance officer shall act as the secretary of the Committee.

# **Terms of Reference**

The role of the committee shall *inter-alia* include the following:

- 1. Resolving the grievances of the security holders of the listed entity including complaints related to transfer/transmission of shares, non-receipt of annual report, non-receipt of declared dividends, issue of new/duplicate certificates, general meetings etc.
- 2. Review of measures taken for effective exercise of voting rights by shareholders.
- 3. Review of adherence to the service standards adopted by the listed entity in respect of various services being rendered by the Registrar & Share Transfer Agent.
- 4. Review of the various measures and initiatives taken by the listed entity for reducing the quantum of unclaimed dividends and ensuring timely receipt of dividend warrants/annual reports/statutory notices by the shareholders of the company.

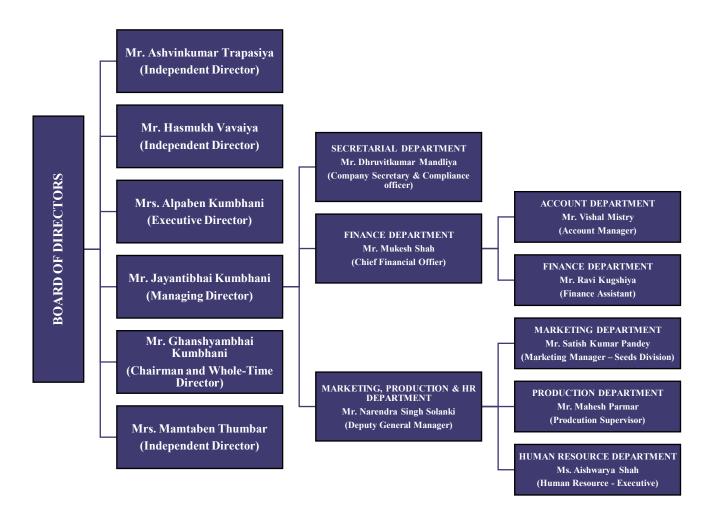
## **Quorum and Meetings**

The Stakeholders Relationship Committee shall meet as and when require to discuss and approve the items included in its role. The quorum shall be one third of total members of the Stakeholders Relationship Committee or 2 members, whichever is higher.



# MANAGEMENT ORGANIZATION STRUCTURE

The Management Organization Structure of the company is depicted from the following chart:



# **Our Key Management Personnel**

The Key Managerial Personnel of our Company other than our Executive Director are as follows: -

Namo	e, Designation and Date of Joining	Qualification	Previous Employment	Remuneration paid in F.Y. 2023-24) (₹ in Lakhs)
Name Designation Date of Appointment	Mr. Dhruvitkumar Mandliya Company Secretary and Compliance Officer June 1, 2023	B.Com Hold the Degree of the Company Secretary from Institute of Company Secretary of India	Pressure Sensitive Systems (India) Limited (Listed on BSE) Designation: Company Secretary and Compliance Officer	Not applicable as appointed w.e.f. 01/06/2023
Overall Experience	Mr. Dhruvitkumar Pareshbhai Mandliya, is an Associate member of Institute of Companies Secretaries of India, and possess the requisite qualification as prescribed under the Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Secretary) Rules, 1988 and Bachelor of commerce from Saurashtra University. He has an experience of more than two years in the field of Secretarial and Compliance related activities.			



Name, Designation and Date of Joining		Qualification	Previous Employment	Remuneration paid in F.Y. 2023-24) (₹ in Lakhs)
Name	Mr. Mukesh Shah		Shree Ambica	
Designation	Chief Financial Officer	B.Com	Plastic Industries	₹ 8.79 Lakhs
Date of	January12, 2017	D.Com	(Partnership firm)	C 0.77 Lakiis
Appointment	January 12, 2017		(1 artifership him)	
Overall	Mr. Mukesh Shah has been appointed as Finar			
Experience	i.e. from June 2, 2007 and appointed as Chi-	ef Finance Offic	er from January 12, 20	17. Mr. Mukesh
	Shah pursued Bachelor of Commerce from G			
	Commerce graduate he has wide experience			
	Company, Mr. Mukesh Shah was account m	nanager of Shree	Ambica Plastic Indust	tries (Partnership
	firm) for 10 years.			

# BONUS OR PROFIT-SHARING PLAN FOR THE KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

Our Company does not have any bonus or profit-sharing plan for our Key Managerial personnel.

# CHANGES IN THE KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

The following are the changes in the Key Management Personnel in the last three years preceding the date of filing of this Draft Letter of Offer, otherwise than by way of retirement in due course.

Name of Directors	Date of Event	Nature of Events	Reason for the changes in the board
Rupen Jayantibhai Patel	04/09/2021	Appointment	Appointment as Additional (Independent) Director of the Company
Alpaben Jayantibhai Kumbhani	28/09/2021	Change in Designation	Change in Designation from Additional (Non-Executive) Director to Non-Executive Director
Rupen Jayantibhai Patel	28/09/2021	Change in Designation	Change in Designation from Additional (Independent) Director to Independent Director
Ankita Kanubhai Lunagariya	01/01/2023	Resignation	Resignation as Company Secretary and Compliance Officer of the Company
Ishita Nayankumar Shah	01/01/2023	Appointment	Appointment as Company Secretary and Compliance Officer of the Company
Ishita Nayankumar Shah	18/04/2023	Resignation	Resignation as Company Secretary and Compliance Officer of the Company
Dhruvitkumar Pareshbhai Mandliya	01/06/2023	Appointment	Appointment as Company Secretary and Compliance Officer of the Company
Rupen Jayantibhai Patel	16/06/2023	Resignation	Resignation as Independent Director of the Company
Ashvinkumar Ramnikbhai Trapasiya	13/06/2023	Appointment	Appointment as Additional (Independent) Director of the Company
Ashvinkumar Ramnikbhai Trapasiya	11/09/2023	Change in Designation	Change in Designation from Additional (Independent) Director to Independent Director
Alpaben Jayantibhai Kumbhani	01/10/2021	Change in Designation	Change in Designation from Non-Executive Director to Executive Director



# OUR PROMOTERS AND PROMOTER GROUP

# **Our Promoters**

The following Individuals are our Promoters.

- Mr. Ghanshyambhai Kumbhani
   Mr. Jayantibhai Kumbhani

	MR. GHANSHYAMBHAI KUMBHANI
	Mr. Ghanshyambhai Kumbhani (DIN: 00587855) is the Chairman and Whole-time Director of our Company. He holds Bachelor Degree of Science in Chemistry from the Sardar Patel University, Gujarat. He has 38 years of experience in agricultural field including 26 years of experience in agricultural business. Mr. Ghanshyambhai Kumbhani has apt knowledge and understanding of the chemical processes that go into manufacturing and thus maintains the quality of products throughout the process in the Company. Furthermore, working experience in teams, he is well-suited to team-oriented tasks such as the design project. In our Company, he heads the Purchase, Production and Technical Departments.
Date of Birth	August 12, 1963
Age	60 years
<b>Educational Qualification</b>	Bachelor Degree of Science in Chemistry from the Sardar Patel University, Gujarat
Present Residential	F 67/47, Sterling City, Nr. Prakruti Bunglow, Bopal, Daskroi, Ahmedabad, Gujarat - 380
Address	058, India
Position/posts held in the	He was acting as Director of the Company since incorporation. He has resigned from the
past	Directorship in the year 2007 and appointed in the year 2010. He is further appointed as
	the Chairman and Whole-Time Director of the Company for a period of five years w.e.f.
	January 12, 2017. Further, he has been re-appointed as such for a second term of five
	years from October 01, 2021 to September 30, 2026.
Directorship held	Sikko Trade Link Private Limited
	Siganjka Industries Private Limited
Other Ventures	•

	MR. JAYANTIBHAI KUMBHANI
	Mr. Jayantibhai Kumbhani (DIN: 00587807) is the Managing Director of our Company. He holds Bachelor Degree of Science in Agriculture from the Gujarat Agricultural University. Mr. Jayantibhai Mohanbhai Kumbhani is the original founder of the SIKKO GROUP. He has 35 years of experience in agricultural field including 26 years of experience in agricultural business. He looks after the marketing department, administrative and finance Department of the Company. He is also responsible for formulation of the strategies for expansion and growth of business of the Company. His skill helps the Company to maintain the healthy relationship with clients, dealers, distributors and other stakeholders of the Company. Nevertheless, his experience helps the Company to infuse latest technologies for easy manufacturing process.
Date of Birth	April 10, 1966
Age	58 years
<b>Educational Qualification</b>	Bachelor Degree of Science in Agriculture from the Gujarat Agricultural University
Present Residential Address	8, Pooja Bungalows, Opp. Govt, Tubewell, Bopal, Ahmedabad, Gujarat - 380058, India
Position/posts held in the past	He joined our Company in the year 2003 as Director. Further, he has been re-appointed as such for a second term of five years from October 01, 2021 to September 30, 2026.
Directorship held	Sikko Trade Link Private Limited
	Agro Chemicals Manufacturers Association of India
	Siganjka Industries Private Limited
Other Ventures	-



# **OUR PROMOTER GROUP:**

In addition to the Promoters named above, the following natural persons form part of our Promoter Group in terms of Regulation 2(1) (pp) (ii) of SEBI ICDR Regulations, 2018:

# a. The following individuals form a part of the Promoter' Group:

Relationship with Promoter	Mr. Ghanshyambhai Mohanbhai Kumbhani	Mr. Jayantibhai Mohanbhai Kumbhani
Father	Mr. Mohanbhai Kumbhani	Mr. Mohanbhai Kumbhani
Mother	Mrs. Rudiben Kumbhani	Mrs. Rudiben Kumbhani
Spouse	Mrs. Nandaben Kumbhani	Mrs. Alpaben Kumbhani
Brother/s	Mr. Jayantibhai Kumbhani, Mr. Pravinbhai Kumbhani	Mr. Ghanshyambhai Kumbhani, Mr. Pravinbhai Kumbhani
Sister/s	Mrs. Rasilaben Savaliya	Mrs. Rasilaben Savaliya
Son/s	Mr. Kush Kumbhani	Mr. Karan Kumbhani
Daughter/s	Ms. Jinal Kumbhani	Ms. Gargi Kumbhani
Spouse's Father	Mr. Dhanjibhai Gondaliya	Mr. Ranchhodbhai Chovatiya
Spouse's Mother	Mrs. Ramaben Gondaliya	Mrs. Ramaben Chovatiya
Spouse's Brother/s	Mr. Satishbhai Gondaliya, Mr. Ketanbhai Gondaliya	-
Spouse's Sister/s	Mrs. Pravinaben Vaghasiya, Mrs. Sangitaben Vaghasiya	Mrs. Anjana Usdadiya, Mrs. Vibha Sardhara, Mrs. Toral Vaishnav, Mrs. Shilpa Thumar

# b. Companies, Firms, Entities and HUFs forming part of Promoter Group:

Our Promoter Group as defined under Regulation 2 (1) (pp)(iv) of the SEBI (ICDR) Regulations, 2018 includes following entities:

Nature of Relationship	Entity
(A) Any Body corporate in which twenty percent or more of the	Sikko Trade Link Private Limited
equity share capital is held by the promoter or an immediate relative	Sikko Products Private Limited
of the promoter or a firm or Hindu Undivided Family in which the	Siganjka Industries Private Limited
promoter or any one or more of his immediate relative is a member;	
(B) Any Body corporate in which a body corporate as provided in	Not Applicable
(A) above holds twenty percent. or more, of the equity share capital;	
(C) Any Hindu Undivided Family or firm in which the aggregate	Not Applicable
shareholding of the promoter and his immediate relatives is equal to	
or more than twenty percent. of the total;	

# OTHER PERSONS INCLUDED IN PROMOTER GROUP:

Mrs. Bhavnaben Pravinbhai Kumbhani is not relatives within the meaning of regulation 2(1) (pp) (ii) of ICDR Regulations, 2018 but is considered for the purpose of shareholding of the Promoter Group under Regulation 2(1) (pp) (v) of ICDR Regulations, 2018.



#### DIVIDEND POLICY

Under the Companies Act, 2013 our Company can pay dividends upon a recommendation by our Board of Directors and approval by a majority of the shareholders at the General Meeting and as per provisions of Articles of Association of our Company. The shareholders of the Company have the right to decrease but not to increase the amount of dividend recommended by the Board of Directors. The dividends may be paid out of profits of our Company in the year in which the dividend is declared or out of the undistributed profits or reserves of previous fiscal years or out of both. The Articles of Association of our Company also gives the discretion to our Board of Directors to declare and pay interim dividends. All Dividends upon recommendation by our Board of Directors and approved by the shareholders at the General Meeting will be paid to credit of registered shareholders by way of cheque or warrant or in any electronic mode.

Our Company does not have any formal dividend policy for the Equity Shares. The declaration and payment of dividend will be recommended by our Board of Directors and approved by the shareholders of our Company at their discretion and will depend on a number of factors, including the results of operations, earnings, capital requirements and surplus, general financial conditions, applicable Indian legal restrictions and other factors considered relevant by our Board of Directors.

# **Dividends paid on Equity Shares:**

The dividends paid by the Company on the Equity Shares in each of the Financial Years ending 2021, 2022 and 2023, and for the period commencing from April 01, 2023 till the date of this Draft letter of offer are given below:

Particulars	From April 1, 2024 to the date of this Draft Letter of Offer	F.Y. 2023-24	F.Y. 2022-23	F.Y 2021-22
Face value of Equity Shares (in ₹)	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
Dividend amount (in ₹ Lakh)	Nil	Nil	25.20	Nil
Number of Equity Shares	16800000	16800000	16800000	12000000
Total dividend per Equity Share (₹)	Nil	Nil	0.15	Nil
Rate of dividend on Equity Share (%)*	Nil	Nil	1.50%	Nil
Mode of payment	NA	NA	Cash	NA
Tax deducted as source (in ₹ Lakh)	Nil	Nil	2.22	Nil

For details of risks in relation to our capability to pay dividend, please refer Risk Factor No. 27 under section titled "Risk Factors" beginning on Page No. 22 of this Draft Letter of Offer.



# SECTION VII – FINANCIAL INFORMATION

# FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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# AUDIT REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

#### TO MEMBERS OF

#### SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED

#### Report on the Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) Financial Statements

#### Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED, which comprise the Balance Sheet as at 31st March, 2024 and the Statement of Profit and Loss (Including Other Comprehensive Income) and Cash Flow Statement and the statement of Changes in Equity for the period ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information. (Hereinafter referred to as the "financial statements").

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 inconformity 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, 2024, the profit and total comprehensive income, changes in equity and its cash flows for the year ended on that date.

#### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing (SAs) specified under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013. Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the 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.

## **Key Audit Matters**

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.

There are no Key Audit Matters Reportable as per SA 701 issued by ICAI.

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

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the preparation of the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Management Discussion and Analysis, Board's Report including Annexures to Board's Report, but does not include the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. These reports are expected to be made available to us after the date of our auditor's report.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information identified above when it becomes available 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.

When we read the other information included in the above reports, if we conclude that there is material misstatement therein, we are required to communicate the matter to those charged with governance and determine the actions under the applicable laws and regulations.

# Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the matters stated in section 134(5) of the Act with respect to the preparation of these financial statements that give a true and fair view of the financial position, financial performance, total comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows of the Company in accordance with the Ind AS and other accounting principles generally accepted in India. This responsibility also includes maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting 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.

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.

Those Board of Directors are also responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

# Auditor's Responsibility

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.



As part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- > Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- > Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances. Under section 143(3)(i) of the 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.
- 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.
- > 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.

Materiality is the magnitude of misstatements in the financial statements that, individually or in aggregate, makes it probable that the economic decisions of a reasonably knowledgeable user of the financial statements may be influenced. We consider quantitative materiality and qualitative factors in (i) planning the scope of our audit work and in evaluating the results of our work; and (ii) to evaluate the effect of any identified misstatements in the financial statements.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

#### Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

- 1. As required by the Companies (Auditor's Report) Order, 2020 ("the Order") issued by the Central Government of India in terms of section 143(11) of the Act, we give in "Annexure A", a statement on the matter specified in the paragraph 3 and 4 of the Order.
- 2. As required under provisions of section 143(3) of the Companies Act, 2013, we report that:
  - a) We have obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief where necessary for the purposes of our audit:
  - b) In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Company so far as appears from our examination of those books;
  - c) The Balance Sheet and Statement of Profit and Loss including Other Comprehensive Income Statement of Cash Flow and Statement of Changes of Equity dealt with this report are in agreement with the books of account;
  - d) In our opinion, the aforesaid Financial Statement comply with the Accounting Standards specified under Section 133 of Act, read with relevant rule issued thereunder.
  - e) On the basis of written representations received from the directors as on March 31, 2024, taken on record by the Board of Directors, none of the directors is disqualified as on March 31, 2024, 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 operating effectiveness of such controls, referred to our separate report in "Annexure B".
  - g) With respect to the other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with the requirements of section 197(16) of the Act, as amended:
    - In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the remuneration paid by the Company to its directors during the year is in accordance with the provisions of section 197 of the Act.
  - h) With respect to other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with Rule 11 of the Companies (Audit and Auditor) Rules, 2014, in our opinion and to the best of our knowledge and belief and according to the information and explanations given to us:
    - a) The Company has disclosed the impact of pending litigations as at March 31, 2024 on its financial position in its financial statements Refer Note (vii) of **Annexure A** to the financial statements.
    - b) The Company did not have any long-term and derivative contracts as at March 31, 2024.



- c) There has been no delay in transferring amounts, required to be transferred, the Investor Education and Protection Fund by the Company during the year ended March 31, 2024.
- d) The management has;
  - i. represented that, to the best of its knowledge and belief as disclosed in the Note No. 35 to the financial statements, no funds have been advanced or loaned or invested (either from borrowed funds or share premium or any other sources or kind of funds) by the Company to or in any other persons or entities, including foreign entities ("Intermediaries"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Intermediary shall:
    - directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") by
      or on behalf of the Company or
    - provide any guarantee, security or the like to or on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.
  - ii. represented, that, to the best of its knowledge and belief as disclosed in the Note No. 36 to the financial statements, no funds have been received by the Company from any persons or entities, including foreign entities ("Funding Parties"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Company shall:
    - directly or indirectly, lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") by or on behalf of the Funding Party or
    - provide any guarantee, security or the like from or on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries; and
  - iii. Based on such audit procedures as considered reasonable and appropriate in the circumstances, nothing has come to our notice that has caused us to believe that the representations under sub clause (d) (i) and (d) (ii) contain any material mis-statement.
  - e) The company has not neither declared nor paid any dividend during the year under Section 123 of the Act.
  - f) Proviso to Rule 3(1) of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014 for maintaining books of account using accounting software which has a feature of recording audit trail (edit log) facility is applicable with effect from April 1, 2023 to the Company which are companies incorporated in India, and accordingly, The Company has used accounting software 'ACERP' for maintaining its books of account which has a feature of recording audit trail facility and the same has been operated throughout the period for all transactions recorded in the software.

For D G M S & Co., Chartered Accountants FRN: 0112187W

Pinal B. Shah Partner M. No. 108408 UDIN: 24108408BKLSUQ4300

Place: Ahmedabad Date: May 30, 2024



# ANNEXURE "A" TO THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2024

In terms of the information and explanations given to us and the books and records examined by us in the normal course of audit and to the best of our knowledge and belief, we state as under:

#### i. Property, Plant & Equipment and Intangible Assets:

- a) The Company has maintained proper records showing full particulars, including quantitative details and situation of Property, Plant and Equipment and relevant details of right-of-use assets.
- b) The Company has maintained proper records showing full particulars of intangible assets.
- c) Property, Plant and Equipment have been physically verified by the management at reasonable intervals; Any material discrepancies were noticed on such verification and if so, the same have been properly dealt with in the books of account.
- d) According to the information and explanation given to us the title deeds of all the immovable properties. (other than properties where the Company is the lessee and the lease agreements are duly executed in favour of the lessee) disclosed in the financial statements are held in the name of the company.
- e) The Company has not revalued any of its Property, Plant and Equipment (including right-of-use assets) and intangible assets during the year.
- f) No proceedings have been initiated during the year or are pending against the Company as at March 31, 2024 for holding any benami property under the Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Act, 1988 (as amended in 2016) and rules made thereunder.

# ii. Inventory and working capital:

- a) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records of the Company, inventory has been physically verified during the year by the Management at reasonable intervals, except stock lying with third parties. Confirmations of such stocks with third parties have been obtained by the Company in most of the cases. No discrepancies were noticed on verification between the physical stocks and the book records that were 10% or more in the aggregate for each class of inventory.
- b) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records of the Company, that has been sanctioned working capital limits in excess of five crore rupees, in aggregate, from banks on the basis of security of current assets. In our opinion, the quarterly returns or statements filed by the Company with such banks are in agreement with the books of account of the Company.

#### iii. Investments, any guarantee or security or advances or loans given:

- a) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records of the Company, the Company has not made any investments, provided guarantee or security or granted any advances in the nature of loans, secured or unsecured, to companies, firms, limited liability partnerships or any other parties during the year, hence reporting under clauses 3(iii)(1), (3), (4), (5), and (6) of the Orders are not applicable for the year under report.
- b) In our opinion, the investments made, guarantees provided, security given and the terms and conditions of the grant of all loans and advances in the nature of loans and guarantees provided are not prejudicial to the company's interest;

# iv. Loan to directors:

According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records, the Company has not given any loans, or provided any guarantee or security as specified under Section 185 of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Company has not provided any guarantee or security as specified under Section 186 of the Companies Act, 2013. Further, the Company has complied with the provisions of Section 186 of the Companies Act, 2013 in relation to loans given and investments made.

# v. Deposits:

The company has not accepted any deposits from the public within the meaning of sections 73 to 76 or any relevant provisions of the 2013 act and the rules framed there under to the extent notified.

#### vi. Maintenance of Cost Records:

According to the information and explanations given to us, the Central Government has not prescribed the maintenance of cost records under Section 148(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 for the products manufactured by it (and/ or services provided by it). We have broadly reviewed the books of accounts maintained by the company pursuant to the Rules made by the Central Government for the Maintenance of Cost Record under section 148(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 and are of the Opinion that Prima Facie, the prescribed accounts have been made and maintained.

#### vii. Statutory Dues:

a) The company is regular in depositing with appropriate authorities undisputed statutory dues including Provident Fund, Employees' State Insurance, Income Tax, Duty of Customs, GST, Cess and any other statutory dues applicable to it. According to the information and explanations given to us, no undisputed amounts payable in respect of income tax, sales tax, customs duty, excise duty and cess were in arrears, as at 31/03/24 for a period of more than six months from the date they became payable.



b) According to the information and explanations given to us, there are no dues of sales tax, income tax, custom duty, wealth tax, GST, excise duty and cess which have not been deposited on account of any dispute except the following.

Name of the Status	Nature of Dues	Amount (₹ In Lakh)	Period to which the amount relates	Forum where dispute is pending
Central Excise Act, 1944	Excise Duty	254.40	F.Y. 2011-12 to F.Y. 2014-15	Customs, Excise & Service Tax Appellate Tribunal
Central Excise Act, 1944	Excise Duty	4.79	April 2015 to January 2016	Customs, Excise & Service Tax Appellate Tribunal
Central Excise Act, 1944	Excise Duty	4.18	February 2016 to June 2017	Customs, Excise & Service Tax Appellate Tribunal
Income tax Act, 1961	Income tax & Interest	1.27	For A.Y. 2016-2017	Centralised Processing Center
Income tax Act, 1961	Income tax & Interest	4.82	For A.Y. 2020-2021	Centralised Processing Center
Income tax Act, 1961	Income tax & Interest	1.86	For A.Y. 2019-2020	Centralised Processing Center

#### viii. Disclosure of Undisclosed Transactions:

There According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records of the Company, the Company has not surrendered or disclosed any transactions, previously unrecorded as income in the books of account, in the tax assessments under the Incometax Act, 1961 as income during the year.

## ix. Loans or Other Borrowings:

- a) Based on our audit procedures and according to the information and explanations given to us, The Company has not defaulted in repayment of loans or other borrowings or in the payment of interest thereon to any lender.
- b) The Company has not been declared willful defaulter by any bank or financial institution or government or any government authority.
- c) According to the information and explanations given to us, term loans were applied for the purpose for which the loans were obtained.
- d) On an overall examination of the financial statements of the Company, funds raised on short-term basis have, prima facie, not been used during the year for long-term purposes by the Company.
- e) On an overall examination of the financial statements of the Company, the Company has not taken any funds from any entity or person on account of or to meet the obligations of its subsidiaries.
- f) The Company has not raised any loans during the year on the pledge of securities held in its subsidiaries, joint ventures or associate companies.

# x. Money Raised by IPOs, FPOs:

- a) The Company has not raised moneys by way of initial public offer or further public offer (including debt instruments) during the year and hence reporting under clause 3(x)(a) of the Order is not applicable.
- b) During the year, the Company has not made any preferential allotment or private placement of shares or convertible debentures (fully or partly or optionally) and hence reporting under clause 3(x)(b) of the Order is not applicable.

# xi. Fraud:

- a) During the course of our examination of the books and records of the company, carried out in accordance with the generally accepted auditing practices in India, and according to the information and explanations given to us, we have neither come across any instance of fraud by the company or no fraud by the Company and no material fraud on the Company has been noticed or reported during the year.
- b) No report under sub-section (12) of section 143 of the Companies Act has been filed in Form ADT-4 as prescribed under rule 13 of Companies (Audit an and Auditors) Rules, 2014 with the Central Government, during the year and upto the date of this report.
- c) We have taken into consideration the whistle blower complaints received by the Company during the year (and upto the date of this report), while determining the nature, timing and extent of our audit procedures.



#### xii. Nidhi Company:

The Company is not a Nidhi Company and hence reporting under Para 3 of clause (xii) of the Order is not applicable.

#### xiii. Related Party Transactions:

In our opinion, the Company is in compliance with Section 177 and 188 of the Companies Act, 2013 with respect to applicable transactions with the related parties and the details of related party transactions have been disclosed in the financial statements as required by the applicable Ind-AS.

#### xiv. Internal Audit System:

- a) In our opinion the Company has an adequate internal audit system commensurate with the size and the nature of its business.
- b) We have considered, the internal audit reports for the year under audit, issued to the Company during the year and till date, in determining the nature, timing and extent of our audit procedures.

#### xv. Non-cash Transactions:

According to the information and explanations given to us and based on our examination of the records of the company, the company has not entered into any non-cash transactions with directors or persons connected with him. Accordingly, paragraph 3(xv) of the Order is not applicable.

#### xvi. Registration under section 45-IA of RBI Act, 1934:

- a) In our opinion, the Company is not required to be registered under section 45-IA of the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934. Hence, reporting under clause 3(xvi)(a), (b) and (c) of the Order is not applicable.
- b) In our opinion, there is no core investment company within the Group (as defined in the Core Investment Companies (Reserve Bank) Directions, 2016 and accordingly reporting under clause 3(xvi)(d) of the Order is not applicable.

## xvii. Cash losses:

The Company has not incurred cash losses during the financial year covered by our audit and the immediately preceding financial year.

#### xviii. Resignation of statutory auditors:

There has been no resignation of the statutory auditors of the Company during the year.

#### xix. Material uncertainty on meeting liabilities:

On the basis of the financial ratios, ageing and expected dates of realization of financial assets and payment of financial liabilities, other information accompanying the financial statements and our knowledge of the Board of Directors and Management plans and based on our examination of the evidence supporting the assumptions, nothing has come to our attention, which causes us to believe that any material uncertainty exists as on the date of the audit report indicating that Company is not capable of meeting its liabilities existing at the date of balance sheet as and when they fall due within a period of one year from the balance sheet date. We, however, state that this is not an assurance as to the future viability of the Company. We further state that our reporting is based on the facts up to the date of the audit report and we neither give any guarantee nor any assurance that all liabilities falling due within a period of one year from the balance sheet date, will get discharged by the Company as and when they fall due.

## xx. Compliance of CSR:

According to the information and explanations given to us and based on our examination of the records of the company, the company has not required to spent amount towards Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) as per the section 135 of companies' act, 2013, reporting under clause 3(xx)(a) of the Order is not applicable for the year.

#### xxi. Qualifications Reporting In Group Companies:

In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, company does not have any subsidiaries, associates or joint ventures, so reporting under clause 3(xxi) of the Order is not applicable for the year.

For D G M S & Co., Chartered Accountants FRN: 0112187W

Pinal B. Shah Partner M. No. 108408 UDIN: 24108408BKLSUQ4300

Place: Ahmedabad Date: May 30, 2024



# ANNEXURE "B" TO THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2024

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

#### Opinion

We have audited the internal financial controls over financial reporting of SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED ("the Company") as of March 31, 2024 in conjunction with our audit of the Ind AS financial statements of the Company for the year ended on that date.

In our opinion, to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the Company has, in all material respects, an adequate internal financial controls system over financial reporting and such internal financial controls over financial reporting were operating effectively as at March 31, 2024, based on the criteria for internal financial control over financial reporting 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 ICAI.

#### 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 (the 'Guidance Note') issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (the 'ICAI'). These responsibilities include the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls that were operating effectively for ensuring the orderly and efficient conduct of its business, including adherence to company's policies, the safeguarding of its assets, the prevention and detection of frauds and errors, the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, and the timely preparation of reliable financial information, as required under the Companies Act, 2013.

#### **Auditors' Responsibility**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Company's internal financial controls over financial reporting based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Guidance Note and the Standards on Auditing, issued by the ICAI and deemed to be prescribed under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013, to the extent applicable to an audit of internal financial controls, both applicable to an audit of Internal Financial Controls and, both issued by the ICAI. Those Standards and the Guidance Note require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether adequate internal financial controls over financial reporting was established and maintained and if such controls operated effectively in all material respects.

Our audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the adequacy of the internal financial controls system over financial reporting and their operating effectiveness. Our audit of internal financial controls over financial reporting included obtaining an understanding of internal financial controls over financial reporting, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, and testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of internal control based on the assessed risk. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error.

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

## Meaning of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting

A company's internal financial control over financial reporting is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. A company's internal financial control over financial reporting includes those policies and procedures that:

- a) pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the company;
- b) 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 authorizations of management and directors of the company; and
- c) Provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorized acquisition, use, or disposition of the company's assets that could have a material effect on the financial statements.

# Inherent Limitations of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting

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

For D G M S & Co., Chartered Accountants FRN: 0112187W

Pinal B. Shah Partner M. No. 108408 UDIN: 24108408BKLSUQ4300

Place: Ahmedabad Date: May 30, 2024



## SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED CIN: L51909GJ2000PLC037329 BALANCE SHEET AS AT MARCH 31, 2024

(₹ In Lakh)

Parti	iculars	Note No.	As at March 31, 2024	As at March 31, 2023
A	ASSETS	11000 1101	715 11 11111 11 51, 2021	115 at 1/1ar ch 51, 2020
1	Non-current Assets			
	(a) Property, Plant & Equipment	2	398.65	473.55
	(b) Other Intangible Assets	2	2.65	2.43
	(c) Financial Assets		2.03	2.73
	i. Investments	3	130.04	35.50
	ii. Trade Receivables	-	-	
	iii. Loan	4	4.33	11.12
	(d) Deferred Tax Assets (Net)		-	1.10
		Current Assets	535.69	523.69
2	Current Assets		0000	0.2010
	(a) Inventories	5	1,129.17	846.02
	(b) Financial Assets		1,12,111	0.002
	i. Trade Receivables	6	2,315.25	2,420.50
	ii. Cash and cash Equivalents	7	8.23	13.15
	iii. Loan	8	583.84	394.55
	(c) Other Current Assets	9	596.96	351.59
	. ,	Current Assets	4,633.45	4,025.82
	2.550	tal Assets (1+2)	5,169.14	4,549.51
<b>B</b>	EQUITY AND LIABILITIES Equity			
1	(a) Equity Share Capital	10	1,680.00	1,120.00
	(b) Other Equity	11	1,107.45	701.02
	(b) Other Equity	Total Equity	2,381.02	2,116.97
2.	Liabilities	Total Equity	2,501.02	2,110.5
	Non-current Liabilities			
	(a) Financial Liabilities			
	i. Borrowings	12	153.81	144.1
	(b) Deferred tax liabilities (Net)	12	17.51	11111
	Total Non-Cur	rent Liabilities	171.32	144.11
3	Current Liabilities	Tone Englished	17102	
	(a) Financial Liabilities			
	i. Borrowings	13	435.18	717.32
	ii. Trade Payables	14	660.29	579.10
	(b) Provisions	15	10.55	9.92
	(c) Income/Current tax liabilities (Net)	16	180.76	51.42
	(d) Other current liabilities	17	923.59	666.64
		rent Liabilities	2,210.37	2,024.39
		Total Liabilities	2,381.69	2,168.50
		Total	5,169.14	4,549.51
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As per our report on even date attached For, D G M S & Co.

For, D G M S & Co. Chartered Accountants FRN No. 0112187W For and on behalf of the Board of Directors, For, Sikko Industries Limited

Ghanshyambhai M. Kumbhani

Pinal B. Shah Partner

M. No. 108408 UDIN: 24108408BKLSUQ4300

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Date: May 30, 2024 Place: Ahmedabad Dhruvitkumar P. Mandliya Company Secretary

Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani

Managing Director DIN: 00587807

> Mukesh Shah Chief Financial Officer

Whole-time Director DIN: 00587855

Date: May 30, 2024 Place: Ahmedabad



# SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED CIN: L51909GJ2000PLC037329 STATEMENT OF PROFIT AND LOSS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2024

(₹ In Lakh)

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Partic	ulars	Note No.	For the year ended March 31, 2024	For the year ended March 31, 2023
	Income			
I	Revenue from Operations	18	6,128.72	4946.19
II	Other Income	19	341.87	46.32
Ш	Total Revenue (I + II)		6,470.59	4,992.51
IV	Expenses:			
	Cost of materials consumed	20	2,786.26	3,498.57
	Purchase of Stock-in-Trade		1,614.56	154.91
	Changes in inventories of finished goods, Work-in-Progress and Stock-in-Trade	21	51.61	(130.58)
	Employee benefits expenses	22	611.59	453.98
	Finance Costs	23	78.84	44.24
	Depreciation and Amortization expense	24	71.55	58.99
	Other Expenses	25	650.36	507.10
	Total Expenses		5,864.78	4,587.21
V	Profit/(Loss) before Exceptional items & Tax (III-V)		605.81	405.30
VII	Exceptional Items		-	-
VIII	Profit/(Loss) before Tax		605.81	405.30
IX	Tax Expenses:			
	(1) Current tax		180.76	117.86
	(2) Deferred tax		18.62	(1.81)
	(3) MAT Credit		-	-
X	Profit/(Loss) for the year		406.43	289.25
	Other Comprehensive Income			
	A. (i) Items that will not reclassified to Profit or Loss		-	-
	(ii) Income Tax relating to items that will not be reclassified to profit or Loss		-	-
	B. (i) Items that will be reclassified to Profit or Loss		-	-
	(ii) Income Tax relating to items that will be reclassified to profit or Loss		-	-
	Total of Comprehensive Income		-	-
XI	Profit/(Loss) after other Comprehensive Income		406.43	289.25
VIII	Earnings per Equity Share: (Continuing Operation)			
	(1) Basic		2.42	1.72
	(2) Diluted		2.42	1.72
	Significant Accounting Policies See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements	1		

As per our report on even date attached For, D G M S & Co. Chartered Accountants FRN No. 0112187W For and on behalf of the Board of Directors, For, Sikko Industries Limited

Pinal B. Shah Partner

M. No. 108408 UDIN: 24108408BKLSUQ4300

Date: May 30, 2024 Place: Ahmedabad Dhruvitkumar P. Mandliya Company Secretary

Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani Managing Director DIN: 00587807

> Mukesh Shah Chief Financial Officer

Ghanshyambhai M. Kumbhani Whole-time Director DIN: 00587855

Date: May 30, 2024

Place: Ahmedabad



## SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED CIN: L51909GJ2000PLC037329 CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2024

(₹ In Lakh)

<u> </u>		For the year ended	For the year ended	
Parti	culars	March 31, 2024	March 31, 2023	
A	Cash Flow from Operating Activities			
	Net Profit before tax as per Statement of Profit & Loss	605.81	405.30	
	Adjustments for:			
	Depreciation & Amortization Expense	71.55	58.99	
	Stamp duty for Increase in Capital			
	Profit on sale of fixed assets	(213.36)	-	
	Interest Income	(0.59)	(0.84)	
	Finance Cost	76.46	44.24	
		(65.93)	102.38	
	Operating Profit before working capital changes	539.87	507.68	
	Changes in Working Capital:			
	Trade Receivables	105.26	(453.60)	
	Other Loans and advances receivables	(189.28)	(390.04)	
	Inventories	(283.15)	(115.95)	
	Trade Payables	81.19	5.75	
	Other Current Liabilities and other assets	11.58	154.64	
	Short term Provisions	129.34	4.75	
		(144.43)	(794.45)	
	Net Cash Flow from Operation	395.44	(286.76)	
	Tax Paid	180.76	117.86	
	Net Cash Flow from Operating Activities (A)	214.68	(404.62)	
В	Cash Flow from Investing Activities		( * * * )	
	Purchase of fixed assets	(94.53)	(210.12)	
	Sale of Fixed Assets	310.99	14.04	
	Movement in Loan & Advances	(6.78)	(0.10)	
	Interest Income	0.59	0.84	
	Movement in investment	(130.04)	-	
	170 veinent in in vestiont	(195.38)	(195.38)	
	Net Cash Flow from Investing Activities (B)	93.79	(195.38)	
С	Cash Flow from Financing Activities	30.13	(198,80)	
	Proceeds from Issue of shares capital	_	_	
	Proceeds from Long Term Borrowing (Net)	9.71	85.34	
	Short Term Borrowing (Net)	(282.14)	612.43	
	Interest paid	(76.46)	(44.24)	
	Dividend paid (including DDT)	(70.40)	(25.20)	
	Dividend paid (including DD1)	(348.89)	628.33	
	Not Cook Flow from Financing Activities (C)	,		
D	Net Cash Flow from Financing Activities (C)  Net (Decrease)/Increase in Cash & Cash Equivalents (A+B+C)	(348.89)	628.33 28.36	
D		(40.42)		
Е	Opening Cash & Cash Equivalents	48.65	20.29	
F	Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	8.23	48.65	
G	Cash And Cash Equivalents Comprise:	1.40	£ 0.1	
	Cash	1.48	5.91	
	Bank Balance:			
	Current Account	6.75	7.25	
	Deposit Account	-	35.50	
	Total	8.23	48.65	

As per our report on even date attached For, DGMS&Co. **Chartered Accountants** FRN No. 0112187W

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors, For, Sikko Industries Limited

Pinal B. Shah Partner

M. No. 108408 UDIN: 24108408BKLSUQ4300

Date: May 30, 2024 Place: Ahmedabad

Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani Managing Director DIN: 00587807 Ghanshyambhai M. Kumbhani Whole-time Director DIN: 00587855

Dhruvitkumar P. Mandliya Company Secretary

Mukesh Shah Chief Financial Officer

Place: Ahmedabad

Date: May 30, 2024



# SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED CIN: L51909GJ2000PLC037329 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2024

**Equity Share Capital** (₹ in Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2024	As at March 31, 2023
Outstanding at the Beginning of the year	1,680.00	1,120.00
Issued during the year	0.00	560.00
Total	1,680.00	1,680.00

# Other Equity

(₹ in Lakh)

Particulars	Securities Premium	Retained Earnings	Other Comprehensive Income
Balance at the beginning of reporting Period i.e. April 1, 2022	-	996.97	-
Add: Profit of the year	-	289.25	-
Less: Issue of Bonus Equity Shares	-	560.00	-
Less: Other Written off	-	25.20	-
Balance at the closing of reporting Period i.e. March 31, 2023	-	701.02	-

(₹ in Lakh)

Particulars	Securities Premium	Retained Earnings	Other Comprehensive Income
Balance at the beginning of reporting Period i.e. April 1, 2023	-	701.02	-
Add: Profit of the year	-	406.43	-
Less: Transfer to/from retained earnings	-	-	-
Balance at the closing of reporting Period i.e. March 31, 2024	-	1,107.45	-

As per our report on even date attached For, D G M S & Co. Chartered Accountants FRN No. 0112187W

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors, For, Sikko Industries Limited

Ghanshyambhai M. Kumbhani

Whole-time Director DIN: 00587855

Pinal B. Shah Partner M. No. 108408 UDIN: 24108408BKLSUQ4300

Dhruvitkumar P. Mandliya Company Secretary Mukesh Shah Chief Financial Officer Date: May 30, 2024 Place: Ahmedabad

Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani

Managing Director DIN: 00587807

Date: May 30, 2024 Place: Ahmedabad



# NOTES FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### FOR YEAR ENDED ON MARCH 31, 2024

#### **Note 1: SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

#### 1.0 Corporate Information

Sikko Industries Limited is a Limited Company, incorporated under the provisions of Companies Act, 1956 and having CIN: L51909GJ2000PLC037329. The Company is engaged in the business of Manufacturing and trading & Exporting of Bio-Agro chemicals, Pesticides, Fertilizers, Seeds, Sprayers, Packaging, Machineries and FMCG products etc. The Registered office at 508, Iscon Eligance, Nr. Jain Temple Nr. Prahladnagar Pick up Stand, Vejalpur, Ahmedabad - 380051.

#### 1.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

#### a. Accounting Convention:

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Section 133 of Companies Act, 2013, i.e. Indian Accounting Standards ('Ind AS') notified under Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules 2015. The Ind AS Financial Statements are prepared on historical cost convention, except in case of certain financial instruments which are recognized at fair value.

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 Part I of 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.

#### b. Functional and Presentation Currency:

All amounts disclosed in the financial statements and notes are rounded off to lakhs the nearest INR rupee in compliance with Schedule III of the Act, unless otherwise stated.

The functional and presentation currency of the company is Indian rupees. This financial statement is presented in Indian rupees. Due to rounding off, the numbers presented throughout the document may not add up precisely to the totals and percentages may not precisely reflect the absolute figures.

## c. Compliance with Ind AS

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Ind AS notified under the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015.

#### d. Use of Estimates and Judgments

The preparation of the Ind AS financial statements in conformity with the generally accepted accounting principles in India requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities as of the Balance Sheet date, reported amount of revenue and expenses for the year and disclosure of contingent liabilities and contingent assets as of the date of Balance Sheet. The estimates and assumptions used in these Ind AS financial statements are based on management's evaluation of the relevant facts and circumstances as of the date of the Ind AS financial statements. The actual amounts may differ from the estimates used in the preparation of the Ind AS financial statements and the difference between actual results and the estimates are recognized in the period in which the results are known/materialize.

Estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed at each balance sheet date. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised and in future periods affected.

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 Statement are as below:

- 1. Evaluation of recoverability of deferred tax assets/Liabilities;
- 2. Useful lives of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets;
- 3. Provisions and Contingencies;
- 4. Provision for income taxes, including amount expected to be paid/recovered for uncertain tax positions;
- 5. Recognition of Deferred Tax Assets/Liabilities
- Valuation of Financial Instruments;

#### e. Current versus Non-Current Classification

The Company presents assets and liabilities in the Balance Sheet based on current/non-current classification.

An asset / liability is treated as current when it is: -

- i. Expected to be realised or intended to be sold or consumed or settled in normal operating cycle.
- ii. Held primarily for the purpose of trading.
- iii. Expected to be realised / settled within twelve months after the reporting period, or.
- iv. Cash or cash equivalent unless restricted from being exchanged or used to settle a liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period.
- v. There is no unconditional right to defer the settlement of the liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period.

All other assets and liabilities are classified as non-current.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are classified as non-current assets and liabilities respectively.

#### 1.2 Accounting Policies:

## (A) Property, Plant and Equipment

All items of property, plant and equipment are stated at historical cost less depreciation. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the items.



Cost includes purchase price, non-recoverable taxes and duties, labour cost and direct overheads for self-constructed assets and other direct costs incurred up to the date the asset is ready for its intended use.

Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognized as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Company and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of any component accounted for as a separate asset is derecognized when replaced. All other repairs and maintenance are charged to profit or loss during the reporting period in which they are incurred.

Depreciation is provided on the Written Down Value method (W.D.V.) over the estimated useful lives of the assets considering the nature, estimated usage, operating conditions, past history of replacement, anticipated technological changes, manufacturers' warranties and maintenance support. The Company provides pro-rata depreciation from the day the asset is put to use and for any asset sold, till the date of sale.

Projects under commissioning and other Capital work-in-progress are carried at cost comprising of direct and indirect costs, related incidental expenses and attributable interest. Depreciation is not recorded on capital work-in-progress until construction and installation are complete and the asset is ready for its intended use.

An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognized on disposal. Any gain or loss arising from derecognition of an item of property, plant and equipment is included in profit or loss.

# (B) Intangible Assets

Intangible assets are stated at cost of acquisition net of recoverable taxes, accumulated amortization, and impairment losses, if any. Such costs include purchase price, borrowing cost, and any cost directly attributable to bringing the asset to its working condition for the intended use, net charges on foreign exchange contracts and adjustments arising from exchange rate variations attributable to the intangible assets.

Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognised as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the entity and cost can be measured reliably.

The amortisation period for intangible assets with finite useful lives is reviewed at each year-end. Changes in expected useful lives are treated as changes in accounting estimates.

Internally generated intangible asset Research costs are charged to the statement of Profit and Loss in the year in which they are incurred.

The cost of an internally generated intangible asset is the sum of directly attributable expenditure incurred from the date when the intangible asset first meets the recognition criteria to the completion of its development.

Product development expenditure is measured at cost less accumulated amortisation and impairment, if any. Amortisation is not recorded on product in progress until development is complete.

Gains or losses arising from derecognition of an Intangible Asset are measured as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset and are recognised in the statement of profit and loss when the asset is derecognised.

#### (C) Impairment of assets

Goodwill and intangible assets that have an indefinite useful life are not subject to amortization and are tested annually for impairment, or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that they might be impaired. Other assets are tested for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. An impairment loss is recognized for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs of disposal and value in use.

The Company assesses at each balance sheet date whether there is any indication that an asset may be impaired. If any such indication exists, the Company estimates the recoverable amount of the asset. If such recoverable amount of the asset or the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs is less than its carrying amount, the carrying amount is reduced to its recoverable amount. The reduction is treated as an impairment loss and is recognized in the statement of profit and loss. If at the balance sheet date there is an indication that a previously assessed impairment loss no longer exists, the recoverable amount is reassessed and the asset is reflected at the recoverable amount subject to a maximum of depreciable historical cost.

#### (D) Leases

# As a lessee:

The Company has applied IND AS 116 using the partial retrospective approach.

The Company assesses at contract inception whether a contract is, or contains, a lease. That is, if the contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration.

The Company applies a single recognition and measurement approach for all leases, except for short-term leases and leases of low-value assets. The Group recognizes lease liabilities to make lease payments and right-of-use assets representing the right to use the underlying assets.

# Right of use assets

The Company recognizes right-of-use assets at the commencement date of the lease (i.e., the date the underlying asset is available for use). Right-of-use assets are measured at cost, less any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses, and adjusted for any remeasurement of lease liabilities. The cost of right-of-use assets includes the amount of lease liabilities recognized, initial direct costs incurred, and lease payments made at or before the commencement date less any lease incentives received. Right-of-use assets are depreciated on a straight-line basis over the shorter of the lease term and the estimated useful lives of the assets.

#### Lease Liabilities

At the commencement date of the lease, the Company recognizes lease liabilities measured at the present value of lease payments to be made over the lease term. The lease payments include fixed payments (including in substance fixed payments) less any lease incentives receivable, variable lease payments that depend on an index or a rate, and amounts expected to be paid under residual value guarantees.

In calculating the present value of lease payments, the Company uses its incremental borrowing rate at the lease commencement date because the interest rate implicit in the lease is not readily determinable. After the commencement date, the amount of lease liabilities is increased to reflect the accretion of interest and reduced for the lease payments made. In addition, the carrying amount of lease liabilities is remeasured if there is a modification, a change in the lease term, a change in the lease payments (e.g., changes to future payments resulting from a change in an index or rate used to determine such lease payments) or a change in the assessment of an option to purchase the underlying asset.

# As Lessor:



At the inception of a lease, the lease arrangement is classified as either a finance lease or an operating lease, based on contractual terms & substance of the lease arrangement. Whenever the terms of the lease transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to the lessee, the contract is classified as a finance lease. All other leases are classified as operating leases.

Amounts due from lessees under finance leases are recognised as receivables at the amount of the Company's net investment in the leases. Finance lease income is allocated to accounting periods so as to reflect a constant periodic rate of return on the Company's net investment outstanding in respect of the leases

Rental income from operating leases is recognised on a straight-line basis over the term of the relevant lease. Initial direct costs incurred in negotiating and arranging an operating lease are added to the carrying amount of the leased asset and recognised on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

#### (E) Segment Reporting

Operating segments are reported in a manner consistent with the internal reporting provided to Chief Operating Decision Maker (CODM).

The Company has identified its Managing Director as CODM who is responsible for allocating resources and assessing performance of the operating segments and makes strategic decisions.

The Company is operating in single business segments. Hence, reporting requirement of Segment reporting is not arise.

#### (F) Statement of Cash flow

Cash Flows of the Group are reported using the indirect method, whereby profit before tax is adjusted for the effects of transactions of a noncash nature, any deferrals or accruals of past or future operating cash receipts or payments and item of income or expenses associated with investing or financing Cash Flows. The cash flows from operating, investing and financing activities of the Company are segregated.

#### (G) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprises cash on hand, demand deposits and highly liquid investments with an original maturity of up to three month that are readily convertible into cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

#### (H) Inventories

Inventories includes raw material, semi-finished goods, stock -in -trade, finished goods, stores & spares, consumables, packing materials, goods for resale and material in transit are valued at lower of cost and net

Raw Material and Components - Cost include cost of purchases and other costs incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition, value Cost is determined on First-In-First-Out basis.

Finished/Semi-Finished Goods - Cost includes cost of direct material, labor, other direct cost (Including variable costs) and a proportion of fixed manufacturing overheads allocated based on the normal operating capacity but excluding borrowing costs. Cost is determined on First-In-First-Out basis.

Stock-in-trade - Cost includes cost of purchase and other costs incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and conditions. Cost is determined on First-In-First-Out basis.

Stores, Spare Parts, Consumables, Packing Materials etc. - Cost is determined on on First-In-First-Out basis.

Goods for Resale - valuation Cost is determined on First-In-First-Out basis.

Realizable Net realisable value represents the estimated selling price for inventories less all estimated costs of completion and costs necessary to make the sale. Adequate allowance is made for obsolete and slow-moving items.

## (I) Foreign Currency Transactions

#### 1. Initial Recognition

On initial recognition, all foreign currency transactions are recorded by applying to the foreign currency amount the exchange rate between the functional currency and the foreign currency at the date of the transaction.

#### 2. Subsequent Recognition

As at the reporting date, non-monetary items which are carried in terms of historical cost 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 determined.

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

Any subsequent events occurring after the Balance Sheet date up to the date of the approval of the financial statement of the Company by the board of directors on May 30, 2024 have been considered, disclosed and adjusted, if changes or event are material in nature wherever applicable, as per the requirement of Ind AS.

#### (J) Income Taxes

The tax expense for the period comprises of current tax and deferred income tax. Tax is recognized in Statement of Profit and Loss, except to the extent that it relates to items recognized in the Other Comprehensive Income or in Equity. In which case, the tax is also recognized in Other Comprehensive Income or Equity.

#### Current tax: -

Current tax is measured at the amount expected to be paid to the tax authorities in accordance with the taxation laws prevailing in the respective jurisdictions. 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.

## Deferred tax:-

Deferred tax is recognized using the balance sheet approach. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for deductible and taxable temporary differences arising between the tax base of assets and liabilities and their carrying amount in financial statements.

Deferred tax asset is recognized to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which such deferred tax assets can be realized. The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each reporting date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred income tax asset to be utilized.



#### (K) Provisions and Contingencies

#### Provisions:

Provisions are recognised when there is a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and there is a reliable estimate of the amount of the obligation. Provisions are measured at the best estimate of the expenditure required to settle the present obligation at the Balance sheet date and are discounted to its present value as appropriate.

#### **Contingent Liabilities:**

Contingent liabilities are disclosed when there is a possible obligation arising from past events, the existence of which will be confirmed only by the occurrence or nonoccurrence of one or more uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the company or a present obligation that arises from past events where it is either not probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle or a reliable estimate of the amount cannot be made, is termed as a contingent liability.

#### (L) Revenue recognition

Revenue is measured at fair value of the consideration received or receivable. Revenue is recognized when (or as) the Company satisfies a performance obligation by transferring a promised good or service (i.e. an asset) to a customer. An asset is transferred when (or as) the customer obtains control of that asset.

When (or as) a performance obligation is satisfied, the Company recognizes as revenue the amount of the transaction price (excluding estimates of variable consideration) that is allocated to that performance obligation:

The Company applies the five-step approach for recognition of revenue:

- i. Identification of contract(s) with customers;
- ii. Identification of the separate performance obligations in the contract;
- iii. Determination of transaction price;
- iv. Allocation of transaction price to the separate performance obligations; and
- v. Recognition of revenue when (or as) each performance obligation is satisfied.

#### (M) Other income:

Interest: Interest income is calculated on effective interest rate, but recognised on a time proportion basis taking into account the amount outstanding and the rate applicable.

Dividend: Dividend income is recognised when the right to receive dividend is established.

#### (N) Finance Cost

Borrowing costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or construction of qualifying assets are capitalised as part of the cost of such assets. A qualifying asset is one that necessarily takes substantial period of time to get ready for its intended use. based on borrowings incurred specifically for financing the asset or the weighted average rate of all other borrowings, if no specific borrowings have been incurred for the asset.

Interest income earned on the temporary investment of specific borrowings pending their expenditure on qualifying assets is deducted from the borrowing costs eligible for capitalisation.

Borrowing costs include exchange differences arising from foreign currency borrowings to the extent they are regarded as an adjustment to the interest

All other borrowing costs are charged to the Statement of Profit and Loss for the period for which they are incurred.

#### (O) Earnings per share (EPS):

Basic EPS is calculated by dividing the net profit or loss for the period attributable to equity shareholders by the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the period. For the purpose of calculating diluted EPS, the net profit or loss for the period attributable to equity shareholders and the weighted average number of additional equity shares that would have been outstanding are considered assuming the conversion of all dilutive potential equity shares. Earnings considered in ascertaining the EPS is the net profit for the period and any attributable tax thereto for the period.

#### (P) Employee benefits

#### Provident Fund

Retirement benefit in the form of Provident Fund is a defined contribution scheme. The Company has no obligation, other than the contribution payable to the provident fund. The Company recognises contribution payable to the provident fund scheme as an expense when an employee renders the related service.

## Gratuity

The Management has decided to gratuity will be accounted in profit & loss A/c in each financial year when the claim is recognized by the company which is against the prescribed treatment of AS -15. The Quantum of provision required to be made for the said retirements benefits can be decided on actuarial basis and the said information could not be gathered. To the extent of such amount, the reserve would be lesser.

#### (Q) Fair Value Measurement:

The Company measures financial instruments such as investments in quoted share, certain other investments etc. at fair value at each Balance Sheet date.

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability at the measurement date. All assets and liabilities for which fair value is measured or disclosed in the financial statements are categorized within the fair value hierarchy, described as follows, based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole.

- Level 1 Quoted (unadjusted) market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2 Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is directly or indirectly observable.
- Level 3 Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is unobservable.



#### (R) Financial Instruments:

A financial instrument is any contract that gives rise to a financial asset of one entity and a financial liability or equity instrument of another entity.

#### Financial assets:

#### Initial recognition

Financial assets are recognised when the Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instruments. Financial assets other than trade receivables and other specific assets are initially recognised at fair value plus transaction costs for all financial assets not carried at fair value through profit or loss. Financial assets carried at fair value through profit or loss are initially recognised at fair value, and transaction costs are expensed in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### Subsequent measurement

Financial assets, other than equity instruments, are subsequently measured at amortised cost, fair value through other comprehensive income or fair value through profit or loss on the basis of both:

- i. The entity's business model for managing the financial assets and
- ii. The contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial asset.

#### De-recognition

The Company derecognizes a financial asset when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the financial asset expire, or it transfers rights to receive cash flows from an asset, it evaluates if and to what extent it has retained the risks and rewards of ownership. When it has neither transferred nor retained substantially all of the risks and rewards of the asset, nor transferred control of the asset, the Company continues to recognise the transferred asset to the extent of the Company's continuing involvement. In that case, the 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.

#### **Financial Liabilities:**

#### **Initial Recognition and Subsequent Measurement**

All financial liabilities are recognised initially at fair value and in case of borrowings and payables, net of directly attributable cost. Financial liabilities are subsequently carried at amortized cost using the effective interest method. For trade and other payables maturing within one year from the Balance Sheet date, the carrying amounts approximate fair value due to the short maturity of these instruments. Changes in the amortised value of liability are recorded as finance cost.

#### De-recognition

A financial liability is de-recognised 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 or loss.

Note 2: Property, Plant & Equipment

		Gros	Gross Block			Ac	Accumulated Depreciation	ation		Net I	Net Block
Fixed Assets	Balance as at April 1, 2023	Additions	Disposal / Adjustment	Balance as at March 31, 2024	Balance as at April 1, 2023	Amount charged to reserves	Depreciation charge for the year	Deductions / Adjustments	Balance as at March 31, 2024	Balance as at March 31, 2024	Balance as at March 31, 2023
Tangible Assets											
Land	0.50	•	'	0.50		•	,	'	•	0.50	0.50
Factory Land	69:02	1	46.60	24.09		•	'	'	1	24.09	70.69
Factory Building	136.81	1	,	136.81	83.28	•	3.39	'	83.28	50.14	53.53
Office Building	160.73	7.15	1	167.88	1.18		15.29	1	1.18	151.40	159.55
Office Equipments	25.26	5.13	1.78	28.61	19.01	'	4.43	1.69	19.01	98.9	6.25
Computer & Software	17.48	2.33	1	19.81	16.41	'	1.03	1	16.41	2.36	1.07
Furniture & Fixtures	136.90	23.13	33.97	126.07	114.70	•	5.36	26.74	114.70	32.75	22.21
Plant & Machinery	532.64	0.91	397.92	135.63	441.36	•	8.38	354.20	441.36	40.08	91.27
Laboratory Equipments	12.47	ı	ı	12.47	9.27	•	0.82	ı	9.27	2.38	3.20
Motor Vehicle	183.67	54.89	1	238.56	118.39	•	3.10	1	118.39	88.08	65.29
Software	6.48	ı	ı	6.48	6.48	•	ı	ı	6.48	•	ı
Sub Total	1283.627	93.54	480.27	896.89	810.07	'	70.80	382.63	810.07	398.64	473.55
Intangible Assets											
Trademark	5.46	66:0	ı	6.45	3.03	ı	0.75	ı	3.03	2.68	2.43
Sub Total	5.46	0.99	•	6.45	3.03	•	0.75	•	3.03	2.68	2.43
Total	1,289.08	94.53	480.27	903.34	813.10	'	71.55	382.63	813.10	401.32	475.98



## **Note 3: Non-Current Investment**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2024	As at March 31, 2023
(a) Investments in Equity Instruments		
(b) Investment in Preference Shares	-	-
(c) Investments in Government or trust securities	-	-
(d) Investments in debentures or bonds	-	-
(e ) Investments in Mutual Funds		
(f) Investments in FDs	130.04	35.50
(g) Other investments	-	-
Sub- Total (a)	130.04	35.50
Further, Classified		
(A) Aggregate amount of quoted investments and market value thereof	-	-
(B) Aggregate amount of unquoted investments		-
(C) Aggregate amount of impairment in value of investments	-	-
	-	-
Tol	ral 130.04	35.50

## Note 4: Non-current Loans

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2024	As at March 31, 2023
Secured, Considered good		
a) Security Deposits	-	-
b) Loan to Promoter/Directors/Associate Company/Subsidiary Company/Group Company	-	-
c) Other	-	-
Unsecured, Considered good		
a) Security Deposits	4.33	11.12
b) Loan to Promoter/Directors/Associate Company/Subsidiary Company/Group Company	-	-
c) Other	-	-
Total	4.33	11.12

#### **Note 5: Inventories**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2024	As at March 31, 2023
a. Raw Material and components	575.10	288.82
(valued at lower of cost or NRV as per FIFO Method)		
b. Work-in-Progress (valued at estimated cost)	-	=
c. Finished goods	418.28	469.89
(valued at lower of cost or NRV)		
d. Packing Material	135.79	87.32
(valued at lower of cost or NRV as per FIFO Method)		
Total	1,129.17	846.02

## **Note 6: Current Trade Receivables**

Particulars	As at March 31, 2024	As at March 31, 2023
a) Secured, Considered good	-	-
b) Unsecured, Considered good		
Undisputed Trade Receivable - Considered good		
Less than 6 Months	940.31	1,139.17
6 Months – 1 Year	157.70	326.84
01 – 02 Year	678.48	89.96
02 – 03 Year	-	88.41
More than 3 Years	538.75	776.12
c) Doubtful	-	-
Less: Allowance for bed and doubtful debts	-	-
	2,315.25	2,420.50
Further classified		
a) Allowance for doubtful debts	-	-
b) Debts Due by Directors or other officers or group	-	-
Total	2,315.25	2,420.50



## Note 7: Cash and Cash Equivalents

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2024	As at March 31, 2023
a) Balances with Banks		
Bank of India	0.59	2.95
ICICI Bank	6.16	4.30
b) Cheques, drafts on hand	-	-
c) Cash on hand	1.48	5.91
Total	8.23	13.15

## Note 8: Current Loans

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2024	As at March 31, 2023
Secured, Considered good		
a) Security Deposits	-	-
b) Loan to Promoter/Directors/Associate Company/Subsidiary Company/Group Company	-	-
c) Other advances	-	-
Unsecured, Considered good		
a) Security Deposits	88.95	1.30
b) Loan to Promoter/Directors/Associate Company/Subsidiary Company/Group Company	-	-
c) Other advances:		
Advance to Creditors	490.52	390.15
Advance to Employees	4.37	3.10
Total	583.84	394.55

## **Note 9: Other Current Assets**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2024	As at March 31, 2023
Secured, Considered good		
a) Security Deposits	-	-
b) Loan to Promoter/Directors/Associate Company/Subsidiary Company/Group Company	-	-
c) Other advances	-	-
Unsecured, Considered good		
a) Security Deposits	-	-
b) Loan to Promoter/Directors/Associate Company/Subsidiary Company/Group Company	-	-
c) Balance with Government Authorities	570.61	348.45
d) Other advances:		
Prepaid Expenses	5.44	3.15
GST Appeal Fees	0.79	-
Accrued Income	20.12	-
Total	596.96	351.59

## **Note 10: Equity Share Capital**

(₹ In Lakh)

	As at March 31, 2024		As at March 31, 2023		
Share Capital		Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Authorised:					
Equity Shares of ₹ 10/- each		17500000	1,750.00	17500000	1,750.00
Issued:					
Equity Shares of ₹ 10/- each		16800000	1,680.00	16800000	1,680.00
Subscribed & Paid-up					
Equity Shares of ₹ 10/- each fully paid		16800000	1,680.00	16800000	1,680.00
	Total	16800000	1,680.00	16800000	1,680.00

## **Note 10.1: Reconciliation of Number of Shares**

Particulars	As at Marcl	ı 31, 2024	As at March 31, 2023	
i ai ucuiai s	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Shares outstanding at the beginning of the year	16800000	1,68000	11200000	1,120.00
Bonus Shares issued during the year	-	-	5600000	560.00
Shares bought back during the year	-	-	-	-
Shares outstanding at the end of the year	16800000	1,680.00	16800000	1,680.00



Note 10.2: Details of shares held by Shareholders holding more than 5% of the aggregate shares in the Company

	As at March 31, 2024		As at March 31, 2023	
Name of Shareholder	No. of Shares held	% of Holding	No. of Shares held	% of Holding
Mr. Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani	5573346	33.17	4581126	27.27
Mr. Pravinbhai M. Kumbhani	982000	5.85	1812000	10.79
Mrs. Alpaben J. Kumbhani	1677960	9.99	1677960	9.99
Mr. Ghanshyambhai M. Kumbhani	1912220	11.38	1082220	6.44
Mrs, Bhavnaben P. Kumbhani	318450	1.90	318450	1.90
Mrs. Nandaben G. Kumbhani	1020000	6.07	1020000	6.07
Mr. Mohanbhai N. Kumbhani	-	-	992220	5.91

Note: Changes in Promoter Holding is shown in Note No. 49 of Significant Accounting Policy.

## **Note 11: Other Equity**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2024	As at March 31, 2023
A. Securities Premium Reserve		
As per last Balance Sheet	-	-
Add: Securities Premium credited on Shares issue	-	-
Less: Premium utilized for various reasons:		
For Bonus issue during the year	-	-
Closing Balance	-	-
B. Retained Earnings		
As per last Balance Sheet	701.02	996.97
Add: Net Profit/(Net Loss) for the Current year	406.43	289.25
Less: Income Tax Expenses write off	-	-
Adjustment in F.A. as per the Companies Act, 2013	-	-
Other written off	-	-
Dividend Paid	-	25.20
Bonus Issue Expense	-	-
Bonus Issue during the year	-	560.00
Closing Balance	1,107.45	701.02
Other Comprehensive Income (OCI)		
As per Last Balance Sheet	-	-
Add: Movement in OCI (Net) during the year	-	-
Closing Balance	-	-
Total	1,107.45	701.02

## **Note 12: Non-Current Borrowings**

(₹ In Lakh)

		(< in Lakn)
Particulars	As at March 31, 2024	As at March 31, 2023
Secured:		
Term Loans		
From Banks:		
Term Loan	-	4.83
Car Loans	153.81	139.28
Sub-total (a)	153.81	144.11
Unsecured:		
Loans and advances from related parties	-	-
Sub-total (b)	-	-
Total	153.81	144.11

Note 12.1:

Term Loan facility from ICICI Bank is secured by Hypothecation of present and future stock & Book Debts.

Car loans from bank referred above are secured by Hypothecation of Cars.

**Note 13: Current Borrowings** 



Particulars As at March 31, 2024 As at March 31, 2023 Secured: Loan payable on demand From Banks: Cash Credit 336.49 591.77 **Current Maturities of Long-Term Loans** From Banks: ICICI Term Loan 7.43 32.31 Car Loans 37.27 39.25 381.48 Sub-total (a)+(b) 663.32 **Unsecured:** Loans and advances from related parties 54.00 54.00 Sub-total (c) 54.00 54.00 In case of continuing default as on the balance sheet date in repayment of loans and interest with respect to (a) (b) & (c) Period of default Amount Total 435.18 717.32

#### Note 13.1:

Working Capital loan from bank referred above to the extent of Cash Credit from ICICI Bank is secured by Hypothecation of present and future stock & Book Debts.

Term Loan facility from ICICI Bank is secured by Hypothecation of present and future stock & Book Debts.

Car loans from bank referred above are secured by Hypothecation of Cars.

## **Note 14: Current Trade Payables**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2024	As at March 31, 2023
Due From:		
a) Micro, Small and Medium Enterprise		
Less than 01 year	-	-
01 – 02 Year	-	-
02 – 03 Year	-	-
More than 3 Years	-	-
b) Others		
Less than 01 year	629.85	434.32
01 – 02 Year	-	69.49
02 – 03 Year	30.44	34.96
More than 3 Years	-	40.33
Total	660.29	579.10

## **Note 15: Current Provisions**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2024	As at March 31, 2023
Provision for:		
a) Employee Benefits		
Bonus Payable	6.10	5.60
b) Others		
Electricity burning Expense	-	0.18
C & F Charges	1.87	1.95
Security Charges	-	0.12
Telephone Charges	0.08	0.01
Director Sitting Fees	-	0.90
Audit Fees	2.50	1.15
Income Tax	-	=
Total	10.55	9.92

Note 16: Income/Current Tax Liabilities (Net)



(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2024	As at March 31, 2023
Opening Balance	-	40.44
Add: Provision for the year	180.76	117.86
Less: Tax Paid	-	66.44
Total	180.76	51.42

## **Note 17: Other Current Liabilities**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2024	As at March 31, 2023
a) Statutory Remittance		
TDS Payable	11.07	5.14
TCS Payable	0.01	0.28
GST Payable	1.76	-
EPF Payable	0.45	0.53
ESIC Payable	0.08	0.03
Professional Tax Payable	0.63	0.18
b) Advanced from Customer	129.85	89.34
c) Dealer Deposits	393.86	338.37
d) Late Payment Charges	385.88	232.76
Total	923.59	666.64

## **Note 18: Revenue from Operations**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2024	For the year ended on March 31, 2023
Sale of Products	6,128.72	4,946.19
Other Operating Revenue	-	-
Total	6,128.72	4,946.19

## **Note 18.1: Particulars of Sale of Products**

(₹ In Lakh)

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Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2024	For the year ended on March 31, 2023
Manufactured Goods:		
Fertilisers	69.74	77.71
Pesticides	2,946.80	4,488.28
Seeds	1,496.29	380.20
Bio	1,615.89	
Total	6,128.72	4,946.19

<sup>\*</sup>Branch wise Sales bifurcation is given in Note No. 51 of Notes Forming part of Financial Statements.

## Note 19: Other Income

(₹ In Lakh)

		(< In Lakh)
Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2024	For the year ended on March 31, 2023
Reimbursement of C & F Charges	1.83	1.89
Reimbursement of Marketing Expense	18.29	18.95
Interest Income		
From Bank FD Deposits	0.18	0.21
From other Deposits	0.40	0.63
Other Non-operating Revenues		
Kasar Income	1.35	-
Duty Drawback Income	0.95	2.18
Insurance Claim Income	85.32	-
Late Payment Charges	3.37	-
Foreign Exchange Gain or Loss	-	5.21
Bed Debts Recovery	4.09	17.25
Asset Sale Capital Gain	226.08	-
Total	341.87	46.32

Note 20: Cost of Material Consumed



Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2024	For the year ended on March 31, 2023
Opening Stock of Raw Materials	288.82	293.08
Add: Purchase of Raw Materials	3,042.29	3,343.63
Closing Stock of Raw Materials	575.10	288.82
Total (A)	2,756.01	3,347.89
Opening Stock of Packing Material Consumed	87.32	97.69
Add: Purchase of Packing Material Consumed	78.73	140.31
Closing Stock of Packing Material Consumed	135.79	87.32
Total (B)	30.25	150.68
Total	2,786.26	3,498.57

## Note 20.1: Particulars of Cost of Material Consumed

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2024	For the year ended on March 31, 2023
Breakup of Raw Material Consumed:		
Fertilisers	58.12	36.27
Pesticides	1,312.31	3,013.79
Seeds	1,671.86	293.56
Others	-	-
Total (A)	3,042.29	3,343.63
Breakup of Packing Material Consumed:		
Fertilisers	-	-
Pesticides	78.73	132.37
Seeds	-	7.95
Others	-	-
Total (B)	78.73	140.31
Total	3,121.02	3,483.94

## Note 20.2: Purchase of Traded Goods

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2024	For the year ended on March 31, 2023
Breakup of Purchase of Traded Goods		
Seeds	1614.56	154.91
Others	=	=
Total	1614.56	154.91

## Note 21: Changes in Inventories of Finished Goods, Stock in Process and WIP

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2024	For the year ended on March 31, 2023
Inventories at the end of the year		
Finished Goods	418.28	469.89
Work in Progress	-	-
Inventories at the beginning of the year		
Finished Goods	469.89	339.31
Work in Progress	-	-
Net (Increase)/Decrease	51.61	(130.58)

## **Note 22: Employee Benefits Expenses**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2024	For the year ended on March 31, 2023
(a) Salaries and Wages	607.46	452.82
(b) Contributions to Provident Fund & Other Fund:	3.01	-
Provident Fund	-	-
ESIC	0.44	0.42
(c) Staff welfare Expenses	0.68	0.73
(d) Provision for Gratuity	-	-
(e) Termination Benefits	-	-
Total	611.59	453.98

**Note 23: Finance Cost** 



Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2024	For the year ended on March 31, 2023
(a) Interest Expense		
(i) Borrowings	76.46	33.90
(ii) Interest on TDS	0.02	0.00
(iii) Interest on Professional Tax	0.07	0.13
(iv) Interest on dealer Deposits		=
(v) Interest on Provident Fund	+	3.36
(b) Other Borrowing costs	2.29	6.85
Total	78.84	44.24

## Note 24: Depreciation and Amortization

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2024	For the year ended on March 31, 2023
Depreciation of Property, Plant and Equipment	71.55	58.60
Amortization of Intangible Assets	+	0.38
Depreciation on Investment Property	-	-
Total	71.55	58.99

## **Note 25: Other Expenses**

(₹ In Lakh)

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Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2024	For the year ended on March 31, 2023	
Manufacturing Expenses:			
Loading & Unloading Charges	3.86	1.87	
Electric Power & Fuel	2.86	2.53	
Electric Burning Expense	9.03	11.19	
Factory Expense	2.16	2.11	
Factory Rent Expense	5.45	4.95	
C & F Charges	11.45	5.14	
C & F commission Expense	10.12	8.45	
Farming & Nursing Expense	-	-	
Field Assistant Expense	-	2.70	
Leakage Material	0.13	0.27	
Worker Salary	59.98	-	
Rate Difference	12.46	2.65	
Freight & Forwarding Expense	68.25	91.98	
Selling & Distribution Expenses			
Sales Promotion Expense	-	=	
Sales Commission Expense	0.40	2.77	
Dealer Meeting Expense	10.61	0.44	
Discounts	104.96	46.24	
Export Clearing & Forwarding Charges	8.43	24.84	
Marketing Expense	4.71	41.03	
Exhibition Expense	8.30	11.40	
Establishment Expenses:			
Advertisement Expenses	10.24	37.95	
Rent Expense	16.71	13.52	
Rates & Taxes	41.25	15.03	
Payment To auditor	4.70	1.30	
Assets Written off	-	0.99	
Donation	-	2.20	
Insurance Expense	6.71	7.52	
Legal & Professional Fees	31.97	27.44	
Travelling Conveyance Expense	153.82	89.49	
Repairs & Maintenance	43.49	26.80	
Communication Expense	4.09	2.32	
Research and Development Cost	1.36	0.33	
Godown Expense	2.91	3.92	
Bad Debts Expense	-	-	
Late Payment Reverse Charges	-	11.34	
Other Charges	-	-	
Miscellaneous Expense	9.96	6.40	
Total	650.36	507.10	

Note 25.1: Payment to Auditor as:



Par	iculars	For the year ended on March 31, 2024	For the year ended on March 31, 2023
a)	For Auditor	4.70	1.30
b)	For taxation matters	-	-
c)	For Company Law matters	-	-
d)	For Management Services	-	-
e)	For other Services	-	-
f)	For reimbursement of expenses	-	-
	Total	4.70	1.30

- Note 25: The previous year's figures have been reworked, regrouped, and reclassified wherever necessary. Amounts and other disclosures for the preceding year are included as an integral part of the current annual financial statements and are to be read in relation to the amounts and other disclosures relating to the current financial year.
- **Note 26:** Credit and Debit balances of unsecured loans, sundry creditors, sundry Debtors, loans and Advances are subject to confirmation and therefore the effect of the same on profit could not be ascertained.
- Note 27: The Company has not revalued its Property, Plant and Equipment for the current year.
- Note 28: There has been no Capital work in progress for the current year of the company.
- Note 29: There is no Intangible assets under development in the current year.
- Note 30: The Company does not have any charges or satisfaction which is yet to be registered with ROC beyond the statutory period.
- Note 31: Quarterly returns or statements of current assets filed by the Company with banks or financial institutions are in agreement with the books of accounts
- Note 32: The Company has not traded or invested in Crypto currency or Virtual Currency during the financial year.
- **Note 33:** No proceeding has been initiated or pending against the Company for holding any Benami property under the Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Act, 1988, as amended, and rules made thereunder.
- Note 34: The company has not been declared as willful defaulter by any bank or financial institution or government or government authority.
- **Note 35:** The Company has not advanced or loaned to or invested in funds to any other person(s) or entity(is), including foreign entities (Intermediaries) with the understanding that the Intermediary shall:
  - a. directly or indirectly lend to or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the company (Ultimate Beneficiaries) or
  - b. provide any guarantee, security or the like to or on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.
- Note 36: The Company has not received any fund from any person(s) or entity(is), including foreign entities (Funding Party) with the understanding (whether recorded in writing or otherwise) that the Company shall
  - a. directly or indirectly lend to or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Funding Party (Ultimate Beneficiaries) or
  - b. provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.
- Note 37: The company does not have transaction with the struck off under section 248 of companies act, 2013 or section 560 of Companies act 1956.
- **Note 38:** The company is in compliance with the number of layers prescribed under clause (87) of section 2 of company's act read with companies (restriction on number of layers) Rules, 2017.

## Note 39: Related Party Disclosures:

The Disclosures of Transaction with the related parties as defined in the related parties as defined in the Indian AS are given below:

## List of related parties with whom transactions have taken place and relationships: -

Sr. No. Nature of Relationships Name of Parties	Sr. No.	Nature of Relationships	Name of Parties
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1.	Key Managerial personnel (KMP)	Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani	Ashvinkumar Trapasiya	
		Ghanshyambhai M. Kumbhani	Mamtaben H. Thumbar	
		Alpaben J. Kumbhani	Hasmukhbhai Vavaiya	
		Mukesh V. Shah	Rupen J Patel	
		CS Dhruvitkumar Mandliya		
2.	Associate Concern	Sikkon Crop Technology (Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani)		
		Sikkon Crop Technology (Pravinbhai M. Kumbhani)		
3.	Relative of KMP	Pravinbhai M. Kumbhani		
		Bhavnaben P. Kumbhani		

Transaction during the current financial year with related parties: -

(₹ In Lakh)

Sr. No.	Name of Related Parties	Nature of Relation	Nature of Transaction	O/s at the beginning Receivable/ (Payable)	Amount Debited	Amount Created	O/s at the End Receivable/ (Payable)	
1	Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani	Key Managerial Person	Director Remuneration	13.77	139.40	120.00	-5.63	
2	Ghanshyambhai M. Kumbhani	Key Managerial Person	Director Remuneration	13.52	101.41	120.00	32.11	
3	Alpaben J. Kumbhani	Key Managerial Person	Director Remuneration	6.75	75.04	84.00	15.70	
4	Sikkon Crop	Enterprise in which	Purchase	-	466.89	121.96	-	
	Technology (Prop. Jayantibhai	relative of KMP is having significant	C & F Income	-	1.83	1.83	-	
	Kumbhani)	interest	Marketing Income	-	18.29	18.29	-	
5	Sikkon Crop	Enterprise in which	Purchase	-	-	-	-	
	Technology (Prop. Pravinbhai	relative of KMP is having significant	1	C & F Income	-	=		
	Kumbhani)	interest	Marketing Income	-	-			
6	Bhavnaben P. Kumbhani	Relative of KMP	Godown Rent	0.00	0.92	1.32	0.40	
7	Pravinbhai M. Kumbhani	Relative of KMP	Factory Rent Expense	0.38	5.41	5.45	0.42	
8	Mukesh V. Shah	Chief Financial Officer	Salary Expense	0.56	8.89	8.79	0.46	
9	Dhruvitkumar Mandliya	Company Secretary	Salary Expense	0.00	2.70	3.00	0.30	
10	Mamtaben H. Thumbar	Independent Director	Sitting Fees	0.00	0.03	0.30	0.27	
11	Hasmukhbhai Vavaiya	Independent Director	Sitting Fees	0.00	0.03	0.30	0.27	
12	Ashvinkumar Trapasiya	Independent Director	Sitting Fees	0.00	0.03	0.30	0.27	

## Note 40: Deferred tax Assets and Liabilities are as under:

Components of which are as under:

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2024	As at March 31, 2023
Deferred Tax		
Block of assets (Depreciation)	62.95	3.96
Net Differed Tax Liability/(Asset)	17.51	(1.10)

## Note 41: Earnings Per Share

Particulars	For the year ended on	For the year ended on
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	March 31, 2024	March 31, 2023
Profit / (Loss) after tax attributable to Equity Shareholders (A)	406.43	289.25
Weighted Number of Equity Share outstanding During the year (B) (In Nos.)	16800000	16800000
Basic Earnings Per Share for each Share of ₹ 10/- (A) / (B)	2.42	1.72

#### Note 42: Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR):

The section 135 (Corporate social responsibility) of Companies Act, 2013 is not applicable to the company.

#### Note 43: Notes forming part of accounts in relation to Micro and small enterprise

Based on information available with the company, on the status of the suppliers being Micro or small enterprises, on which the auditors have relied, the disclosure requirements of Schedule III to the Companies Act, 2013 with regard to the payments made/due to Micro and small Enterprises are given below:

Particulars		For the year ended on March 31, 2024		For the year ended on March 31, 2023	
		Interest	Principal	Interest	
Amount due as at the date of Balance sheet	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	
Amount paid beyond the appointed date during the year	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	
Amount of interest due and payable for the period of delay in making payments of principal during the year beyond the appointed date	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	
The amount of interest accrued and remaining unpaid as at the date of Balance sheet	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	

The company has initiated the process of obtaining the confirmation from suppliers who have registered themselves under the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006 (MSMED Act, 2006) but has not received the same in totality. The above information is compiled based on the extent of responses received by the company from its suppliers.

#### Note 44: Title deeds of immovable Property

Tittle deeds of immovable property has not been held in the name of promoter, director, or relative of promoter/ director or employee of promoters / director of the company, hence same are held in the name of the company.

#### Note 45: Loans or Advances in the nature of loans to promoters, directors, KMPs and the related parties

No Loans or Advances in the nature of loans are granted to promoters, directors, KMPs and the related parties (as defined under Companies Act, 2013,) either severally or jointly with any other person.

#### Note 46: Compliance with approved Scheme(s) of Arrangements

The Company does not have made any arrangements in terms of section 230 to 237 of companies act 2013, and hence there is no deviation to be disclosed.

#### Note 47: Utilization of Borrowed funds and share premium: -

As on March 31, 2024 there is no unutilized amount in respect of any issue of securities and long term borrowings from bank and financial institutions. The borrowed funds have been utilized for the specific purpose for which the funds were raised.

## Note 48: Ratio Analysis:

Ratio	Numerator	Denominator	As at March 31, 2024	As at March 31, 2023	% of Change in Ratio	Reason for Variance
Current Ratio	Current Assets	Current Liabilities	2.16	2.01	7.42%	-
Debt Equity Ratio	Debt capital	Shareholder's Equity	0.21	0.36	-41.60%	Due to Company has taken additional Debts during the year.
Debt Service Coverage Ratio	EBITDA	Debt Service (Int.+ Principal)	5.57	5.88	-5.19%	-
Return on Equity Ratio	Profit for the year	Average Shareholder's Equity	0.31	0.26	22.28%	-
Inventory Turnover Ratio	COGS	Average Inventory	4.51	4.47	0.85%	-
Trade Receivables turnover ratio	Net sales	Average trade receivables	2.60	2.26	14.69%	-
Trade payables turnover ratio	Total Purchases (Fuel Cost + Other Expenses + Closing Inventory-Opening Inventory)	Closing Trade Payables	5.24	6.28	-16.55%	Due to increase in credit period offered by suppliers, the ratio decreased.
Net capital turnover ratio	Sales	Working capital (CA-CL)	2.41	2.44	-1.24%	-
Net profit ratio	Net Profit	Sales	0.07	0.06	13.50%	Due to Company has achieved high profit during the year.
Return on Capital employed	Earnings before interest and tax	Capital Employed	2.23	0.17	33.36%	Due to Company has achieved high profit during the year
Return on investment	Net Profit	Investment	<u>-</u>	-	-	=

Note 49: Shares held by Promoters at the end of the year:

Sr. Promoter Name As at March 31, 2024 As at March 31, 2023 % Changes



No.		No. of Shares	%	No. of Shares	%	During the Year
1	Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani	5573346	33.17%	4581126	27.27%	0.00%
2	Pravinbhai M. Kumbhani	982000	5.85%	1812000	10.79%	0.00%
3	Alpaben J. Kumbhani	1677960	9.99%	1677960	9.99%	0.00%
4	Ghanshyambhai M. Kumbhani	1912220	11.38%	1082220	6.44%	0.00%
5	Nandaben G. Kumbhani	1020000	6.07%	1020000	6.07%	0.00%
6	Mohanbhai N. Kumbhani	-	-	992220	5.91%	0.00%
7	Rudiben M. Kumbhani	516024	3.07%	516024	3.07%	0.00%
8	Bhavnaben P. Kumbhani	318450	1.90%	318450	1.90%	0.00%
9	Rasilaben R. Savaliya	1500	0.01%	1500	0.01%	100.00%

#### Note 50: Charge Asset:

- 1) Charge created in the favor of charge holder (ICICI Bank Ltd) on dated 04/03/23 of Rs 130.00 Lakhs over the certain assets of company.
- 2) Charge created in the favor of charge holder (HDFC Bank Ltd) on dated 17/08/2021 of Rs 21.00 Lakhs over the certain assets of company.
- 3) Charge created in the favor of charge holder (ICICI Bank Ltd) on dated 16/10/20202 of Rs.89.12.00 Lakhs over the certain assets of company.
- 4) Charge created in the favor of charge holder (ICICI Bank Ltd) on dated 19/06/2018 of Rs.1400.00 Lakhs over the certain assets of company. This charge has been modified on dated 29/02/2024.

## Note 51: Registration of Charges or satisfaction with registrar of companies (ROC):

All charges or satisfaction are registered with ROC within the statutory period for the financial years ended March 31, 2024 and March 31, 2023. No charges or satisfactions are yet to be registered with ROC beyond the statutory period.

#### Note 52: Branch wise Sales bifurcation:

(₹ in Lakh)

Details	Gujarat	Rajasthan	Madhya Pradesh	Maharashtra	Uttar Pradesh	West Bengal	Chandigarh	OD	Bihar	All Branch Sales
Sales Account	4893.08	441.81	141.06	58.68	438.56	72.65	4.80	17.98	84.47	6153.09
Inter Branch Sales	1388.03	18.84	35.77	152.84	5.78	13.36	5.24	0.00	0.00	1619.88
<b>Total Sales</b>	6281.11	460.65	176.83	211.52	444.34	86.01	10.04	17.98	84.47	7772.97
Less: Sales Return	-	-	-	-		-	-			-
Total Sales Return	21.50	0.37	0.39	2.01	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.38
Less: Credit Note	21.50	0.37	0.39	2.01	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.38
Sales Return Credit Note	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	-
Rate Diff.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	-
Total Credit Note	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	-
Sales as per Balance Sheet	6259.61	460.28	176.44	209.51	444.25	86.01	10.04	17.98	84.47	7748.60
					Less Inter Br	anch Sales				1619.88
				As	s per Audit R	eport Sales				6128.72

As per our report on even date attached For, D G M S & Co. Chartered Accountants FRN No. 0112187W For and on behalf of the Board of Directors, For, Sikko Industries Limited

Pinal B. Shah Partner M. No. 108408

UDIN: 24108408BKLSUQ4300

Date: May 30, 2024 Place: Ahmedabad Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani Managing Director DIN: 00587807 Ghanshyambhai M. Kumbhani Whole-time Director DIN: 00587855

Dhruvitkumar P. Mandliya Mukesh Shah
Company Secretary Chief Financial Officer

Date: May 30, 2024 Place: Ahmedabad



## AUDIT REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

#### TO MEMBERS OF

#### SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED

#### Report on the Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) Financial Statements

#### Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED, which comprise the Balance Sheet as at March 31, 2023, and the Statement of Profit and Loss (Including Other Comprehensive Income) and Cash Flow Statement and the statement of Changes in Equity for the period ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information. (Hereinafter referred to as the "financial statements").

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 inconformity 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, 2023, the profit and total comprehensive income, changes in equity and its cash flows for the year ended on that date.

#### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing (SAs) specified under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013. Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the 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.

#### **Key Audit Matters**

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.

There are no Key Audit Matters Reportable as per SA 701 issued by ICAI.

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

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the preparation of the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Management Discussion and Analysis, Board's Report including Annexures to Board's Report, but does not include the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. These reports are expected to be made available to us after the date of our auditor's report.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information identified above when it becomes available 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.

When we read the other information included in the above reports, if we conclude that there is material misstatement therein, we are required to communicate the matter to those charged with governance and determine the actions under the applicable laws and regulations.

## Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the matters stated in section 134(5) of the Act with respect to the preparation of these financial statements that give a true and fair view of the financial position, financial performance, total comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows of the Company in accordance with the Ind AS and other accounting principles generally accepted in India. This responsibility also includes maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting 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.

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.

Those Board of Directors are also responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

## Auditor's Responsibility

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.



As part of an audit in accordance with SAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- > Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- > Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances. Under section 143(3)(i) of the 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.
- 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.
- > 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.

Materiality is the magnitude of misstatements in the financial statements that, individually or in aggregate, makes it probable that the economic decisions of a reasonably knowledgeable user of the financial statements may be influenced. We consider quantitative materiality and qualitative factors in (i) planning the scope of our audit work and in evaluating the results of our work; and (ii) to evaluate the effect of any identified misstatements in the financial statements.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

#### Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

- 1. As required by the Companies (Auditor's Report) Order, 2020 ("the Order") issued by the Central Government of India in terms of section 143(11) of the Act, we give in "Annexure A", a statement on the matter specified in the paragraph 3 and 4 of the Order.
- 2. As required under provisions of section 143(3) of the Companies Act, 2013, we report that:
  - a) We have obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief where necessary for the purposes of our audit:
  - b) In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Company so far as appears from our examination of those books;
  - c) The Balance Sheet and Statement of Profit and Loss including Other Comprehensive Income Statement of Cash Flow and Statement of Changes of Equity dealt with this report are in agreement with the books of account;
  - d) In our opinion, the aforesaid Financial Statement comply with the Accounting Standards specified under Section 133 of Act, read with relevant rule issued thereunder.
  - e) On the basis of written representations received from the directors as on March 31, 2023, taken on record by the Board of Directors, none of the directors is disqualified as on March 31, 2023, from being appointed as a director in terms of section 164(2) of the Act.
  - f) With respect to the adequacy of the internal financial controls over financial reporting of the company and operating effectiveness of such controls, referred to our separate report in "Annexure B".
  - g) With respect to the other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with the requirements of section 197(16) of the Act, as amended:
    - In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the remuneration paid by the Company to its directors during the year is in accordance with the provisions of section 197 of the Act.
  - h) With respect to other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with Rule 11 of the Companies (Audit and Auditor) Rules, 2014, in our opinion and to the best of our knowledge and belief and according to the information and explanations given to us:
    - a) The Company has disclosed the impact of pending litigations as at March 31, 2023 on its financial position in its financial statements Refer Note (vii) of **Annexure A** to the financial statements.
    - b) The Company did not have any long-term and derivative contracts as at March 31, 2023.



- c) There has been no delay in transferring amounts, required to be transferred, the Investor Education and Protection Fund by the Company during the year ended March 31, 2023.
- d) The management has;
  - i. represented that, to the best of its knowledge and belief as disclosed in the Note No. 35 to the financial statements, no funds have been advanced or loaned or invested (either from borrowed funds or share premium or any other sources or kind of funds) by the Company to or in any other persons or entities, including foreign entities ("Intermediaries"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Intermediary shall:
    - directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") by
      or on behalf of the Company or
    - provide any guarantee, security or the like to or on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.
  - ii. represented, that, to the best of its knowledge and belief as disclosed in the Note No. 36 to the financial statements, no funds have been received by the Company from any persons or entities, including foreign entities ("Funding Parties"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Company shall:
    - directly or indirectly, lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") by or on behalf of the Funding Party or
    - provide any guarantee, security or the like from or on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries; and
  - iii. Based on such audit procedures as considered reasonable and appropriate in the circumstances, nothing has come to our notice that has caused us to believe that the representations under subclause (d) (i) and (d) (ii) contain any material mis-statement.
  - e) During the year under review, the company has declared and paid 1st interim dividend for the financial year 2022-23, at the rate of ₹ 0.15/- (1.5%) per equity share having face value of ₹ 10/- each fully paid-up, absorbing a sum of ₹ 25.20 Lakhs, to those shareholders whose names appear in the Register of Members and / or Depositories respectively, as at the close of working hours on Wednesday, December 28, 2022, being the Record Date fixed by the Company for this purpose.
  - f) Proviso to Rule 3(1) of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014 for maintaining books of account using accounting software which has a feature of recording audit trail (edit log) facility is applicable with effect from April 1, 2023 to the Company and its subsidiaries, which are companies incorporated in India, and accordingly, reporting under Rule 11(g) of Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 is not applicable for the financial year ended March 31, 2023.

For D G M S & Co., Chartered Accountants FRN: 0112187W

Shashank P. Doshi Partner M. No. 108456 UDIN: 23108456BGUDOQ8018

Place: Jamnagar Date: May 24, 2023



## ANNEXURE "A" TO THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2023

In terms of the information and explanations given to us and the books and records examined by us in the normal course of audit and to the best of our knowledge and belief, we state as under:

#### i. Property, Plant & Equipment and Intangible Assets:

- a) The Company has maintained proper records showing full particulars, including quantitative details and situation of Property, Plant and Equipment and relevant details of right-of-use assets.
- b) The Company has maintained proper records showing full particulars of intangible assets.
- c) Property, Plant and Equipment have been physically verified by the management at reasonable intervals; Any material discrepancies were noticed on such verification and if so, the same have been properly dealt with in the books of account.
- d) According to the information and explanation given to us the title deeds of all the immovable properties. (other than properties where the Company is the lessee and the lease agreements are duly executed in favour of the lessee) disclosed in the financial statements are held in the name of the company.
- e) The Company has not revalued any of its Property, Plant and Equipment (including right-of-use assets) and intangible assets during the year.
- f) No proceedings have been initiated during the year or are pending against the Company as at March 31, 2023 for holding any benami property under the Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Act, 1988 (as amended in 2016) and rules made thereunder.

#### ii. Inventory and working capital:

- a) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records of the Company, inventory has been physically verified during the year by the Management at reasonable intervals, except stock lying with third parties. Confirmations of such stocks with third parties have been obtained by the Company in most of the cases. No discrepancies were noticed on verification between the physical stocks and the book records that were 10% or more in the aggregate for each class of inventory.
- b) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records of the Company, that has been sanctioned working capital limits in excess of five crore rupees, in aggregate, from banks on the basis of security of current assets. In our opinion, the quarterly returns or statements filed by the Company with such banks are in agreement with the books of account of the Company.

#### iii. Investments, any guarantee or security or advances or loans given:

- a) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records of the Company, the Company has not made any investments, provided guarantee or security or granted any advances in the nature of loans, secured or unsecured, to companies, firms, limited liability partnerships or any other parties during the year, hence reporting under clauses 3(iii)(1), (3), (4), (5), and (6) of the Orders are not applicable for the year under report.
- b) In our opinion, the investments made, guarantees provided, security given and the terms and conditions of the grant of all loans and advances in the nature of loans and guarantees provided are not prejudicial to the company's interest;

#### iv. Loan to directors:

According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records, the Company has not given any loans, or provided any guarantee or security as specified under Section 185 of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Company has not provided any guarantee or security as specified under Section 186 of the Companies Act, 2013. Further, the Company has complied with the provisions of Section 186 of the Companies Act, 2013 in relation to loans given and investments made.

## v. Deposits:

The company has not accepted any deposits from the public within the meaning of sections 73 to 76 or any relevant provisions of the 2013 act and the rules framed there under to the extent notified.

#### vi. Maintenance of Cost Records:

According to the information and explanations given to us, the Central Government has not prescribed the maintenance of cost records under Section 148(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 for the products manufactured by it (and/ or services provided by it). We have broadly reviewed the books of accounts maintained by the company pursuant to the Rules made by the Central Government for the Maintenance of Cost Record under section 148(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 and are of the Opinion that Prima Facie, the prescribed accounts have been made and maintained.

#### vii. Statutory Dues:

a) The company is regular in depositing with appropriate authorities undisputed statutory dues including Provident Fund, Employees' State Insurance, Income Tax, Duty of Customs, GST, Cess and any other statutory dues applicable to it. According to the information and explanations given to us, no undisputed amounts payable in respect of income tax, sales tax, customs duty, excise duty and cess were in arrears, as at March 31, 2023 for a period of more than six months from the date they became payable.



b) According to the information and explanations given to us, there are no dues of sales tax, income tax, custom duty, wealth tax, GST, excise duty and cess which have not been deposited on account of any dispute except the following.

Name of the Status	Nature of Dues	Amount (₹ In Lakh)	Period to which the amount relates	Forum where dispute is pending
Central Excise Act, 1944	Excise Duty	254.40	F.Y. 2011-12 to F.Y. 2014-15	Customs, Excise & Service Tax Appellate Tribunal
Central Excise Act, 1944	Excise Duty	4.79	April 2015 to January 2016	Customs, Excise & Service Tax Appellate Tribunal
Central Excise Act, 1944	Excise Duty	4.18	February 2016 to June 2017	Customs, Excise & Service Tax Appellate Tribunal
Income tax Act, 1961	Income tax & Interest	1.27	For A.Y. 2016-2017	Centralised Processing Center
Income tax Act, 1961	Income tax & Interest	4.82	For A.Y. 2020-2021	Centralised Processing Center
Income tax Act, 1961	Income tax & Interest	1.86	For A.Y. 2019-2020	Centralised Processing Center

#### viii. Disclosure of Undisclosed Transactions:

There According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records of the Company, the Company has not surrendered or disclosed any transactions, previously unrecorded as income in the books of account, in the tax assessments under the Incometax Act, 1961 as income during the year.

#### ix. Loans or Other Borrowings:

- a) Based on our audit procedures and according to the information and explanations given to us, The Company has not defaulted in repayment of loans or other borrowings or in the payment of interest thereon to any lender.
- b) The Company has not been declared willful defaulter by any bank or financial institution or government or any government authority.
- c) According to the information and explanations given to us, term loans were applied for the purpose for which the loans were obtained.
- d) On an overall examination of the financial statements of the Company, funds raised on short-term basis have, prima facie, not been used during the year for long-term purposes by the Company.
- e) On an overall examination of the financial statements of the Company, the Company has not taken any funds from any entity or person on account of or to meet the obligations of its subsidiaries.
- f) The Company has not raised any loans during the year on the pledge of securities held in its subsidiaries, joint ventures or associate companies.

## x. Money Raised by IPOs, FPOs:

- a) The Company has not raised moneys by way of initial public offer or further public offer (including debt instruments) during the year and hence reporting under clause 3(x)(a) of the Order is not applicable.
- b) During the year, the Company has not made any preferential allotment or private placement of shares or convertible debentures (fully or partly or optionally) and hence reporting under clause 3(x)(b) of the Order is not applicable.

## xi. Fraud:

- a) During the course of our examination of the books and records of the company, carried out in accordance with the generally accepted auditing practices in India, and according to the information and explanations given to us, we have neither come across any instance of fraud by the company or no fraud by the Company and no material fraud on the Company has been noticed or reported during the year.
- b) No report under sub-section (12) of section 143 of the Companies Act has been filed in Form ADT-4 as prescribed under rule 13 of Companies (Audit an and Auditors) Rules, 2014 with the Central Government, during the year and upto the date of this report.
- c) We have taken into consideration the whistle blower complaints received by the Company during the year (and upto the date of this report), while determining the nature, timing and extent of our audit procedures.



#### xii. Nidhi Company:

The Company is not a Nidhi Company and hence reporting under Para 3 of clause (xii) of the Order is not applicable.

#### xiii. Related Party Transactions:

In our opinion, the Company is in compliance with Section 177 and 188 of the Companies Act, 2013 with respect to applicable transactions with the related parties and the details of related party transactions have been disclosed in the financial statements as required by the applicable Ind-AS.

#### xiv. Internal Audit System:

- a) In our opinion the Company has an adequate internal audit system commensurate with the size and the nature of its business.
- b) We have considered, the internal audit reports for the year under audit, issued to the Company during the year and till date, in determining the nature, timing and extent of our audit procedures.

#### xv. Non-cash Transactions:

According to the information and explanations given to us and based on our examination of the records of the company, the company has not entered into any non-cash transactions with directors or persons connected with him. Accordingly, paragraph 3(xv) of the Order is not applicable.

#### xvi. Registration under section 45-IA of RBI Act, 1934:

- a) In our opinion, the Company is not required to be registered under section 45-IA of the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934. Hence, reporting under clause 3(xvi)(a), (b) and (c) of the Order is not applicable.
- b) In our opinion, there is no core investment company within the Group (as defined in the Core Investment Companies (Reserve Bank) Directions, 2016 and accordingly reporting under clause 3(xvi)(d) of the Order is not applicable.

#### xvii. Cash losses:

The Company has not incurred cash losses during the financial year covered by our audit and the immediately preceding financial year.

#### xviii. Resignation of statutory auditors:

There has been no resignation of the statutory auditors of the Company during the year.

#### xix. Material uncertainty on meeting liabilities:

On the basis of the financial ratios, ageing and expected dates of realization of financial assets and payment of financial liabilities, other information accompanying the financial statements and our knowledge of the Board of Directors and Management plans and based on our examination of the evidence supporting the assumptions, nothing has come to our attention, which causes us to believe that any material uncertainty exists as on the date of the audit report indicating that Company is not capable of meeting its liabilities existing at the date of balance sheet as and when they fall due within a period of one year from the balance sheet date. We, however, state that this is not an assurance as to the future viability of the Company. We further state that our reporting is based on the facts up to the date of the audit report and we neither give any guarantee nor any assurance that all liabilities falling due within a period of one year from the balance sheet date, will get discharged by the Company as and when they fall due.

#### xx. Compliance of CSR:

According to the information and explanations given to us and based on our examination of the records of the company, the company has not required to spent amount towards Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) as per the section 135 of companies' act, 2013, reporting under clause 3(xx)(a) of the Order is not applicable for the year.

#### xxi. Qualifications Reporting In Group Companies:

In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, company does not have any subsidiaries, associates or joint ventures, so reporting under clause 3(xxi) of the Order is not applicable for the year.

For D G M S & Co., Chartered Accountants FRN: 0112187W

Shashank P. Doshi Partner M. No. 108456 UDIN: 23108456BGUDOQ8018

Place: Jamnagar Date: May 24, 2023



## ANNEXURE "B" TO THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2023

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

#### Opinion

We have audited the internal financial controls over financial reporting of SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED ("the Company") as of March 31, 2023 in conjunction with our audit of the Ind AS financial statements of the Company for the year ended on that date.

In our opinion, to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the Company has, in all material respects, an adequate internal financial controls system over financial reporting and such internal financial controls over financial reporting were operating effectively as at March 31, 2023, based on the criteria for internal financial control over financial reporting 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 ICAI.

#### 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 (the 'Guidance Note') issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (the 'ICAI'). These responsibilities include the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls that were operating effectively for ensuring the orderly and efficient conduct of its business, including adherence to company's policies, the safeguarding of its assets, the prevention and detection of frauds and errors, the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, and the timely preparation of reliable financial information, as required under the Companies Act, 2013.

#### **Auditors' Responsibility**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Company's internal financial controls over financial reporting based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Guidance Note and the Standards on Auditing, issued by the ICAI and deemed to be prescribed under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013, to the extent applicable to an audit of internal financial controls, both applicable to an audit of Internal Financial Controls and, both issued by the ICAI. Those Standards and the Guidance Note require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether adequate internal financial controls over financial reporting was established and maintained and if such controls operated effectively in all material respects.

Our audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the adequacy of the internal financial controls system over financial reporting and their operating effectiveness. Our audit of internal financial controls over financial reporting included obtaining an understanding of internal financial controls over financial reporting, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, and testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of internal control based on the assessed risk. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error.

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

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

A company's internal financial control over financial reporting is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. A company's internal financial control over financial reporting includes those policies and procedures that:

- a) pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the company;
- b) 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 authorizations of management and directors of the company; and
- c) Provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorized acquisition, use, or disposition of the company's assets that could have a material effect on the financial statements.

## Inherent Limitations of Internal Financial Controls over Financial Reporting

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

For D G M S & Co., Chartered Accountants FRN: 0112187W

Shashank P. Doshi Partner M. No. 108456 UDIN: 23108456BGUDOQ8018

Place: Jamnagar Date: May 24, 2023



#### SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED CIN: L51909GJ2000PLC037329 BALANCE SHEET AS AT MARCH 31, 2023

(₹ In Lakh)

				(₹ In Lakn)
	culars	Note No.	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
A	ASSETS			
1	Non-current Assets			
	(a) Property, Plant & Equipment	2	473.55	325.94
	(b) Other Intangible Assets	2	2.43	1.95
	(c) Financial Assets			
	i. Loan	3	11.12	11.01
	(d) Deferred Tax Assets (Net)		1.10	-
	Total ?	Non-Current Assets	488.20	338.91
2	Current Assets			
	(a) Inventories	4	846.02	730.08
	(b) Financial Assets			
	i. Trade Receivables	5	2,420.50	1,966.90
	ii. Cash and cash Equivalents	6	48.65	20.29
	iii. Loan	7	394.55	4.51
	(c) Other Current Assets	8	351.59	608.89
	T	otal Current Assets	4,061.32	3,330.67
		Total Assets (1+2)	4,549.51	3,669.58
В	EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
1	Equity			
	(a) Equity Share Capital	9	1,680.00	1,120.00
	(b) Other Equity	10	701.02	996.97
		Total Equity	2,381.02	2,116.97
2	Liabilities	1 0		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	Non-current Liabilities			
	(a) Financial Liabilities			
	i. Borrowings	11	144.11	58.77
	(b) Deferred tax liabilities (Net)		-	0.70
		-Current Liabilities	144.11	59.47
3	Current Liabilities			
	(a) Financial Liabilities			
	i. Borrowings	12	717.32	104.89
	ii. Trade Payables	13	579.10	573.35
	(b) Provisions	14	9.92	5.17
	(c) Income/Current tax liabilities (Net)	15	51.42	40.44
	(d) Other current liabilities	16	666.64	769.29
		Current Liabilities	2,024.39	1,493.14
	10111	Total Liabilities	2,168.50	1,552.61
		Total	4,549.52	3,669.58
	Significant Accounting Policies	1	7,077.02	5,007.50
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	See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements	1		

As per our report on even date attached For, D G M S & Co.

Chartered Accountants FRN No. 0112187W

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors, For, Sikko Industries Limited

Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani Managing Director

ii M. Kumbhani naging Director DIN: 00587807 Ghanshyambhai M. Kumbhani Whole-time Director DIN: 00587855

Mukesh Shah

**Chief Financial Officer** 

Shashank P. Doshi Partner M. No. 108456

UDIN: 23108456BGUDOQ8018

**Date:** May 24, 2023

Place: Jamnagar Date: May 24, 2023 Place: Ahmedabad

Dhruvitkumar P. Mandliya

**Company Secretary** 



# SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED CIN: L51909GJ2000PLC037329 STATEMENT OF PROFIT AND LOSS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2023

(₹ In Lakh)

				(₹ In Lakh)
Partic	ulars	Note No.	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
	Income			
I	Revenue from Operations	17	4,967.03	5,102.64
II	Other Income	18	25.48	21.69
Ш	Total Revenue (I + II)		4,992.51	5,124.34
IV	Expenses:			
	Cost of materials consumed	19	3,948.57	3,857.70
	Purchase of Stock-in-Trade		154.91	-
	Changes in inventories of finished goods, Work-in-Progress and Stock-in-Trade	20	(130.58)	(13.33)
	Employee benefits expenses	21	453.98	294.92
	Finance Costs	22	44.24	54.26
	Depreciation and Amortization expense	23	58.99	62.51
	Other Expenses	24	507.10	607.27
	Total Expenses		4,587.21	4,863.33
V	Profit/(Loss) before Exceptional items & Tax (III-V)		405.30	261.01
VII	Exceptional Items		-	-
VIII	Profit/(Loss) before Tax		405.30	261.01
IX	Tax Expenses:			
	(1) Current tax		117.86	77.95
	(2) Deferred tax		(1.81)	(4.65)
	(3) MAT Credit		-	-
X	Profit/(Loss) for the year		289.25	187.70
	Other Comprehensive Income			
	A. (i) Items that will not reclassified to Profit or Loss		-	-
	(ii) Income Tax relating to items that will not be reclassified to profit or Loss		-	-
	B. (i) Items that will be reclassified to Profit or Loss		-	-
	(ii) Income Tax relating to items that will be reclassified to profit or Loss		-	-
	Total of Comprehensive Income		-	-
XI	Profit/(Loss) after other Comprehensive Income		289.25	187.70
VIII	Earnings per Equity Share: (Continuing Operation)			
	(1) Basic		1.72	1.12
	(2) Diluted		1.72	1.12
	Significant Accounting Policies See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements	1		

As per our report on even date attached For, D G M S & Co. Chartered Accountants FRN No. 0112187W

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors, For, Sikko Industries Limited

Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani Managing Director DIN: 00587807 Ghanshyambhai M. Kumbhani Whole-time Director DIN: 00587855

Shashank P. Doshi

Partner M. No. 108456

UDIN: 23108456BGUDOQ8018

Dhruvitkumar P. Mandliya
Company Secretary

Mukesh Shah
Chief Financial Officer

Date: May 24, 2023
Place: Jamnagar
Date: May 24, 2023
Place: Ahmedabad



### SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED CIN: L51909GJ2000PLC037329 CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2023

(₹ In Lakh)

			(CIII Lakii)
Parti	culars	For the year ended March 31, 2023	For the year ended March 31, 2022
A	Cash Flow from Operating Activities		
	Net Profit before tax as per Statement of Profit & Loss	405.30	261.01
	Adjustments for:		
	Depreciation & Amortization Expense	58.99	62.51
	Stamp duty for Increase in Capital		-
	Interest Income	(0.84)	(0.35)
	Finance Cost	44.24	54.26
		102.38	116.42
	Operating Profit before working capital changes	507.68	377.43
	Changes in Working Capital:		
	Trade Receivables	(453.60)	180.39
	Other Loans and advances receivables	(390.04)	163.90
	Inventories	(115.95)	336.50
	Trade Payables	5.75	(374.73)
	Other Current Liabilities and other assets	154.64	33.23
	Short term Provisions	4.75	(2.37)
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	Net Cash Flow from Operation	(286.76)	714.35
	Tax Paid	117.86	77.95
	Net Cash Flow from Operating Activities (A)	(404.62)	636.40
В	Cash Flow from Investing Activities	(404.02)	050.40
	Purchase of fixed assets	(210.12)	(60.51)
	Sale of Fixed Assets	14.04	(00.31)
	Movement in Loan & Advances	(0.10)	(0.92)
	Interest Income	0.84	0.35
	interest income		
	N. C. I. El. C. J. C. A. C. C. (D)	(195.38)	(61.08)
	Net Cash Flow from Investing Activities (B)	(195.38)	(61.08)
C	Cash Flow from Financing Activities		
	Proceeds from Issue of shares capital	-	-
	Proceeds from Long Term Borrowing (Net)	85.34	45.63
	Short Term Borrowing (Net)	612.43	(560.00)
	Interest paid	(44.24)	(54.26)
	Dividend paid (including DDT)	(25.20)	-
		628.33	(568.63)
	Net Cash Flow from Financing Activities (C)	628.33	(568.63)
D	Net (Decrease)/Increase in Cash & Cash Equivalents (A+B+C)	28.36	6.69
E	Opening Cash & Cash Equivalents	20.29	13.60
F	Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	48.65	20.29
G	Cash And Cash Equivalents Comprise:		
	Cash	5.91	0.86
	Bank Balance:		
	Current Account	7.25	17.14
	Deposit Account	35.50	2.29
	Total	48.65	20.29

As per our report on even date attached For, D G M S & Co. **Chartered Accountants** FRN No. 0112187W

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors, For, Sikko Industries Limited

Shashank P. Doshi Partner

M. No. 108456

Place: Jamnagar

UDIN: 23108456BGUDOQ8018

**Date:** May 24, 2023

Ghanshyambhai M. Kumbhani

Dhruvitkumar P. Mandliya Company Secretary

Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani **Managing Director** 

**Mukesh Shah** Chief Financial Officer

Whole-time Director

DIN: 00587855

Date: May 24, 2023

DIN: 00587807

Place: Ahmedabad



# SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED CIN: L51909GJ2000PLC037329 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2022

Equity Share Capital (₹ in Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Outstanding at the Beginning of the year	1,120.00	1,120.00
Issued during the year	560.00	-
Total	1,680.00	1,120.00

## Other Equity

(₹ in Lakh)

Particulars	Securities Premium	Retained Earnings	Other Comprehensive Income
Balance at the beginning of reporting Period i.e. April 1, 2021	-	809.26	-
Add: Profit of the year	-	187.70	
Less: Issue of Bonus Equity Shares	-	-	-
Less: Bonus Issue Expenses	-	-	-
Less: Other Written off	-	-	-
Balance at the closing of reporting Period i.e. March 31, 2022	-	996.97	-

(₹ in Lakh)

Particulars	Securities Premium	Retained Earnings	Other Comprehensive Income
Balance at the beginning of reporting Period i.e. April 1, 2022	-	996.97	-
Add: Profit of the year	-	289.25	-
Less: Issue of Bonus Equity Shares	-	560.00	-
Less: Utilized for Interim Dividend	-	25.20	-
Balance at the closing of reporting Period i.e. March 31, 2023	-	701.02	-

As per our report on even date attached For, D G M S & Co. Chartered Accountants FRN No. 0112187W For and on behalf of the Board of Directors, For, Sikko Industries Limited

Ghanshyambhai M. Kumbhani

Whole-time Director DIN: 00587855

Shashank P. Doshi Partner M. No. 108456

UDIN: 23108456BGUDOQ8018

Dhruvitkumar P. Mandliya
Company Secretary

Mukesh Shah
Company Secretary

Date: May 24, 2023
Place: Jamnagar
Date: May 24, 2023
Place: Ahmedabad

Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani

Managing Director DIN: 00587807



## NOTES FORMING PART OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### FOR YEAR ENDED ON MARCH 31, 2023

#### **Note 1: SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

#### 1.0 Corporate Information

Sikko Industries Limited is a Limited Company, incorporated under the provisions of Companies Act, 1956 and having CIN: L51909GJ2000PLC037329. The Company is engaged in the business of Manufacturing and trading & Exporting of Bio-Agro chemicals, Pesticides, Fertilizers, Seeds, Sprayers, Packaging, Machineries and FMCG products etc. The Registered office at 508, Iscon Eligance, Nr. Jain Temple Nr. Prahladnagar Pick up Stand, Vejalpur, Ahmedabad - 380051.

#### 1.1 Basis of preparation of financial statements

#### a. Accounting Convention:

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Section 133 of Companies Act, 2013, i.e. Indian Accounting Standards ('Ind AS') notified under Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules 2015. The Ind AS Financial Statements are prepared on historical cost convention, except in case of certain financial instruments which are recognized at fair value.

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 Part I of 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.

#### b. Functional and Presentation Currency:

All amounts disclosed in the financial statements and notes are rounded off to lakhs the nearest INR rupee in compliance with Schedule III of the Act, unless otherwise stated.

The functional and presentation currency of the company is Indian rupees. This financial statement is presented in Indian rupees. Due to rounding off, the numbers presented throughout the document may not add up precisely to the totals and percentages may not precisely reflect the absolute figures.

#### c. Compliance with Ind AS

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Ind AS notified under the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015.

#### d. Use of Estimates and Judgments

The preparation of the Ind AS financial statements in conformity with the generally accepted accounting principles in India requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities as of the Balance Sheet date, reported amount of revenue and expenses for the year and disclosure of contingent labilities and contingent assets as of the date of Balance Sheet. The estimates and assumptions used in these Ind AS financial statements are based on management's evaluation of the relevant facts and circumstances as of the date of the Ind AS financial statements. The actual amounts may differ from the estimates used in the preparation of the Ind AS financial statements and the difference between actual results and the estimates are recognized in the period in which the results are known/materialize.

Estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed at each balance sheet date. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised and in future periods affected.

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 Statement are as below:

- 1. Evaluation of recoverability of deferred tax assets/Liabilities;
- 2. Useful lives of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets;
- 3. Provisions and Contingencies;
- 4. Provision for income taxes, including amount expected to be paid/recovered for uncertain tax positions;
- 5. Recognition of Deferred Tax Assets/Liabilities
- 6. Valuation of Financial Instruments;

#### e. Current versus Non-Current Classification

The Company presents assets and liabilities in the Balance Sheet based on current/non-current classification.

An asset / liability is treated as current when it is: -

- i. Expected to be realised or intended to be sold or consumed or settled in normal operating cycle.
- ii. Held primarily for the purpose of trading.
- iii. Expected to be realised / settled within twelve months after the reporting period, or.
- iv. Cash or cash equivalent unless restricted from being exchanged or used to settle a liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period.
- v. There is no unconditional right to defer the settlement of the liability for at least twelve months after the reporting period.

All other assets and liabilities are classified as non-current.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are classified as non-current assets and liabilities respectively.

#### 1.2 Accounting Policies:

#### (A) Property, Plant and Equipment

All items of property, plant and equipment are stated at historical cost less depreciation. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the items.



Cost includes purchase price, non-recoverable taxes and duties, labour cost and direct overheads for self-constructed assets and other direct costs incurred up to the date the asset is ready for its intended use.

Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognized as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Company and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of any component accounted for as a separate asset is derecognized when replaced. All other repairs and maintenance are charged to profit or loss during the reporting period in which they are incurred.

Depreciation is provided on the Written Down Value method (W.D.V.) over the estimated useful lives of the assets considering the nature, estimated usage, operating conditions, past history of replacement, anticipated technological changes, manufacturers' warranties and maintenance support. The Company provides pro-rata depreciation from the day the asset is put to use and for any asset sold, till the date of sale.

Projects under commissioning and other Capital work-in-progress are carried at cost comprising of direct and indirect costs, related incidental expenses and attributable interest. Depreciation is not recorded on capital work-in-progress until construction and installation are complete and the asset is ready for its intended use.

An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognized on disposal. Any gain or loss arising from derecognition of an item of property, plant and equipment is included in profit or loss.

## (B) Intangible Assets

Intangible assets are stated at cost of acquisition net of recoverable taxes, accumulated amortization, and impairment losses, if any. Such costs include purchase price, borrowing cost, and any cost directly attributable to bringing the asset to its working condition for the intended use, net charges on foreign exchange contracts and adjustments arising from exchange rate variations attributable to the intangible assets.

Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognised as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the entity and cost can be measured reliably.

The amortisation period for intangible assets with finite useful lives is reviewed at each year-end. Changes in expected useful lives are treated as changes in accounting estimates.

Internally generated intangible asset Research costs are charged to the statement of Profit and Loss in the year in which they are incurred.

The cost of an internally generated intangible asset is the sum of directly attributable expenditure incurred from the date when the intangible asset first meets the recognition criteria to the completion of its development.

Product development expenditure is measured at cost less accumulated amortisation and impairment, if any. Amortisation is not recorded on product in progress until development is complete.

Gains or losses arising from derecognition of an Intangible Asset are measured as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset and are recognised in the statement of profit and loss when the asset is derecognised.

#### (C) Impairment of assets

Goodwill and intangible assets that have an indefinite useful life are not subject to amortization and are tested annually for impairment, or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that they might be impaired. Other assets are tested for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. An impairment loss is recognized for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs of disposal and value in use.

The Company assesses at each balance sheet date whether there is any indication that an asset may be impaired. If any such indication exists, the Company estimates the recoverable amount of the asset. If such recoverable amount of the asset or the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs is less than its carrying amount, the carrying amount is reduced to its recoverable amount. The reduction is treated as an impairment loss and is recognized in the statement of profit and loss. If at the balance sheet date there is an indication that a previously assessed impairment loss no longer exists, the recoverable amount is reassessed and the asset is reflected at the recoverable amount subject to a maximum of depreciable historical cost.

## (D) Leases

## As a lessee:

The Company has applied IND AS 116 using the partial retrospective approach.

The Company assesses at contract inception whether a contract is, or contains, a lease. That is, if the contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration.

The Company applies a single recognition and measurement approach for all leases, except for short-term leases and leases of low-value assets. The Group recognizes lease liabilities to make lease payments and right-of-use assets representing the right to use the underlying assets.

## Right of use assets

The Company recognizes right-of-use assets at the commencement date of the lease (i.e., the date the underlying asset is available for use). Right-of-use assets are measured at cost, less any accumulated depreciation and impairment losses, and adjusted for any remeasurement of lease liabilities. The cost of right-of-use assets includes the amount of lease liabilities recognized, initial direct costs incurred, and lease payments made at or before the commencement date less any lease incentives received. Right-of-use assets are depreciated on a straight-line basis over the shorter of the lease term and the estimated useful lives of the assets.

#### Lease Liabilities

At the commencement date of the lease, the Company recognizes lease liabilities measured at the present value of lease payments to be made over the lease term. The lease payments include fixed payments (including in substance fixed payments) less any lease incentives receivable, variable lease payments that depend on an index or a rate, and amounts expected to be paid under residual value guarantees.

In calculating the present value of lease payments, the Company uses its incremental borrowing rate at the lease commencement date because the interest rate implicit in the lease is not readily determinable. After the commencement date, the amount of lease liabilities is increased to reflect the accretion of interest and reduced for the lease payments made. In addition, the carrying amount of lease liabilities is remeasured if there is a modification, a change in the lease term, a change in the lease payments (e.g., changes to future payments resulting from a change in an index or rate used to determine such lease payments) or a change in the assessment of an option to purchase the underlying asset.

## As Lessor:



At the inception of a lease, the lease arrangement is classified as either a finance lease or an operating lease, based on contractual terms & substance of the lease arrangement. Whenever the terms of the lease transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership to the lessee, the contract is classified as a finance lease. All other leases are classified as operating leases.

Amounts due from lessees under finance leases are recognised as receivables at the amount of the Company's net investment in the leases. Finance lease income is allocated to accounting periods so as to reflect a constant periodic rate of return on the Company's net investment outstanding in respect of the leases.

Rental income from operating leases is recognised on a straight-line basis over the term of the relevant lease. Initial direct costs incurred in negotiating and arranging an operating lease are added to the carrying amount of the leased asset and recognised on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

#### (E) Segment Reporting

Operating segments are reported in a manner consistent with the internal reporting provided to Chief Operating Decision Maker (CODM).

The Company has identified its Managing Director as CODM who is responsible for allocating resources and assessing performance of the operating segments and makes strategic decisions.

The Company is operating in single business segments. Hence, reporting requirement of Segment reporting is not arise.

#### (F) Statement of Cash flow

Cash Flows of the Group are reported using the indirect method, whereby profit before tax is adjusted for the effects of transactions of a noncash nature, any deferrals or accruals of past or future operating cash receipts or payments and item of income or expenses associated with investing or financing Cash Flows. The cash flows from operating, investing and financing activities of the Company are segregated.

## (G) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprises cash on hand, demand deposits and highly liquid investments with an original maturity of up to three month that are readily convertible into cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

#### (H) Inventories

Inventories includes raw material, semi-finished goods, stock -in -trade, finished goods, stores & spares, consumables, packing materials, goods for resale and material in transit are valued at lower of cost and net

Raw Material and Components - Cost include cost of purchases and other costs incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition, value Cost is determined on First-In-First-Out basis.

Finished/Semi-Finished Goods - Cost includes cost of direct material, labor, other direct cost (Including variable costs) and a proportion of fixed manufacturing overheads allocated based on the normal operating capacity but excluding borrowing costs. Cost is determined on First-In-First-Out basis.

Stock-in-trade - Cost includes cost of purchase and other costs incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and conditions. Cost is determined on First-In-First-Out basis.

Stores, Spare Parts, Consumables, Packing Materials etc. - Cost is determined on on First-In-First-Out basis.

Goods for Resale - valuation Cost is determined on First-In-First-Out basis.

Realizable Net realisable value represents the estimated selling price for inventories less all estimated costs of completion and costs necessary to make the sale. Adequate allowance is made for obsolete and slow-moving items.

## (I) Foreign Currency Transactions

## 1. Initial Recognition

On initial recognition, all foreign currency transactions are recorded by applying to the foreign currency amount the exchange rate between the functional currency and the foreign currency at the date of the transaction.

#### 2. Subsequent Recognition

As at the reporting date, non-monetary items which are carried in terms of historical cost 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 determined.

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

Any subsequent events occurring after the Balance Sheet date up to the date of the approval of the financial statement of the Company by the board of directors on May 24, 2023 have been considered, disclosed and adjusted, if changes or event are material in nature wherever applicable, as per the requirement of Ind AS.

#### (J) Income Taxes

The tax expense for the period comprises of current tax and deferred income tax. Tax is recognized in Statement of Profit and Loss, except to the extent that it relates to items recognized in the Other Comprehensive Income or in Equity. In which case, the tax is also recognized in Other Comprehensive Income or Equity.

#### Current tax: -

Current tax is measured at the amount expected to be paid to the tax authorities in accordance with the taxation laws prevailing in the respective jurisdictions. 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.

## Deferred tax:-

Deferred tax is recognized using the balance sheet approach. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for deductible and taxable temporary differences arising between the tax base of assets and liabilities and their carrying amount in financial statements.

Deferred tax asset is recognized to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which such deferred tax assets can be realized. The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each reporting date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred income tax asset to be utilized.

## (K) Provisions and Contingencies



#### **Provisions:**

Provisions are recognised when there is a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and there is a reliable estimate of the amount of the obligation. Provisions are measured at the best estimate of the expenditure required to settle the present obligation at the Balance sheet date and are discounted to its present value as appropriate.

#### **Contingent Liabilities:**

Contingent liabilities are disclosed when there is a possible obligation arising from past events, the existence of which will be confirmed only by the occurrence or nonoccurrence of one or more uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the company or a present obligation that arises from past events where it is either not probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle or a reliable estimate of the amount cannot be made, is termed as a contingent liability.

#### (L) Revenue recognition

Revenue is measured at fair value of the consideration received or receivable. Revenue is recognized when (or as) the Company satisfies a performance obligation by transferring a promised good or service (i.e. an asset) to a customer. An asset is transferred when (or as) the customer obtains control of that asset.

When (or as) a performance obligation is satisfied, the Company recognizes as revenue the amount of the transaction price (excluding estimates of variable consideration) that is allocated to that performance obligation:

The Company applies the five-step approach for recognition of revenue:

- i. Identification of contract(s) with customers;
- ii. Identification of the separate performance obligations in the contract;
- iii. Determination of transaction price;
- iv. Allocation of transaction price to the separate performance obligations; and
- v. Recognition of revenue when (or as) each performance obligation is satisfied.

#### (M) Other income:

Interest: Interest income is calculated on effective interest rate, but recognised on a time proportion basis taking into account the amount outstanding and the rate applicable.

Dividend: Dividend income is recognised when the right to receive dividend is established.

#### (N) Finance Cost

Borrowing costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or construction of qualifying assets are capitalised as part of the cost of such assets. A qualifying asset is one that necessarily takes substantial period of time to get ready for its intended use. based on borrowings incurred specifically for financing the asset or the weighted average rate of all other borrowings, if no specific borrowings have been incurred for the asset.

Interest income earned on the temporary investment of specific borrowings pending their expenditure on qualifying assets is deducted from the borrowing costs eligible for capitalisation.

Borrowing costs include exchange differences arising from foreign currency borrowings to the extent they are regarded as an adjustment to the interest cost.

All other borrowing costs are charged to the Statement of Profit and Loss for the period for which they are incurred.

#### (O) Earnings per share (EPS):

Basic EPS is calculated by dividing the net profit or loss for the period attributable to equity shareholders by the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the period. For the purpose of calculating diluted EPS, the net profit or loss for the period attributable to equity shareholders and the weighted average number of additional equity shares that would have been outstanding are considered assuming the conversion of all dilutive potential equity shares. Earnings considered in ascertaining the EPS is the net profit for the period and any attributable tax thereto for the period.

## (P) Employee benefits

#### **Provident Fund**

Retirement benefit in the form of Provident Fund is a defined contribution scheme. The Company has no obligation, other than the contribution payable to the provident fund. The Company recognises contribution payable to the provident fund scheme as an expense when an employee renders the related service.

#### Gratuity

The Management has decided to gratuity will be accounted in profit & loss A/c in each financial year when the claim is recognized by the company which is against the prescribed treatment of AS -15. The Quantum of provision required to be made for the said retirements benefits can be decided on actuarial basis and the said information could not be gathered. To the extent of such amount, the reserve would be lesser.

#### (Q) Fair Value Measurement:

The Company measures financial instruments such as investments in quoted share, certain other investments etc. at fair value at each Balance Sheet date.

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability at the measurement date. All assets and liabilities for which fair value is measured or disclosed in the financial statements are categorized within the fair value hierarchy, described as follows, based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole..

- Level 1 Quoted (unadjusted) market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2 Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is directly or indirectly observable.
- Level 3 Valuation techniques for which the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement is unobservable.



#### (R) Financial Instruments:

A financial instrument is any contract that gives rise to a financial asset of one entity and a financial liability or equity instrument of another entity.

#### Financial assets:

#### Initial recognition

Financial assets are recognised when the Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instruments. Financial assets other than trade receivables and other specific assets are initially recognised at fair value plus transaction costs for all financial assets not carried at fair value through profit or loss. Financial assets carried at fair value through profit or loss are initially recognised at fair value, and transaction costs are expensed in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

#### Subsequent measurement

Financial assets, other than equity instruments, are subsequently measured at amortised cost, fair value through other comprehensive income or fair value through profit or loss on the basis of both:

- i. The entity's business model for managing the financial assets and
- ii. The contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial asset.

#### De-recognition

The Company derecognizes a financial asset when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the financial asset expire, or it transfers rights to receive cash flows from an asset, it evaluates if and to what extent it has retained the risks and rewards of ownership. When it has neither transferred nor retained substantially all of the risks and rewards of the asset, nor transferred control of the asset, the Company continues to recognise the transferred asset to the extent of the Company's continuing involvement. In that case, the 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.

#### **Financial Liabilities:**

#### **Initial Recognition and Subsequent Measurement**

All financial liabilities are recognised initially at fair value and in case of borrowings and payables, net of directly attributable cost. Financial liabilities are subsequently carried at amortized cost using the effective interest method. For trade and other payables maturing within one year from the Balance Sheet date, the carrying amounts approximate fair value due to the short maturity of these instruments. Changes in the amortised value of liability are recorded as finance cost.

#### De-recognition

A financial liability is de-recognised 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 or loss.

Note 2: Property, Plant & Equipment

		Gro	Gross Block			Ac	Accumulated Depreciation	ation		Net I	Net Block
Fixed Assets	Balance as at April 1, 2022	Additions	Disposal / Adjustment	Balance as at March 31, 2023	Balance as at April 1, 2022	Amount charged to reserves	Depreciation charge for the year	Deductions / Adjustments	Balance as at March 31, 2023	Balance as at March 31, 2023	Balance as at March 31, 2022
Tangible Assets											
Land	0.50	1	1	0.50	1	'	1	1	'	0.50	0.50
Factory Land	69:02	•	1	70.69	ı	•	,	1	1	70.69	70.69
Factory Building	136.81		ı	136.81	79.63	'	3.65	1	83.28	53.53	57.18
Office Building	1	160.73		160.73	ı		1.18		1.18	159.55	•
Office Equipments	22.61	4.04	1.39	25.26	17.01	•	3.32	1.32	19.01	6.25	5.60
Computer & Software	16.53	0.65	0.30	17.48	15.31	'	0.80	0.30	16.41	1.07	1.22
Furniture & Fixtures	133.76	3.14	1	136.90	108.85	•	5.85	1	114.70	22.21	24.91
Plant & Machinery	528.02	4.76	0.15	532.64	420.50	•	21.00	0.13	441.36	91.27	107.52
Laboratory Equipments	10.91	1.56	ı	12.47	8.42	'	0.86	1	9.27	3.20	2.50
Motor Vehicle	202.97	34.38	53.68	183.67	147.14	'	21.95	50.71	118.39	65.29	55.83
Software	86.8	1	2.50	6.48	86.8	•	1	2.50	6.48	1	1
Sub Total	1,131.77	209.27	58.02	1,283.62	805.83	•	58.60	54.96	810.07	473.55	325.94
Intangible Assets											
Trademark	4.60	0.86	ı	5.46	2.65	•	0.38	1	3.03	2.43	1.95
Sub Total	1 4.60	98.0	1	5.46	2.65	'	0.38	1	3.03	2.43	1.95
Total	1,136.38	210.12	58.02	1,289.08	808.48	•	58.99	54.96	813.10	475.98	327.90



## Note 3: Non-current Loans

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Secured, Considered good		
a) Security Deposits	-	-
b) Loan to Promoter/Directors/Associate Company/Subsidiary Company/Group Company	-	-
c) Other	-	-
Unsecured, Considered good		
a) Security Deposits	11.12	11.01
b) Loan to Promoter/Directors/Associate Company/Subsidiary Company/Group Company	-	-
c) Other	-	-
Total	11.12	11.01

## **Note 4: Inventories**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
a. Raw Material and components	288.82	293.08
(valued at lower of cost or NRV as per FIFO Method)		
b. Work-in-Progress (valued at estimated cost)	-	-
c. Finished goods	469.89	339.31
(valued at lower of cost or NRV)		
d. Packing Material	87.32	97.69
(valued at lower of cost or NRV as per FIFO Method)		
Total	846.02	730.08

## **Note 5: Current Trade Receivables**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
a) Secured, Considered good	-	-
b) Unsecured, Considered good		
Undisputed Trade Receivable - Considered good		
Less than 6 Months	1,139.17	302.99
6 Months – 1 Year	326.84	327.25
01 – 02 Year	89.96	147.22
02 – 03 Year	88.41	390.01
More than 3 Years	776.12	799.43
c) Doubtful	-	-
Less: Allowance for bed and doubtful debts	-	-
	2,420.50	1,966.90
Further classified		
a) Allowance for doubtful debts	-	-
b) Debts Due by Directors or other officers or group	-	-
Total	2,420.50	1,966.90

## Note 6: Cash and Cash Equivalents

Pa	rticulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
a)	Balances with Banks		
	Bank of India	2.95	2.86
	ICICI Bank	4.30	14.28
b)	Cheques, drafts on hand		-
c)	Cash on hand	5.91	0.86
d)	Other bank balance:		
	Fixed Deposits	35.50	2.29
	Total	48.65	20.29



## **Note 7: Current Loans**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Secured, Considered good		
a) Security Deposits	-	-
b) Loan to Promoter/Directors/Associate Company/Subsidiary Company/Group Company	-	-
c) Other advances	-	-
Unsecured, Considered good		
a) Security Deposits	1.30	1.05
b) Loan to Promoter/Directors/Associate Company/Subsidiary Company/Group Company	-	-
c) Other advances:		
Advance to Creditors	390.15	-
Advance to Employees	3.10	3.46
Total	394.55	4.51

## **Note 8: Other Current Assets**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Secured, Considered good		
a) Security Deposits	-	-
b) Loan to Promoter/Directors/Associate Company/Subsidiary Company/Group Company	-	-
c) Other advances	-	-
Unsecured, Considered good		
a) Security Deposits	-	-
b) Loan to Promoter/Directors/Associate Company/Subsidiary Company/Group Company	-	-
c) Balance with Government Authorities	348.45	604.21
d) Other advances:		
Prepaid Expenses	3.15	4.68
Total	351.59	608.89

## **Note 9: Equity Share Capital**

(₹ In Lakh)

Share Capital	As at March 31, 2023		As at March 31, 2022		
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	
Authorised:					
Equity Shares of ₹ 10/- each		17500000	1,750.00	12000000	1,200.00
Issued:					
Equity Shares of ₹ 10/- each		16800000	1,680.00	11200000	1,120.00
Subscribed & Paid-up					
Equity Shares of ₹ 10/- each fully paid		16800000	1,680.00	11200000	1,120.00
	Total	16800000	1,680.00	11200000	1,120.00

## Note 9.1: Reconciliation of Number of Shares

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023		As at March 31, 2022	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Shares outstanding at the beginning of the year	11200000	1,120.00	11200000	1,120.00
Bonus Shares issued during the year	5600000	560.00	-	-
Shares bought back during the year	-	-	-	-
Shares outstanding at the end of the year	16800000	1,680.00	11200000	1,120.00



Note 9.2: Details of shares held by Shareholders holding more than 5% of the aggregate shares in the Company

Name of Shareholder	As at March 31, 2023		As at March 31, 2022	
	No. of Shares held	% of Holding	No. of Shares held	% of Holding
Mr. Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani	4581126	27.27	3054084	27.27
Mr. Pravinbhai M. Kumbhani	1812000	10.79	1118640	9.99
Mrs. Alpaben J. Kumbhani	1677960	9.99	721480	6.44
Mr. Ghanshyambhai M. Kumbhani	1082220	6.44	212300	1.90
Mrs. Nandaben G. Kumbhani	1020000	6.07	661480	5.91
Mr. Mohanbhai N. Kumbhani	992220	5.91	680000	6.07

Note: Changes in Promoter Holding is shown in Note No. 49 of Significant Accounting Policy.

## **Note 10: Other Equity**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
A. Securities Premium Reserve		
As per last Balance Sheet	-	-
Add: Securities Premium credited on Shares issue	-	-
Less: Premium utilized for various reasons:		
For Bonus issue during the year	-	-
Closing Balance	-	-
B. Retained Earnings		
As per last Balance Sheet	996.97	809.26
Add: Net Profit/(Net Loss) for the Current year	289.25	187.70
Less: Income Tax Expenses write off	-	-
Adjustment in F.A. as per the Companies Act, 2013	-	-
Other written off	-	-
Dividend Paid	25.20	-
Bonus Issue Expense	-	-
Bonus Issue during the year	560.00	-
Closing Balance	701.02	996.97
Other Comprehensive Income (OCI)		
As per Last Balance Sheet	-	-
Add: Movement in OCI (Net) during the year	-	-
Closing Balance	-	-
Total	701.02	996.67

## Note 11: Non-Current Borrowings

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars		As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Secured:			
Term Loans			
From Banks:			
Term Loan		4.83	37.13
Car Loans		139.28	21.64
	Sub-total (a)	144.11	58.77
Unsecured:			
Loans and advances from related parties		-	-
	Sub-total (b)	-	-
	Total	144.11	58.77

## Note 11.1:

Term Loan facility from ICICI Bank is secured by Hypothecation of present and future stock & Book Debts.



Car loans from bank referred above are secured by Hypothecation of Cars.

## **Note 12: Current Borrowings**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Secured:		
Loan payable on demand		
From Banks:		
Cash Credit	591.77	-
Current Maturities of Long-Term Loans		
From Banks:		
ICICI Term Loan	32.31	29.71
Car Loans	39.25	21.19
Sub-total (a)+(b)	663.32	50.89
Unsecured:		
Loans and advances from related parties	54.00	54.00
Sub-total (c)	54.00	54.00
In case of continuing default as on the balance sheet date in repayment of loans and interest with respect to (a) (b) & (c)		
Period of default	-	=
Amount	-	-
Total	717.32	104.89

## Note 12.1:

Working Capital loan from bank referred above to the extent of Cash Credit from ICICI Bank is secured by Hypothecation of present and future stock & Book Debts.

Term Loan facility from ICICI Bank is secured by Hypothecation of present and future stock & Book Debts.

Car loans from bank referred above are secured by Hypothecation of Cars.

## **Note 13: Current Trade Payables**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Due From:		
a) Micro, Small and Medium Enterprise		
Less than 01 year	-	-
01 – 02 Year	-	=
02 – 03 Year	-	=
More than 3 Years	-	-
b) Others		
Less than 01 year	434.32	265.07
01 – 02 Year	69.49	186.27
02 – 03 Year	34.96	68.80
More than 3 Years	40.33	53.20
Total	579.10	573.53

## **Note 14: Current Provisions**

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Provision for:		
a) Employee Benefits		
Bonus Payable	5.60	3.05
b) Others		
Electricity burning Expense	0.18	0.02
C & F Charges	1.95	=
Security Charges	0.12	0.12
Telephone Charges	0.01	0.08
Director Sitting Fees	0.90	0.90
Audit Fees	1.15	1.00
Income Tax	-	-
Total	9.92	5.17



## Note 15: Income/Current Tax Liabilities (Net)

(₹ In Lakh)

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Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Opening Balance	40.44	38.41
Add: Provision for the year	117.86	77.95
Less: Tax Paid	66.44	75.92
Total	51.42	40.44

#### **Note 16: Other Current Liabilities**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
a) Statutory Remittance		
TDS Payable	5.14	4.63
TCS Payable	0.28	0.31
GST Payable	-	265.65
EPF Payable	0.53	0.52
ESIC Payable	0.03	0.04
Professional Tax Payable	0.18	0.14
b) Advanced from Customer	89.34	214.79
c) Dealer Deposits	338.37	283.22
d) Late Payment Charges	232.76	111.04
Total	666.64	769.29

# **Note 17: Revenue from Operations**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2023	For the year ended on March 31, 2022
Sale of Products	4,946.19	5,079.81
Other Operating Revenue	20.84	22.84
Total	4,967.03	5,102.64

# **Note 17.1: Particulars of Sale of Products**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2023	For the year ended on March 31, 2022
Manufactured Goods:		
Fertilisers	77.71	410.92
Pesticides	4,488.28	4,377.79
Seeds	380.20	291.10
Total	4,946.19	5,079.81

<sup>\*</sup>Branch wise Sales bifurcation is given in Note No. 51 of Notes Forming part of Financial Statements.

# Note 17.2: Other Operating Revenue

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2023	For the year ended on March 31, 2022
Reimbursement of C & F Charges	1.89	2.08
Reimbursement of Marketing Charges	18.95	20.76
Total	20.84	22.84

# Note 18: Other Income

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Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2023	For the year ended on March 31, 2022
Interest Income		
From Bank FD Deposits	0.21	0.35
From other Deposits	0.63	0.29
Other Non-operating Revenues		_
Kasar Income	0.00	0.67
Duty Drawback Income	2.18	0.12
Rate Difference Income	-	8.70
Foreign Exchange Gain or Loss	5.21	0.47
Bed Debts Recovery	17.25	9.98
Shortage Material	-	1.10
Total	25.48	21.69



#### **Note 19: Cost of Material Consumed**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2023	For the year ended on March 31, 2022
Opening Stock of Raw Materials	293.08	677.40
Add: Purchase of Raw Materials	3,343.63	3,507.85
Closing Stock of Raw Materials	288.82	293.08
Total (A)	3,347.89	3,892.17
Opening Stock of Packing Material Consumed	97.69	63.20
Add: Purchase of Packing Material Consumed	140.31	0.01
Closing Stock of Packing Material Consumed	87.32	97.69
Total (B)	150.68	(34.47)
Total	3,498.57	3,857.70

## Note 19.1: Particulars of Cost of Material Consumed

(₹ In Lakh)

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Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2023	For the year ended on March 31, 2022
Breakup of Raw Material Consumed:		
Fertilisers	36.27	174.08
Pesticides	3,013.79	3,463.18
Seeds	293.56	254.92
Others	-	-
Total (A)	3,343.63	3,892.17
Breakup of Packing Material Consumed:		
Fertilisers	-	7.88
Pesticides	132.37	(42.35)
Seeds	7.95	-
Others	-	-
Total (B)	140.31	(34.47)
Total	3,483.94	3,857.70

# **Note 19.2: Purchase of Traded Goods**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2023	For the year ended on March 31, 2022
Breakup of Purchase of Traded Goods		
Seeds	154.91	-
Others	-	-
Total	154.91	-

# Note 20: Changes in Inventories of Finished Goods, Stock in Process and WIP

(₹ In Lakh)

		( )
Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2023	For the year ended on March 31, 2022
Inventories at the end of the year		
Finished Goods	469.89	339.31
Work in Progress	-	-
Inventories at the beginning of the year		
Finished Goods	339.31	325.98
Work in Progress	-	=
Net (Increase)/Decrease	(130.58)	(13.33)

# Note 21: Employee Benefits Expenses

Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2023	For the year ended on March 31, 2022
(a) Salaries and Wages	452.82	291.13
(b) Contributions to Provident Fund & Other Fund:		
Provident Fund	-	3.26
ESIC	0.42	0.36
(c) Staff welfare Expenses	0.73	0.17
(d) Provision for Gratuity	-	-
(e) Termination Benefits	-	-
Total	453.98	294.92



## **Note 22: Finance Cost**

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2023	For the year ended on March 31, 2022
(a) Interest Expense		
(i) Borrowings	33.90	52.01
(ii) Interest on TDS	0.00	0.31
(iii) Interest on Professional Tax	0.13	0.02
(iv) Interest on dealer Deposits	-	0.20
(v) Interest on Provident Fund	3.36	-
(b) Other Borrowing costs	6.85	1.72
Total	44.24	54.26

# Note 23: Depreciation and Amortization

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2023	For the year ended on March 31, 2022
Depreciation of Property, Plant and Equipment	58.60	62.21
Amortization of Intangible Assets	0.38	0.30
Depreciation on Investment Property	-	=
Total	58.99	62.51

# **Note 24: Other Expenses**

		(₹ In Lakh)
Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2023	For the year ended on March 31, 2022
Manufacturing Expenses:		
Loading & Unloading Charges	1.87	2.41
Electric Power & Fuel	2.53	2.24
Electric Burning Expense	11.19	11.94
Factory Expense	2.11	1.29
Factory Rent Expense	4.95	3.81
C & F Charges	5.14	13.71
C & F commission Expense	8.45	9.95
Farming & Nursing Expense	-	-
Field Assistant Expense	2.70	2.21
Leakage Material	0.27	1.25
Freight & Forwarding Expense	91.98	52.04
Selling & Distribution Expenses		
Sales Promotion Expense	-	35.42
Sales Commission Expense	2.77	2.19
Dealer Meeting Expense	0.44	-
Discounts	46.24	51.93
Export Clearing & Forwarding Charges	24.84	1.46
Marketing Expense	41.03	-
Exhibition Expense	11.40	-
Establishment Expenses:		
Advertisement Expenses	37.95	15.61
Rent Expense	13.52	11.27
Rates & Taxes	15.03	5.22
Payment To auditor	1.30	1.00
Assets Written off	0.99	-
Donation	2.20	-
Insurance Expense	7.52	7.97
Legal & Professional Fees	27.44	13.28
Travelling Conveyance Expense	89.49	53.81
Repairs & Maintenance	26.80	18.41
Communication Expense	2.32	4.23
Research and Development Cost	0.33	9.85
Godown Expense	3.92	3.40
Bad Debts Expense	-	229.74
Late Payment Reverse Charges	11.34	34.17
Other Charges	-	-
Miscellaneous Expense	6.40	7.47
Total		511.61



#### Note 24.1: Payment to Auditor as:

(₹ In Lakh)

Part	ticulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2022	For the year ended on March 31, 2021
a)	For Auditor	1.30	1.00
b)	For taxation matters	-	-
c)	For Company Law matters	-	-
d)	For Management Services	-	-
e)	For other Services	-	-
f)	For reimbursement of expenses	-	-
	Total	1.30	1.00

- **Note 25:** The previous year's figures have been reworked, regrouped, and reclassified wherever necessary. Amounts and other disclosures for the preceding year are included as an integral part of the current annual financial statements and are to be read in relation to the amounts and other disclosures relating to the current financial year.
- **Note 26:** Credit and Debit balances of unsecured loans, sundry creditors, sundry Debtors, loans and Advances are subject to confirmation and therefore the effect of the same on profit could not be ascertained.
- Note 27: The Company has not revalued its Property, Plant and Equipment for the current year.
- Note 28: There has been no Capital work in progress for the current year of the company.
- Note 29: There is no Intangible assets under development in the current year.
- Note 30: The Company does not have any charges or satisfaction which is yet to be registered with ROC beyond the statutory period.
- Note 31: Quarterly returns or statements of current assets filed by the Company with banks or financial institutions are in agreement with the books of accounts.
- Note 32: The Company has not traded or invested in Crypto currency or Virtual Currency during the financial year.
- **Note 33:** No proceeding has been initiated or pending against the Company for holding any Benami property under the Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Act, 1988, as amended, and rules made thereunder.
- Note 34: The company has not been declared as willful defaulter by any bank or financial institution or government or government authority.
- **Note 35:** The Company has not advanced or loaned to or invested in funds to any other person(s) or entity(is), including foreign entities (Intermediaries) with the understanding that the Intermediary shall:
  - a. directly or indirectly lend to or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the company (Ultimate Beneficiaries) or
  - b. provide any guarantee, security or the like to or on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.
- Note 36: The Company has not received any fund from any person(s) or entity(is), including foreign entities (Funding Party) with the understanding (whether recorded in writing or otherwise) that the Company shall
  - a. directly or indirectly lend to or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Funding Party (Ultimate Beneficiaries) or
  - b. provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries.
- Note 37: The company does not have transaction with the struck off under section 248 of companies act, 2013 or section 560 of Companies act 1956.
- **Note 38:** The company is in compliance with the number of layers prescribed under clause (87) of section 2 of company's act read with companies (restriction on number of layers) Rules, 2017.

## Note 39: Related Party Disclosures:

The Disclosures of Transaction with the related parties as defined in the related parties as defined in the Indian AS are given below:



# List of related parties with whom transactions have taken place and relationships: -

Sr. No.	Nature of Relationships		Name of Parties		
1.	Key Managerial personnel (KMP)	Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani	CS Ishita N Shah		
		Ghanshyambhai M. Kumbhani	Mamtaben H. Thumbar		
		Alpaben J. Kumbhani	Hasmukhbhai Vavaiya		
		Mukesh V. Shah	Rupen J Patel		
		CS Ankita Lunagariya			
2.	Associate Concern	Sikkon Crop Technology (Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani)			
		Sikkon Crop Technology (Pravinbhai M. Kumbhani)			
3.	Relative of KMP	Pravinbhai M. Kumbhani			
		Bhavnaben P. Kumbhani			

Transaction during the current financial year with related parties: -

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Sr. No.	Name of Related Parties	Nature of Relation	Nature of Transaction	O/s at the beginning Receivable/ (Payable)	Amount Debited	Amount Created	O/s at the End Receivable/ (Payable)
1	Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani	Key Managerial Person	Director Remuneration	8.40	69.63	75.00	13.77
2	Ghanshyambhai M. Kumbhani	Key Managerial Person	Director Remuneration	25.73	71.46	59.25	13.52
3	Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani	Key Managerial Person	Loan Repayment	(36.00)	-	-	(36.00)
4	Alpaben J. Kumbhani	Key Managerial Person	Director Remuneration	(1.32)	3.99	48.00	6.75
5	Sikkon Crop	Enterprise in which	Purchase	-	126.32	-	-
	Technology (Prop. Jayantibhai	relative of KMP is having significant	C & F Income	-	1.89		
	Kumbhani)	interest	Marketing Income	-	18.95		
6	Sikkon Crop	Enterprise in which	Purchase	-	-	-	-
	Technology (Prop. Pravinbhai	vinbhai having significant	C & F Income	-	-		
	Kumbhani)	interest	Marketing Income	-	-		
7	Bhavnaben P. Kumbhani	Relative of KMP	Godown Rent	0.27	1.47	1.20	-
8	Pravinbhai M. Kumbhani	Relative of KMP	Factory Rent Expense	0.34	4.92	4.95	0.38
9	Mukesh V. Shah	Chief Financial Officer	Salary Expense	0.59	7.85	7.82	0.56
10	Ankita Lunagariya	Company Secretary	Salary Expense	0.26	2.88	2.62	-
11	Ishita N Shah	Company Secretary	Salary Expense	-	0.83	1.22	0.40
11	Mamtaben H. Thumbar	Independent Director	Sitting Fees	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30
12	Hasmukhbhai Vavaiya	Independent Director	Sitting Fees	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30
13	Rupen J Patel	Independent Director	Sitting Fees	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30



#### Note 40: Deferred tax Assets and Liabilities are as under:

#### Components of which are as under:

(₹ In Lakh)

Particulars	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022
Deferred Tax		
Block of assets (Depreciation)	3.96	2.53
Net Differed Tax Liability/(Asset)	(1.10)	(0.70)

#### Note 41: Earnings Per Share

Particulars	For the year ended on March 31, 2023	For the year ended on March 31, 2022
Profit / (Loss) after tax attributable to Equity Shareholders (A)	289.25	187.70
Weighted Number of Equity Share outstanding During the year (B) (In Nos.)	16800000	11200000
Basic Earnings Per Share for each Share of ₹ 10/- (A) / (B)	1.72	1.68

#### Note 42: Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR):

The section 135 (Corporate social responsibility) of Companies Act, 2013 is not applicable to the company.

#### Note 43: Notes forming part of accounts in relation to Micro and small enterprise

Based on information available with the company, on the status of the suppliers being Micro or small enterprises, on which the auditors have relied, the disclosure requirements of Schedule III to the Companies Act,2013 with regard to the payments made/due to Micro and small Enterprises are given below:

Particulars		r ended on ch 31, 2023	For the year ended on March 31, 2022	
		Interest	Principal	Interest
Amount due as at the date of Balance sheet	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Amount paid beyond the appointed date during the year	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Amount of interest due and payable for the period of delay in making payments of principal during the year beyond the appointed date	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
The amount of interest accrued and remaining unpaid as at the date of Balance sheet	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil

The company has initiated the process of obtaining the confirmation from suppliers who have registered themselves under the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006 (MSMED Act, 2006) but has not received the same in totality. The above information is compiled based on the extent of responses received by the company from its suppliers.

### Note 44: Title deeds of immovable Property

Tittle deeds of immovable property has not been held in the name of promoter, director, or relative of promoter/ director or employee of promoters / director of the company, hence same are held in the name of the company.

#### Note 45: Loans or Advances in the nature of loans to promoters, directors, KMPs and the related parties

No Loans or Advances in the nature of loans are granted to promoters, directors, KMPs and the related parties (as defined under Companies Act, 2013,) either severally or jointly with any other person.

#### Note 46: Compliance with approved Scheme(s) of Arrangements

The Company does not have made any arrangements in terms of section 230 to 237 of companies act 2013, and hence there is no deviation to be disclosed.

## Note 47: Utilization of Borrowed funds and share premium: -

As on March 31, 2023 there is no unutilized amount in respect of any issue of securities and long term borrowings from bank and financial institutions. The borrowed funds have been utilized for the specific purpose for which the funds were raised.



## Note 48: Ratio Analysis:

Ratio Numerator		Denominator	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022	% of Change in Ratio	Reason for Variance
Current Ratio	Current Ratio Current Assets Curr		2.01	2.23	(10.06%)	-
Debt Equity Ratio	Debt capital	Shareholder's Equity	0.36	0.08	367.97%	Due to Company has taken additional Debts during the year.
Debt Service Coverage Ratio	EBITDA-CAPEX	Debt Service (Int.+ Principal)	5.88	5.57	5.61%	-
Return on Equity Ratio	Profit for the year	Average Shareholder's Equity	0.26	0.31	(18.11%)	-
Inventory Turnover Ratio	COGS	Average Inventory	4.47	9.40	(52.44%)	The company has high Freight & Forwarding Exp due current market condition.
Trade Receivables turnover ratio	Net sales	Average trade receivables	2.26	8.68	73.92%	Due to High Receivables outstanding at end of the year
Trade payables turnover ratio	Total Purchases (Fuel Cost + Other Expenses + Closing Inventory-Opening Inventory)	Closing Trade Payables	6.28	8.91	(29.51%)	Due to increase in credit period offered by suppliers, the ratio decreased.
Net capital turnover ratio	Sales	Working capital (CA-CL)	2.44	2.78	(12.19%)	-
Net profit ratio	Net Profit	Sales	0.06	0.04	58.31%	Due to Company has achieved high profit during the year.
Return on Capital employed	Earnings before interest and tax	Capital Employed	0.17	0.14	20.94%	-
Return on investment	Net Profit	Investment	-	-	=	-

# Note 49: Shares held by Promoters at the end of the year:

Sr.		As at March	31, 2023	As at March	31, 2022	2 % Changes During the Year	
No.	Promoter Name	No. of Shares	%	No. of Shares	%		
1	Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani	4581126	27.27%	3054084	27.27%	0.00%	
2	Pravinbhai M. Kumbhani	1812000	10.79%	1208000	10.79%	0.00%	
3	Alpaben J. Kumbhani	1677960	9.99%	1118640	9.99%	0.00%	
4	Ghanshyambhai M. Kumbhani	1082220	6.44%	721480	6.44%	0.00%	
5	Nandaben G. Kumbhani	1020000	6.07%	680000	6.07%	0.00%	
6	Mohanbhai N. Kumbhani	992220	5.91%	661480	5.91%	0.00%	
7	Rudiben M. Kumbhani	516024	3.07%	344016	3.07%	0.00%	
8	Bhavnaben P. Kumbhani	318450	1.90%	212300	1.90%	0.00%	
9	Rasilaben R. Savaliya	1500	0.01%	-	-	100.00%	

<sup>\*</sup> During the year Company has issue bonus share at 2:1.

# Note 50: Shares Allotted other than Cash:

Shares Allotted other than Cash for the period of five years immediately preceding the date at which the Balance Sheet is prepared;

Aggregate number and class of shares allotted as fully paid up pursuant to contract without payment being received in cash	Nil
Aggregate number and class of shares allotted as fully paid up by way of bonus shares; and	1,12,00,000 Equity Shares
Aggregate number and class of shares bought back;	Nil



#### Note 51: Branch wise Sales bifurcation:

(₹ in Lakh)

Details	Gujarat	Rajasthan	Madhya Pradesh	Maharashtra	Uttar Pradesh	West Bengal	Chandigarh	Bihar	All Branch Sales
Sales Account	4,039.65	196.26	177.63	190.66	281.27	103.10	0.00	2.73	4,991.30
Inter Branch Sales	1,198.68	0.00	0.00	20.17	0.00	85.62	0.00	0.00	1,304.46
<b>Total Sales</b>	5,238.32	196.26	177.63	210.82	281.27	188.72	0.00	2.73	6,295.76
Less: Sales Return	-	-	-	-		-	-		-
Total Sales Return	25.06	0.00	0.85	0.53	0.00	18.66	0.00	0.00	45.11
Less: Credit Note	25.06	0.00	0.85	0.53	0.00	18.66	0.00	0.00	45.11
Sales Return Credit Note	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rate Diff.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Credit Note	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sales as per Balance Sheet	5,213.26	196.26	176.78	210.29	281.27	170.05	0.00	2.73	6,250.65
	Less Inter Branch Sales							1,304.46	
	As per Audit Report Sales							4,946.19	

As per our report on even date attached For, D G M S & Co. Chartered Accountants FRN No. 0112187W For and on behalf of the Board of Directors, For, Sikko Industries Limited

Jayantibhai M. Kumbhani Managing Director DIN: 00587807 Ghanshyambhai M. Kumbhani Whole-time Director DIN: 00587855

Shashank P. Doshi Partner M. No. 108456

UDIN: 23108456BGUDOQ8018

Date: May 24, 2023 Place: Jamnagar Dhruvitkumar P. Mandliya Company Secretary Mukesh Shah Chief Financial Officer

Date: May 24, 2023 Place: Ahmedabad



#### MATERIAL DEVELOPMENTS

Except as stated in this Draft Letter of Offer and as disclosed below, to our knowledge, no circumstances have arisen since March 31, 2024, which materially and adversely affect or are likely to affect our operations, performance, prospects or profitability, or the value of our assets or our ability to pay material liabilities:

- 1. Increase in the Authorized Share Capital of the Company, from Rupees 17,50,00,000/- (Rupees Seventeen Crore Fifty Lacs only) divided into 17500000 (One Crore Seventy Five Lacs only) Equity Shares of Rupees 10/- (Rupees Ten Only) each, to Rupees 25,00,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Crore Only) divided into 25000000 (Two Crore Fifty Lacs Only) Equity Shares of Rupees 10/- (Rupees Ten Only) each and consequent amendment in the Capital Clause (Clause V) of Memorandum of Association of the Company vide Members approval in their Extra-Ordinary General Meeting of the Company on Thursday, May 30, 2024.
- 2. Approval for the proposal for entering into Material Related Party Transaction(s) in relation to "purchasing of land situated at 173/174, Ajanta Industrial Estate Village. Vasna Iyava, Tal. Sanand, Ahmedabad, Gujarat 382 110, India" between the Company and M/s. Siganjka Industries Private Limited (Formerly Known as Kimaya Extractions Private Limited), a private company in which a director or manager or his relative is a member or director, by the Members vide their resolution passed in their Extra-Ordinary General Meeting of the Company on Saturday, June 22, 2024.



#### ACCOUNTING RATIOS

Unless context requires otherwise, the following tables present certain accounting and other ratios derived from the relevant Audited Financial Statements. For details see "Financial Information" on page 92.

(₹ in Lakhs)

Particulars	For the	year ended Ma	arch 31
raruculars	2024	2023	2022
Basic and Diluted Earnings Per Share (₹)			
Basic Earnings Per Share (Basic EPS)			
Net profit / (loss) after tax, attributable to equity shareholders	406.44	289.25	187.70
Weighted average number of Equity Shares outstanding	16800000	16800000	16800000
Basic EPS in ₹	2.42	1.72	1.12
Face value in ₹	10.00	10.00	10.00
Diluted Earnings Per Share (Diluted EPS)			
Net profit / (loss) after tax, attributable to equity shareholders	406.44	289.25	187.70
Weighted average number of Equity Shares considered for calculating Diluted EPS	16800000	16800000	16800000
Diluted EPS in ₹	2.42	1.72	1.12
Face value in ₹	10.00	10.00	10.00
Net Asset Value Per Equity Share (₹)			
Net Asset Value (Net-worth)	2,787.45	2,381.02	2,116.97
Number of equity shares outstanding at the end of the period/year	16800000	16800000	12000000
Net Assets Value per equity share (₹)	16.59	14.17	17.64
Return on Net worth			
Net Profit / (loss) after tax	406.44	289.25	187.70
Net worth	2,787.45	2,381.02	2,116.97
Return on net worth	14.58	12.15	8.87
EBITDA			
Profit / (loss) after tax (A)	406.44	289.25	187.70
Remeasurement Of The Net Defined Benefit Liability / Asset	-	-	-
Income tax expense (B)	199.37	116.05	73.30
Finance costs (C)	76.46	44.24	54.26
Depreciation and amortization expense (D)	71.55	58.99	62.51
EBITDA (A+B+C+D)	753.82	508.52	377.78
EBIT	682.27	449.54	315.27
Revenue from Operation	6128.72	4,967.03	5,102.64
Operating Profit Margin	11.13	9.05	6.18
Net Profit Margin	6.63	5.82	3.68

# Note:

Based on Audited Financial Statements for the year ended on FY 2023-24, FY 2022-23 and FY 2021-22 dated May 30, 2024, May 24, 2023 and May 30, 2022 issued by the Statutory Auditor.

The ratios have been computed as per the following formulas:

- (i) Basic and Diluted Earnings per Share: Net Profit after tax for the year attributable to equity shareholders / Weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the year
- (ii) Net Assets Value (NAV): Net Asset Value at the end of the year / Number of equity shares outstanding at the end of the year
- (iii) Return on Net worth (%): Net Profit after tax for the year, attributable to equity shareholders / Net worth (excluding revaluation reserve) at the end of the year

Net-worth (excluding revaluation reserve), means the aggregate value of the paid-up share capital (including shares pending allotment) and securities premium account, after adding surplus in Statement of Profit and Loss.



- (iv) EBITDA: Profit/(loss) after tax for the period adjusted for income tax, expense, finance costs, depreciation and amortization expense, as presented in the restated financial statement of profit and loss.
- (v) Operating Profit Margin: Operating profit margin is calculated as Earnings before interest & tax (EBIT) for the year/period divided by Revenue from operations for the respective year/period. EBIT is calculated as EBITDA (as explained above) less depreciation & amortisation expenses for the respective year/period.
- (vi) Net Profit Margin: Net profit margin is calculated as Profit/(loss) after tax for the year/period divided by Revenue from operations for the respective year/period.



# MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL POSITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

The following discussion of our financial condition and results of operations should be read in conjunction with the "Financial Statements" beginning on page 92 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

Some of the information contained in the following discussion, including information with respect to our plans and strategies, contain forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties. You should also read "Risk Factors" and "Forward Looking Statements" beginning on page 22 and 14, respectively of this Draft Letter of Offer, which discuss a number of factors and contingencies that could affect our financial condition and results of operations.

Our financial statements included in this Draft Letter of Offer are prepared in accordance with Ind AS, which differs in certain material respects from other accounting standards such as IFRS. Our financial year ends on March 31 of each year. Accordingly, all references to a particular financial year are for the 12 months ended March 31 of that year. Unless otherwise indicated or the context requires, the financial information for Fiscal 2022 included herein is based on the Audited Financial Statements included in this Draft Letter of Offer. For further information, see "Financial Statements" beginning on page 92 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

Neither we, nor any of our affiliates or advisors, nor any other person connected with the Issue has independently verified such information. For further information, see "Presentation of Financial and other Information" beginning on page 12 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

#### OVERVIEW OF OUR BUSINESS

In the year 1998, Our Promoter was running proprietorship firm, namely Sikko Sprayers & Exports Co. which was engaged in the manufacturing of "Growth Promoters" and its used as supplements in agriculture by farmers. In the blanket of Growth Promoters various products are sold namely Vakil, Diamond, Vasool, Biomono which are in combination of granules and liquid form. In addition, firm was engaged in assembling of different parts of Spray Pump having Inside and cylinder without bearing. The spray pumps are used by farmers in agriculture to sprey pesticides.

In the year 2000 our Company was incorporated as Sikko Sprayers Private Limited. Our Company acquired Sikko Sprayers & Exports Co., proprietorship concern of Mr. Pravinbhai M. Kumbhani in the year 2000 and consequent to which entire assets-liabilities including outstanding creditors of the said proprietorship concern were taken over by our company for which there was no formal agreement for acquisition of the said business was entered.

Sikko Industries Limited was originally incorporated in the name of Sikko Sprayers Private Limited on February 8, 2000. Thereafter, the company was converted in to public limited company and name of the Company was changed from Sikko Sprayers Private Limited to Sikko Sparayers Limited via Special Resolution passed by the members on 16/02/2010. Subsequently, the Name of Company has changed from Sikko Sprayers Limited to Sikko Industries Limited and Fresh certificate of Incorporation pursuant to change of name was issued by Assistant Registrar of Companies, Gujarat and Dadra Nagar Haveli on March 17, 2010.

To avail the rich experience of our promoters in the field of agrochemicals and after establishing strong foot hold in the field of agro chemicals and pesticides, Our Company also started fertilizer unit on March 30, 2011. This has improved our top line. To sum up our Company is engaged in manufacturing of Pesticides including organic Pesticides, Fertilizers including organic fertilizer, Spray Pump and Organic Seeds.

The initial object of the Company is to set up facilities for manufacture of all kinds of sprayers for agricultural purposes and all spare parts of such sprayers. Afterwards the main object of the Company has been changed vide Special Resolution passed through Postal Ballot and Remote e-Voting on October 13, 2022. As per latest Object clause of Memorandum of Association of the Company, followings are main objects of the Company:

- 1. To carry on business as manufacturers, assemblers, stockist, agents, importers, exporters, traders, whole-sellers, retailers, distributors or dealers of all kinds of sprayers for agricultural purposes and all spare parts of such sprayers.
- 2. To manufacture, process, refine, install, work, store, maintain, improve, manipulate, formulate, pack, mix, prepare for market, sell both in wholesale or retail, buy, repair, alter, exchange, export, import, distribute and deal in all kinds of and types of pesticides, fertilizers, all types of agricultural chemicals, pesticides intermediates, including insecticides, fungicides, herbicides, weedicides and all allied and agricultural products, seeds, seed products and its byproducts thereof.



- 3. To manufacture, formulate, process, develop, refine, import, export, wholesale and/or retail trade all kinds of pharmaceuticals, surgical with surgical instruments, antibiotics, drugs, medicines, biologicals, nutraceuticals, healthcare, Ayurvedic and dietary supplement products, medicinal preparations, vaccines, chemicals, chemical products, dry salters, mineral waters, wines, cordials, liquors, soups, broths and other restoratives or foods and also to deal in medicinal goods such as surgical instruments, contraceptives, photographic goods, oils, perfumes, cosmetics, patent medicines, soaps, artificial limbs, hospital requisites, proprietary medicines, veterinary medicines and tinctures extracts and to carry on the business of vialling, bottling, repacking, processing of tablets, capsules, syrups, injections, ointments, etc. and also to carry on the business of chemists, druggists, buyers, sellers, agents, distributors and stockists of all kinds of pharmaceuticals and allied products.
- 4. To carry on business of export, import, buying, selling, processing, and trading of agricultural commodities of all kinds such as fruits, vegetables, pulses, grains, spices or any other agro commodities or produce whatsoever including processed foods.

For further details, refer chapter titled "Business Overview" on page 64.

#### SIGNIFICANT FACTORS AFFECTING OUR RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

Our financial condition and results of operations are affected by numerous factors and uncertainties, including those discussed in the section titled 'Risk Factors' on page 22. The following is a discussion of certain factors that have had, and we expect will continue to have, a significant effect on our financial condition and results of operations:

- Any adverse changes in central or state government policies;
- Any adverse development that may affect our operations of our manufacturing units;
- Any qualifications or other observations made by our statutory auditors which may affect our results of operations;
- General economic and business conditions in the markets in which we operate and in the local, regional and national economies;
- Changes in technology and our ability to manage any disruption or failure of our technology systems;
- Our ability to attract and retain qualified personnel;
- Our ability to maintain and enhance our brand image;
- Our ability to successfully execute our expansion strategy in a timely manner.
- Changes in political and social conditions in India or in countries that we may enter, the monetary and interest rate
  policies of India and other countries, inflation, deflation, unanticipated turbulence in interest rates, equity prices or
  other rates or prices;
- Our reliance on third party suppliers for our products;
- The performance of the financial markets in India and globally;
- Any adverse outcome in the legal proceedings in which we are involved;
- Occurrences of natural disasters or calamities affecting the areas in which we have operations;
- Market fluctuations and industry dynamics beyond our control;
- Loss of one or more of our key customers and/or suppliers;
- An increase in the productivity and overall efficiency of our competitors;
- Any adverse development that may affect the operations of our manufacturing units; The performance of the financial markets in India and globally;
- Our ability to compete effectively, particularly in new markets and businesses;
- Changes in foreign exchange rates or other rates or prices;
- Inability to collect our dues and receivables from, or invoice our unbilled services to, our customers, our results of operations;
- Other factors beyond our control;
- Our ability to manage risks that arise from these factors;
- Conflict of interest with our Subsidiary, Individual Promoter and other related parties;
- Changes in domestic and foreign laws, regulations and taxes and changes in competition in our industry;
- Termination of customer contracts without cause and with little or no notice or penalty; and
- Inability to obtain, maintain or renew requisite statutory and regulatory permits and approvals or noncompliance with and changes in, safety, health and environmental laws and other applicable regulations, may adversely affect our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects.

## SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES



The accounting policies have been applied consistently to the periods presented in the Audited Financial Statements. For details see "Financial Information" on page 92.

# CHANGE IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES IN PREVIOUS 3 YEARS

Except as mentioned in chapter titled "Financial Information" on page 92, There has been no change in accounting policies for the period which has been included in this Draft Letter of Offer.

# RESERVATIONS, QUALIFICATIONS AND ADVERSE REMARKS

For details, please refer chapter titled "Financial Information" on page 92 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

# RESULTS OF OUR OPERATIONS

The following table sets forth, for the periods indicated, certain items from our audited financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2024, 2023 and 2022 in each case also stated as a percentage of our total income:

(₹ In Lakhs)

Particulars	For the Ye March 3	31, 2024	For the Year Ended March 31, 2023		For the Year Ended March 31, 2022	
	Amount	(%)*	Amount	(%)*	Amount	(%)*
Revenue						
Revenue from Operations	3,421.98	85.59%	3,397.53	99.69%	3,903.71	99.90%
Other Incomes	576.34	14.41%	10.67	0.31%	3.77	0.10%
<b>Total Income</b>	3,998.32	100.00%	3,408.20	100.00%	3,907.48	100.00%
Expenses:						
Cost of Materials Consumed	3,168.50	79.25%	2,328.24	68.31%	2,929.78	74.98%
Changes in Inventory of FG, WIP and Stock in trade	(317.84)	-7.95%	-43.80	-1.29%	-116.45	-2.98%
Employee Benefit Expenses	573.91	14.35%	527.20	15.47%	515.76	13.20%
Finance Costs	178.18	4.46%	162.65	4.77%	207.47	5.31%
Depreciation & Amortization	116.97	2.93%	127.50	3.74%	109.71	2.81%
Other Expenses	329.73	8.25%	246.19	7.22%	199.12	5.10%
Total Expenses	4,049.46	101.28%	3,347.99	98.23%	3,845.39	98.41%
Profit/(Loss) before exceptional item and Tax	(51.14)	-1.28%	60.21	1.77%	62.1	1.59%
Exceptional Items	-	-	-	-	-	
Profit before Tax	(51.14)	-1.28%	60.21	1.77%	62.1	1.59%
Tax Expenses:						
(i) Current tax	-	-	17.93	0.53%	9.69	0.25%
(ii) Deferred Tax	5.10	0.13%	5.78	0.17%	10.84	0.28%
Total Tax Expenses	5.10	0.13%	23.71	0.70%	20.53	0.53%
Profit/ (Loss) After Tax	(56.23)	-1.41%	36.50	1.07%	41.56	1.06%
Other Comprehensive Income						
a) Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	(0.72)	-0.02%	(2.03)	-0.06%	-	-
b) Income tax relating to items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Comprehensive Income</b>	(0.72)	-0.02%	(2.03)	-0.06%	-	-
Total Comprehensive Income for the period	(55.51)	-1.39%	38.53	1.13%	41.56	1.06%

<sup>\*(%)</sup> column represents percentage of total revenue.

# COMPARISON OF HISTORICAL RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

Fiscal 2023 compared to Fiscal 2022



#### Total Revenue

Our total revenue for the Fiscal 2023 was ₹ 4,992.51 lakhs as compared to ₹ 5,124.34 lakhs for the Fiscal 2022, representing decrease of 2.57%. Total revenue is bifurcated into revenue from operations and other income.

#### Revenue from operations

During the Fiscal 2023, the revenue from operations of our company decreased to ₹ 4,967.03 lakhs as against ₹ 5,102.64 lakhs for the Fiscal 2022, a decrease of 2.66%. Due to decrease in sale of fertilizers by 81.09%, the revenue from operations was decreased.

#### Other income

Other income for Fiscal 2023 was ₹ 25.48 lakhs as compared to ₹ 21.69 lakhs for the Fiscal 2022, representing an increase of 17.44% due to Duty Drawback Income and Bad Debts Recovery.

## Expenses

#### Cost of materials consumed

Cost of materials consumed for the Fiscal 2023 was ₹ 3,498.57 lakhs as compared to ₹ 3,857.70 lakhs for the Fiscal 2022 representing a decrease of 9.31%. Reduction in cost of material consumed is due to decrease in cost of materials.

## **Purchase of Traded Goods**

Purchase of Traded Goods for the Fiscal 2023 was ₹ 154.91 lakhs as compared to ₹ Nil lakhs for the Fiscal 2022 representing an increase of 100.00%.

## Changes in Inventories of Finished Goods, Stock-in-Trade and Work-in-progress

The changes in inventories of finished goods, stock-in-trade and work in progress for the fiscal 2023 recorded an increase to ₹ (130.58) lakhs from ₹ (13.33) lakhs for the fiscal 2022 representing an overall increase of 879.32%.

#### Employee benefit expenses

Our Company has incurred ₹ 453.98 lakhs employee benefit expense for the Fiscal 2023 as compare to ₹ 294.92 lakhs for the Fiscal 2022, representing an increase of 53.93%. Increase in Employee benefit cost is due to regular increase in salary and wages of employees and increase in directors' remuneration.

#### Finance cost

Finance cost for the Fiscal 2023 was ₹ 44.24 lakhs as compared to ₹ 54.26 lakhs for the Fiscal 2022, representing a decrease of 18.48%. Decrease in financial cost is due to decrease in term liabilities and decrease in utilization of working capital during F.Y. 2022-23 as compared with F.Y. 2021-22.

## Depreciation and Amortization Expense

Depreciation and amortization expense for the Fiscal 2023 was ₹ 58.99 lakhs as compared to ₹ 62.51 lakhs for the Fiscal 2022, representing an decrease of 5.64%.

## Other expenses

Other expenses for the Fiscal 2023 was ₹ 507.10 lakhs as compared to ₹ 607.27 lakhs for the Fiscal 2022, representing decrease of 16.50%. This decrease pertains major reduction in Bad Debts expenses.

#### Profit/Loss before Tax

The profit/(loss) before tax for the Fiscal 2023 of ₹ 405.30 lakhs as compared to ₹ 261.01 lakhs showing an increase of 55.28%.



## Profit/Loss after Tax

Our Company's profit after tax for the Fiscal 2023 of ₹ 289.25 lakhs profit after tax of ₹ 187.70 for the Fiscal 2022, showing an increase of 54.10%. The increase on profit after tax was attributes to reduction in overall costs of the Company.

#### Fiscal 2024 compared to Fiscal 2023

## Total Revenue

Our total revenue for the Fiscal 2024 was ₹ 6,470.59 lakhs as compared to ₹ 4,992.51 lakhs for the Fiscal 2023, representing increase of 29.61%. Total revenue is bifurcated into revenue from operations and other income.

#### Revenue from operations

During the Fiscal 2024, the revenue from operations of our company increased to ₹ 6,148.84 lakhs as against ₹ 4,967.03 lakhs for the Fiscal 2023, an increase of 23.79%, due to increase in sale of Seeds and Bio Products.

#### Other income

Other income for Fiscal 2024 was ₹ 321.74 lakhs as compared to ₹ 25.48 lakhs for the Fiscal 2023, representing an increase of 1162.80% due to Sale of Immovable Property.

#### Expenses

## Cost of materials consumed

Cost of materials consumed for the Fiscal 2024 was ₹ 2,786.26 lakhs as compared to ₹ 3,498.57 lakhs for the Fiscal 2023 representing decrease of 20.36%. Decrease in cost of material consumed is due to decrease in raw materials prices.

#### **Purchase of Traded Goods**

Purchase of Traded Goods for the Fiscal 2024 was ₹ 1,614.56 lakhs as compared to ₹ 154.91 lakhs for the Fiscal 2023 representing an increase of 942.25%.

# Changes in Inventories of Finished Goods, Stock-in-Trade and Work-in-progress

The changes in inventories of finished goods, stock-in-trade and work in progress for the fiscal 2024 recorded increase to ₹ 51.61 lakhs from ₹ (130.58) lakhs for the fiscal 2023 representing an overall increase of 139.52%.

#### Employee benefit expenses

Our Company has incurred ₹ 611.59 lakhs employee benefit expense for the Fiscal 2024 as compare to ₹ 453.98 lakhs for the Fiscal 2023, representing an increase of 34.72%. Increase in Employee benefit cost is due to regular increase in salary and wages and increase directors' remuneration.

## Finance cost

Finance cost for the Fiscal 2024 was ₹ 78.84 lakhs as compared to ₹ 44.24 lakhs for the Fiscal 2023, representing an increase of 78.23%. Increase in financial cost is due to increase in term liabilities and increase in utilization of working capital during F.Y. 2023-24 as compared with F.Y. 2022-23.

#### Depreciation and Amortization Expense

Depreciation and amortization expense for the Fiscal 2024 was ₹ 71.55 lakhs as compared to ₹ 58.99 lakhs for the Fiscal 2023, representing increase of 21.31%.

# Other expenses



Other expenses for the Fiscal 2024 was ₹ 650.36 lakhs as compared to ₹ 507.10 lakhs for the Fiscal 2023, representing increase of 28.25%. This increase pertains major increase in sales and promoters expenses, rate & taxes, travelling expenses and workers' salary which are in the nature of direct expenses linked to Revenue from Operations.

#### Profit/Loss before Tax

The profit/(loss) before tax for the Fiscal 2024 of ₹ 605.81 lakhs as compared to ₹ 405.30 lakhs showing an increase of 49.47%.

## Profit/Loss after Tax

Our Company's profit after tax for the Fiscal 2024 of ₹ 406.43 lakhs an increase of 40.51% over the profit after tax for the Fiscal 2023 of ₹ 289.25 lakhs.

#### CASH FLOWS

The table below summaries our cash flows from our Audited Financial Information for the financial year ended March 31, 2024, 2023 and 2022;

(₹ in lakhs)

Particulars	For the	For the year ended March 31			
raruculars	2024	2023	2022		
Net cash generated from / (used in) Operating activities	221.48	(404.72)	636.40		
Net cash generated from / (used in) Investing activities	86.98	(195.24)	(61.08)		
Net cash generated from / (used in) from Financing activities	(348.88)	628.32	(568.63)		
Net Increase / (decrease) in Cash & Cash Equivalents	(40.42)	28.36	6.69		
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	48.65	20.29	13.60		
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	8.23	48.65	20.29		

#### RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Related party transactions with our promoters, directors and their entities and relatives primarily relate to purchase and sale of products, remuneration, sitting fees, borrowings, deposits, rent, interest, reimbursements, disinvestments, employee benefit expenses, corporate social responsibility, contribution to gratuity fund, etc. For further details of such related parties under Ind AS-24, refer chapter titled "Financial Information" beginning on page 92 of this Letter of Offer.

# CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The following table sets forth our contingent liabilities and commitments as on March 31, 2024, March 31, 2023 and March 31, 2022 as per audited financial statements:

(₹ in Lakhs)

Particulars	As on March 31, 2024	As on March 31, 2023	As on March 31, 2022
<b>Contingent Liabilities</b>	-	-	-

# OFF-BALANCE SHEET ARRANGEMENTS

We do not have any other off-balance sheet arrangements or other relationships with unconsolidated entities, such as special purpose vehicles, that have been established for the purposes of facilitating off-balance sheet arrangements.

# QUALITATIVE DISCLOSURE ABOUT MARKET RISK

The Company's financial liabilities comprise mainly of borrowings, trade, other payables and financial assets comprise mainly of security deposits, cash and cash equivalents, other balances with banks, loans, trade receivables and other receivables.

The Company is exposed to Market risk - Foreign Currency, Market risk - Foreign Currency, Credit risk and Liquidity risk. The Board of the Company monitors the risk as per risk management policy. Further, the Audit Committee has additional oversight in the area of financial risks and controls. For further details of such risk, refer chapter titled "Financial Information" beginning on page 92 of this Letter of Offer.



## UNUSUAL OR INFREQUENT EVENTS OR TRANSACTIONS

Except as described elsewhere in this Draft Letter of Offer, there have been no unusual or infrequent events or transactions including unusual trends on account of business activity, unusual items of income, change of accounting policies and discretionary reduction of expenses.

## SIGNIFICANT ECONOMIC/REGULATORY CHANGES

Government policies governing the sector in which we operate as well as the overall growth of the Indian economy has a significant bearing on our operations. Major changes in these factors can significantly impact income from continuing operations.

There are no significant economic changes that materially affected our Company's operations or are likely to affect income except as mentioned in the section titled "Risk Factors" on page 22.

Except as disclosed in this Draft Letter of Offer, to our knowledge, there are no significant regulatory changes that materially affected or are likely to affect our income from continuing operations.

EXPECTED FUTURE CHANGES IN RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN COSTS AND REVENUES, IN CASE OF EVENTS SUCH AS FUTURE INCREASE IN LABOUR OR MATERIAL COSTS OR PRICES THAT WILL CAUSE A MATERIAL CHANGE ARE KNOWN

Other than as described in the section titled "Risk Factors" and chapter titled "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Conditions and Results of Operations" beginning on pages 22 and 96, respectively, and elsewhere in this Draft Letter of Offer, there are no known factors to our knowledge which would have a material adverse impact on the relationship between costs and income of our Company. Our Company's future costs and revenues will be determined by demand/supply situation and government policies.

THE EXTENT TO WHICH MATERIAL INCREASES IN NET SALES OR REVENUE ARE DUE TO INCREASED SALES VOLUME, INTRODUCTION OF NEW PRODUCTS OR SERVICES OR INCREASED SALES PRICES

Changes in revenue in the last three financial years are as explained in the part financial year 2024 compared to financial year 2023 and financial year 2022.

## **COMPETITIVE CONDITIONS**

We have competition with Indian and international manufacturers and our results of operations could be affected by competition in the manufacturing and processing industry in India and international market in the future. We expect competition to intensify due to possible new entrants in the market, existing competitors further expanding their operations and our entry into new markets where we may compete with well-established unorganized companies / entities. This we believe may impact our financial condition and operations. For details, please refer to the chapter titled "Risk Factors" beginning on page 22 of this Letter of Offer.

# TOTAL TURNOVER OF EACH MAJOR BUSINESS SEGMENT

The Company's operation predominantly comprises of only one segment. In view of the same, separate segmental information is not required to be disclosed as per the requirement of Indian Accounting Standard 108 Operating Segment. However, based on Secondary Segment based on Geography following are the bifurcation:

(₹ In Lakhs)

Particulars	For the year ended on March 31,		
raruculars	2024	2023	2022
Domestic	6,052.27	4,568.39	5,102.64
Export (including deemed export through SEZ)	76.44	377.80	-
Total	6,128.71	4,946.19	5,102.64

#### NEW PRODUCT OR BUSINESS SEGMENT



Except as disclosed in "Business Overview" on page 64, we have not announced and do not expect to announce in the near future any new products or business segments.

## SEASONALITY OF BUSINESS

Our Company's business is seasonal. However, the business of the company depends upon the Growth potential of the economy and growth of the country.

# SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPMENTS SINCE LAST BALANCE SHEET DATE

Except as disclosed above and in this Draft Letter of Offer, including under "Business Overview", "Risk Factors" and "Material Developments" on pages 64, 22 and 93 respectively, to our knowledge no circumstances have arisen since March 31, 2024, the date of the last financial information disclosed in this Draft Letter of Offer which materially and adversely affect or are likely to affect, our operations or profitability, or the value of our assets or our ability to pay our material liabilities within the next 12 months.



#### SECTION VIII - LEGAL AND OTHER INFORMATION

## **OUTSTANDING LITIGATIONS AND MATERIAL DEVELOPMENTS**

Our Company, our Directors and our Promoters are subject to various legal proceedings from time to time, mostly arising in the ordinary course of our business. Except as stated in this section, there are no: (i) criminal proceedings; (ii) actions by statutory or regulatory authorities; (iii) disciplinary action including penalty imposed by SEBI or stock exchanges in the last five financial years including outstanding action; (iv) claims relating to direct and indirect taxes; and (v) Material Litigation (as defined below); involving our Company, Directors or Promoters.

Our Board of Directors, in its meeting held on May 30, 2024 determined that outstanding litigation involving our Company, its directors, its promoters and group companies shall be considered material ("Material Litigation") if:

- a. The aggregate amount involved in such individual litigation exceeds 10% of profit after tax of the Company, as per the last audited financial statements for F.Y. 2023-24; or
- b. Where the decision in one litigation is likely to affect the decision in similar litigations, even though the amount involved in such single litigation individually may not exceed 10% of the profit after tax of the Company as per the last audited financial statements for F.Y. 2023-24, if similar litigations put together collectively exceed 10% of the profit after tax of the Company; or
- c. Litigations whose outcome could have a material impact on the business, operations, prospects or reputations of the Company and the Board or any of its committees shall have the power and authority to determine the suitable materiality thresholds for the subsequent financial years on the aforesaid basis or any other basis as may be determined by the Board or any of its committees.

Our Board of Directors, in its meeting held on May 30, 2024 determined that nature and extent of outstanding dues of the Company and the nature and extent of the business operations undertaken by the Company, the dues owed by the Company to the small-scale undertakings and other creditors exceeding 10% of the Company's trade payables for the financial statements as at March 31, 2024 shall be considered as material dues for the Company for the purpose of disclosure in Draft Letter of Offer. ("Material Dues").

Details of outstanding dues to creditors (including micro and small enterprises as defined under the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006) as required under the SEBI (ICDR) Regulations have been disclosed on our website at www.sikkoindia.com.

Our Company, its Directors and its Promoters are not Wilful Defaulters or fraudulent borrowers and there have been no violations of securities laws in the past or pending against them.

#### A. LITIGATION INVOLVING OUR COMPANY:

# **LITIGATION FILED AGAINST OUR COMPANY:**

(i). All criminal proceedings:

Nil

(ii). All actions by regulatory authorities and statutory authorities:

Nil

(iii). Claims related to direct and indirect taxes:

**Direct Tax:** 

#### **Income Tax:**

1. The Income Tax Department has issued the Demand Notice No. 2022202137133982933C dated 13/11/2022 demanding amount of ₹ 26.76 Lakh as part of income tax liability. However, the company has already paid an amount of ₹ 22.00 Lakhs on 29-10-2021 as part of its income tax liability. Further, the company has, in respect of



the same, submitted its response dated 03-12-2022 by way of 'disagreement with the demand raised' citing reasons for the same. The status of the case is awaited from the department.

## **Tax Deducted at Source (TDS):**

1. Following TDS demand is payable by the Company for the F.Y. 2010-11:

Financial Year	Quarter	Form Type	Net Payable (in Lakh)
2010-11	Q4	24Q	0.0026
2013-14	Q1	26Q	0.0001
2023-24	Q3	24Q	0.0011
		Total	0.0038

#### **Indirect Tax:**

#### Central Excise Act, 1944:

1. Assessment years 2011-12 to 2014-15: The Goods valued of ₹ 2,313.04 Lakh cleared by the Sikko Industries Limited (SIL) during the period 2011-12 to 2014-15 appeared to have been cleared without payment of appropriate central excise duty and therefore the goods are liable for confiscation under Rule 25(1) of the Central Excise Rules, 1944. In addition, the Company has contravened the provision of Section 6 of the Central Excise Act, 1944 and contravened the provision of Rule 4, 5, 6, 8 and 11of the Central Excise Rules, 2002. The Search was conducted by the Central Excise Department in which the benefit of Concessional rate of duty under Notification No. 01/2011-CE as amended dated March 1, 2012 Notification No. 12/2012 dated March 17, 2012 is denied to the Company. After giving Show Cause Notices and Personal Hearing to the Company, the Commissioner of Central Excise, Ahmedabad – II has made demand of Central Excise Duty of ₹ 169.60 Lakhs, interest of ₹ 6.01 Lakhs and Penalty of ₹ 84.80 Lakhs by order no. V.38/15-20/OA/2016 dated January 12, 2017 against the Show Cause Notice no. SCN. F.No. V38 /15-20/OA/2016/394 for which the Company has already paid Central Excise Duty of ₹ 242.74 Lakhs under Protest. However, the Company has filed appeal before Customs, Excise & Service Tax Appellate Tribunal and the same is pending.

#### (iv). Other Matters based on Materiality Policy of our Company:

Nil

# **LITIGATION FILED BY OUR COMPANY:**

(i). All criminal proceedings:

The Company has initiated legal actions against total 146 various parties / individuals under the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 for recovery of dues amounting to total ₹ 359.96 Lakh. All 146 legal actions are pending at various stages. Since none of the individual legal action is considered as Material Litigations, the Company has not disclosed the same.

(ii). Other Matters based on Materiality Policy of our Company:

Nil

## **B. LITIGATION INVOLVING OUR PROMOTERS:**

## **LITIGATIONS AGINST OUR PROMOTERS:**

(i). All criminal proceedings:

Nil

(ii). All actions by regulatory authorities and statutory authorities:

Nil



	Disciplinary action including penalty imposed by SEBI or Stock Exchanges against the promoters in the last five financial years including outstanding action:
	Nil Claims related to direct and indirect taxes:
	Direct Tax:
	Nil
	Other Matters based on Materiality Policy of our Company:
	Nil
LIT	IGATION FILED BY OUR PROMOTERS:
(i).	All criminal proceedings:
	Nil
(ii).	Other Matters based on Materiality Policy of our Company:
	Nil
C.	LITIGATION INVOLVING OUR DIRECTORS (OTHER THAN PROMOTERS):
LIT	IGATION FILED AGAINST OUR DIRECTORS (OTHER THAN PROMOTERS):
(i).	All criminal proceedings:
	Nil
(ii).	All actions by regulatory authorities and statutory authorities:
	Nil
	Disciplinary action including penalty imposed by SEBI or Stock Exchanges against the promoters in the last five financial years including outstanding action:
	Nil
(iv).	Claims related to direct and indirect taxes:
	Direct Tax:
	Nil
	Other Matters based on Materiality Policy of our Company:
	Nil
LIT	IGATION FILED BY OUR DIRECTORS (OTHER THAN PROMOTERS):
(i).	All criminal proceedings:
	Nil
(ii).	Other Matters based on Materiality Policy of our Company:
	Nil



#### D. LITIGATION INVOLVING OUR GROUP COMPANIES:

## **LITIGATION FILED AGAINST OUR GROUP COMPANIES:**

(i). All criminal proceedings:

Nil

(ii). All actions by regulatory authorities and statutory authorities:

Nil

(iii). Disciplinary action including penalty imposed by SEBI or Stock Exchanges against the promoters in the last five financial years including outstanding action:

Nil

(iv). Claims related to direct and indirect taxes:

**Direct Tax:** 

Nil

Other Matters based on Materiality Policy of our Company:

Nil

## LITIGATION FILED BY OUR GROUP COMPANIES:

All criminal proceedings:

Nil

(i). Other Matters based on Materiality Policy of our Company:

Nil

# E. OUTSTANDINGS DUE TO MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES OR ANY OTHER CREDITORS:

In accordance with our Company's materiality policy dated May 30, 2024, below are the details of the Creditors where there are outstanding amounts as on March 31, 2024:

S No.	Particulars	Amount (₹ in Lakh)
1.	Material Creditors	
	Dues to Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises	-
	Dues to creditors other than MSME	76.86
2.	Non-Material Creditors	
	Dues to Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises	-
	Dues to creditors other than MSME	583.42
	Total	660.29

#### F. MATERIAL DEVELOPMENTS SINCE THE LAST BALANCE SHEET:

Except as mentioned under the chapter - "Management Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Result of Operation" on page 96 of this Draft Letter of Offer, there have been no material developments, since the date of the last audited balance sheet.



#### **GOVERNMENT APPROVALS**

We have received the necessary consents, licenses, permissions and approvals from the Government and various governmental agencies required for our present business (as applicable on date of this Letter of Offer) and except as mentioned below, no further approvals are required for carrying on our present business.

In view of the approvals listed below, we can undertake the Offer and our current/ proposed business activities and no further major approvals from any governmental or regulatory authority or any other entity are required to be undertaken in respect of the Offer or to continue our business activities. It must be distinctly understood that, in granting these approvals, the Government of India does not take any responsibility for our financial soundness or for the correctness of any of the statements made or opinions expressed in this behalf. Unless otherwise stated, these approvals are all valid as of the date of this Letter of Offer.

The main objects clause of the Memorandum of Association and objects incidental to the main objects enable our Company to carry out its activities. The following statement sets out the details of licenses, permissions and approvals taken by us under various central and state laws for carrying out our business.

#### A) APPROVALS FOR THE ISSUE

### **Corporate Approvals**

- 1. Our Board has pursuant to a resolution passed at its meeting dated on May 30, 2024, under Section 62(1)(a) of the Companies Act 2013, authorized the Issue of Right Equity Shares.
- 2. Our Company has obtained an In-principle approval from the NSE for listing our Equity Shares via right issue through the Letter dated [●].

# **B) INCORPORATION DETAILS**

- 1. Certificate of Incorporation dated February 8, 2000 under the name of "Sikko Sprayers Private Limited" allotting Corporate Identification Number "U51909GJ2000PTC037329" was issued by the Registrar of Companies, Gujarat, Dadra & Nagar Haveli.
- 2. Fresh Certificate of Incorporation dated March 16, 2010 under the name of "Sikko Sprayers Limited" allotting Corporate Identification Number "U51909GJ2000PLC037329" was issued by the Registrar of Companies, Gujarat, Dadra & Nagar Haveli up on conversion into public limited company.
- 3. Fresh Certificate of Incorporation dated March 17, 2010 under the name of "Sikko Industries Limited" allotting Corporate Identification Number "U51909GJ2000PLC037329" was issued by the Registrar of Companies, Gujarat, Dadra & Nagar Haveli pursuant to change of name of the Company.
- 4. The Corporate Identity Number (CIN) of the Company is U51909GJ2000PLC037329.

#### C) APPROVALS/ LICENSES IN RELATION TO THE BUSINESS OF OUR COMPANY

We require various approvals and/ or licenses under various rules and regulations to conduct our business. Some of the material approvals required by us to undertake our business activities are set out below:

Sr. No.	Issuing Authority	Registration/License No.	Nature of Registration/License	Date of Registration	Valid Up to
1.	Income Tax Department	AAGCS0629C	Permanent Account Number (PAN)	February 08, 2000	Perpetual
2.	Income Tax Department	AHMS05869D	Tax Account Number (TAN)	July 16, 2010	Perpetual
3.	Legal Entity Identifier India Limited	LEI No. 335800KKKUIISOIITJ07	Certificate of Registration for LEI	August 04, 2021	Valid up to August 04, 2025
4.	Government of India and	27AAGCS0629C1ZN	Certificate of Registration for GST	July 03, 2017	Perpetual



Sr. No.	Issuing Authority	Registration/License No.	Nature of Registration/License	Date of Registration	Valid Up to
	Government of Maharashtra		J	Ü	
5.	Government of India and Government of India Gujarat	24AAGCS0629C1ZT	Certificate of Registration for GST	July 01, 2017	Perpetual
6.	Government of India and Government of Madhya pradesh	23AAGCS0629C1ZV	Certificate of Registration for GST	July 01, 2017	Perpetual
7.	Government of India and Government of Odisha	21AAGCS0629C1ZZ	Certificate of Registration for GST	August 29, 2023	Perpetual
8.	Government of India and Government of West Bengal	19AAGCS0629C1ZK	Certificate of Registration for GST	June 01, 2018	Perpetual
9.	Government of India and Government of Rajasthan	08AAGCS0629C1ZN	Certificate of Registration for GST	July 01, 2017	Perpetual
10.	Government of India and Government of Himachal Pradesh	02AAGCS0629C1ZZ	Certificate of Registration for GST	May 15, 2024	Perpetual
11.	Government of India and Government of Uttarpradesh	09AAGCS0629C1ZL	Certificate of Registration for GST	July 01, 2017	Perpetual
12.	Government of India and Government of Chhatisgarh	22AAGCS0629C2ZW	Certificate of Registration for GST	July 14, 2023	Perpetual
13.	Government of India and Government of Bihar	10AAGCS0629C2Z1	Certificate of Registration for GST	February 27, 2023	Perpetual
14.	Employee Provident Fund Organization	Code No. GJ/AHD/57438	Employee Provident Fund code	October 01, 2011	Perpetual
15.	Ministry of Commerce and Industry	0803014261	Certificate of Importer- Exporter Code	March 26, 2004	Perpetual
16.	Government of India Udyog Aadhar Memorandum - Ministry of Micro, Small Medium Enterprise	UDYAM-GJ-01-0031659	Udyog Aadhar Number	December 14, 2020	Perpetual
17.	Factories Act, 1948 Dadra & Nagar Havelli, Silvassa	License No.: 2216 Registration No.: 324/24219/2008	License to work a factory (Pesticides Unit)	June 01, 2008	Valid Up to December 31, 2024



Sr. No.	Issuing Authority	Registration/License No.	Nature of Registration/License	Date of Registration	Valid Up to
18.	Licensing Authority and Deputy Director of Agriculture (Pesticide) Gujarat State, Gandhinagar	License No. 477 issued on November 10, 2003 – refer Table A provided below	License to manufacture the Insecticide(s) at premises situated at 55 A&B, Ambica Estate, Nr. Super ATTA, Nr. Ambica Weight Bridge, Sanand, Viramgam Highway, Iyara, Sanand, Dist. Ahmedabad	November 10, 2003	Perpetual
19.	Deputy Director of Agriculture (Ext), Ahmedabad Division, Ahmedabad, Gujarat	License No. 4	License to Sell, Stock, Exhibit for sales the Insecticide	January 01, 2016	Perpetual
20.	Deputy Director of Agriculture (Ext), Ahmedabad Division, Ahmedabad, Gujarat	License No. 2430	License to Carry on the Business of a Dealer In Seeds	April 10, 2012	Valid up to April 09, 2026
21.	Deputy Director of Agriculture (Ext), Ahmedabad Division, Ahmedabad, Gujarat	License No. 459	License to Sales All Type of Fertilizer	December 29, 2010	Valid up to December 27, 2024
22.	Gujarat Pollution Control Board	Consent Order No. AWH-73328 (CCA) Pesticides	Approval for the discharge of trade effluent & emission due to operation of industrial plant for manufacture of products	June 13, 2024	Valid up to March 31, 2029
23.	Gujarat Pollution Control Board	Consent Order No. CTE- 112274 (CTE) Pesticides	Approval for the discharge of trade effluent & emission due to operation of industrial plant for manufacture of products	February 06, 2021	Valid up to February 14, 2026
24.	Gujarat Pollution Control Board	Consent Order No. AWH-80702 (CCA) Fertilizer	Approval for the discharge of trade effluent & emission due to operation of industrial plant for manufacture of products	June 06, 2021	Valid up to March 31, 2026
25.	Gujarat Pollution Control Board	Consent Order No. AWH-80702 (CTE) Fertilizer	Approval for the discharge of trade effluent & emission due to operation of industrial plant for	June 06, 2021	Valid up to March 31, 2026



Sr. No.	Issuing Authority	Registration/License No.	Nature of Registration/License	Date of Registration	Valid Up to
			manufacture of products	8	
26.	Chemexcil	Registration Number CHEM/AHD/S-623/SSM- ME/P-II-18-19/1946	Export Import Basic Chemical Export Promotion Council	March 30, 2024	Valid up to March 31, 2025
27.	FIEO	Registration Number: AHD/1487/2021/2022	Export Import  Federation of indian Export organisations	March 30, 2024	Valid up to March 31, 2025
28.	Designated Officer Food and Drugs Control Administration, Ahmedabad Zone	License No. 10722999000795	Approval for Manufacturing, repacking, re-labeling of Wheat, Masur, Urd Whole, Moong Whole, Channa Dal, Split pulse Masur, Rice, Toor Dal, Cumin, Seasame 0.6.1 including whole selling and supplying of cereals and cereal products, derived from cereals grains, from roots and tubers, pulses, legumes (fresh pulses and legumes are covered in category 4.2) and pith or soft core of palm tree, excluding bakery wares of food category 07.0.	May 25, 2022	Valid up to May 24, 2027
29.	Director of Agriculture Gujarat State, Gandhinagar	No.IQ/QC- 5/Export/661/102541- 2574/2021	Chelated Zinc as Zn- EDTA Chelated iron as Fe- EDTA	December 21, 2021	Valid up to December 31, 2024
30.	Director of Agriculture Gujarat State, Gandhinagar	No.IQ/QC-5/Ferti Prmt/661/91204-237/2023	100% Water Soluble Mixture of Fertiliser NPK 19-19-19 NPK 20-20-20 NPK 13-40-13 NPK 13-05-26 NPK 06-12-36 NPK 16-08-24 NPK 00-60-20 NPK 00-49-32	October 06, 2023	Valid up to September 30, 2026
31.	Director of Agriculture Gujarat State, Gandhinagar	No.IQ/QC-5/Fert Prmt/661/91238-271/2023	100% Water Soluble Mixture of Fertiliser Mono Ammonium Phosphate 12:61:00 Mono Potassium Phosphate 00:52:34 Calcium Nitrate Potassium Nitrate 13- 00-45	October 06, 2023	Valid up to September 30, 2026



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No.	Issuing Authority	Registration/License No.	Registration/License	Registration	Valid Up to
			Urea Phosphate 17- 44-00		
			Boronated Calcium		
			Nitrate		
			Potassium Sulphate		
22	D'acceptance of	N. 10/C 1	00-00-50		37:1:14
32.	Director of Agriculture	No.IQ/Seed- 2/Registration/830/81188-	Registration Of Research Variety /		Valid up to October 19,
	Gujarat State,	89/2021	Hybrid for		2025
	Gandhinagar		Supra-350	September 16,	
22	ADED A. Minister	D N. 20002	Gold-350	2021	37:1:1 4:
33.	APEDA, Ministry Of Commerce	Registration No 206982	Agricultural And Processed Food	January 13, 2021	Valid up to January 12,
	And Industry		Products Export	2021	2026
	Govt. Of India		Development		
2.4	26.		Authority	D 1 14	
34.	Ministry of Micro, Small and	Udyam Registration Number: UDYAM-GJ-01-0031659	MSME Udyog Aadhaar Registration	December 14, 2020	Perpetual
	Medium	CD TAIN GS OF OUSTOSS	Certificate Certificate	2020	
	Enterprises				
35.	Deputy Director	License No. 2832	License to sell, stock, exhibit for sale or	October 07, 2016	Perpetual
	of Agriculture, Madhya Pradesh,		distribute our	2016	
	Indore		pesticides as		
36.	Farmer Welfare	License No.	License to sale	January 01,	Valid up to
	And Agriculture Development,	SR.NO.PP-2/P.C./2024/415	pesticides In Madhya Pradesh	2023	October 02, 2024
	Madhya Pradesh,		Tradesir		202 .
	Bhopal				
37.	Gov. of Rajasthan Commissionerate	License No. 141/17	License to sale pesticides In	September 25, 2017	Perpetual
	Jaipur Rajasthan		Rajasthan	2017	
38.	Joint Director of	License No. 1147 (Fertilizer)	License to sale	October 14,	Valid up to
	Agriculture		Fertilizer In	2021	October 13,
	(Input) Jaipur, Rajasthan		Rajasthan		2026
39.	Joint Director of	License No. 310/Q020/	License to sale	May 22, 2023	Valid up to
	Agriculture (P.P)	Permission/2023-24	pesticides In Uttar	J , = ===	December
40	Lucknow UP		Pradesh		31, 2024
40.	Department of Agriculture UP	License No. PL/LKO/PPO/2111	License to sell, stock, exhibit for sale or	January 01, 2023	Valid up to December
	Officer of the PP	1 L/LKO/11 O/2111	distribute our	2023	31, 2024
	Lucknow		pesticides as		,
41	Govt. of West	I : Novel D10141	Linna T. C.11	Manala 12	Dawa atra 1
41.	Govt. of West Bengal Dept of	License Number: P10141	Licence To Sell, Stock Or Exhibit For	March 13, 2020	Perpetual
	Agriculture		Sale Or Distribute		
	office of the JDA		Insecticides		
	(PP&QC) West Bengal				
42.	Licensing	License Number :	License to sale	February 08,	Perpetual
	Authority and	LCID2023020015	pesticides In Pune	2023	
	Director of		Maharashtra		
	Agriculture (Input				
	Quality Control) Pune MH				
		I.	I.		



Sr. No.	Issuing Authority	Registration/License No.	Nature of Registration/License	Date of Registration	Valid Up to
43.	Regional Provident Fund Commissioner Incharge, Sub- Regional Office, Ahmedabad	Code No. GJ/AHD/57438	Registration with Regional Provident Fund Office for Depositing the Contribution and Subscription of the employees.	October 01, 2011	Valid, till Cancelled
44.	Employees State Insurance Corporation, Ashram Road, Ahmedabad	Code: 37001049580000301	Insurance for Employee – Fertilizer Unit	July 10, 2014	Valid, till Cancelled
45.	Officer of Professional Tax, Ahmedabad	PT No. PRC010728000024	Professional Tax Number	-	Valid, till Cancelled
46.	Gujarat Chamber of Commerce & Industry – Gujarat Vepari Mahamandal	Membership No.: 32356	Membership in Gujarat Chamber of Commerce & Industry – Gujarat Vepari Mahamandal	February 06, 2023	Valid up to March 31, 2026

# TABEL A

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Sr. No.	Particulars of the insecticide [+ % of W/W AI + Type]	Registration No	Date of grant of License	Validity of License	Remarks
1.	2-4-D Amine Salt-58% S.L.	CIR-60,826/2008-2,4-D, Amine Salt(SL)(292)-1269	19.09.2008	Permanent	Hotsik
2.	2-4-D, Ethyl Ester-38% EC	CIR-57,115/2007-2-4-D Ethyl Ester(EC)(275)-1200	01.06.2007	Permanent	Sikko 2-4-D
3.	2,4-D Ethyl Ester-20% WP	CIR-136134/2016-2,4-D ETHYL ESTER (WP) (354)-444	05.12.2018	Permanent	2-4-D-20
4.	Acephate-75% SP	CIR-38,283(219)/2002/ Acephate(SP)-848	23.05.2002	Permanent	Sikthen
5.	Acephate-95% SG (w/w)	CIR 149490/2018-Acephate (SG) (386)-988	15.03.2018	Permanent	Sikphate-95
6.	Acephate-50% +Imida- 1.8% SP	CIR-104360/2013- Acephate +Imida- (SP)(335)-1	29.01.2013	Permanent	Anchor Gold
7.	Acetamiprid-20% SP	CIR-49,025/2004- Acetamiprid(SP)(246) –197	12.10.2004	Permanent	Sikpride
8.	Alphacypermethrin- 10% EC	CIR-38,168/(219)/2002- Alphacypermethrin(EC)-38	28.06.2002	Permanent	Alphasik
9.	Alphacypermethrin- 10% SC	CIR-149488/2018- Alphacypermethrin (SC) (386)- 256	15.03.2018	Permanent	Alpha-10
10.	Alphacypermethrin-5% WP	CIR-149487/2018- Alphacypermethrin (WP) (386)- 1007	15.03.2018	Permanent	Alpha-5
11.	Ammonium Salt Glyphosate-71% SG	CIR-136325/2017-Ammonium Salt of Glyphosate (SG) (372)- 729	01.02.2017	Permanent	Gatur – 71
12.	Altrazine-50% WP	CIR-58,533/2007- Altrazine(WP)(282)-412	23.11.2007	Permanent	Atrasik
13.	Bifenthrin-10% EC	CIR-64,608/2010-Bifethrin(EC) (310)-92	08.09.2010	Permanent	Bifensik



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14.	Buprofenzin-25% SC	CIR-103984/2013-Buprofezin (SC)(334)-1	02.01.2013	Permanent	Buprosik
15.	Bifenthrin-8% SC	CIR-139145/2017-Bifenthrin (SC) (375)-564	05.12.2018	Permanent	Bifen-8
16.	Bifenthrin-2.5% EC	CIR-149729/2018-Bifenthrin (EC) (379)-819	17.03.2018	Permanent	Bifen-2.5
17.	Carbendazim-50% WP	CIR-145808/2018-Carbendazim (WP) (380)-966	17.02.2018	Permanent	Sikstin
18.	Carbendazim-46.27 % SC	CIR-145811/2018-Carbendazim (SC) (380)-967	17.02.2018	Permanent	Carbensik
19.	Carbendazim-5% GR	CIR-149482/2018-Carbendazim (GR) (386)-1066	15.03.2018	Permanent	Carbenda
20.	Carbendazim-1.92% + Mancozeb-10.08% GR	CIR-149493/2018-Carbendazim + Mancozeb (GR)(386)-1067	15.03.2018	Permanent	Carzeb-Gr
21.	Carbendazim- 12%+Mancozeb-63% WP	CIR-103986/2013- Carbendazim+Mancozeb(WP)(3 34)-1	02.01.2013	Permanent	Combosik
22.	Carbendazim-25% + Mancozeb-50% WS	CIR-152043/2018- CARBENDAZIM + MANCOZEB (WS) (389)-1132	05.12.2018	Permanent	Carmasik
23.	Carbosulfan-25% EC	CIR-47,677/2004- Carbosulfan(EC)(242)-89	04.03.2004	Permanent	Carbosik
24.	Cartap Hydrochloride- 4% GR	CIR-56,074/2007-Cartap Hydrochloride (GR)(272)-808	12.02.2007	Permanent	Sikcart
25.	Cartap Hydrochloride- 50% SP	CIR-60,827/2008-Cartap Hydrochloride(SP)(292)-918	19.09.2008	Permanent	Cartsik
26.	Cartap Hydrocholride- 75% SG	CIR-150526/2018-Cartap Hydrochloride (SG) (387)-864	13.04.2018	Permanent	Cartap-75
27.	Chlorpyrifos-50% EC	CIR-103985/2013-Chlorpyrifos (EC)(334)-1	02.01.2013	Permanent	Chlorsik
28.	Chlorpyrifos-16% + Alphacypermethrin-1% EC	CIR-149484/2018-Chlorpyrifos + Alphacypermethrin (EC) (386)-602	15.03.2018	Permanent	Chlothrin
29.	Chlorpyriphos-20% EC	CIR-38,166/2002(219)/ Chlorpyriphos(EC)-2277	18.06.2002	Permanent	Sikkoban
30.	Chlorpyriphos-10% GR	CIR-150522/2018- Chlorpyriphos (GR) (387)-622	13.04.2018	Permanent	Bansik-Gr
31.	Chlorpyriphos-1.5% DP	CIR-149486/2018- Chlorpyriphos (DP) (386)-1151	15.03.2018	Permanent	Chloro-Dp
32.	Chloropyriphos-50% + Cypermethrin-5% EC	CIR-38,295 (219) / 202- Chloropyriphos + Cypermethrin (EC)-2287	18.06.2002	Permanent	Lenocet
33.	Clodinafop Propagyl- 9% + Metribuzin-20% WP	CIR-150525/2018-Clodinafop Propagyl +Metribuzin (WP) (387)-90	13.04.2018	Permanent	Clom-920
34.	Copper Oxychloride- 50% WG	CIR-154768/2018-Copper Oxychloride (WG)(391)-314	05.12.2018	Permanent	Blue-Dg
35.	Copper Oxy Chloride- 56% OP	CIR-152118/2018-Copper Oxy Chloride (OP) (389)-297	05.12.2018	Permanent	Moxride
36.	Copper Oxychloride- 50% WP	CIR-56,078/2007-Copper Oxychloride (WP)(272)-958	12.02.2007	Permanent	Bluesik
37.	Cypermethrin-25% EC	CIR-38,246/(219)/2002- Cypermethrin(EC)-1747	23.05.2002	Permanent	Sikkorin-25
38.	Cypermethrin-0.1% aqueous	CIR-149485/2018-Cypermethrin (aqueous) (386)-1006	15.030202	Permanent	Cyper-Aqua



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39.	Cypermethrin-0.25% DP	CIR-149481/2018-Cypermethrin (DP) (386)-1004	15.03.2018	Permanent	Sikkorin-Dp
40.	Cypermethrin-3% Smoke Generator	CIR-149518/2018-Cypermethrin (Smoke Generator) (386)-1008	15.030202	Permanent	Smosik
41.	Cypermethrin-10% EC	CIR-149483/2018-Cypermethrin (EC) (386)-1005	15.03.2018	Permanent	Sikkorin-10
42.	Deltamethrin-11% EC	CIR-122072/2015-Deltamethrin (EC)(352)-288	19.03.2015	Permanent	Deltasik
43.	Diafenthiuron-50% WP	CIR-104367/2013- Diafenthiuron (WP)(335)-1	30.01.2013	Permanent	Olasik
44.	Diafenthiuron-47.8% w/w SC	CIR-159007/2019- Diafenthiuron (SC) (395)-483	24.02.2019	Permanent	Olo-Sc
45.	Dicofol-18.5% EC	CIR-47,638/2004- Dicofol(EC)(242) –481	03.03.2004	Permanent	Sikkofol
46.	Emamectin Benzoate- 1.9% EC	CIR-138208/2017-Emamectin Benzoate (EC) (374)-359	20.05.2017	Permanent	Khanjar Plus
47.	Emamectin Benzoate- 5% SG	CIR-101409/2012- Emamectin Benzoate (SG)(325)-1	13.02.2012	Permanent	O–Claim
48.	Emamactin Benzoate- 1.5% + Fipronil-3.5% SC	CIR-159011/2019-Emamectin Benzoate + Fipronil (SC) (395)- 1049	24.02.2019	Permanent	Femasik
49.	Ethephon-39% SL	CIR-103987/2013-Ethephon (SL)(334)-1	02.01.2013	Permanent	Ethesik
50.	Ethion-50% EC	CIR-60,829/2008- Ethion(EC)(292)-918	19.09.2008	Permanent	Sikmite
51.	Fenvalerate-0.4% DP	CIR-38257/(219) 2002- Fenvalerate(DP)-687	18.06.2002	Permanent	Sikkofen-Dp
52.	Fenvalerate-20% EC	CIR-38,284/(219)/2002- Fenvalerate(EC)-1689	24.05.2002	Permanent	Sikkofen
53.	Fipronil-0.3% GR	CIR-104361/2013- Fipronil (GR)(335)-1	29.01.2013	Permanent	Mundamar
54.	Fipronil-5% SC	CIR-61,764/2009- Fipronil(SC)(296)-290	16.03.2009	Permanent	Siknil
55.	Fipronil-80% WG	CIR-141313/2017-Fipronil (WG) (377)-1193	05.11.2017	Permanent	Fightsik
56.	Fipronil-2.92% w/w EC	CIR-149489/2018-Fipronil (EC) (386)-1708	15.03.2018	Permanent	Fipro-2.92
57.	Fipronil-40% + Imidacloprid-40% WG	CIR-141314/2017-Fipronil + Imidacloprid (WG)	05.11.2017	Permanent	Congo
58.	Flubendiamide-39.35% m/m SC	CIR-122226/2015- Flubendiamide (SC)( 352)-76	19.03.2015	Permanent	Flubensik
59.	Gibberellic Acid- 0.001% L	CIR-149494/2018-Gibberellic Acid (L) (386)-544	15.03.2018	Permanent	Gibrasik
60.	Gibberellic acid- 0.186% SP	CIR-149495/2018-Gibberellic acid (SP) (386)-545	15.03.2018	Permanent	Gibro
61.	Glyphosate-41% SL	CIR-56,077/2007-Glyphosate (SL)(272)-383	12.02.2007	Permanent	Glysik
62.	Hexaconazole-5% EC	CIR-56,075/2007-Hexaconazole (EC) (272)-413	12.02.2007	Permanent	Hexasik
63.	Hexaconazole 5% SC	CIR-62,392/2009-Hexaconazole 5%(SC)(298)-566	21.05.2009	Permanent	Sikkotaf
64.	Hexaconazole-2% SC	CIR-150523/2018- Hexaconazole (SC) (387)-964	13.04.2018	Permanent	Hexa-2
65.	Hexaconazole-75% WG	CIR-150527/2018- Hexaconazole (WG) (387)-965	13.04.2018	Permanent	Taf-75



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66.	Imazethapyr-10% SL	CIR-54,640/2006-Imazethapyr (SL)(266)-18	30.08.2006	Permanent	Imizasik
67.	Imidacloprid-17.8% SL	CIR-47,637/2004-Imidaclorprid (SL)(242)-598	03.03.2004	Permanent	Sikkomida
68.	Imidacloprid-30.5% SC	CIR-102242/2012-Imidacloprid (SC)(329)-3	30.06.2012	Permanent	Midasik
69.	Imidachlopride-70% WS	CIR-57,114/2007- Imidachlopride(WS)(275)-1095	01.06.2006	Permanent	Mida Powar
70.	Imidacloprid-70% WG	CIR-145810/2018-Imidacloprid (WG) (380)-1835	17.02.2018	Permanent	Midaton
71.	Imidacloprid-2.15% Gel	CIR-151095/2018-Imidacloprid (Gel) (388)-2078	05.12.2018	Permanent	Mida-Gel
72.	Imidacloprid-48% FS	CIR-151094/2018-Imidacloprid (FS) (388)-2077	05.12.2018	Permanent	Mida-Fs
73.	Imidacloprid-18.5% + Hexaconazole-1.5% FS for indi. Manufacture	CIR-150528/2018-Imidacloprid + Hexaconazole (FS) (387)-2055	13.04.2018	Permanent	Hemisik
74.	Indoxacarb-14.5% SC	CIR-64,609/2010-Indoxacarb (SC)(310)-377	08.09.2010	Permanent	Sikkovant
75.	Isoprothiolane-40 % EC	CIR-145809/2018- Isoprothiolane (EC) (380)-76	17.02.2018	Permanent	Isosik
76.	Lambdacyhalothrin-5% EC	CIR-52,135/2005- Lambdacyhalothrin(EC)(257)- 411	23.12.2005	Permanent	Lemsik
77.	Lambda-cyhalothrin- 4.9% CS	CIR-149730/2018-Lambda- cyhalothrin (Capsule Suspension) (379)-913	17.03.2018	Permanent	Lacycap
78.	Lime Sulphur-22% SC	CIR-43,480/2003-Lime Sulphur(S.C.)(230)-1065	11.03.2003	Permanent	Sulpho
79.	Malathion-50% EC	CIR-64,607/2010-Melasik (EC) (310)-2562	08.09.2010	Permanent	Malasik
80.	Mencozeb-75% WP	CIR-50,969/2005-Mencozeb (WP)(246)-922	30.07.2005	Permanent	Sikkozeb
81.	Metalaxyl-35% WS	CIR-149732/2018-Metalaxyl (WS) (379)-452	17.03.2018	Permanent	Metasik
82.	Metalaxyl-8% + Mancozeb-64% WP	CIR-53,234/2006-Metalaxyl + Mancozeb (WP)(262)-372	18.05.2006	Permanent	Memsik
83.	Metribuzin-70% WP	CIR-103983/2013-Metribuzin (WP)(334)-1	02.01.2013	Permanent	Metrisik
84.	Metribuzin-42% + Clodinafop propagyl- 12% WG for indi. Mfg	CIR-150524/2018-Metribuzin + Clodinafop propagyl (WG) (387)-372	13.04.2018	Permanent	Clometri
85.	Metsulfuron Methyl- 20% WP	CIR-53,189/2006-Metsulfuron Methyl(WP)(262)-99	17.05.2006	Permanent	Sikgrip
86.	Monocrotophos-36% SL	CIR-38115(219)/2002/ Monocrotophos(SL)-1528	24.05.2002	Permanent	Sikkocil
87.	Neem Oil Based-EC containing Azadirachtin-0.03% (300PPM)	CIR-103988/2013-Neem Oil Based-EC (containing Azadirachtin) (334)-1	02.01.2013	Permanent	Azasik
88.	Neem Seed Kernal Based EC Containing Azadirachtin-1% EC (10000ppm Mim.)	CIR-54,638/2006-Azadirachtin (EC)(266)-967	30.08.2006	Permanent	Neemsik



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89.	Oxyfluorfen-23.5% EC	CIR-104369/2013- Oxyfluorfen- 23.5% (EC)(335)-1	30.01.2013	Permanent	Oxysik
90.	Paraquate Dichlorite- 24% SL	CIR-56,076/2007-Paraquate Dichloride(SL)(272)-195	12.02.2007	Permanent	Parasik
91.	Pendimethalin-30% EC	CIR-43,577/2003-Pendimethalin (E.C)(230)-132	13.03.2003	Permanent	Pendisik
92.	Pendimethalin-38.7% CS	CIR-135931/2016- Pendimethalin (CS) (370)-435	05.12.2018	Permanent	Pensik
93.	Pendimethalin-30% + Imazethapyr-2% EC	CIR-141694/2017- Pendimethalin + Imazethapyr(EC) (377)-595	08.11.2017	Permanent	Penthasik
94.	Permethrin-25% EC	CIR-122227/2015 Permethrin (EC)(352)-72	19.03.2015	Permanent	Benesik
95.	Pretilachlor-30.7% EC	CIR-149607/2018-Pretilachlor (EC) (386)-692	15.03.2018	Permanent	Preclo
96.	Pretilachlor-50% EC	CIR-149608/2018-Pretilachlor (EC) (386)-693	15.03.2018	Permanent	Pretilasik
97.	Pretilachlor-37% w/w EW	CIR-149606/2018-Pretilachlor (EW) (386)-691	15.03.2018	Permanent	Prelor
98.	Profenophos-40% + Cypermethrin-4% EC	CIR-60,830/2008-Profenophose +Cypermethrin (EC)(292)-871	19.09.2008	Permanent	Cyprosik
99.	Profenophos-50% EC	CIR-53,185/2006-Profenophos [EC)(262)-668	17.05.2006	Permanent	Prosik
100.	Propargite-57% EC	CIR-61,765/2009- Propargite(EC)(296)-56	16.03.2009	Permanent	Mitesik
101.	Propiconazole-25% EC	CIR-159008/2019- Propiconazole (EC) (395)-648	24.02.2019	Permanent	Propisik
102.	Quinalphos-1.5% DP	CIR-38,169/(219)/2002/ Quinalphos(DP)-1388	18.06.2002	Permanent	Sikquin-Dp
103.	Quinalphos-25% EC	CIR-38,179(219)/2002/ Quinalphos (EC)-1389	18.06.2002	Permanent	Sikquin
104.	Spinosad-45% SC	CIR-52,121/2005-Spinosad(SC) (257)-240	23.12.2005	Permanent	Sinosik
105.	Sulfosulfuron-75% WG	CIR-103982/2013-Sulfosulfuron (WG)(334)-2	02.01.2013	Permanent	Furosik
106.	Sulphur-80 % WP	CIR-39197/2002-Sulphur (W.P)-902	26.04.2002	Permanent	Siksulf
107.	Sulphur-40% SC	CIR-149498/2018-Sulphur (SC) (386)-986	15.03.2018	Permanent	Sulpho-Sc
108.	Sulphur-55.16% SC	CIR-149500/2018-Sulphur (SC) (386)-987	15.03.2018	Permanent	Sulf Power
109.	Sulphur-80% WDG	CIR-149503/2018-Sulphur (WDG) (386)-988	15.03.2018	Permanent	Sulsik
110.	Thimethoxam-25% WG	CIR-54,639/2006-Thimethoxam (WG)(266)-223	30.08.2006	Permanent	Siktara
111.	Thiamethoxam-30% FS	CIR-149731/2018- Thiamethoxam (FS) (379)-1261	17.03.2018	Permanent	Sikthim
112.	Thiamethoxam-12.6% +Lambda-Cyhalothrin- 9.5% ZC for indi.mfg	CIR-149688/2018- Thiamethoxam + Lambda- Cyhalothrin (ZC) (379)-1258	17.03.2018	Permanent	Thailem
113.	Thiophanate Methyl-70% WP	CIR-54,637/2006-Thiphanate Methyl (WP)(266)-176	30.08.2006	Permanent	Topsik
114.	Thirum-75% WS	CIR-47,639/2004- Thirum(WS)(242)-328	03.03.2004	Permanent	Sikthirum



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115.	Triacontanol-0.05% EC	CIR-65,539/2011-Triacontanol (EC)(314)-561	08.03.2011	Permanent	Siculan
116.	Tricyclozole-70% WG	CIR-145807/2018- TRICYCLAZOLE (WG) (380)- 395	17.02.2018	Permanent	Tricosik
117.	Tricyclazole-75% WP	CIR-139148/2017-Tricyclazole (WP) (375)-323	05.12.2018	Permanent	Sikkozole
118.	Tricyclozole- 18%+Mancozeb-62% WP	CIR-104368/2013-Tricyclozole- 18% +Mancozeb (WP)(335)-1	30.01.2013	Permanent	Trimasik
119.	Validamycin-3% L	CIR-140482/2017-Validamycin (L) (375)-216	12.07.2017	Permanent	Validasik
120.	Acetamiprid 1.1% + Cypermethrin 5.5% W/W EC	Cir-164048/2019-Acetamiprid + Cypermethrin (Ec) (399)-676	10.5.2019	Permanent	Aceper
121.	Buprofezin 22% + Fipronil 3% SC	Cir-164049/2019-Buprofezin + Fipronil (Sc) (399)-1014	10.5.2019	Permanent	Bufisik
122.	Emamectin Benzoate 3.0% + Thiamethoxam 12.0% WG	Cir-165321/2019-Emamectin Benzoate + Thiamethoxam (Wg) (402)-1368	29.5.2019	Permanent	Benzomax
123.	Tebuconazole 6.7% + Captan 26.9% W/W SC	Cir-164170/2019-Tebuconazole + Captan (Sc) (399)-1049	10.5.2019	Permanent	Tebcap
124.	Diafenthiuron 40.1% + Acetamiprid 3.9% WP	Cir-165952/2019-Diafenthiuron + Acetamiprid (Wp) (402)-615	30.5.2019	Permanent	Dicet
125.	Azoxystrobin 11% + Tebuconazole 18.3% W/W SC	CIR-168493/2020-Azoxystrobin + Tebuconazole (SC) (411)-746	20.3.2020	Permanent	Azoteb
126.	Azoxystrobin 12.5% + Tebuconazole 12.5% SC For Indigenous Manufacture	CIR-168494/2020-Azoxystrobin + Tebuconazole (SC) (411)-747	20.3.2020	Permanent	Tebuzo
127.	Azoxystrobin 18.2% W/W + Difenoconazole 11.4% W/W SC For Indigenous Manufacture	CIR-168501/2020-Azoxystrobin + Difenoconazole (SC) (411)-749	20.3.2020	Permanent	Azodi
128.	Azoxystrobin 23% SC For Indigenous Manufacture	CIR-168495/2020-Azoxystrobin (SC) (411)-748	20.3.2020	Permanent	Azobin
129.	Difenoconazole 25% EC	CIR-168497/2020- Difenoconazole (EC) (411)-305	20.3.2020	Permanent	Disosik
130.	Propiconazole 13.9% W/W + Difenoconazole 13.9% W/W EC	CIR-168496/2020-Propiconazole + Difenoconazole (EC) (411)-771	20.3.2020	Permanent	Prodi
131.	Tebuconazole 25% WG	CIR-168500/2020- Tebuconazole (WG) (411)-1190	20.3.2020	Permanent	Tebu-25
132.	Tebuconazole 10% + Sulphur 65% WG	Cir-168498/2020-Tebuconazole + Sulphur (Wg) (411)-1189	20.3.2020	Permanent	Tebusik
133.	Azoxystrobin 7.1% + Propiconazole 11.9 % W/W SE	Cir-172564/2020-Azoxystrobin +Propiconazole (Se) (418)-940	23.7.2020	Permanent	Azopro



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134.	Tebuconazole 25.9% EC	CIR-172563/2020- Tebuconazole (EC) (418)-1331	23.7.2020	Permanent	Tebu Plus
135.	Zinc Phosphide 1% Bait	Cir-173140/2020-Zinc Phosphide (Bait) (399)-169	10.08.2020	Permanent	Ratgo
136.	Zinc Phosphide 2% RB	CIR-173139/2020-Zinc Phosphide (RB) (399)-168	10.08.2020	Permanent	Ratsik
137.	Zinc Phosphide 80% W/W	Cir-173138/2020-Zinc Phosphide (399)-167	10.08.2020	Permanent	Ratfire
138.	Aluminium Phosphide 6% Tablet	Cir-173141/2020-Aluminium Phosphide (Tablet)(399)-84	10.08.2020	Permanent	Sikphos
139.	Aluminium Phosphide 15 % Tablet	CIR-173144/2020-Aluminium Phosphide (Tablet)(399)-87	10.08.2020	Permanent	Sikphos
140.	Aluminium Phosphide 56% (F) Tablet	CIR-173143/2020-Aluminium Phosphide (Tablet)(399)-86	10.08.2020	Permanent	Sikphos
141.	Aluminium Phosphide 77.5% Gr	Cir-173142/2020-Aluminium Phosphide (Gr)(399)-85	10.08.2020	Permanent	Sikphos
142.	Neem Seed Kernel Based Ec Containing Azadirachtin 0.15% EC (1500 Ppm) Min	Cir-176188/2021-Neem Seed Kernel Based Ec (Containing Azadirachtin) (424)-1832	09.02.2021	Permanent	Neemtej
143.	Carbofuran 3% CG	Cir-176187/2021-Carbofuran (Cg) (424)-345	09.02.2021	Permanent	Sikfuran-3g
144.	Fenobucarb (B.P.M.C) 50% EC	Cir-176191/2021-Fenobucarb (B.P.M.C) (Ec) (424)-196	09.02.2021	Permanent	Fenosik
145.	Fipronil 0.05% Gel	Cir-176190/2021-Fipronil (Gel) (424)-3489	09.02.2021	Permanent	Cocrosik
146.	Triacontanol Gr 0.05% Min.	Cir-176189/2021-Triacontanol (Gr) (424)-516	09.02.2021	Permanent	Vasool
147.	Azoxystrobin 16.7 % + Tricyclazole 33.3% SC	Cir-183171/2021-Azoxystrobin +Tricyclazole (Sc) (428)-1487	08.07.2021	Permanent	Azozole
148.	Paclobutrazole 23% SC	CIR-185560/2021- Paclobutrazole (SC) (425)-42	27.07.2021	Permanent	Cutstar
149.	Paclobutrazole 40% SC	Cir-177946/2021-Paclobutrazole (Sc) (425)-8	20.04.2021	Permanent	Cutstar Plus
150.	Imidacloprid 0.3% GR	CIR-191341/2021-Imidacloprid (GR) (430)-3904	20.09.2021	Permanent	Mida-Gr
151.	Sulphur 85% DP	CIR-191342/2021-Sulphur (DP) (430)-2308	20.09.2021	Permanent	Sikksulphar- Dp
152.	Fenpyroximate 5% EC	CIR-219556/2022- Fenpyroximate (EC) (442)-101	10.12.2022	Permanent	Redomite
153.	Chlorantraniliprole 9.3% + Lambdacyhalothrin 4.6% ZC	Cir-219430/2022- Chlorantraniliprole +Lambdacyhalothrin (Zc) (442)- 31	10.12.2022	Permanent	Salami
154.	Chlorantraniliprole 18.5% W/W SC	CIR-219532/2022- Chlorantraniliprole (SC) (442)- 220	10.12.2022	Permanent	Corasik
155.	Chlorantraniliprole 8.8% + Thiamethoxam 17.5% SC	Cir-219414/2022- Chlorantraniliprole +Thiamethoxam (Sc) (442)-30	10.12.2022	Permanent	Volisik
156.	Alpha Napthyl Acetic Acid 4.5% SL	Cir-219404/2022-Alpha Napthyl Acetic Acid(Sl) (442)-33	10.12.2022	Permanent	Growsik



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157.	Pyriproxyfen 10% EC	CIR-192423/2021-Pyriproxyfen (EC) (431)-443	27.09.2021	Permanent	Pyrisik
158.	Pyriproxyfen 0.5% GR	CIR-192424/2021-Pyriproxyfen (GR) (431)-444	27.09.2021	Permanent	Pyrisik-GR
159.	Bromadiolone 0.005% RB	CIR-228783/2022- Bromadiolone (RB) (442)-62	11.12.2022	Permanent	Rate Cake
160.	D - Trans Allethrin 0.25% Aerosol	Cir-228774/2022-D - Trans Allethrin (Aerosol) (442)-43	11.12.2022	Permanent	Kill – Kill
161.	Chlorantraniliprole 4.3% W/W + Abamectin 1.7% W/W SC	Cir-247997/2023- Chlorantraniliprole + Abamectin (Sc) (442)-105	21.01.2023	Permanent	Abacor
162.	Diafenthiuron 30% + Pyriproxyfen 8% SE	Cir-248091/2023-Diafenthiuron + Pyriproxyfen (Se) (442)-80	21.01.2023	Permanent	Diapy
163.	Dinotefuran 4% + Acephate 50% SG	Cir-248093/2023-Dinotefuran + Acephate (Sg) (442)-57	21.01.2023	Permanent	Dinophate
164.	Dinotefuran 15% + Pymetrozine 45% WG	Cir-248097/2023-Dinotefuran + Pymetrozine (Wg) (442)- 129	21.01.2023	Permanent	Dinozine
165.	Fenpyroximate 5% SC	CIR-248100/2023- Fenpyroximate (SC) (442)-101	21.01.2023	Permanent	Mitemate
166.	Kasugamycin 3% SL	CIR-248115/2023-Kasugamycin (SL) (442)-165	21.01.2023	Permanent	Kasusik
167.	Lufenuron 5.4% EC	CIR-248122/2023-Lufenuron (EC) (442)-131	21.01.2023	Permanent	Lufesik
168.	Metalaxyl-M 3.3% + Chlorothalonil 33.1% SC	Cir-248136/2023-Metalaxyl-M + Chlorothalonil (Sc) (442)-48	21.01.2023	Permanent	Metacor
169.	Novaluran 5.25% + Emamectin Benzoate 0.9% W/W SC	Cir-248157/2023-Novaluran + Emamectin Benzoate (Sc) (442)- 261	21.01.2023	Permanent	Emanov
170.	Propargite 50% + Bifenthrin 5% SE	Cir-248163/2023-Propargite + Bifenthrin (Se) (442)-54	21.01.2023	Permanent	Probisik
171.	Azoxystrobin 4.8% W/W + Chlorothalonil40.0% W/W SC	Cir-252102/2023-Azoxystrobin +Chlorothalonil (Sc) (443)-169	04.02.2023	Permanent	Azoclo
172.	Cymoxanil 8% + Mancozeb 64% WP	Cir-252087/2023-Cymoxanil + Mancozeb (Wp) (443)-286	04.02.2023	Permanent	Cymasik
173.	Pendimethalin 5% Granules	Cir-256470/2023-Pendimethalin (Granules) (443)-166	04.02.2023	Permanent	Pendi-Gr
174.	Azoxystrobin 11.5% + Mancozeb 30% W/W WP	Cir-168564/2020-Azoxystrobin + Mancozeb(Wp) (411)-751	23.03.2020	Permanent	Mazosik
175.	Difenoconazole 3% WS	Cir-168499/2020- Difenoconazole (Ws) (411)-306	20.03.2020	Permanent	Difen-Ws
176.	Fenpropathrin 10% EC	Cir-157115/2018-Fenpropathrin (Ec) (393)-90	13.10.2018	Permanent	Fenpro-10
177.	Fenpropathrin 30 % EC	Cir-157116/2018-Fenpropathrin (Ec) (393)-91	13.10.2018	Permanent	Fenpro-30
178.	Clothianidin 50°/o WG	CIR-284813/2023-Clothianidin (WG) (445)-80	22.03.2023	Permanent	Dentosik
179.	Chlorantraniliprole 0.4% WW GR	Cir-311628/2023- Chlorantraniliprole (Gr)(446)- 688	01.05.2023	Permanent	Fertrasik



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180.	Abamectin 1.9% EC	Cir-322314/2023-Abamectin (Ec) (446)-719	01.05.2023	Permanent	Abasik
181.	Tolfenpyrad 15%EC	CIR-332972/2023-Tolfenpyrad (EC) (447)-391	25.06.2023	Permanent	Tolfensik

# D) RENEWALS FOR APPROVALS/ LICENSES APPIED FOR:

Sr. No.	Issuing Authority	Nature of Registration/License	Date of Application	Present Status
1.	Director of Agriculture Gujarat State, Gandhinagar	No.IQ/QC-5/Export/m-39/44261- 295/2021	June 26, 2024	Applied for renewal
2.	Director of Agriculture Gujarat State, Gandhinagar	No.IQ/QC-5/Ferti.Prmt 661/69411- 444/2021	July 12, 2024	Applied for renewal
3.	Director of Agriculture Gujarat State, Gandhinagar	No.IQ/QC-5/Ferti.Prmt 661/77061- 094/2023	July 12, 2024	Applied for renewal
4.	Director of Agriculture Gujarat State, Gandhinagar	No.IQ/QC-5/Ferti.Prmt/B- 129/71543-576/2020	July 12, 2024	Applied for renewal
5.	Director of Agriculture Gujarat State, Gandhinagar	No.IQ/QC-5/Ferti.Prmt/661/77024- 060/2023	July 12, 2024	Applied for renewal
6.	Director of Agriculture Gujarat State, Gandhinagar	No.IQ/QC-5/Export/661/69445- 478/2021	June 26, 2024	Applied for renewal
7.	Director of Agriculture Gujarat State, Gandhinagar	No.IQ/QC-5/Export/661/76993-77026/2023	July 12, 2024	Applied for renewal
8.	Director of Agriculture Gujarat State, Gandhinagar	No.IQ/QC-5/Ferti.Prmt/663/85171- 204/2021	August 23, 2024	Applied for renewal



## SECTION IX - OTHER REGULATORY AND STATUTORY DISCLOSURES

## **AUTHORITY FOR THIS ISSUE**

This Issue has been authorized by the resolution passed by our Board at its meeting held on May 30, 2024 pursuant to Section 62 (1) (a) of the Companies Act, 2013 and other applicable provisions.

The Board of Directors have approved the Record Date for the Issue at its meeting held on  $[\bullet]$  and this Letter of Offer at its meeting held on  $[\bullet]$ .

Our Board, in its meeting held on [•], has resolved to issue [•] Equity Shares to the Eligible Equity Shareholders, at ₹ [•] per Equity Share aggregating up to ₹ [•] Lakhs.

Our Company has received in-principle approval from NSE in accordance with Regulation 28(1) of the SEBI Listing Regulations for listing of the Equity Shares to be Allotted in this Issue pursuant to letter dated [•].

Our Company will also make application to NSE to obtain its trading approval for the Rights Entitlements as required under the SEBI Rights Issue Circulars. Our Company has been allotted the ISIN [•] for the Rights Entitlements to be credited to the respective demat accounts of the Equity Shareholders of our Company. For details, see "Terms of the Issue" beginning on page 103 of this Draft Letter of Offer.

## ASSOCIATION OF OUR DIRECTORS WITH SECURITIES MARKET

We confirm that none of our director(s), Promoter(s) or Promoter Group are associated with the securities market in any manner except for trading on day to day basis for the purpose of investment.

# PROHIBITION BY SEBI AND OTHER GOVERNMENTAL AUTHORITIES

Our Company, our Promoters, our directors, the members of our Promoter Group and persons in control of our Company have not been prohibited from accessing the capital market or debarred from buying or selling or dealing in securities under any order or direction passed by SEBI or any securities market regulator in any jurisdiction or any authority/court as on date of this Letter of Offer.

Neither our Promoters, nor any of our director(s) or persons in control of our Company were or are a promoter, director or person in control of any other company which is debarred from accessing the capital market under any order or directions made by the SEBI or any securities market regulator in any other jurisdiction or any other authority/ court. Further, there has been no violation of any securities law committed by any of them in the past and no such proceedings are currently pending against any of them.

None of our Directors or Promoters is associated with the securities market in any manner.

Neither our Promoters nor our Directors have been declared as fugitive economic offender under Section 12 of Fugitive Economic Offenders Act, 2018.

# PROHIBITION BY RBI

Neither our Company, nor our Promoter, and Directors have been categorized or identified as willful defaulters by any bank or financial institution or consortium thereof, in accordance with the guidelines on willful defaulters issued by the Reserve Bank of India. There are no violations of securities laws committed by them in the past or are currently pending against any of them.

## COMPLIANCE WITH COMPANIES (SIGNIFICANT BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP) RULES, 2018

Our Company, Our Promoters and the members of our Promoter Group are in compliance with the Companies (Significant Beneficial Ownership) Rules, 2018 to the extent it may be applicable to them as on date of this Letter of Offer.

## **ELIGIBILITY FOR THE ISSUE**

Our Company is a listed company incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956. Our Equity Shares are presently listed on National Stock Exchange of India Limited (NSE). Our Company undertakes to make an application to National Stock Exchange of India Limited (NSE) for listing of the Rights Equity Shares to be issued pursuant to this Issue.



## COMPLIANCE WITH REGULATIONS 61 AND 62 OF THE SEBI ICDR REGULATIONS

Our Company is in compliance with the conditions specified in Regulations 61 and 62 of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, to the extent applicable. Further, in relation to compliance with Regulation 62(1)(a) of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, our Company undertakes to make an application to the Stock Exchanges to receive its "In-Principle Approvals" for listing of the Rights Equity Shares to be issued pursuant to this Issue. National Stock Exchange of India Limited (NSE) is the Designated Stock Exchange for this Issue.

## COMPLIANCE WITH PART B OF SCHEDULE VI OF THE SEBI ICDR REGULATIONS

Our Company is in compliance with the provisions specified in Clause (1) of Part B of Schedule VI of the SEBI ICDR Regulations as explained below.

- 1. Our Company has been filing periodic reports, statements and information in compliance with the SEBI Listing Regulations, as applicable for the last one year immediately preceding the date of filing of the Draft Letter of Offer with the Designated Stock Exchange.
- 2. The reports, statements and information referred to above are available on the websites of National Stock Exchange of India (NSE); and
- 3. Our Company has an investor grievance-handling mechanism which includes meeting of the Stakeholders' Relationship Committee at frequent intervals, appropriate delegation of power by our Board as regards share transfer and clearly laid down systems and procedures for timely and satisfactory redressal of investor grievances.

As our Company satisfies the conditions specified in Clause (1) of Part B of Schedule VI of SEBI ICDR Regulations and given that the conditions specified in Clause (3) of Part B of Schedule VI of SEBI ICDR Regulations are not applicable to our Company, the disclosures in this Draft Letter of Offer are in terms of Clause (4) of Part B of Schedule VI of the SEBI ICDR Regulations.

## DISCLAIMER CLAUSE OF SEBI

The Draft Letter of Offer has not been filed with SEBI in terms of SEBI ICDR Regulations as the size of issue is up to Rs. 2,600.00 lakhs. The present Issue being of less than Rs. 5,000 lakhs, our Company is in compliance with first proviso to Regulation 3 of the SEBI ICDR Regulations and our Company shall file the copy of the Letter of Offer prepared in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations with SEBI for information and dissemination on the website of SEBI i.e. www.sebi.gov.in.

## DISCLAIMER FROM OUR COMPANY AND OUR DIRECTORS

Our Company accept no responsibility for statements made otherwise than in the Draft Letter of Offer or in any advertisement or other material issued by our Company or by any other persons at the instance of our Company anyone placing reliance on any other source of information would be doing so at his own risk.

Investors who invest in this Issue will be deemed to have represented by our Company and their respective directors, officers, agents, affiliates and representatives that they are eligible under all applicable laws, rules, regulations, guidelines and approvals to acquire Equity Shares of our Company and are relying on independent advice / evaluation as to their ability and quantum of investment in this Issue.

## DISCLAIMER IN RESPECT OF JURISDICTION

This Draft Letter of Offer has been prepared under the provisions of Indian law and the applicable rules and regulations thereunder. Any disputes arising out of the Issue will be subject to the jurisdiction of the appropriate court(s) in Mumbai, India only.

# DISCLAIMER CLAUSE OF NSE

As required, a copy of this Draft Letter of Offer has been submitted to the NSE. The Disclaimer Clause as intimated by NSE to us, post scrutiny of this Draft Letter of Offer is set out below:



"As required, a copy of this letter of offer has been submitted to National Stock Exchange of India Limited (hereinafter referred to as NSE). NSE has given vide its letter Ref. No. [•] dated [•] permission to the Issuer to use the Exchange's name in this letter of offer as one of the stock exchanges on which this Issuer's securities are proposed to be listed. The Exchange has scrutinized this letter of offer for its limited internal purpose of deciding on the matter of granting the aforesaid permission to this Issuer.

It is to be distinctly understood that the aforesaid permission given by NSE should not in any way be deemed or construed that the letter of offer has been cleared or approved by NSE; nor does it in any manner warrant, certify or endorse the correctness or completeness of any of the contents of this letter of offer; nor does it warrant that this Issuer's securities will be listed or will continue to be listed on the Exchange; nor does it take any responsibility for the financial or other soundness of this Issuer, its promoters, its management or any scheme or project of this Issuer.

Every person who desires to apply for or otherwise acquire any securities of this Issuer may do so pursuant to independent inquiry, investigation and analysis and shall not have any claim against the Exchange whatsoever by reason of any loss which may be suffered by such person consequent to or in connection with such subscription /acquisition whether by reason of anything stated or omitted to be stated herein or any other reason whatsoever."

## DESIGNATED STOCK EXCHANGE

The Designated Stock Exchange for the purpose of the Issue is National Stock Exchange of India Limited (NSE).

# LISTING

Our Company will apply to NSE for final approval for the listing and trading of the Rights Equity Shares subsequent to their Allotment. No assurance can be given regarding the active or sustained trading in the Rights Equity Shares or the price at which the Rights Equity Shares offered under the Issue will trade after the listing thereof.

# **SELLING RESTRICTIONS**

This Draft Letter of Offer is solely for the use of the person who has received it from our Company or from the Registrar. This Draft Letter of Offer is not to be reproduced or distributed to any other person.

The distribution of this Draft Letter of Offer, Abridged Letter of Offer, Application Form, the Rights Entitlement Letter and the issue of Rights Entitlements and Equity Shares on a rights basis to persons in certain jurisdictions outside India is restricted by legal requirements prevailing in those jurisdictions. Persons into whose possession this Draft Letter of Offer, Abridged Draft Letter of Offer Application Form and the Rights Entitlement Letter may come are required to inform themselves about and observe such restrictions. Our Company is making this Issue on a rights basis to the Eligible Equity Shareholders of our Company and will dispatch the Draft Letter of Offer, Abridged Letter of Offer, Application Form and the Rights Entitlement Letter only to Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided an Indian address to our Company. No action has been or will be taken to permit the Issue in any jurisdiction, or the possession, circulation, or distribution of the, Draft Letter of Offer, Abridged Letter of Offer or any other material relating to our Company, the Equity Shares or Rights Entitlement in any jurisdiction, where action would be required for that purpose, except that this Draft Letter of Offer has been filed with SEBI and NSE.

Accordingly, the Rights Entitlement or Equity Shares may not be offered or sold, directly or indirectly, and this Draft Letter of Offer or any offering materials or advertisements in connection with the Issue or Rights Entitlement may not be distributed or published in any jurisdiction, except in accordance with legal requirements applicable in such jurisdiction. Receipt of this Draft Letter of Offer will not constitute an offer in those jurisdictions in which it would be illegal to make such an offer.

This Draft Letter of Offer and its accompanying documents are being supplied to you solely for your information and may not be reproduced, redistributed or passed on, directly or indirectly, to any other person or published, in whole or in part, for any purpose. If this Draft Letter of Offer is received by any person in any jurisdiction where to do so would or might contravene local securities laws or regulation, or by their agent or nominee, they must not seek to subscribe to the Equity Shares or the Rights Entitlement referred to in this Letter of Offer. Investors are advised to consult their legal counsel prior to applying for the Rights Entitlement and Equity Shares or accepting any provisional allotment of Equity Shares, or making any offer, sale, resale, pledge or other transfer of the Equity Shares or Rights Entitlement.

Neither the delivery of this Draft Letter of Offer nor any sale hereunder, shall under any circumstances create any implication that there has been no change in our Company's affairs from the date hereof or the date of such information or



that the information contained herein is correct as of any time subsequent to this date or the date of such information. Each person who exercises Rights Entitlements and subscribes for Equity Shares, or who purchases Rights Entitlements or Equity Shares shall do so in accordance with the restrictions set out below.

## NO OFFER IN THE UNITED STATES

THE RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS AND THE EQUITY SHARES HAVE NOT BEEN AND WILL NOT BE REGISTERED UNDER THE UNITED STATES SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED (THE "SECURITIES ACT"), OR ANY U.S. STATE SECURITIES LAWS AND MAY NOT BE OFFERED, SOLD, RESOLD OR OTHERWISE TRANSFERRED WITHIN THE UNITED STATES, EXCEPT IN A TRANSACTION EXEMPT FROM THE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS OF THE SECURITIES ACT. THE RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS AND EQUITY SHARES REFERRED TO IN THE DRAFT LETTER OF OFFER ARE BEING OFFERED IN INDIA, BUT NOT IN THE UNITED STATES. THE OFFERING TO WHICH THE DRAFT LETTER OF OFFER RELATES IS NOT, AND UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES IS TO BE CONSTRUED AS, AN OFFERING OF ANY EQUITY SHARES OR RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS FOR SALE IN THE UNITED STATES OR AS A SOLICITATION THEREIN OF AN OFFER TO BUY ANY OF THE SAID SECURITIES. ACCORDINGLY, DRAFT LETTER OF OFFER SHOULD NOT BE FORWARDED TO OR TRANSMITTED IN OR INTO THE UNITED STATES AT ANY TIME.

Neither our Company, nor any person acting on behalf of our Company, will accept a subscription or renunciation from any person, or the agent of any person, who appears to be, or who our Company, or any person acting on behalf of our Company, has reason to believe is, in the United States when the buy order is made. Envelopes containing an Application Form should not be postmarked in the United States or otherwise dispatched from the United States or any other jurisdiction where it would be illegal to make an offer under this Draft Letter of Offer. Our Company is making this Issue on a rights basis to the Eligible Equity Shareholders and this Draft Letter of Offer, Letter of Offer/ Abridged Letter of Offer, Application Form and the Rights Entitlement Letter will be dispatched to the Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided an Indian address to our Company. Any person who acquires the Rights Entitlements and the Equity Shares will be deemed to have declared, represented, warranted and agreed, by accepting the delivery of the Draft Letter of Offer, (i) that it is not and that, at the time of subscribing for the Equity Shares or the Rights Entitlements, it will not be, in the United States when the buy order is made; and (ii) is authorised to acquire the Rights Entitlements and the Equity Shares in compliance with all applicable laws, rules and regulations.

Our Company reserves the right to treat as invalid any Application Form which: (i) appears to our Company or its agents to have been executed in or dispatched from the United States of America; (ii) does not include the relevant certification set out in the Application Form headed "Overseas Shareholders" to the effect that the person accepting and/or renouncing the Application Form does not have a registered address (and is not otherwise located) in the United States, and such person is complying with laws of the jurisdictions applicable to such person in connection with the Issue, among others; (iii) where our Company believes acceptance of such Application Form may infringe applicable legal or regulatory requirements; or (iv) where a registered Indian address is not provided, and our Company shall not be bound to allot or issue any Equity Shares or Rights Entitlement in respect of any such Application Form.

None of the Rights Entitlements or the Equity Shares have been, or will be, registered under the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), or any state securities laws in the United States. Accordingly, the Rights Entitlements and Equity Shares are being offered and sold only outside the United States in compliance with Regulations under the Securities Act and the applicable laws of the jurisdictions where those offers and sales are made.

# NO OFFER IN ANY JURISDICTION OUTSIDE INDIA

NO OFFER OR INVITATION TO PURCHASE RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS OR RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES IS BEING MADE IN ANY JURISDICTION OUTSIDE OF INDIA, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO AUSTRALIA, BAHRAIN, CANADA, THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA, GHANA, HONG KONG, INDONESIA, JAPAN, KENYA, KUWAIT, MALAYSIA, NEW ZEALAND, SULTANATE OF OMAN, PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, QATAR, SINGAPORE, SOUTH AFRICA, SWITZERLAND, THAILAND, THE UNITED ARAB EMIRATES, THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE UNITED STATES. THE OFFERING TO WHICH THIS DRAFT LETTER OF OFFER RELATES IS NOT, AND UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES IS TO BE CONSTRUED AS, AN OFFERING OF ANY RIGHTS EQUITY SHARES OR RIGHTS ENTITLEMENT FOR SALE IN ANY JURISDICTION OUTSIDE INDIA OR AS A SOLICIATION THEREIN OF AN OFFER TO BUY ANY OF THE SAID SECURITIES. ACCORDINGLY, THIS DRAFT LETTER OF OFFER SHOULD NOT BE FORWARDED TO OR TRANSMITTED IN OR INTO ANY OTHER JURISDICTION AT ANY TIME.



## CONSENTS

Consents in writing of: our Directors, Company Secretary and Compliance Officer, Chief Financial Officer, Advisor, Statutory and Peer Reviewed Auditor, the Registrar to the Issue and [●] to act in their respective capacities, have been obtained and such consents have not been withdrawn upto the date of this Letter of Offer.

Our Company has received written consent dated July 10, 2024 from our Statutory Auditor, namely, M/s. D G M S & Co, Chartered Accountants to include their name in this Draft Letter of Offer and as an 'expert' as defined under Section 2(38) of the Companies Act, 2013 in relation to the Statement of Tax Benefits dated July 10, 2024 in the form and context in which it appears in this Draft Letter of Offer. Such consent has not been withdrawn up to the date of this Letter of Offer.

#### **EXPERT OPINION**

Our Company has received written consent dated July 10, 2024 from our Statutory Auditor, namely, M/s. D G M S & Co, Chartered Accountants to include their name as required in this Draft Letter of Offer and as an 'expert' as defined under Section 2(38) of the Companies Act, 2013 in relation to its statement of tax benefits dated July 10, 2024 in this Draft Letter of Offer and such consent has not been withdrawn as of the date of this Letter of Offer. The term 'expert' and consent thereof, does not represent an expert or consent within the meaning under the U.S. Securities Act.

Except for the above-mentioned documents, provided by M/s. D G M S & Co., Chartered Accountants, Jamnagar our Company has not obtained any expert opinions.

## PERFORMANCE VIS-À-VIS OBJECTS – PUBLIC/RIGHTS ISSUE OF OUR COMPANY

Our Company has not made any rights issues or public issues during the five years immediately preceding the date of this Letter of Offer.

# PERFORMANCE VIS-À-VIS OBJECTS – LAST ISSUE OF LISTED SUBSIDIARIES OR ASSOCIATES

Our Company does not have Subsidiaries or Associates.

## **FILING**

SEBI vide the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) (Fourth Amendment) Regulations, 2020 has amended Regulation 3(b) of the SEBI ICDR Regulations as per which the threshold of filing of Draft Letter of Offer with SEBI for rights issues has been increased. The threshold of the rights issue size under Regulation 3 (b) of the SEBI ICDR Regulations has been increased from Rupees ten crores to Rupees fifty crores. Since the size of this Issue falls below this threshold, the Draft Letter of Offer has been filed with NSE and not with SEBI. However, the Draft Letter of Offer will be submitted with SEBI for information and dissemination and will be filed with NSE.

## STATUS OF OUTSTANDING INVESTOR COMPLAINTS

As on the date of this Draft Letter of Offer, there were no outstanding Investor complaints. As mentioned, our Company is registered with the SCORES. Consequently, Investor grievances are tracked online by our Company. The average time taken by the Registrar to the Issue for attending to routine grievances will be within 15 (Fifteen) days from the date of receipt. In case of non-routine grievances where verification at other agencies is involved, it would be the endeavor of the Registrar to the Issue to attend to them as expeditiously as possible. We undertake to resolve the investor grievances in a time bound manner.

# MECHANISM FOR REDRESSAL OF INVESTOR GRIEVANCES

Our Company has adequate arrangements for redressal of investor grievances in compliance with the SEBI Listing Regulations. We have been registered with the SEBI Complaints Redress System (SCORES) as required by the SEBI Circular no. CIR/OIAE/2/2011 dated June 3, 2011. Consequently, investor grievances are tracked online by our Company. Our Company has a Stakeholders Relationship Committee which meets at least once a year and as and when required. Its terms of reference include considering and resolving grievances of Shareholders in relation to transfer of shares and effective exercise of voting rights. Our Registrar and Share Transfer Agent. All investor grievances received by us have been handled by the Registrar and Share Transfer Agent in consultation with the Company Secretary and Compliance Officer.



Investors complaints received by our Company are typically disposed of within 15 days from the receipt of the complaint. Investors may contact the Registrar or our Company Secretary and Compliance Officer for any pre Issue or post Issue related matter. All grievances relating to the ASBA process may be addressed to the Registrar, with a copy to the SCSBs (in case of ASBA process), giving full details such as name, address of the Applicant, contact number(s), e mail address of the sole/ first holder, folio number or demat account number, number of Equity Shares applied for, amount blocked (in case of ASBA process), ASBA Account number and the Designated Branch of the SCSBs where the Application Form or the plain paper application, as the case may be, was submitted by the Investors along with a photocopy of the acknowledgement slip (in case of ASBA process). For details on the ASBA process, see "Terms of the Issue" beginning on page 103.

Investor Grievances arising out of this Issue Investors may contact the Registrar to the Issue at

## PURVA SHAREGISTRY (INDIA) PRIVATE LIMITED

Address: Unit No. 9, Ground Floor, Shiv Shakti Industrial Estate, J. R. Boricha Marg, Lower Parel

(East), Mumbai – 400011, Maharashtra, India;

Contact Number: + 91 22 4961 4132 / +91 22 3522 0056 / 6761;

Website: www.purvashare.com;

E-mail Address: support@purvashare.com

Investor Greivances E-Mail Address: newissue@purvashare.com;

Contact Person: Ms. Deepali Dhuri;

**SEBI Registration Number:** INR000001112;

Validity of Registration: Permanent.

Investors may contact the Company Secretary and Compliance Officer at the below mentioned address for any pre-Issue/post-Issue related matters such as non-receipt of Letters of Allotment/share certificates/demat credit/Refund Orders etc.

#### Mr. Dhruvitkumar Mandliya

Company Secretary and Compliance Officer

## SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED

508, Iscon Eligance, Nr. Jain Temple Nr. Prahladnagar Pick up Stand, Vejalpur, Ahmedabad, Gujarat, India, 380051

Tel: +91 79 6616 8950 / 51

Email: compliance@sikkoindia.com; Website: www.sikkoindia.com

# EXEMPTION FROM COMPLYING WITH ANY PROVISIONS OF SECURITIES LAWS, IF ANY, GRANTED BY SEBI

Our Company has not submitted any application to SEBI for exemption from complying with any provisions of Securities.

## STATUS OF OUTSTANDING INVESTOR COMPLAINTS

As on the date of the Draft Letter of offer, there were Nil outstanding investor complaints.

## CHANGES IN AUDITOR DURING THE LAST THREE YEARS

There has been no change in the Auditor of the Company during the last three years.



## SECTION X – ISSUE RELATED INFORMATION

## **TERMS OF ISSUE**

This section is for the information of the Eligible Equity Shareholders proposing to apply in this Issue. The Eligible Equity Shareholders should carefully read the provisions contained in this Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter and the Application Form, before submitting the Application Form. Our Company is not liable for any amendments or modifications or changes in applicable laws or regulations, which may occur after the date of this Letter of Offer. The Eligible Equity Shareholders are advised to make their independent investigation and ensure that the Application Form is accurately filled up in accordance with instructions provided therein and this Letter of Offer. Unless otherwise permitted under the SEBI ICDR Regulations read with the SEBI Right Issue Circulars, the Eligible Equity Shareholders proposing to apply in this Issue can apply only through ASBA or by mechanism as disclosed in this Letter of Offer.

This Issue and the Rights Equity Shares proposed to be issued on a rights basis, are subject to the terms and conditions contained in the Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter, the Application Form and the Memorandum of Association and the Articles of Association of our Company, the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, FEMA, FEMA Rules, the SEBI ICDR Regulations, the SEBI Listing Regulations, and the guidelines, notifications and regulations issued by SEBI, the Government of India and other statutory and regulatory authorities from time to time, approvals, if any, from RBI or other regulatory authorities, the terms of the Listing Agreements entered into by our Company with the Stock Exchanges and the terms and conditions as stipulated in the Allotment advice.

## DISPATCH AND AVAILABILITY OF ISSUE MATERIALS

In accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Application Form, the Rights Entitlement Letter and other Issue material will be sent/dispatched only to the Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided Indian address. In case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have provided their valid e-mail address, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Application Form, the Rights Entitlement Letter and other Issue material will be sent only to their valid e-mail address and in case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have not provided their e-mail address, then the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Application Form, the Rights Entitlement Letter and other Issue material will be dispatched, on a reasonable effort basis, to the Indian addresses provided by them.

Further, this Letter of Offer will be sent/ dispatched to the Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided Indian address and who have made a request in this regard. In case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have provided their valid e-mail address, the Letter of Offer will be sent only to their valid e-mail address and in case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have not provided their e-mail address, then the Letter of Offer will be dispatched, on a reasonable effort basis, to the Indian addresses provided by them.

Shareholders can access this Draft Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer and the Application Form (provided that the Eligible Equity Shareholder is eligible to subscribe for the Equity Shares under applicable laws) on the websites of:

- (i) Our Company at www.sikkoindia.com;
- (ii) The Registrar at www.purvashare.com;
- (iii) The Stock Exchanges at www.nseindia.com;

Eligible Equity Shareholders can also obtain the details of their respective Rights Entitlements from the website of the Registrar (i.e., Purva Sharegistry (India) Private Limited at <a href="www.purvashare.com">www.purvashare.com</a>) by entering their DP ID and Client ID or Folio Number (for Eligible Equity Shareholders who hold Equity Shares in physical form as on Record Date) and PAN. The link for the same shall also be available on the website of our Company (i.e. <a href="www.purvashare.com">www.purvashare.com</a>).

Please note that neither our Company nor the Registrar shall be responsible for non-dispatch of physical copies of Issue materials, including this Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter and the Application Form or delay in the receipt of this Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter or the Application Form attributable to non-availability of the e-mail addresses of Eligible Equity Shareholders or electronic transmission delays or failures, or if the Application Forms or the Rights Entitlement Letters are delayed or misplaced in the transit.

The distribution of this Letter of Offer, Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter and the issue of Equity Shares on a rights basis to persons in certain jurisdictions outside India is restricted by legal requirements prevailing in those jurisdictions. No action has been, or will be, taken to permit this Issue in any jurisdiction where action would be



required for that purpose, except that this Letter of Offer is being filed with the Stock Exchanges. Accordingly, the Rights Entitlements and Equity Shares may not be offered or sold, directly or indirectly, and this Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter, the Application Form or any Issue related materials or advertisements in connection with this Issue may not be distributed, in any jurisdiction, except in accordance with and as permitted under the legal requirements applicable in such jurisdiction. Receipt of this Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter or the Application Form (including by way of electronic means) will not constitute an offer, invitation to or solicitation by anyone in any jurisdiction or in any circumstances in which such an offer, invitation or solicitation is unlawful or not authorised or to any person to whom it is unlawful to make such an offer, invitation or solicitation. In those circumstances, this Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter or the Application Form must be treated as sent for information only and should not be acted upon for making an Application and should not be copied or re-distributed.

Accordingly, persons receiving a copy of this Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter or the Application Form should not, in connection with the issue of the Equity Shares or the Rights Entitlements, distribute or send this Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter or the Application Form in or into any jurisdiction where to do so, would, or might, contravene local securities laws or regulations or would subject our Company or its affiliates to any filing or registration requirement (other than in India). If this Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter or the Application Form is received by any person in any such jurisdiction, or by their agent or nominee, they must not seek to make an Application or acquire the Rights Entitlements referred to in this Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter or the Application Form. Any person who makes an application to acquire Rights Entitlements and the Equity Shares offered in the Issue will be deemed to have declared, represented and warranted that such person is authorized to acquire the Rights Entitlements and the Equity Shares in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations prevailing in such person's jurisdiction and India, without requirement for our Company or our affiliates to make any filing or registration (other than in India).

## PROCESS OF MAKING AN APPLICATION IN THE ISSUE

In accordance with Regulation 76 of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, the SEBI Rights Issue Circulars and the ASBA Circulars, all Shareholders desiring to make an Application in this Issue are mandatorily required to use the ASBA process. Shareholders should carefully read the provisions applicable to such Applications before making their Application through ASBA.

Investors can submit either the Application Form in physical mode to the Designated Branches of the SCSBs or online/ electronic Application through the website of the SCSBs (if made available by such SCSB) authorizing the SCSB to block the Application Money in an ASBA Account maintained with the SCSB. Application through ASBA facility in electronic mode will only be available with such SCSBs who provide such facility.

Investors applying through the ASBA facility should carefully read the provisions applicable to such Applications before making their Application through the ASBA process. For details, titled "Procedure for Application through the ASBA Process" in chapter "Terms of Issue" beginning on page 103.

Please note that subject to SCSBs complying with the requirements of SEBI Circular CIR/CFD/DIL/13/2012 dated September 25, 2012, within the periods stipulated therein, Applications may be submitted at the Designated Branches of the SCSBs.

Further, in terms of the SEBI Circular CIR/CFD/DIL/1/2013 dated January 2, 2013, it is clarified that for making Applications by SCSBs on their own account using ASBA facility, each such SCSB should have a separate account in its own name with any other SEBI registered SCSB(s). Such account shall be used solely for the purpose of making an Application in this Issue and clear demarcated funds should be available in such account for such an Application.

Applicants should note that they should very carefully fill-in their depository account details and PAN in the Application Form or while submitting application through online/electronic Application through the website of the SCSBs (if made available by such SCSB). Please note that incorrect depository account details or PAN or Application Forms without depository account details shall be treated as incomplete and shall be rejected. For details, refer "Grounds for Technical Rejection" on page no. 109 of this Draft Letter of Offer. Our Company, the Registrar and the SCSBs shall not be liable for any incomplete or incorrect demat details provided by the Applicants.

Additionally, in terms of Regulation 78 of the SEBI ICDR Regulations, Investors may choose to accept the offer to participate in this Issue by making plain paper Applications. Please note that Eligible Equity Shareholders making an



application in this Issue by way of plain paper applications shall not be permitted to renounce any portion of their Rights Entitlements. For details, refer chapter titled "Application on Plain Paper under ASBA process".

## Options available to the Eligible Equity Shareholders

The Rights Entitlement Letter will clearly indicate the number of Equity Shares that the Eligible Equity Shareholder is entitled to.

If the Eligible Equity Shareholder applies in this Issue, then such Eligible Equity Shareholder can:

- a) apply for its Equity Shares to the full extent of its Rights Entitlements; or
- b) apply for its Equity Shares to the extent of part of its Rights Entitlements (without renouncing the other part); or
- c) apply for Equity Shares to the extent of part of its Rights Entitlements and renounce the other part of its Rights Entitlements; or
- d) apply for its Equity Shares to the full extent of its Rights Entitlements and apply for additional Equity Shares; or
- e) renounce its Rights Entitlements in full.

## Making of an Application through the ASBA process

A Shareholders, wishing to participate in this Issue through the ASBA facility, is required to have an ASBA enabled bank account with an SCSB, prior to making the Application. Shareholders desiring to make an Application in this Issue through ASBA process, may submit the Application Form in physical mode to the Designated Branches of the SCSB or online/electronic Application through the website of the SCSBs (if made available by such SCSB) for authorizing such SCSB to block Application Money payable on the Application in their respective ASBA Accounts.

Shareholders should ensure that they have correctly submitted the Application Form and have provided an authorisation to the SCSB, *via* the electronic mode, for blocking funds in the ASBA Account equivalent to the Application Money mentioned in the Application Form, as the case may be, at the time of submission of the Application.

For the list of banks which have been notified by SEBI to act as SCSBs for the ASBA process, please refer to <a href="https://www.sebi.gov.in/sebiweb/other/OtherAction.do?doRecognisedFpi=yes&intmId=34">https://www.sebi.gov.in/sebiweb/other/OtherAction.do?doRecognisedFpi=yes&intmId=34</a>.

Please note that subject to SCSBs complying with the requirements of the SEBI circular bearing reference number CIR/CFD/DIL/13/2012 dated September 25, 2012, within the periods stipulated therein, Applications may be submitted at the Designated Branches of the SCSBs. Further, in terms of the SEBI circular bearing reference number CIR/CFD/DIL/1/2013 dated January 2, 2013, it is clarified that for making Applications by SCSBs on their own account using ASBA facility, each such SCSB should have a separate account in its own name with any other SEBI registered SCSB(s). Such account shall be used solely for the purpose of making an Application in this Issue and clear demarcated funds should be available in such account for such an Application.

Our Company, its directors, its employees, affiliates, associates and their respective directors and officers and the Registrar shall not take any responsibility for acts, mistakes, errors, omissions and commissions etc., in relation to Applications accepted by SCSBs, Applications uploaded by SCSBs, Applications accepted but not uploaded by SCSBs or Applications accepted and uploaded without blocking funds in the ASBA Accounts.

## Do's for Shareholders applying through ASBA:

- a) Ensure that the details about your Depository Participant, PAN and beneficiary account are correct and the beneficiary account is activated as the Equity Shares will be allotted in the dematerialized form only.
- b) Ensure that the Applications are submitted with the Designated Branch of the SCSBs and details of the correct bank account have been provided in the Application.
- c) Ensure that there are sufficient funds (equal to {number of Equity Shares (including additional Equity Shares) applied for} X {Application Money of Equity Shares}) available in ASBA Account mentioned in the Application Form before submitting the Application to the respective Designated Branch of the SCSB.
- d) Ensure that you have authorised the SCSB for blocking funds equivalent to the total amount payable on application mentioned in the Application Form, in the ASBA Account, of which details are provided in the Application Form and have signed the same.
- e) Ensure that you have a bank account with an SCSB providing ASBA facility in your location and the Application is made through that SCSB providing ASBA facility in such location.



- f) Ensure that you receive an acknowledgement from the Designated Branch of the SCSB for your submission of the Application Form in physical form or plain paper Application.
- g) Ensure that the name(s) given in the Application Form is exactly the same as the name(s) in which the beneficiary account is held with the Depository Participant. In case the Application Form is submitted in joint names, ensure that the beneficiary account is also held in same joint names and such names are in the same sequence in which they appear in the Application Form and the Rights Entitlement Letter.

## Don'ts for Shareholders applying through ASBA:

- a) Do not submit the Application Form after you have submitted a plain paper Application to a Designated Branch of the SCSB or vice versa.
- b) Do not send your physical Application to the Registrar, the Escrow Collection Bank(s) (assuming that such Escrow Collection Bank is not an SCSB), a branch of the SCSB which is not a Designated Branch of the SCSB or our Company; instead submit the same to a Designated Branch of the SCSB only.
- c) Do not instruct the SCSBs to unblock the funds blocked under the ASBA process upon making the Application.
- d) Do not submit Application Form using third party ASBA account.

## Making of an Application by Eligible Equity Shareholders on Plain Paper under ASBA process:

An Eligible Equity Shareholder in India who is eligible to apply under the ASBA process may make an Application to subscribe to this Issue on plain paper in case of non-receipt of Application Form as detailed above. In such cases of non-receipt of the Application Form through e-mail or physical delivery (where applicable) and the Eligible Equity Shareholder not being in a position to obtain it from any other source may make an Application to subscribe to this Issue on plain paper with the same details as per the Application Form that is available on the website of the Registrar, Stock Exchanges. An Eligible Equity Shareholder shall submit the plain paper Application to the Designated Branch of the SCSB for authorising such SCSB to block Application Money in the said bank account maintained with the same SCSB. Applications on plain paper will not be accepted from any Eligible Equity Shareholder who has not provided an Indian address or is a U.S. Person or in the United States.

Please note that the Eligible Equity Shareholders who are making the Application on plain paper shall not be entitled to renounce their Rights Entitlements and should not utilize the Application Form for any purpose including renunciation even if it is received subsequently.

The Application on plain paper, duly signed by the Eligible Equity Shareholder including joint holders, in the same order and as per specimen recorded with his/her bank, must reach the office of the Designated Branch of the SCSB before the Issue Closing Date and should contain the following particulars:

- (a) Name of our Company, being Sikko Industries Limited;
- (b) Name and address of the Eligible Equity Shareholder including joint holders (in the same order and as per specimen recorded with our Company or the Depository);
- (c) Folio Number (in case of Eligible Equity Shareholders who hold Equity Shares in physical form as on Record Date)/DP and Client ID;
- (d) Except for Applications on behalf of the Central or State Government, the residents of Sikkim and the officials appointed by the courts, PAN of the Eligible Equity Shareholder and for each Eligible Equity Shareholder in case of joint names, irrespective of the total value of the Equity Shares applied for pursuant to this Issue;
- (e) Number of Equity Shares held as on Record Date;
- (f) Allotment option only dematerialised form;
- (g) Number of Equity Shares entitled to;
- (h) Number of Equity Shares applied for within the Rights Entitlements;
- (i) Number of additional Equity Shares applied for, if any (applicable only if entire Rights Entitlements have been applied for);
- (j) Total number of Equity Shares applied for;
- (k) Total amount paid at the rate of ₹ [•] per Equity Share;
- (1) Details of the ASBA Account such as the SCSB account number, name, address and branch of the relevant SCSB;
- (m) In case of non-resident Eligible Equity Shareholders making an application with an Indian address, details of the NRE/FCNR/NRO account such as the account number, name, address and branch of the SCSB with which the account is maintained;
- (n) Authorisation to the Designated Branch of the SCSB to block an amount equivalent to the Application Money in the ASBA Account;



- (o) Signature of the Eligible Equity Shareholder (in case of joint holders, to appear in the same sequence and order as they appear in the records of the SCSB); and
- (p) All such Eligible Equity Shareholders are deemed to have accepted the following:

"I/We will not offer, sell or otherwise transfer any of the Rights Equity Shares which may be acquired by us in any jurisdiction or under any circumstances in which such offer or sale is not authorized or to any person to whom it is unlawful to make such offer, sale or invitation except under circumstances that will result in compliance with any applicable laws or regulations. We satisfy, and each account for which we are acting satisfies, all suitability standards for Shareholders in investments of the type subscribed for herein imposed by the jurisdiction of our residence.

I/We understand and agree that the Rights Entitlement and Rights Equity Shares may not be reoffered, resold, pledged or otherwise transferred except in an offshore transaction in compliance with Regulation S, or otherwise pursuant to an exemption from, or in a transaction not subject to, the registration requirements of the US Securities Act.

I/ We (i) am/ are, and the person, if any, for whose account I/ we am/ are acquiring such Rights Entitlement and/ or the Rights Equity Shares is/ are, outside the U.S., (ii) am/ are not a "U.S. Person" as defined in ("Regulations"), and (iii) is/ are acquiring the Rights Entitlement and/ or the Rights Equity Shares in an offshore transaction meeting the requirements of Regulations.

I/ We acknowledge that the Company, its affiliates and others will rely upon the truth and accuracy of the foregoing representations and agreements."

In cases where Multiple Application Forms are submitted for Applications pertaining to Rights Entitlements credited to the same demat account or in demat suspense escrow account, as applicable, including cases where a Shareholders submits Application Forms along with a plain paper Application, such Applications shall be liable to be rejected.

Shareholders are requested to strictly adhere to these instructions. Failure to do so could result in an Application being rejected, with our Company, and the Registrar not having any liability to the Shareholders. The plain paper Application format will be available on the website of the Registrar at www.purvashare.com.

Our Company, and the Registrar shall not be responsible if the Applications are not uploaded by the SCSB or funds are not blocked in the Shareholders' ASBA Accounts on or before the Issue Closing Date.

## Making of an Application by Eligible Equity Shareholders holding Equity Shares in physical form

Please note that in accordance with Regulation 77A of the SEBI ICDR Regulations read with the SEBI Rights Issue Circulars, the credit of Rights Entitlements and Allotment of Equity Shares shall be made in dematerialised form only. Accordingly, Eligible Equity Shareholders holding Equity Shares in physical form as on Record Date and desirous of subscribing to Equity Shares in this Issue are advised to furnish the details of their demat account to the Registrar or our Company at least two Working Days prior to the Issue Closing Date, to enable the credit of their Rights Entitlements in their respective demat accounts at least one day before the Issue Closing Date.

Prior to the Issue Opening Date, the Rights Entitlements of those Eligible Equity Shareholders, among others, who hold Equity Shares in physical form, and whose demat account details are not available with our Company or the Registrar, shall be credited in a demat suspense escrow account opened by our Company.

Eligible Equity Shareholders, who hold Equity Shares in physical form as on Record Date and who have opened their demat accounts after the Record Date, shall adhere to following procedure for participating in this Issue:

- a) The Eligible Equity Shareholders shall send a letter to the Registrar containing the name(s), address, e-mail address, contact details and the details of their demat account along with copy of self-attested PAN and self-attested client master sheet of their demat account either by e mail, post, speed post, courier, or hand delivery so as to reach to the Registrar no later than two Working Days prior to the Issue Closing Date;
- b) The Registrar shall, after verifying the details of such demat account, transfer the Rights Entitlements of such Eligible Equity Shareholders to their demat accounts at least one day before the Issue Closing Date;
- c) The remaining procedure for Application shall be same as set out in "- Making of an Application by Eligible Equity Shareholders on Plain Paper under ASBA process" mentioned above.

Resident Eligible Equity Shareholders who hold Equity Shares in physical form as on the Record Date will not be allowed renounce their Rights Entitlements in the Issue. However, such Eligible Equity Shareholders, where the dematerialized Rights Entitlements are transferred from the suspense escrow demat account to the respective demat accounts within prescribed timelines, can apply for additional Equity Shares while submitting the Application through ASBA process.

# Application for Additional Equity Shares



Shareholders are eligible to apply for additional Equity Shares over and above their Rights Entitlements, provided that they are eligible to apply for Equity Shares under applicable law and they have applied for all the Equity Shares forming part of their Rights Entitlements without renouncing them in whole or in part. Where the number of additional Equity Shares applied for exceeds the number available for Allotment, the Allotment would be made as per the Basis of Allotment finalised in consultation with the Designated Stock Exchange. Applications for additional Equity Shares shall be considered and Allotment shall be made in accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations and in the manner as set out in "- Basis of Allotment" mentioned below.

## Eligible Equity Shareholders who renounce their Rights Entitlements cannot apply for additional Equity Shares.

Non-resident Renouncees who are not Eligible Equity Shareholders cannot apply for additional Equity Shares.

#### Additional general instructions for Shareholders in relation to making of an application

- i) Please read this Draft Letter of offer carefully to understand the Application process and applicable settlement process.
- ii) Please read the instructions on the Application Form sent to you. Application should be complete in all respects. The Application Form found incomplete with regard to any of the particulars required to be given therein, and/or which are not completed in conformity with the terms of this Draft Letter of offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter and the Application Form are liable to be rejected. The Application Form must be filled in English.
- iii) In case of non-receipt of Application Form, Application can be made on plain paper mentioning all necessary details as mentioned under the section "Making of an Application by Eligible Equity Shareholders on Plain Paper under ASBA process" mentioned above.
- iv) Applications should be (i) submitted to the Designated Branch of the SCSB or made online/electronic through the website of the SCSBs (if made available by such SCSB) for authorising such SCSB to block Application Money payable on the Application in their respective ASBA Accounts. Please note that on the Issue Closing Date, (ii) Applications through ASBA process will be uploaded until 5.00 p.m. (Indian Standard Time) or such extended time as permitted by the Stock Exchanges.
- v) Applications should not be submitted to the Banker(s) to the Issue or Escrow Collection Bank(s) (assuming that such Escrow Collection Bank is not an SCSB), our Company or the Registrar.
- vi) All Applicants, and in the case of Application in joint names, each of the joint Applicants, should mention their PAN allotted under the Income-tax Act, irrespective of the amount of the Application. Except for Applications on behalf of the Central or the State Government, the residents of Sikkim and the officials appointed by the courts, Applications without PAN will be considered incomplete and are liable to be rejected. With effect from August 16, 2010, the demat accounts for Shareholders for which PAN details have not been verified shall be "suspended for credit" and no Allotment and credit of Equity Shares pursuant to this Issue shall be made into the accounts of such Shareholders.
- Ensure that the demographic details such as address, PAN, DP ID, Client ID, bank account details and occupation vii) ("Demographic Details") are updated, true and correct, in all respects. Shareholders applying under this Issue should note that on the basis of name of the Shareholders, DP ID and Client ID provided by them in the Application Form or the plain paper Applications, as the case may be, the Registrar will obtain Demographic Details from the Depository. Therefore, Shareholders applying under this Issue should carefully fill in their Depository Account details in the Application. These Demographic Details would be used for all correspondence with such Shareholders including mailing of the letters intimating unblocking of bank account of the respective Shareholders and/or refund. The Demographic Details given by the Shareholders in the Application Form would not be used for any other purposes by the Registrar. Hence, Shareholders are advised to update their Demographic Details as provided to their Depository Participants. The Allotment Advice and the e-mail intimating unblocking of ASBA Account or refund (if any) would be e-mailed to the address of the Shareholders as per the e-mail address provided to our Company or the Registrar or Demographic Details received from the Depositories. The Registrar will give instructions to the SCSBs for unblocking funds in the ASBA Account to the extent Equity Shares are not allotted to such Shareholders. Please note that any such delay shall be at the sole risk of the Shareholders and none of our Company, the SCSBs, Registrar shall be liable to compensate the Shareholders for any losses caused due to any such delay or be liable to pay any interest for such delay. In case no corresponding record is available with the Depositories that match three parameters, (a) names of the Shareholders (including the order of names of joint holders), (b) DP ID, and (c) Client ID, then such Application Forms are liable to be rejected.
- viii) By signing the Application Forms, Shareholders would be deemed to have authorised the Depositories to provide, upon request, to the Registrar, the required Demographic Details as available on its records.



- ix) For physical Applications through ASBA at Designated Branches of SCSB, signatures should be either in English or Hindi or in any other language specified in the Eighth Schedule to the Constitution of India. Signatures other than in any such language or thumb impression must be attested by a Notary Public or a Special Executive Magistrate under his/her official seal. The Shareholders must sign the Application as per the specimen signature recorded with the SCSB.
- x) Shareholders should provide correct DP ID and Client ID/ Folio number (for Eligible Equity Shareholders who hold Equity Shares in physical form as on Record Date) while submitting the Application. Such DP ID and Client ID/ Folio number should match the demat account details in the records available with Company and/or Registrar, failing which such Application is liable to be rejected. Shareholders will be solely responsible for any error or inaccurate detail provided in the Application. Our Company, SCSBs or the Registrar will not be liable for any such rejections.
- xi) In case of joint holders and physical Applications through ASBA process, all joint holders must sign the relevant part of the Application Form in the same order and as per the specimen signature(s) recorded with the SCSB. In case of joint Applicants, reference, if any, will be made in the first Applicant's name and all communication will be addressed to the first Applicant.
- xii) All communication in connection with Application for the Equity Shares, including any change in contact details of the Eligible Equity Shareholders should be addressed to the Registrar prior to the date of Allotment in this Issue quoting the name of the first/sole Applicant, Folio number (for Eligible Equity Shareholders who hold Equity Shares in physical form as on Record Date)/DP ID and Client ID and Application Form number, as applicable. In case of any change in contact details of the Eligible Equity Shareholders, the Eligible Equity Shareholders should also send the intimation for such change to the respective depository participant, or to our Company or the Registrar in case of Eligible Equity Shareholders holding Equity Shares in physical form.
- xiii) Shareholders are required to ensure that the number of Equity Shares applied for by them do not exceed the prescribed limits under the applicable law.
- xiv) Do not apply if you are ineligible to participate in this Issue under the securities laws applicable to your jurisdiction.
- xv) Do not submit the GIR number instead of the PAN as the application is liable to be rejected on this ground.
- xvi) Avoid applying on the Issue Closing Date due to risk of delay/ restrictions in making any physical Application.
- xvii) Do not pay the Application Money in cash, by money order, pay order or postal order.
- xviii) Do not submit multiple Applications.
- No investment under the FDI route (i.e any investment which would result in the Shareholders holding 10% or more of the fully diluted paid-up equity share capital of the Company or any FDI investment for which an approval from the government was taken in the past) will be allowed in the Issue unless such application is accompanied with necessary approval or covered under a pre-existing approval from the government. It will be the sole responsibility of the Shareholders to ensure that the necessary approval or the pre-existing approval from the government is valid in order to make any investment in the Issue. Our Company will not be responsible for any allotments made by relying on such approvals.
- xx) An Applicant being an OCB is required not to be under the adverse notice of RBI and in order to apply for this issue as a incorporated non-resident must do so in accordance with the FDI Circular 2020 and Foreign Exchange Management (Non-Debt Instrument) Rules, 2019.

## GROUNDS FOR TECHNICAL REJECTION

#### Applications made in this Issue are liable to be rejected on the following grounds:

- i) DP ID and Client ID mentioned in Application does not match with the DP ID and Client ID records available with the Registrar.
- ii) Details of PAN mentioned in the Application does not match with the PAN records available with the Registrar.
- iii) Sending an Application to our Company, Registrar, Escrow Collection Bank(s) (assuming that such Escrow Collection Bank is not a SCSB), to a branch of a SCSB which is not a Designated Branch of the SCSB.
- iv) Insufficient funds are available in the ASBA Account with the SCSB for blocking the Application Money.
- v) Funds in the ASBA Account whose details are mentioned in the Application Form having been frozen pursuant to regulatory orders.
- vi) Account holder not signing the Application or declaration mentioned therein.
- vii) Submission of more than one Application Form for Rights Entitlements available in a particular demat account.
- viii) Multiple Application Forms, including cases where a Shareholders submits Application Forms along with a plain paper Application.
- ix) Submitting the GIR number instead of the PAN (except for Applications on behalf of the Central or State Government, the residents of Sikkim and the officials appointed by the courts).
- x) Applications by persons not competent to contract under the Indian Contract Act, 1872, except Applications by minors having valid demat accounts as per the Demographic Details provided by the Depositories.
- xi) Applications by SCSB on own account, other than through an ASBA Account in its own name with any other SCSB.



- xii) Application Forms which are not submitted by the Shareholders within the time periods prescribed in the Application Form and this Draft Letter of offer.
- xiii) Physical Application Forms not duly signed by the sole or joint Shareholders, as applicable.
- xiv) Application Forms accompanied by stock invest, outstation cheques, post-dated cheques, money order, postal order or outstation demands.
- xv) If an Shareholders is (a) debarred by SEBI; or (b) if SEBI has revoked the order or has provided any interim relief then failure to attach a copy of such SEBI order allowing the Shareholders to subscribe to their Rights Entitlements.
- xvi) Applications which: (i) appears to our Company or its agents to have been executed in, electronically transmitted from or dispatched from the United States (other than from persons in the United States who are U.S. QIBs and QPs) or other jurisdictions where the offer and sale of the Equity Shares is not permitted under laws of such jurisdictions; (ii) does not include the relevant certifications set out in the Application Form, including to the effect that the person submitting and/or renouncing the Application Form is (a) both a U.S. QIB and a QP, if in the United States or a U.S. Person or (b) outside the United States and is a non-U.S. Person, and in each case such person is eligible to subscribe for the Equity Shares under applicable securities laws and is complying with laws of jurisdictions applicable to such person in connection with this Issue; and our Company shall not be bound to issue or allot any Equity Shares in respect of any such Application Form.
- xvii) Applications which have evidence of being executed or made in contravention of applicable securities laws.
- xviii) Application from Shareholders that are residing in U.S. address as per the depository records (other than from persons in the United States who are U.S. QIBs and QPs).

## Applications by non-resident Shareholders.

Payment from third party bank accounts.

# **Multiple Applications**

In case where multiple Applications are made using same demat account, such Applications shall be liable to be rejected. A separate Application can be made in respect of Rights Entitlements in each demat account of the Shareholders and such Applications shall not be treated as multiple applications. Similarly, a separate Application can be made against Equity Shares held in dematerialized form and Equity Shares held in physical form, and such Applications shall not be treated as multiple applications. Further supplementary Applications in relation to further Equity Shares with/without using additional Rights Entitlement will not be treated as multiple application. A separate Application can be made in respect of each scheme of a mutual fund registered with SEBI and such Applications shall not be treated as multiple applications. For details, see "- Procedure for Applications by Mutual Funds" mentioned below.

In cases where Multiple Application Forms are submitted, including cases where (a) a Shareholders submits Application Forms along with a plain paper Application or (b) multiple plain paper Applications (c) or multiple applications through ASBA, such Applications shall be treated as multiple applications and are liable to be rejected.

# Procedure for Applications by certain categories of Shareholders

## Procedure for Applications by FPIs

In terms of applicable FEMA Rules and the SEBI FPI Regulations, investments by FPIs in the Equity Shares is subject to certain limits, *i.e.*, the individual holding of an FPI (including its Shareholders group (which means multiple entities registered as foreign portfolio Shareholders and directly and indirectly having common ownership of more than 50% of common control)) shall be below 10% of our post-Issue Equity Share capital. In case the total holding of an FPI or Shareholders group increases beyond 10% of the total paid-up Equity Share capital of our Company, on a fully diluted basis or 10% or more of the paid-up value of any series of debentures or preference shares or share warrants that may be issued by our Company, the total investment made by the FPI or Shareholders group will be re classified as FDI subject to the conditions as specified by SEBI and RBI in this regard and our Company and the Shareholders will also be required to comply with applicable reporting requirements.

FPIs are permitted to participate in this Issue subject to compliance with conditions and restrictions which may be specified by the Government from time to time. FPIs who wish to participate in the Issue are advised to use the Application Form for non-residents. Subject to compliance with all applicable Indian laws, rules, regulations, guidelines and approvals in terms of Regulation 21 of the SEBI FPI Regulations, an FPI may issue, subscribe to or otherwise deal in offshore derivative instruments (as defined under the SEBI FPI Regulations as any instrument, by whatever name called, which is issued overseas by an FPI against securities held by it that are listed or proposed to be listed on any recognised stock exchange in India, as its underlying) directly or indirectly, only in the event (i) such offshore derivative instruments are issued only to persons registered as Category I FPI under the SEBI FPI Regulations; (ii) such offshore derivative instruments are issued



only to persons who are eligible for registration as Category I FPIs (where an entity has an investment manager who is from the Financial Action Task Force member country, the investment manager shall not be required to be registered as a Category I FPI); (iii) such offshore derivative instruments are issued after compliance with 'know your client' norms; and (iv) compliance with other conditions as may be prescribed by SEBI.

An FPI issuing offshore derivative instruments is also required to ensure that any transfer of offshore derivative instruments issued by or on its behalf, is carried out subject to inter alia the following conditions:

- 1. Such offshore derivative instruments are transferred only to persons in accordance with the SEBI FPI Regulations; and
- 2. prior consent of the FPI is obtained for such transfer, except when the persons to whom the offshore derivative instruments are to be transferred to are pre approved by the FPI.

No investment under the FDI route will be allowed in the Issue unless such application is accompanied with necessary approval or covered under a pre-existing approval.

## Procedure for Applications by AIFs, FVCIs, VCFs and FDI route

The SEBI VCF Regulations and the SEBI FVCI Regulations prescribe, among other things, the investment restrictions on VCFs and FVCIs registered with SEBI. Further, the SEBI AIF Regulations prescribe, among other things, the investment restrictions on AIFs.

As per the SEBI VCF Regulations and SEBI FVCI Regulations, VCFs and FVCIs are not permitted to invest in listed companies pursuant to rights issues. Accordingly, applications by VCFs or FVCIs will not be accepted in this Issue. Further, venture capital funds registered as Category I AIFs, as defined in the SEBI AIF Regulations, are not permitted to invest in listed companies pursuant to rights issues. Accordingly, applications by venture capital funds registered as category I AIFs, as defined in the SEBI AIF Regulations, will not be accepted in this Issue. Other categories of AIFs are permitted to apply in this Issue subject to compliance with the SEBI AIF Regulations. Such AIFs having bank accounts with SCSBs that are providing ASBA in cities / centres where such AIFs are located are mandatorily required to make use of the ASBA facility. Otherwise, applications of such AIFs are liable for rejection.

No investment under the FDI route (i.e any investment which would result in the Shareholders holding 10% or more of the fully diluted paid-up equity share capital of the Company or any FDI investment for which an approval from the government was taken in the past) will be allowed in the Issue unless such application is accompanied with necessary approval or covered under a pre-existing approval from the government. It will be the sole responsibility of the Shareholders to ensure that the necessary approval or the pre-existing approval from the government is valid in order to make any investment in the Issue. Our Company will not be responsible for any allotments made by relying on such approvals.

#### Procedure for Applications by NRIs

Investments by NRIs are governed by the FEMA Rules. Applications will not be accepted from NRIs that are ineligible to participate in this Issue under applicable securities laws.

As per the FEMA Rules, an NRI or Overseas Citizen of India ("OCI") may purchase or sell capital instruments of a listed Indian company on repatriation basis, on a recognised stock exchange in India, subject to the conditions, *inter alia*, that the total holding by any individual NRI or OCI will not exceed 5% of the total paid-up equity capital on a fully diluted basis or should not exceed 5% of the paid-up value of each series of debentures or preference shares or share warrants issued by an Indian company and the total holdings of all NRIs and OCIs put together will not exceed 10% of the total paid-up equity capital on a fully diluted basis or shall not exceed 10% of the paid-up value of each series of debentures or preference shares or share warrants. The aggregate ceiling of 10% may be raised to 24%, if a special resolution to that effect is passed by the general body of the Indian company.

Further, in accordance with press note 3 of 2020, the FDI Policy has been recently amended to state that all investments by entities incorporate in a country which shares land border with India or where beneficial owner of an investment into India is situated in or is a citizen of any such country ("Restricted Shareholders"), will require prior approval of the Government of India. It is not clear from the press note whether or not an issue of the Rights Equity Shares to Restricted Shareholders will also require prior approval of the Government of India and each Shareholders should seek independent legal advice about its ability to participate in the Issue. In the event such prior approval has been obtained, the Shareholders shall intimate our Company and the Registrar about such approval within the Issue Period.

## Procedure for Applications by Mutual Funds



A separate application can be made in respect of each scheme of an Indian mutual fund registered with SEBI and such applications shall not be treated as multiple applications. The applications made by asset management companies or custodians of a mutual fund should clearly indicate the name of the concerned scheme for which the application is being made.

## Procedure for Applications by Systemically Important Non-Banking Financial Companies ("NBFC SI")

In case of an application made by NBFC-SI registered with RBI, (a) the certificate of registration issued by RBI under Section 45IA of RBI Act, 1934 and (b) net worth certificate from its statutory auditors or any independent chartered accountant based on the last audited financial statements is required to be attached to the application.

## Last date for Application

The last date for submission of the duly filled in the Application Form or a plain paper Application is [●], 2024, *i.e.*, Issue Closing Date. Our Board or any committee thereof may extend the said date for such period as it may determine from time to time, subject to the Issue Period not exceeding 30 days from the Issue Opening Date (inclusive of the Issue Opening Date).

If the Application Form is not submitted with an SCSB, uploaded with the Stock Exchanges and the Application Money is not blocked with the SCSB on or before the Issue Closing Date or such date as may be extended by our Board or any committee thereof, the invitation to offer contained in this Draft Letter of offer shall be deemed to have been declined and our Board or any committee thereof shall be at liberty to dispose of the Equity Shares hereby offered, as set out in "- Basis of Allotment" mentioned below.

Please note that on the Issue Closing Date, (Applications through ASBA process will be uploaded until 5.00 p.m. (Indian Standard Time) or such extended time as permitted by the Stock Exchanges.

Please ensure that the Application Form and necessary details are filled in. In place of Application number, Shareholders can mention the reference number of the e-mail received from Registrar informing about their Rights Entitlement or last eight digits of the demat account. Alternatively, SCSBs may mention their internal reference number in place of application number.

## Withdrawal of Application

An Investor who has applied in this Issue may withdraw their Application at any time during Issue Period by approaching the SCSB where application is submitted. However, no Investor, may withdraw their Application post the Issue Closing Date.

# Disposal of Application and Application Money

No acknowledgment will be issued for the Application Money received by our Company. However, the Designated Branches of the SCSBs receiving the Application Form will acknowledge its receipt by stamping and returning the acknowledgment slip at the bottom of each Application Form to the Eligible Equity Shareholders upon submission of the Application.

Our Board reserves its full, unqualified and absolute right to accept or reject any Application, in whole or in part, and in either case without assigning any reason thereto.

In case an Application is rejected in full, the whole of the Application Money will be unblocked in the respective ASBA Accounts, in case of Applications through ASBA. Wherever an Application is rejected in part, the balance of Application Money, if any, after adjusting any money due on Equity Shares Allotted, will be refunded / unblocked in the respective bank accounts from which Application Money was received / ASBA Accounts of the Shareholders within a period of 4 days from the Issue Closing Date. In case of failure to do so, our Company shall pay interest at such rate and within such time as specified under applicable law.

For further instructions, please read the Application Form carefully.

## CREDIT OF RIGHTS ENTITLEMENTS IN DEMAT ACCOUNTS OF ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDERS

## **Rights Entitlements**



As your name appears as a beneficial owner in respect of the issued and paid-up Equity Shares held in dematerialised form or appears in the register of members of our Company as an Eligible Equity Shareholder in respect of our Equity Shares held in physical form, as on the Record Date, you may be entitled to subscribe to the number of Equity Shares as set out in the Rights Entitlement Letter.

Eligible Equity Shareholders can also obtain the details of their respective Rights Entitlements from the website of the Registrar (*i.e.*, www.purvashare.com) by entering their DP ID and Client ID or Folio Number (for Eligible Equity Shareholders who hold Equity Shares in physical form as on Record Date) and PAN. The link for the same shall also be available on the website of our Company (*i.e.*, www.sikkoindia.com).

In this regard, our Company has made necessary arrangements with NSDL and CDSL for crediting of the Rights Entitlements to the demat accounts of the Eligible Equity Shareholders in a dematerialized form. A separate ISIN for the Rights Entitlements has also been generated which is [●]. The said ISIN shall remain frozen (for debit) until the Issue Opening Date. The said ISIN shall be suspended for transfer by the Depositories post the Issue Closing Date.

Additionally, our Company will submit the details of the total Rights Entitlements credited to the demat accounts of the Eligible Equity Shareholders and the demat suspense escrow account to the Stock Exchanges after completing the corporate action. The details of the Rights Entitlements with respect to each Eligible Equity Shareholders can be accessed by such respective Eligible Equity Shareholders on the website of the Registrar after keying in their respective details along with other security control measures implemented thereat.

Rights Entitlements shall be credited to the respective demat accounts of Eligible Equity Shareholders before the Issue Opening Date only in dematerialised form. Further, if no Application is made by the Eligible Equity Shareholders of Rights Entitlements on or before Issue Closing Date, such Rights Entitlements shall get lapsed and shall be extinguished after the Issue Closing Date. No Equity Shares for such lapsed Rights Entitlements the will be credited, even if such Rights Entitlements were purchased from market and purchaser will lose the premium paid to acquire the Rights Entitlements. Persons who are credited the Rights Entitlements are required to make an Application to apply for Equity Shares offered under Rights Issue for subscribing to the Equity Shares offered under Issue.

If Eligible Equity Shareholders holding Equity Shares in physical form as on Record Date, have not provided the details of their demat accounts to our Company or to the Registrar, they are required to provide their demat account details to our Company or the Registrar not later than two Working Days prior to the Issue Closing Date, to enable the credit of the Rights Entitlements by way of transfer from the demat suspense escrow account to their respective demat accounts, at least one day before the Issue Closing Date. Such Eligible Equity Shareholders holding shares in physical form can update the details of their respective demat accounts on the website of the Registrar (*i.e.* www.purvashare.com). Such Eligible Equity Shareholders can make an Application only after the Rights Entitlements is credited to their respective demat accounts.

In accordance with Regulation 77A of the SEBI ICDR Regulations read with the SEBI Rights Issue Circulars, the credit of Rights Entitlements and Allotment of Equity Shares shall be made in dematerialized form only. Prior to the Issue Opening Date, our Company shall credit the Rights Entitlements to (i) the demat accounts of the Eligible Equity Shareholders holding the Equity Shares in dematerialised form; and (ii) a demat suspense escrow account (namely, [•]") opened by our Company, for the Eligible Equity Shareholders which would comprise Rights Entitlements relating to (a) Equity Shares held in the account of the IEPF authority; or (b) the demat accounts of the Eligible Equity Shareholder which are frozen or suspended for debit or credit or the Equity Shares which are lying in the unclaimed suspense account (including those pursuant to Regulation 39 of the SEBI Listing Regulations) or details of which are unavailable with our Company or with the Registrar on the Record Date; or (c) Equity Shares held by Eligible Equity Shareholders holding Equity Shares in physical form as on Record Date where details of demat accounts are not provided by Eligible Equity Shareholders to our Company or Registrar; or (d) credit of the Rights Entitlements returned/reversed/failed; or (e) the ownership of the Equity Shares currently under dispute, including any court proceedings, if any; or (f) non-institutional equity shareholders in the United States.

Eligible Equity Shareholders are requested to provide relevant details (such as copies of self-attested PAN and client master sheet of demat account etc., details/records confirming the legal and beneficial ownership of their respective Equity Shares) to our Company or the Registrar not later than two Working Days prior to the Issue Closing Date, i.e., by [•], 2024 to enable the credit of their Rights Entitlements by way of transfer from the demat suspense escrow account to their demat account at least one day before the Issue Closing Date, to enable such Eligible Equity Shareholders to make an application in this Issue, and this communication shall serve as an intimation to such Eligible Equity Shareholders in this regard. Such Eligible Equity Shareholders are also requested to ensure that their demat account, details of which have been provided to our Company or the Registrar account is active to facilitate the aforementioned transfer.



# RENUNCIATION AND TRADING OF RIGHTS ENTITLEMENT

#### Renouncees

All rights and obligations of the Eligible Equity Shareholders in relation to Applications and refunds pertaining to this Issue shall apply to the Renouncee(s) as well.

## **Renunciation of Rights Entitlements**

This Issue includes a right exercisable by Eligible Equity Shareholders to renounce the Rights Entitlements credited to their respective demat account either in full or in part.

The renunciation from non-resident Eligible Equity Shareholder(s) to resident Indian(s) and *vice versa* shall be subject to provisions of FEMA Rules and other circular, directions, or guidelines issued by RBI or the Ministry of Finance from time to time. However, the facility of renunciation shall not be available to or operate in favor of an Eligible Equity Shareholders being an erstwhile OCB unless the same is in compliance with the FEMA Rules and other circular, directions, or guidelines issued by RBI or the Ministry of Finance from time to time.

The renunciation of Rights Entitlements credited in your demat account can be made either by sale of such Rights Entitlements, using the secondary market platform of the Stock Exchanges or through an off-market transfer.

#### **Procedure for Renunciation of Rights Entitlements**

The Eligible Equity Shareholders may renounce the Rights Entitlements, credited to their respective demat accounts, either in full or in part (a) by using the secondary market platform of the Stock Exchanges (the "On Market Renunciation"); or (b) through an off-market transfer (the "Off Market Renunciation"), during the Renunciation Period. The Shareholders should have the demat Rights Entitlements credited/lying in his/her own demat account prior to the renunciation. The trades through On Market Renunciation and Off Market Renunciation will be settled by transferring the Rights Entitlements through the depository mechanism.

Shareholders may be subject to adverse foreign, state or local tax or legal consequences as a result of trading in the Rights Entitlements. Shareholders who intend to trade in the Rights Entitlements should consult their tax advisor or stock-broker regarding any cost, applicable taxes, charges and expenses (including brokerage) that may be levied for trading in Rights Entitlements.

Please note that the Rights Entitlements which are neither renounced nor subscribed by the Shareholders on or before the Issue Closing Date shall lapse and shall be extinguished after the Issue Closing Date.

Our Company accept no responsibility to bear or pay any cost, applicable taxes, charges and expenses (including brokerage), and such costs will be incurred solely by the Shareholders.

#### On Market Renunciation

The Eligible Equity Shareholders may renounce the Rights Entitlements, credited to their respective demat accounts by trading/selling them on the secondary market platform of the Stock Exchanges through a registered stock-broker in the same manner as the existing Equity Shares of our Company.

In this regard, in terms of provisions of the SEBI ICDR Regulations and the SEBI Rights Issue Circulars, the Rights Entitlements credited to the respective demat accounts of the Eligible Equity Shareholders shall be admitted for trading on the Stock Exchanges under ISIN [•] subject to requisite approvals. Prior to the Issue Opening Date, our Company will obtain the approval from the Stock Exchanges for trading of Rights Entitlements. No assurance can be given regarding the active or sustained On Market Renunciation or the price at which the Rights Entitlements will trade. The details for trading in Rights Entitlements will be as specified by the Stock Exchanges from time to time.

The Rights Entitlements are tradable in dematerialized form only. The market lot for trading of Rights Entitlements is one Rights Entitlements.

The on Market Renunciation shall take place only during the Renunciation Period for On Market Renunciation, *i.e.*, from  $[\bullet]$  to  $[\bullet]$ , 2024 (both days inclusive).



The Shareholders holding the Rights Entitlements who desire to sell their Rights Entitlements will have to do so through their registered stock-brokers by quoting the ISIN [•] and indicating the details of the Rights Entitlements they intend to trade.

The Shareholders can place order for sale of Rights Entitlements only to the extent of Rights Entitlements available in their demat account.

The On Market Renunciation shall take place electronically on secondary market platform of NSE under automatic order matching mechanism and on 'T+2 rolling settlement basis', where 'T' refers to the date of trading. The transactions will be settled on trade-for-trade basis. Upon execution of the order, the stock-broker will issue a contract note in accordance with the requirements of the Stock Exchange and the SEBI.

#### **Off Market Renunciation**

The Eligible Equity Shareholders may renounce the Rights Entitlements, credited to their respective demat accounts by way of an off-market transfer through a depository participant. The Rights Entitlements can be transferred in dematerialised form only.

Eligible Equity Shareholders are requested to ensure that renunciation through off-market transfer is completed in such a manner that the Rights Entitlements are credited to the demat accounts of the Renouncees on or prior to the Issue Closing Date to enable Renouncees to subscribe to the Equity Shares in the Issue.

The Shareholders holding the Rights Entitlements who desire to transfer their Rights Entitlements will have to do so through their depository participant by issuing a delivery instruction slip quoting the ISIN [●], the details of the buyer and the details of the Rights Entitlements they intend to transfer. The buyer of the Rights Entitlements (unless already having given a standing receipt instruction) has to issue a receipt instruction slip to their depository participant. The Shareholders can transfer Rights Entitlements only to the extent of Rights Entitlements available in their demat account.

The instructions for transfer of Rights Entitlements can be issued during the working hours of the depository participants. The detailed rules for transfer of Rights Entitlements through off-market transfer shall be as specified by the NSDL and CDSL from time to time.

## MODE OF PAYMENT

All payments against the Application Forms shall be made only through ASBA facility. The Registrar will not accept any payments against the Application Forms, if such payments are not made through ASBA facility.

In case of Application through the ASBA facility, the Shareholders agrees to block the entire amount payable on Application with the submission of the Application Form, by authorizing the SCSB to block an amount, equivalent to the amount payable on Application, in the Shareholder's ASBA Account. The SCSB may reject the application at the time of acceptance of Application Form if the ASBA Account, details of which have been provided by the Shareholders in the Application Form does not have sufficient funds equivalent to the amount payable on Application mentioned in the Application Form. Subsequent to the acceptance of the Application by the SCSB, our Company would have a right to reject the Application on technical grounds as set forth in this Draft Letter of offer.

After verifying that sufficient funds are available in the ASBA Account details of which are provided in the Application Form, the SCSB shall block an amount equivalent to the Application Money mentioned in the Application Form until the Transfer Date. On the Transfer Date, upon receipt of intimation from the Registrar, and pursuant to the finalization of the Basis of Allotment as approved by the Designated Stock Exchange, the SCSBs shall transfer such amount as per the Registrar's instruction from the ASBA Account into the Allotment Account(s) which shall be a separate bank account maintained by our Company, other than the bank account referred to in sub-section (3) of Section 40 of the Companies Act, 2013. The balance amount remaining after the finalisation of the Basis of Allotment on the Transfer Date shall be unblocked by the SCSBs on the basis of the instructions issued in this regard by the Registrar to the respective SCSB.

In terms of RBI Circular DBOD No. FSC BC 42/24.47.00/2003- 04 dated November 5, 2003, the stock invest scheme has been withdrawn. Hence, payment through stock invest would not be accepted in this Issue.

## **Mode of payment for Resident Shareholders**



All payments on the Application Forms shall be made only through ASBA facility. Applicants are requested to strictly adhere to these instructions.

## Mode of payment for Non-Resident Shareholders

As regards the Application by non-resident Shareholders, payment must be made only through ASBA facility and using permissible accounts in accordance with FEMA, FEMA Rules and requirements prescribed by RBI and subject to the following:

- 1. In case where repatriation benefit is available, interest, dividend, sales proceeds derived from the investment in Equity Shares can be remitted outside India, subject to tax, as applicable according to the Income-tax Act. However, please note that conditions applicable at the time of original investment in our Company by the Eligible Equity Shareholder including repatriation shall not change and remain the same for subscription in the Issue or subscription pursuant to renunciation in the Issue.
- 2. Subject to the above, in case Equity Shares are Allotted on a non-repatriation basis, the dividend and sale proceeds of the Equity Shares cannot be remitted outside India.
- 3. In case of an Application Form received from non-residents, Allotment, refunds and other distribution, if any, will be made in accordance with the guidelines and rules prescribed by RBI as applicable at the time of making such Allotment, remittance and subject to necessary approvals.
- 4. Application Forms received from non-residents/ NRIs, or persons of Indian origin residing abroad for Allotment of Equity Shares shall, amongst other things, be subject to conditions, as may be imposed from time to time by RBI under FEMA, in respect of matters including Refund of Application Money and Allotment.
- 5. In the case of NRIs who remit their Application Money from funds held in FCNR/NRE Accounts, refunds and other disbursements, if any shall be credited to such account.
- 6. Non-resident Renouncees who are not Eligible Equity Shareholders must submit regulatory approval for applying for additional Equity Shares.

## BASIS FOR THIS ISSUE AND TERMS OF THIS ISSUE

The Equity Shares are being offered for subscription to the Eligible Equity Shareholders whose names appear as beneficial owners as per the list to be furnished by the Depositories in respect of our Equity Shares held in dematerialised form and on the register of members of our Company in respect of our Equity Shares held in physical form at the close of business hours on the Record Date.

For principal terms of Issue such as face value, Issue Price, Rights Entitlement ratio, see "The Issue" beginning on mentioned above.

#### **Fractional Entitlements**

The Rights Equity Shares are being offered on a rights basis to existing Eligible Public Equity Shareholders in the ratio of 4 Rights Equity Shares for every 5 fully paid-up Equity Shares held as on the Record Date. As per ASBA Circular, the fractional entitlements are to be ignored. Accordingly, if the shareholding of any of the Eligible Equity Shareholders is less than 5 Equity Shares or is not in the multiple of 5 Equity Shares, the fractional entitlements of such Eligible Equity Shareholders shall be ignored by rounding down of their Rights Entitlements.

However, the Eligible Equity Shareholders whose fractional entitlements are being ignored, will be given preferential consideration for the Allotment of one additional Rights Equity Share if they apply for additional Rights Equity Shares over and above their Rights Entitlements, if any, subject to availability of Rights Equity Shares in this Issue post allocation towards Rights Entitlements applied for.

## Ranking

The Equity Shares to be issued and Allotted pursuant to this Issue shall be subject to the provisions of this Draft Letter of offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter, the Application Form, and the Memorandum of Association and the Articles of Association, the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, FEMA, the SEBI ICDR Regulations, the SEBI Listing Regulations, and the guidelines, notifications and regulations issued by SEBI, the Government of India and other statutory and regulatory authorities from time to time, the terms of the Listing Agreements entered into by our Company with the Stock Exchanges and the terms and conditions as stipulated in the Allotment advice. The Equity Shares to be issued and Allotted under this Issue shall rank *pari passu* with the existing Equity Shares, in all respects including dividends.



#### Listing and trading of the Equity Shares to be issued pursuant to this Issue

Subject to receipt of the listing and trading approvals, the Equity Shares proposed to be issued on a rights basis shall be listed and admitted for trading on the Stock Exchange. Unless otherwise permitted by the SEBI ICDR Regulations, the Equity Shares Allotted pursuant to this Issue will be listed as soon as practicable and all steps for completion of necessary formalities for listing and commencement of trading in the Equity Shares will be taken within such period prescribed under the SEBI ICDR Regulations. Our Company has received in-principle approval from the NSE through letter bearing reference number [•] dated [•]. Our Company will apply to the Stock Exchanges for final approvals for the listing and trading of the Equity Shares subsequent to their Allotment. No assurance can be given regarding the active or sustained trading in the Equity Shares or the price at which the Equity Shares offered under this Issue will trade after the listing thereof.

The existing Equity Shares are listed and traded on NSE (Scrip Code: SIKKO) under the ISIN: INE112X01017. The Equity Shares shall be credited to a temporary ISIN which will be frozen until the receipt of the final listing/ trading approvals from the Stock Exchange. Upon receipt of such listing and trading approvals, the Equity Shares shall be debited from such temporary ISIN and credited to the new ISIN for the Equity Shares and thereafter be available for trading and the temporary ISIN shall be permanently deactivated in the depository system of CDSL and NSDL.

The listing and trading of the Equity Shares issued pursuant to this Issue shall be based on the current regulatory framework then applicable. Accordingly, any change in the regulatory regime would affect the listing and trading schedule.

In case our Company fails to obtain listing or trading permission from the Stock Exchanges, our Company shall refund through verifiable means/unblock the respective ASBA Accounts, the entire monies received/blocked within four days of receipt of intimation from the Stock Exchanges, rejecting the application for listing of the Equity Shares, and if any such money is not refunded/ unblocked within four days after our Company becomes liable to repay it, our Company and every director of our Company who is an officer-in-default shall, on and from the expiry of the fourth day, be jointly and severally liable to repay that money with interest at rates prescribed under applicable law.

## Subscription to this Issue by our Promoter and members of the Promoter Group

For details of the intent and extent of subscription by our Promoter and members of the Promoter Group, see "Capital Structure - Intention and extent of participation by our Promoter" mentioned above.

## Rights of the Rights Equity Shareholder

Subject to applicable laws, the Rights Equity Shareholders shall have the following rights:

- The right to receive dividend, if declared;
- The right to attend general meetings and exercise voting powers, unless prohibited by law;
- The right to vote in person or by proxy;
- The right to receive offers for rights shares and be allotted bonus shares, if announced;
- The right to receive surplus on liquidation;
- The right to free transferability of Rights Equity Shares; and
- Such other rights as may be available to a shareholder of a listed public company under the Companies Act and Memorandum of Association and Articles of Association.

## **General Terms of the Issue**

#### **Market Lot**

The Equity Shares of our Company are tradable only in dematerialised form. The market lot for Rights Equity Shares in dematerialised mode is one Equity Share.

#### **Joint Holders**

Where two or more persons are registered as the holders of any Equity Shares, they shall be deemed to hold the same as the joint holders with the benefit of survivorship subject to the provisions contained in our Articles of Association. In case of Equity Shares held by joint holders, the Application submitted in physical mode to the Designated Branch of the SCSBs would be required to be signed by all the joint holders (in the same order as appearing in the records of the Depository) to be considered as valid for allotment of Equity Shares offered in this Issue.



#### Nomination

Nomination facility is available in respect of the Equity Shares in accordance with the provisions of the Section 72 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 19 of the Companies (Share Capital and Debenture) Rules, 2014.

Since the Allotment is in dematerialised form, there is no need to make a separate nomination for the Equity Shares to be allotted in this Issue. Nominations registered with the respective DPs of the Shareholders would prevail. Any Shareholders holding Equity Shares in dematerialised form and desirous of changing the existing nomination is requested to inform its Depository Participant.

## Arrangements for Disposal of Odd Lots

The Equity Shares shall be traded in dematerialised form only and, therefore, the marketable lot shall be One Equity Share and hence, no arrangements for disposal of odd lots are required.

#### Notices

In accordance with the SEBI ICDR Regulations and the SEBI Right Issue Circulars, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Application Form, the Rights Entitlement Letter and other Issue material will be sent/dispatched only to the Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided Indian address. In case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have provided their valid e-mail address, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Application Form, the Rights Entitlement Letter and other Issue material will be sent only to their valid e-mail address and in case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have not provided their e-mail address, then the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Application Form, the Rights Entitlement Letter and other Issue material will be dispatched, on a reasonable effort basis, to the Indian addresses provided by them.

Further, this Letter of Offer will be sent/ dispatched to the Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided Indian address and who have made a request in this regard. In case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have provided their valid e-mail address, the Letter of Offer will be sent only to their valid e-mail address and in case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have not provided their e-mail address, then the Letter of Offer will be dispatched, on a reasonable effort basis, to the Indian addresses provided by them.

All notices to the Eligible Equity Shareholders required to be given by our Company shall be published in one English language national daily newspaper with wide circulation and one Marathi language national daily newspaper with wide circulation being the regional language of Maharashtra, where our Registered Office is situated.

This Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer and the Application Form shall also be submitted with the Stock Exchanges for making the same available on their websites.

## Offer to Non-Resident Eligible Equity Shareholders/Shareholders

As per Rule 7 of the FEMA Rules, RBI has given general permission to Indian companies to issue Equity Shares to non-resident Equity Shareholders including additional Equity Shares. Further, as per the Master Direction on Foreign Investment in India dated January 4, 2018 issued by RBI, non-residents may, amongst other things, (i) subscribe for additional shares over and above their Rights Entitlements; (ii) renounce the shares offered to them either in full or part thereof in favour of a person named by them; or (iii) apply for the shares renounced in their favour. Applications received from NRIs and non residents for allotment of Equity Shares shall be, amongst other things, subject to the conditions imposed from time to time by RBI under FEMA in the matter of Application, refund of Application Money, Allotment of Equity Shares and issue of Rights Entitlement Letters/ letters of Allotment/Allotment advice. If a non-resident or NRI Shareholders has specific approval from RBI or any other governmental authority, in connection with his shareholding in our Company, such person should enclose a copy of such approval with the Application details and send it to the Registrar at Purva Sharegistry (India) Private Limited at <a href="newissue@purvashare.com">newissue@purvashare.com</a>. It will be the sole responsibility of the Shareholders to ensure that the necessary approval from the RBI or the governmental authority is valid in order to make any investment in the Issue and our Company will not be responsible for any such allotments made by relying on such approvals.

The Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter and Application Form shall be sent only to the Indian addresses of the non-resident Eligible Equity Shareholders on a reasonable efforts basis, who have provided an Indian address to our Company and located in jurisdictions where the offer and sale of the Equity Shares may be permitted under laws of such jurisdictions, Eligible Equity Shareholders can access this Letter Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer and the Application



Form (provided that the Eligible Equity Shareholder is eligible to subscribe for the Equity Shares under applicable securities laws) from the websites of the Registrar, our Company, and the Stock Exchanges. Further, Application Forms will be made available at Registered Office of our Company for the non-resident Indian Applicants. Our Board may at its absolute discretion, agree to such terms and conditions as may be stipulated by RBI while approving the Allotment. The Equity Shares purchased by non-residents shall be subject to the same conditions including restrictions in regard to the repatriation as are applicable to the original Equity Shares against which Equity Shares are issued on rights basis.

In case of change of status of holders, *i.e.*, from resident to non-resident, a new demat account must be opened. Any Application from a demat account which does not reflect the accurate status of the Applicant is liable to be rejected at the sole discretion of our Company.

Please also note that pursuant to Circular No. 14 dated September 16, 2003 issued by RBI, Overseas Corporate Bodies ("OCBs") have been derecognized as an eligible class of Shareholders and RBI has subsequently issued the Foreign Exchange Management (Withdrawal of General Permission to Overseas Corporate Bodies (OCBs)) Regulations, 2003. Any Shareholders being an OCB is required not to be under the adverse notice of RBI and in order to apply for this issue as an incorporated non-resident must do so in accordance with the FDI Circular 2020 and Foreign Exchange Management (Non-Debt Instrument) Rules, 2019.

The non-resident Eligible Equity Shareholders can update their Indian address in the records maintained by the Registrar and our Company by submitting their respective copies of self-attested proof of address, passport, etc. by mail at <a href="mailto:newissue@purvashare.com">newissue@purvashare.com</a>.

## ALLOTMENT OF THE EQUITY SHARES IN DEMATERIALIZED FORM

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE EQUITY SHARES APPLIED FOR IN THIS ISSUE CAN BE ALLOTTED ONLY IN DEMATERIALIZED FORM AND TO THE SAME DEPOSITORY ACCOUNT IN WHICH OUR EQUITY SHARES ARE HELD BY SUCH SHAREHOLDERS ON THE RECORD DATE. FOR DETAILS, SEE "ALLOTMENT ADVICE OR REFUND/ UNBLOCKING OF ASBA ACCOUNTS" AS MENTIONED ABOVE

## **Issue Schedule**

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Last date for credit of Rights entitlements	[•]		
Issue opening date	[•]		
Last Date on Market Renunciation of Rights Entitlements#	[•]		
Issue Closing Date*	[•]		
Finalisation of Basis of Allotment (On or About)	[•]		
Date of Allotment (On or About)	[•]		
Date of Credit (On or About)	[•]		
Date of Listing (On or About)	[•]		

<sup>#</sup> Eligible Equity Shareholders are requested to ensure that renunciation through off-market transfer is completed in such a manner that the Rights Entitlements are credited to the demat account of the Renouncees on or prior to the Issue Closing Date.

Please note that if Eligible Equity Shareholders holding Equity Shares in physical form as on Record Date, have not provided the details of their demat accounts to our Company or to the Registrar, they are required to provide their demat account details to our Company or the Registrar not later than two Working Days prior to the Issue Closing Date, *i.e.*, [•], 2024 to enable the credit of the Rights Entitlements by way of transfer from the demat suspense escrow account to their respective demat accounts, at least one day before the Issue Closing Date, *i.e.*, [•], 2024.

## **Basis of Allotment**

Subject to the provisions contained in this Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter, the Application Form, the Articles of Association and the approval of the Designated Stock Exchange, our Board will proceed to allot the Equity Shares in the following order of priority:

<sup>\*</sup> Our Board or the Rights Issue Committee, duly constituted and authorized by the Board of Directors in their meeting held on May 30, 2024, thereof will have the right to extend the Issue Period as it may determine from time to time but not exceeding 30 days from the Issue Opening Date (inclusive of the Issue Opening Date). Further, no withdrawal of Application shall be permitted by any Applicant after the Issue Closing Date.



- (a) Full Allotment to those Eligible Equity Shareholders who have applied for their Rights Entitlements of Equity Shares either in full or in part and also to the Renouncee(s) who has or have applied for Equity Shares renounced in their favour, in full or in part.
- (b) Eligible Equity Shareholders whose fractional entitlements are being ignored and Eligible Equity Shareholders with zero entitlement, would be given preference in allotment of one additional Equity Share each if they apply for additional Equity Shares. Allotment under this head shall be considered if there are any unsubscribed Equity Shares after allotment under (a) above. If number of Equity Shares required for Allotment under this head are more than the number of Equity Shares available after Allotment under (a) above, the Allotment would be made on a fair and equitable basis in consultation with the Designated Stock Exchange and will not be a preferential allotment.
- (c) Allotment to the Eligible Equity Shareholders who having applied for all the Equity Shares offered to them as part of this Issue, have also applied for additional Equity Shares. The Allotment of such additional Equity Shares will be made as far as possible on an equitable basis having due regard to the number of Equity Shares held by them on the Record Date, provided there are any unsubscribed Equity Shares after making full Allotment in (a) and (b) above. The Allotment of such Equity Shares will be on equitable basis giving due regard to the holdings as on the record date and will not be a preferential allotment.
- (d) Allotment to Renouncees who having applied for all the Equity Shares renounced in their favour, have applied for additional Equity Shares provided there is surplus available after making full Allotment under (a), (b) and (c) above. The Allotment of such Equity Shares will be made on a proportionate basis in consultation with the Designated Stock Exchange, as a part of this Issue and will not be a preferential allotment.
- (e) Allotment to any other person, subject to applicable laws, that our Board may deem fit, provided there is surplus available after making Allotment under (a), (b), (c) and (d) above, and the decision of our Board in this regard shall be final and binding.

After taking into account Allotment to be made under (a) to (d) above, if there is any unsubscribed portion, the same shall be deemed to be 'unsubscribed'.

Upon approval of the Basis of Allotment by the Designated Stock Exchange, the Registrar shall send to the Controlling Branches, a list of the Shareholders who have been allocated Equity Shares in this Issue, along with:

- i) The amount to be transferred from the ASBA Account to the separate bank account opened by our Company for this Issue, for each successful Application;
- ii) The date by which the funds referred to above, shall be transferred to the aforesaid bank account; and
- iii) The details of rejected ASBA applications, if any, to enable the SCSBs to unblock the respective ASBA Accounts.

Further, the list of Applicants eligible for refund with corresponding amount will also be shared with Escrow Collection Bank(s) to refund such Applicants.

## ALLOTMENT ADVICE OR REFUND/ UNBLOCKING OF ASBA ACCOUNTS

Our Company will send/ dispatch Allotment advice, refund intimations or demat credit of securities and/or letters of regret, only to the Eligible Equity Shareholders who have provided Indian address. In case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have provided their valid e-mail address, Allotment advice, refund intimations or demat credit of securities and/or letters of regret will be sent only to their valid e-mail address and in case such Eligible Equity Shareholders have not provided their e-mail address, then the Allotment advice, refund intimations or demat credit of securities and/or letters of regret will be dispatched, on a reasonable effort basis, to the Indian addresses provided by them; along with crediting the Allotted Equity Shares to the respective beneficiary accounts (only in dematerialised mode) or in a demat suspense account (in respect of Eligible Equity Shareholders holding Equity Shares in physical form on the Allotment Date) or issue instructions for unblocking the funds in the respective ASBA Accounts, if any, within a period of 4 days from the Issue Closing Date. In case of failure to do so, our Company and our Directors who are "officers in default" shall pay interest at 15% p.a. and such other rate as specified under applicable law from the expiry of such 4 days' period.

The Rights Entitlements will be credited in the dematerialized form using electronic credit under the depository system and the Allotment advice shall be sent, through an e-mail, to the e-mail address provided to our Company or at the address recorded with the Depository.

In the case of non-resident Shareholders who remit their Application Money from funds held in the NRE or the FCNR Accounts, unblocking and/or payment of interest or dividend and other disbursements, if any, shall be credited to such accounts.



Where an Applicant has applied for additional Equity Shares in the Issue and is allotted a lesser number of Equity Shares than applied for, the excess Application Money paid/blocked shall be refunded/unblocked. The unblocking of ASBA funds / refund of monies shall be completed be within such period as prescribed under the SEBI ICDR Regulations. In the event that there is a delay in making refunds beyond such period as prescribed under applicable law, our Company shall pay the requisite interest at such rate as prescribed under applicable law.

# PAYMENT OF REFUND

## Mode of making refunds

The payment of refund, if any, including in the event of oversubscription or failure to list or otherwise would be done through any of the following modes.

## Unblocking amounts blocked using ASBA facility.

NACH – National Automated Clearing House is a consolidated system of electronic clearing service. Payment of refund would be done through NACH for Applicants having an account at one of the centres specified by RBI, where such facility has been made available. This would be subject to availability of complete bank account details including MICR code wherever applicable from the depository. The payment of refund through NACH is mandatory for Applicants having a bank account at any of the centres where NACH facility has been made available by RBI (subject to availability of all information for crediting the refund through NACH including the MICR code as appearing on a cheque leaf, from the depositories), except where Applicant is otherwise disclosed as eligible to get refunds through NEFT or Direct Credit or RTGS.

National Electronic Fund Transfer ("NEFT") – Payment of refund shall be undertaken through NEFT wherever the Shareholders' bank has been assigned the Indian Financial System Code ("IFSC Code"), which can be linked to a MICR, allotted to that particular bank branch. IFSC Code will be obtained from the website of RBI as on a date immediately prior to the date of payment of refund, duly mapped with MICR numbers. Wherever the Shareholders have registered their nine digit MICR number and their bank account number with the Registrar to our Company or with the Depository Participant while opening and operating the demat account, the same will be duly mapped with the IFSC Code of that particular bank branch and the payment of refund will be made to the Shareholders through this method.

**Direct Credit** – Shareholders having bank accounts with the Banker(s) to the Issue shall be eligible to receive refunds through direct credit. Charges, if any, levied by the relevant bank(s) for the same would be borne by our Company.

RTGS – If the refund amount exceeds Rs. 2,00,000, the Shareholders have the option to receive refund through RTGS. Such eligible Shareholders who indicate their preference to receive refund through RTGS are required to provide the IFSC Code in the Application Form. In the event the same is not provided, refund shall be made through NACH or any other eligible mode. Charges, if any, levied by the Refund Bank(s) for the same would be borne by our Company. Charges, if any, levied by the Shareholder's bank receiving the credit would be borne by the Shareholders.

For all other Shareholders, the refund orders will be dispatched through speed post or registered post subject to applicable laws. Such refunds will be made by cheques, pay orders or demands drawn in favour of the sole/first Shareholders and payable at par.

Credit of refunds to Shareholders in any other electronic manner, permissible by SEBI from time to time.

**Refund payment to non-residents** The Application Money will be unblocked in the ASBA Account of the non-resident Applicants, details of which were provided in the Application Form.

## ALLOTMENT ADVICE OR DEMAT CREDIT OF SECURITIES

## Receipt of the Equity Shares in Dematerialized Form

The demat credit of securities to the respective beneficiary accounts will be credited within 15 days from the Issue Closing Date or such other timeline in accordance with applicable laws.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE EQUITY SHARES APPLIED FOR UNDER THIS ISSUE CAN BE ALLOTTED ONLY IN DEMATERIALIZED FORM AND TO (A) THE SAME DEPOSITORY ACCOUNT/CORRESPONDING PAN IN WHICH THE EQUITY SHARES ARE HELD BY SUCH SHAREHOLDERS ON



THE RECORD DATE, OR (B) THE DEPOSITORY ACCOUNT, DETAILS OF WHICH HAVE BEEN PROVIDED TO OUR COMPANY OR THE REGISTRAR AT LEAST TWO WORKING DAYS PRIOR TO THE ISSUE CLOSING DATE BY THE ELIGIBLE EQUITY SHAREHOLDER HOLDING EQUITY SHARES IN PHYSICAL FORM AS ON THE RECORD DATE.

Shareholders shall be allotted the Equity Shares in dematerialized (electronic) form. Our Company has signed an agreement with NSDL and with CDSL which enables the Shareholders to hold and trade in the securities issued by our Company in a dematerialized form, instead of holding the Equity Shares in the form of physical certificates.

# SHAREHOLDERS MAY PLEASE NOTE THAT THE EQUITY SHARES CAN BE TRADED ON THE STOCK EXCHANGES ONLY IN DEMATERIALIZED FORM.

The procedure for availing the facility for Allotment of Equity Shares in this Issue in the dematerialized form is as under:

- i) Open a beneficiary account with any depository participant (care should be taken that the beneficiary account should carry the name of the holder in the same manner as is registered in the records of our Company. In the case of joint holding, the beneficiary account should be opened carrying the names of the holders in the same order as registered in the records of our Company). In case of Shareholders having various folios in our Company with different joint holders, the Shareholders will have to open separate accounts for such holdings. Those Shareholders who have already opened such beneficiary account(s) need not adhere to this step.
- ii) It should be ensured that the depository account is in the name(s) of the Shareholders and the names are in the same order as in the records of our Company or the Depositories.
- iii) The responsibility for correctness of information filled in the Application Form *vis-a-vis* such information with the Shareholder's depository participant, would rest with the Shareholders. Shareholders should ensure that the names of the Shareholders and the order in which they appear in Application Form should be the same as registered with the Shareholder's depository participant.
- (iv) If incomplete or incorrect beneficiary account details are given in the Application Form, the Shareholders will not get any Equity Shares and the Application Form will be rejected.
- (v) The Equity Shares will be allotted to Applicants only in dematerialized form and would be directly credited to the beneficiary account as given in the Application Form after verification or demat suspense account (pending receipt of demat account details for resident Eligible Equity Shareholders holding Equity Shares in physical form/ with IEPF authority/ in suspense, etc.). Allotment advice, refund order (if any) would be sent directly to the Applicant by e-mail and, if the printing is feasible, through physical dispatch, by the Registrar but the Applicant's depository participant will provide to him the confirmation of the credit of such Equity Shares to the Applicant's depository account.
- (vi) Non-transferable Allotment advice/ refund intimation will be directly sent to the Shareholders by the Registrar, by email and, if the printing is feasible, through physical dispatch.
- (vii)Renouncees will also have to provide the necessary details about their beneficiary account for Allotment of Equity Shares in this Issue. In case these details are incomplete or incorrect, the Application is liable to be rejected.

## **IMPERSONATION**

As a matter of abundant caution, attention of the Shareholders is specifically drawn to the provisions of Section 38 of the Companies Act, 2013 which is reproduced below:

"Any person who makes or abets making of an application in a fictitious name to a company for acquiring, or subscribing for, its securities; or makes or abets making of multiple applications to a company in different names or in different combinations of his name or surname for acquiring or subscribing for its securities; or otherwise induces directly or indirectly a company to allot, or register any transfer of, securities to him, or to any other person in a fictitious name, shall be liable for action under Section 447."

The liability prescribed under Section 447 of the Companies Act, 2013 for fraud involving an amount of at least Rs. 0.1 crore or 1% of the turnover of the company, whichever is lower, includes imprisonment for a term of not less than six months extending up to 10 years (provided that where the fraud involves public interest, such term shall not be less than three years) and fine of an amount not less than the amount involved in the fraud, extending up to three times of such amount. In case the fraud involves (i) an amount which is less than Rs. 0.1 crore or 1% of the turnover of the company, whichever is lower; and (ii) does not involve public interest, then such fraud is punishable with an imprisonment for a term extending up to five years or a fine of an amount extending up to Rs. 0.5 crore or with both.



## UTILISATION OF ISSUE PROCEEDS

Our Board declares that:

- A. All monies received out of this Issue shall be transferred to a separate bank account;
- B. Details of all monies utilized out of this Issue referred to under (A) above shall be disclosed, and continue to be disclosed till the time any part of the Issue Proceeds remains unutilised, under an appropriate separate head in the balance sheet of our Company indicating the purpose for which such monies have been utilised; and
- C. Details of all unutilized monies out of this Issue referred to under (A) above, if any, shall be disclosed under an appropriate separate head in the balance sheet of our Company indicating the form in which such unutilized monies have been invested.

## UNDERTAKINGS BY OUR COMPANY

Our Company undertakes the following:

- i) The complaints received in respect of this Issue shall be attended to by our Company expeditiously and satisfactorily.
- ii) All steps for completion of the necessary formalities for listing and commencement of trading at all Stock Exchanges where the Equity Shares are to be listed will be taken by our Board within seven Working Days of finalization of Basis of Allotment.
- iii) The funds required for making refunds / unblocking to unsuccessful Applicants as per the mode(s) disclosed shall be made available to the Registrar by our Company.
- iv) Where refunds are made through electronic transfer of funds, a suitable communication shall be sent to the Shareholders within 4 days of the Issue Closing Date, giving details of the banks where refunds shall be credited along with amount and expected date of electronic credit of refund.
- v) In case of refund / unblocking of the Application Money for unsuccessful Applicants or part of the Application Money in case of proportionate Allotment, a suitable communication shall be sent to the Applicants.
- vi) Adequate arrangements shall be made to collect all ASBA Applications.
- vii) Our Company shall comply with such disclosure and accounting norms specified by SEBI from time to time.

# SHAREHOLDERS GRIEVANCES, COMMUNICATION AND IMPORTANT LINKS

- 1. Please read this Letter of Offer carefully before taking any action. The instructions contained in the Application Form, Abridged Letter of Offer and the Rights Entitlement Letter are an integral part of the conditions of this Letter of Offer and must be carefully followed; otherwise the Application is liable to be rejected.
- 2. All enquiries in connection with this Letter of Offer, the Abridged Letter of Offer, the Rights Entitlement Letter or Application Form must be addressed (quoting the Registered Folio Number in case of Eligible Equity Shareholders who hold Equity Shares in physical form as on Record Date or the DP ID and Client ID number, the Application Form number and the name of the first Eligible Equity Shareholder as mentioned on the Application Form and super scribed "[•]" on the envelope and postmarked in India or in the e-mail) to the Registrar at the following address:

## PURVA SHAREGISTRY (INDIA) PRIVATE LIMITED

Address: Unit No. 9, Ground Floor, Shiv Shakti Industrial Estate, J. R. Boricha Marg, Lower Parel

(East), Mumbai – 400011, Maharashtra, India;

**Contact Number:** + 91 22 4961 4132 / +91 22 3522 0056 / 6761;

Website: www.purvashare.com;

E-mail Address: support@purvashare.com

Investor Greivances E-Mail Address: newissue@purvashare.com;

Contact Person: Ms. Deepali Dhuri;

**SEBI Registration Number:** INR000001112;

Validity of Registration: Permanent.

- 3. In accordance with SEBI Rights Issue Circulars, frequently asked questions and online/ electronic dedicated Shareholders helpdesk for guidance on the Application process and resolution of difficulties faced by the Shareholders will be available on the website of the Registrar (i.e, Purva Sharegistry (India) Private Limited at <a href="https://www.purvashare.com">www.purvashare.com</a>).
- 4. Frequently asked questions and online/ electronic dedicated Shareholders helpdesk for guidance on the Application process and resolution of difficulties faced by the Shareholders: <a href="www.purvashare.com">www.purvashare.com</a>).
- 5. Updation of Indian address/ e-mail address/ phone or mobile number in the records maintained by the Registrar or our Company: <a href="www.purvashare.com">www.purvashare.com</a>).



- 6. Updation of demat account details by Eligible Equity Shareholders holding shares in physical form: www.purvashare.com).
- 7. Submission of self-attested PAN, client master sheet and demat account details by non- resident Eligible Equity Shareholders: <a href="mailto:newissue@purvashare.com">newissue@purvashare.com</a>.
- 8. This Issue will remain open for a minimum 15 days. However, our Board will have the right to extend the Issue Period as it may determine from time to time but not exceeding 30 days from the Issue Opening Date (inclusive of the Issue Closing Date).



## RESTRICTION ON FOREIGN OWNERSHIP OF INDIAN SECURITIES

Foreign investment in Indian securities is regulated through the Industrial Policy, 1991, of the Government of India and FEMA. While the Industrial Policy, 1991, of the Government of India, prescribes the limits and the conditions subject to which foreign investment can be made in different sectors of the Indian economy, FEMA regulates the precise manner in which such investment may be made. The Union Cabinet, as provided in the Cabinet Press Release dated May 24, 2017, has given its approval for phasing out the FIPB. Under the Industrial Policy, 1991, unless specifically restricted, foreign investment is freely permitted in all sectors of the Indian economy up to any extent and without any prior approvals, but the foreign investor is required to follow certain prescribed procedures for making such investment. Accordingly, the process for foreign direct investment ("FDI") and approval from the Government of India will now be handled by the concerned ministries or departments, in consultation with the Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India (formerly known as the Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion) ("DPIIT"), Ministry of Finance, Department of Economic Affairs, FIPB section, through a memorandum dated June 5, 2017, has notified the specific ministries handling relevant sectors.

The Government has, from time to time, made policy pronouncements on FDI through press notes and press releases. The DPIIT issued the Consolidated FDI Policy Circular of 2020 ("FDI Circular 2020"), which, with effect from October 15, 2020, consolidated and superseded all previous press notes, press releases and clarifications on FDI issued by the DPIIT that were in force and effect as on October 15, 2020. The Government proposes to update the consolidated circular on FDI policy once every year and therefore, FDI Circular 2020 will be valid until the DPIIT issues an updated circular.

The Government of India has from time to time made policy pronouncements on FDI through press notes and press releases which are notified by RBI as amendments to FEMA. In case of any conflict, the relevant notification under Foreign Exchange Management (Non-Debt Instruments) Rules, 2019 will prevail. The payment of inward remittance and reporting requirements are stipulated under the Foreign Exchange Management (Mode of Payment and Reporting of Non-Debt Instruments) Regulations, 2019 issued by RBI The FDI Circular 2020, issued by the DPIIT, consolidates the policy framework in place as on October 15, 2020, and supersedes all previous press notes, press releases and clarifications on FDI issued by the DPIIT that were in force and effect as on October 15, 2020.

The transfer of shares between an Indian resident and a non-resident does not require the prior approval of RBI, provided that (i) the activities of the investee company falls under the automatic route as provided in the FDI Policy and FEMA and transfer does not attract the provisions of the Takeover Regulations; (ii) the non-resident shareholding is within the sectorial limits under the FDI Policy; and (iii) the pricing is in accordance with the guidelines prescribed by SEBI and RBI.

No investment under the FDI route (i.e. any investment which would result in the investor holding 10% or more of the fully diluted paid-up equity share capital of the Company or any FDI investment for which an approval from the government was taken in the past) will be allowed in the Issue unless such application is accompanied with necessary approval or covered under a pre-existing approval from the government. It will be the sole responsibility of the investors to ensure that the necessary approval or the pre-existing approval from the government is valid in order to make any investment in the Issue. Our Company will not be responsible for any allotments made by relying on such approvals.

Please also note that pursuant to Circular no. 14 dated September 16, 2003 issued by RBI, Overseas Corporate Bodies ("OCBs") have been derecognized as an eligible class of investors and RBI has subsequently issued the Foreign Exchange Management (Withdrawal of General Permission to Overseas Corporate Bodies (OCBs)) Regulations, 2003. Any Investor being an OCB is required not to be under the adverse notice of RBI and in order to apply for this issue as a incorporated non-resident must do so in accordance with the FDI Circular 2020 and Foreign Exchange Management (Non-Debt Instrument) Rules, 2019. Further, while investing in the Issue, the Investors are deemed to have obtained the necessary approvals, as required, under applicable laws and the obligation to obtain such approvals shall be upon the Investors. Our Company shall not be under an obligation to obtain any approval under any of the applicable laws on behalf of the Investors and shall not be liable in case of failure on part of the Investors to obtain such approvals.

The above information is given for the benefit of the Applicants / Investors. Our Company is not liable for any amendments or modification or changes in applicable laws or regulations, which may occur after the date of this Draft Letter of Offer. Investors are advised to make their independent investigations and ensure that the number of Equity Shares applied for do not exceed the applicable limits under laws or regulations.



## **SECTION XI - OTHER INFORMATION**

#### MATERIAL CONTRACTS AND DOCUMENTS FOR INSPECTION

The contracts referred to in para (A) below (not being contracts entered into in the ordinary course of business carried on by our Company) which are or may be deemed material have been entered into by our Company.

The contracts together with the documents enlisted below may be inspected online, on website of the company on www.sikkoindia.com and physically at the registered office of our Company between 11.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. on any working day from the date of the Draft Letter of Offer until the closure of the subscription list.

#### A. MATERIAL CONTRACTS

- 1. Registrar Agreement dated July 10, 2024 between our Company and Registrar to the Issue.
- 2. Banker to the Issue Agreement dated [●] between our Company, [●], and Registrar to the Issue.
- 3. Tripartite agreement dated March 29, 2017 amongst our Company, NSDL and the Registrar to the Issue; and
- 4. Tripartite agreement dated March 21, 2017 amongst our Company, CDSL and the Registrar to the Issue

## **B. DOCUMENTS FOR INSPECTION**

- 1. Certified True Copy of Memorandum & Articles of Association of our Company.
- 2. Certificate of incorporation dated February 08, 2000 issued to our Company upon incorporation.
- 3. Fresh Certificate of incorporation issued consequent upon the conversion of company into public company, the name of the company has been changed from SIKKO SPRAYERS PRIVATE LIMITED TO SIKKO SPRAYERS LIMITED vide letter dated 16<sup>th</sup> March, 2010.
- 4. Fresh certificate of incorporation dated 17<sup>th</sup> March, 2010 consequent upon the change of name of the company SIKKO SPRAYERS LIMITED TO SIKKO INDUSTRIES LIMITED.
- 5. Resolution of the Board of Directors under section 62 of Companies Act, 2013 passed in its meeting dated May 30, 2024 authorising the Issue.
- 6. Consents of the Directors, Company Secretary and Compliance Officer, Statutory and Peer Reviewed Auditors, Advisor to the Issue, and Registrar to the Issue and [●] to include their names in this Draft Letter of Offer to act in their respective capacities.
- 7. Annual report of our Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2024, 2023 and 2022.
- 8. Financial Statement for the year ended on March 31, 2024.
- 9. Fund Deployment Certificate dated September 14, 2024 received from M/s. D G M S & Co., Chartered Accountants, regarding expenditure incurred on the proposed object of the Issue and source of deployed fund.
- 10. A statement of possible special tax benefits dated July 10, 2024 received from M/s. D G M S & Co., Chartered Accountants, regarding possible special tax benefits available to our Company and shareholders.
- 11. In-principle listing approval no. [●] dated [●] from NSE under Regulation 28(1) of the SEBI Listing Regulation.

Any of the contracts or documents mentioned in this Draft Letter of Offer may be amended or modified at any time if so required in the interest of our Company or if required by the other parties, without reference to the Equity Shareholders, subject to compliance with applicable law.



## **DECLARATION**

We hereby declare that all relevant provisions of the Companies Act and the guidelines/regulations issued by the Government of India or the guidelines/regulations issued by the Securities and Exchange Board of India, established under section 3 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992, as the case may be, have been complied with and no statement made in this Draft Letter of Offer is contrary to the provisions of the Companies Act, the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992 or the rules made or guidelines or regulations issued thereunder, as the case may be. We further certify that all statements in this Draft Letter of Offer are true and correct.

Name	Signature
Ghnshyambhai Mohanbhai Kumbhai	Sd/-
Chairman and Whole-Time Director	
DIN: 00587855	
Jayantibhai Mohanbhai Kumbhani	Sd/-
Managing Director	
DIN: 00587807	
Ashvinkumar Ramnikbhai Trapasiya	Sd/-
Independent Director	
DIN: 10198672	
Hasmukh Veljibhai Vavaiya	Sd/-
<b>Independent Director</b>	
DIN: 07807509	
Mamtaben Hiteshbhai Thumbar	Sd/-
<b>Independent Director</b>	
DIN: 07732851	
Alpaben Jayantibhai Kumbhani	Sd/-
<b>Executive Director</b>	
DIN: 00587848	
Mr. Dhruvitkumar Pareshbhai Mandliya	Sd/-
<b>Company Secretary and Compliance Officer</b>	
PAN: CYXPM3934Q	
Mr. Mukesh Vasantlal Shah	Sd/-
Chief Financial Officer	
PAN: BBDPS0913D	

Place: Ahmedabad

Date: September 14, 2024