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DIRECTORS

Mr. H. S. Sharma, Managing Director

Mr. S. K. Sharma, Managing Director

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Company Secretary

& Compliance Officer

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29th Sept. 2018

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REGD. OFFICE: A-12&13, INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, ALIGARH (INDIA)

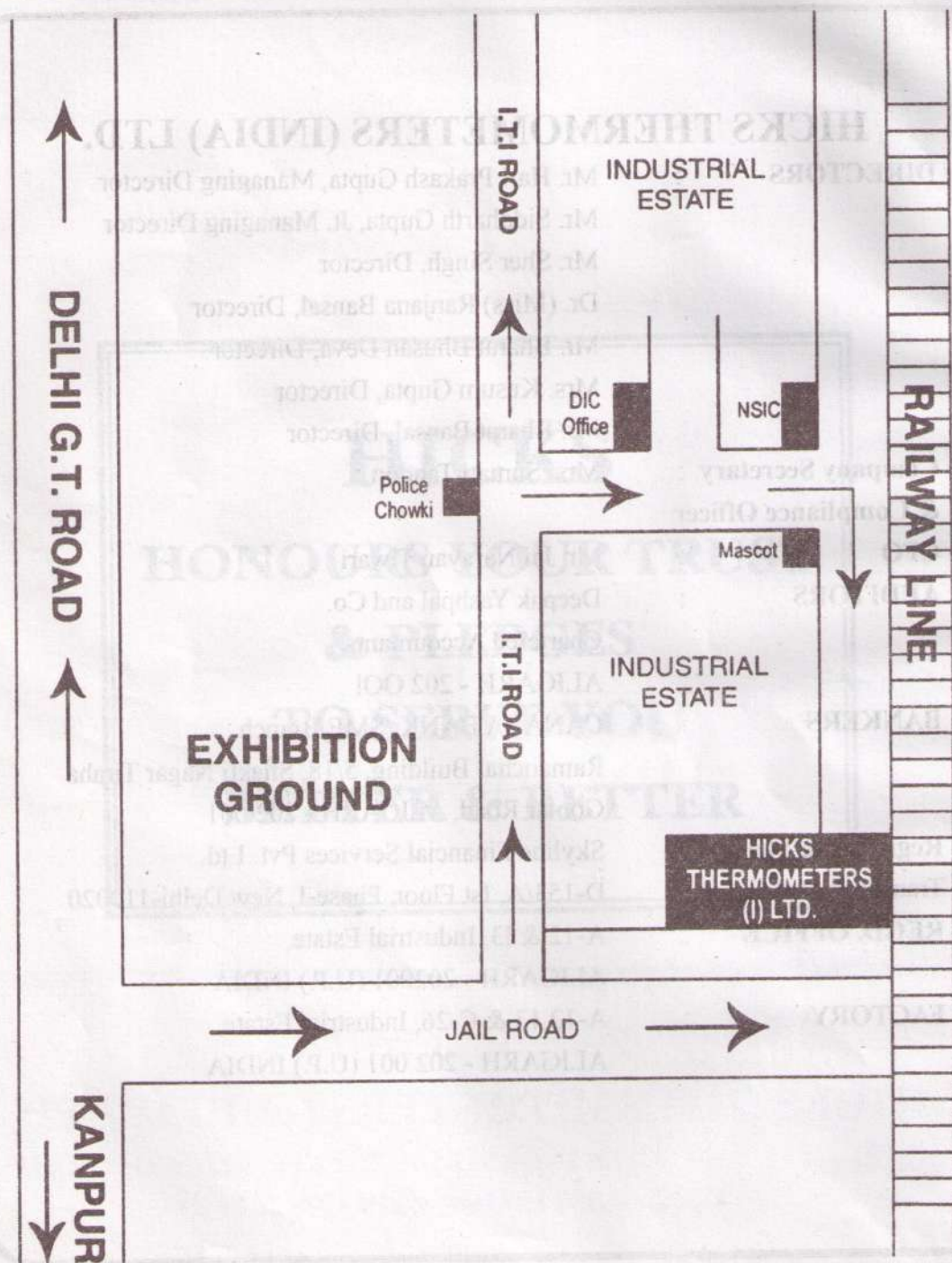
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REGD. OFFICE: A-12513, INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, ALIGARH (INDIA)
CIN : 133112UP1961PFC002846

HICKS THERMOMETERS (INDIA) LTD.

DIRECTORS	:	Mr. Hari Prakash Gupta, Managing Director Mr. Siddharth Gupta, Jt. Managing Director Mr. Sher Singh, Director Dr. (Miss) Ranjana Bansal, Director Mr. Bharat Bhushan Deva, Director Mrs. Kusum Gupta, Director Mr. Bharat Bansal, Director
Company Secretary & Compliance Officer	:	Mrs. Sumati Tandon
CFO	:	Mr. Jai Narayan Tiwari
AUDITORS	:	Deepak Yashpal and Co. Chartered Accountants ALIGARH - 202 001
BANKERS	:	CANARA BANK, SME Branch Ramanchal Building, 5/18, Shakti Nagar Tiraha Goolar Road, ALIGARH - 202 001
Registrar & Share Transfer Agent	:	Skyline Financial Services Pvt. Ltd. D-153/A, Ist Floor, Phase-I, New Delhi-110020
REGD. OFFICE	:	A-12 & 13, Industrial Estate, ALIGARH - 202001 (U.P.) INDIA
FACTORY	:	A-12,13 & C-26, Industrial Estate, ALIGARH - 202 001 (U.P.) INDIA



NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the 56th Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Members of Hicks Thermometers India Limited will be held on Saturday, September 29, 2018 at 11:00 A.M. at the Registered office of the Company at A – 12 & 13 Industrial Estate, Aligarh-202001 (U.P.) to transact the following businesses:

ORDINARY BUSINESSES:

1. To consider and adopt the audited financial statements of the company for the financial year ended on March 31, 2018 together with the Reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon and in this regard, pass the following resolutions as Ordinary Resolutions:

“RESOLVED THAT the audited standalone financial statements of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2018 and the reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon laid before this meeting be and hereby considered and adopted.”

2. To re-appoint Miss. (Dr.) Ranjana Bansal, who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers herself for re-appointment as a director and in this regard, pass the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

“RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 152 of the Companies Act, 2013, Miss. (Dr.) Ranjana Bansal (DIN: 01243291), who retires by rotation at this meeting and being eligible has offered herself for re-appointment, be and is hereby re-appointed as a Director of the Company, liable to retire by rotation.”

SPECIAL BUSINESSES:

3. To re-appoint Shri. Bharat Bansal (DIN: 00387048) as an Independent Director and in this regard, to consider and if thought fit, to pass, with or without modification(s), the following resolution as a **Special Resolution**:

“RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149,152 read with Schedule IV and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 (“the Act”) and the Companies (Appointment and Qualifications of the Directors) Rules, 2014 and applicable provisions of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof, for the time being in force), Mr. Bharat Bansal (DIN:00387048) who was appointed as an Independent Director of the company and who holds office of Independent Director till 31st March, 2019, and being eligible, and in respect of whom the Company has received a notice in writing under Section 160 of the Act from a member proposing his candidature for the office of Director, be and is hereby re-appointed as an Independent Director of the Company w.e.f April 01, 2019, not liable to retire by rotation and to hold office for a second term for 5(Five) consecutive years up to March 31, 2024 on the Board of the Company.”

“RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company be and is hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds, things and take all such steps as may be necessary, proper or expedient to give effect to the above resolution.”

4. To re-appoint Mr. Sher Singh [DIN: 00939677] as an Independent Director and in this regard, to consider and if thought fit, to pass, with or without modification(s), the following resolution as a **Special Resolution**:

“RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149,152 read with Schedule IV and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 (“the Act”) and the Companies (Appointment and

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Qualifications of the Directors) Rules, 2014 and applicable provisions of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof, for the time being in force), Mr. Sher Singh [DIN:00939677] who was appointed as an Independent Director of the company and who holds office of Independent Director till 31st March, 2019, and being eligible, and in respect of whom the Company has received a notice in writing under Section 160 of the Act from a member proposing his candidature for the office of Director, be and is hereby re-appointed as an Independent Director of the Company w.e.f April 01, 2019, not liable to retire by rotation and to hold office for a second term for 5(Five) consecutive years up to March 31, 2024 on the Board of the Company."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company be and is hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds, things and take all such steps as may be necessary, proper or expedient to give effect to the above resolution."

5. To re-appoint Mr. Bharat Bhushan Deva [DIN:01229390] as an Independent Director and in this regard, to consider and if thought fit, to pass, with or without modification(s), the following resolution as a **Special Resolution:**

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149,152 read with Schedule IV and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") and the Companies (Appointment and Qualifications of the Directors) Rules, 2014 and applicable provisions of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof, for the time being in force), Mr. Bharat Bhushan Deva [DIN:01229390] who was appointed as an Independent Director of the company and who holds office of Independent Director till 31st March, 2019, and being eligible, and in respect of whom the Company has received a notice in writing under Section 160 of the Act from a member proposing his candidature for the office of Director, be and is hereby re-appointed as an Independent Director of the Company w.e.f April 01, 2019, not liable to retire by rotation and to hold office for a second term for 5 (Five) consecutive years up to March 31, 2024 on the Board of the Company."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company be and is hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds, things and take all such steps as may be necessary, proper or expedient to give effect to the above resolution."

By Order of the Board

For Hicks Thermometers India Limited

Sd/-

Sumati Tandon

(Company Secretary)

Place: Aligarh

Date: 13/08/2018

NOTES:

1. A member entitled to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting (the "Meeting") is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote on a poll instead of himself and a proxy need not be a member of the company. The instrument appointing a proxy should, however, be deposited at the registered office of the Company not less than 48 hours before the commencement of the meeting.

A person can act as a proxy on behalf of members not exceeding fifty and holding in the aggregate not more than ten percent of the total share capital of the Company carrying voting rights. A member holding more than ten percent of the total share capital of the Company carrying voting rights may appoint a single person as proxy and such person shall not act as a proxy for any other person or shareholder. The holder of proxy shall prove his identity at the time of attending the meeting.

2. Corporate members intending to send their authorized representative(s) to attend the Meeting are requested to send to the Company a certified true copy of the relevant Board Resolution together with the specimen signature(s) of the representative(s) authorized under the said Board Resolution to attend and vote on their behalf at the Meeting.
3. Members/Proxies/Authorized Representatives are requested to bring the attendance slips duly filled in for attending the Meeting. Members who hold shares in dematerialized form are requested to write their client ID and DP ID numbers and those who hold shares in physical form are requested to write their Folio Number in the attendance slip for attending the Meeting.
4. With reference to SEBI notification SEBI/LAD-NRO/GN/2018/24 dated 8th June, 2018 it has made amendment to Regulation 40 of the SEBI (LQDR) Regulations, 2015 and mandated that transfer of securities would be carried out in dematerialized form only w.e.f 5th December, 2018. Therefore, Members who still hold share certificates in physical form are advised to dematerialize their shareholding as any transfer would not be made effective in physical form w.e.f 5th December, 2018.
5. Attendance slip, proxy form and the route map of the venue of the Meeting are annexed hereto.
6. A Statement pursuant to Section 102(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 (the "Act"), relating to the Special Business to be transacted at the Meeting is annexed hereto.
7. The Company is providing facility for voting by electronic means (e-voting) through an electronic voting system which will include remote e-voting as prescribed under Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 as presently in force and the businesses set out in the Notice will be transacted through such voting. The Company has engaged the services of Central Depository Services Limited ("CDSL") to provide remote e-voting facilities and for security and enabling the members to cast their vote in a secure manner. Information and instructions including details of user id and password relating to remote e-voting are given in the subsequent paras.
8. Facility for voting, either through electronic voting system or ballot/polling paper shall also be made available at the Meeting and the members attending the meeting who have not already cast their vote by remote e-voting shall be able to exercise their right at the Meeting. The members who have cast their vote(s) by using remote e-voting may also attend the Meeting but shall not be entitled to cast their vote(s) again at the meeting. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by a member, whether partially or otherwise, the member shall not be allowed to change it subsequently or cast the vote again.
9. The voting rights of shareholders shall be in proportion to their shares held by them in the total paid up equity share capital of the Company as on Cut-off Date i.e. 22nd September, 2018.

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- 10. The Register of Members and the Share Transfer Books of the Company shall remain closed from 22nd September, 2018 to 29th September, 2018 (both days inclusive).**
- 11. The Company has appointed Mr. Adesh Tandon, Practicing Company Secretary (Membership No. F2253 and Certificate of Practice No.1121) as 'Scrutinizer' to scrutinize the votes cast by e-voting (including remote e-voting) and poll/ballot paper at the time of the Meeting in a fair and transparent manner. The Scrutinizer shall, within a period of not exceeding three working days from the conclusion of the e-voting period, unblock the votes in the presence of at least two witnesses, not in employment of the Company and make Scrutinizer's Report of the votes cast in favor of or against, if any, forthwith to the Chairman of the Company.**
- 12. In terms of Section 152 of the Act, Miss. Ranjana Bansal, Director, retire by rotation at the Meeting and being eligible, offer herself for re-appointment. The Nomination and Remuneration Committee of the Board of Directors and the Board of Directors of the Company recommend her re-appointment.**
- 13. Miss. Ranjana Bansal is interested in the Ordinary Resolution set out at Item No. 2 of the Notice with regard to her re-appointment. Smt. Kusum Gupta being related to Miss. Ranjana Bansal may be deemed to be interested in the resolution set out at Item No. 2 of the Notice. Save and except the above, none of the Directors/ Key Managerial Personnel of the Company/ their relatives are, in any way, concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the Ordinary Business set out under Item Nos. 1 to 2 of the Notice.**
- 14. Details of Directors retiring by rotation / seeking appointment / re-appointment at the ensuing Meeting are provided in the "Annexure" to the Notice pursuant to the provisions of (i) the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and (ii) Secretarial Standard on General Meetings ("SS-2"), issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India.**
- 15. No unpaid/ unclaimed amount of dividend is lying with the Company which is pending to be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF).**
- 16. Members / Proxies / Authorized Representatives are requested to bring to the Meeting necessary details of their shareholding, attendance slip(s) and copy(s) of their Annual Report.**
- 17. In case of joint holders attending the Meeting, only such joint holder who is higher in the order of names will be entitled to vote at the Meeting.**
- 18. Relevant documents referred to in the Notice are open for inspection by the members at the registered office of the Company on all working days (that is, except Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays) during business hours up to the date of the Meeting. The aforesaid documents will be also available for inspection by members at the Meeting.**
- 19. Members desirous of obtaining any information with regard to the Annual Reports, are requested to write to the Company's Registered Office at Aligarh at least ten days before the date of Annual General Meeting so that the information can be made available at the meeting.**
- 20. The Company's Registrars and Transfer Agents for its share registry (both, physical as well as electronic) is Skyline Financial Services Private Limited ("Skyline") having its office at 246, 1st Floor, Sant Nagar, East of Kailash, New Delhi - 110065.**

21. Members holding shares in electronic mode are requested to intimate any change in their address or bank mandates to their DPs with whom they are maintaining their demat accounts. Members holding shares in physical mode are requested to advise any change in their address or bank mandates to the Company / Skyline.
22. Members holding shares in physical mode:
- are required to submit their Permanent Account Number (PAN) to the Company / Skyline, as mandated by the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) for every participant in securities market.
 - are advised to make nomination in respect of their shareholding in the Company by Nomination form (SH-13).
23. Members holding shares in electronic mode:
- are requested to submit their PAN to their respective DPs with whom they are maintaining their demat accounts, as mandated by SEBI for every participant in securities market.
 - are advised to contact their respective DPs for availing the nomination facility.
24. Members who hold shares in physical mode in multiple folios in identical names or joint holding in the same order of names are requested to send the share certificates to Skyline, for consolidation into a single folio.
25. Members who have not registered / updated their e-mail addresses with Skyline, if shares are held in physical mode or with their DPs, if shares are held in electronic mode, are requested to do so for receiving all future communications from the Company including Annual Reports, Notices, Circulars, etc., electronically.
26. Non-Resident Indian members are requested to inform Skyline / respective DPs, immediately of:
- Change in their residential status on return to India for permanent settlement.
 - Particulars of their bank account maintained in India with complete name, branch, account type, account number and address of the bank with pin code number, if not furnished earlier.
27. The Notice of the Meeting, Annual Report and Attendance Slip are being sent in electronic mode to Members whose email IDs are registered with the Company or Depository Participant(s) unless the Members have registered their request for a hard copy of the same. Physical copy of the Notice of Meeting, Annual Report and Attendance Slip are being sent to those Members who have not registered their e-mail IDs with the Company or Depository Participants(s). Members who have received the Notice of Meeting, Annual Report and Attendance Slip in electronic mode are requested to print the Attendance Slip and submit a duly filled in Attendance Slip at the registration counter to attend AGM.
28. The information/ instructions for the shareholders for e-voting as aforesaid are as under:
- A. In case of Shareholders receiving e-mail from CDSL:**
- The RemoteE-voting period begins on **26/09/2018 at 9:00 A.M.** and ends on **28/09/2018 at 5:00 P.M.** During this period shareholders' of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date of **22/09/2018**, may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter.
 - The shareholders should log on to the e-voting website **www.evotingindia.com** during the voting period.

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- (iii) Click on **"Shareholders"** tab.
- (iv) Select the **"Hicks Thermometers India Limited"** in the drop down menu and click on **SUBMIT**.
- (v) Now Enter your User ID
 - a. For CDSL: 16 digits beneficiary ID,
 - b. Members holding shares in Physical Form should enter Folio Number registered with the Company.
- (vi) Next enter the Image Verification as displayed and Click on **LOGIN**.
- (vii) If you are holding shares in demat form and had logged on to www.evotingindia.com and voted on an earlier voting of any company, then your existing password is to be used.
- (viii) If you are a first time user follow the steps given below:

For Members holding shares in Demat Form and Physical Form	
PAN	Enter your 10 digit alpha-numeric *PAN issued by Income Tax Department (Applicable for both demat shareholders as well as physical shareholders) - Members who have not updated their PAN with the Company/Depository Participant are requested to use the first two letters of their name and the 8 digits of the folio number/member ID in the PAN Field. - In case the sequence no. is less than 8 digits enter the applicable number of 0's before the number after the first two characters of the name in CAPITAL letters. Eg. If your name is Ramesh Kumar with sequence number 1 then enter RA00000001 in the PAN Field.
DOB	Enter the Date of Birth as recorded in your demat account or in the company records for the said demat account or folio in dd/mm/yyyy format.
Dividend Bank Details	Enter the Dividend Bank Details as recorded in your demat account or in the company records for the said demat account or folio. Please enter the DOB or Dividend Bank Details in order to login. If the details are not recorded with the depository or company please enter the No. of shares in the Dividend Bank details field.

- (ix) After entering these details appropriately, click on **"SUBMIT"** tab.
- (x) Members holding shares in physical form will then directly reach the **EVS** selection screen. However, members holding shares in demat form will now reach **'Password Creation'** menu wherein they are required to mandatorily enter their login password in the new password field. Kindly note that this password is to be also used by the demat holders for voting for resolutions of any other company on which they are eligible to vote, provided that company opts for e-voting through CDSL platform. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential.
- (xi) For Members holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for e-voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.
- (xii) Click on the **EVS** for the relevant Hicks Thermometers India Limited on which you choose to vote.
- (xiii) On the voting page, you will see **"RESOLUTION DESCRIPTION"** and against the same the option **"YES/NO"** for voting. Select the option **YES** or **NO** as desired. The option **YES** implies that you assent to the Resolution and option **NO** implies that you dissent to the Resolution.
- (xiv) Click on the **"RESOLUTIONS FILE LINK"** if you wish to view the entire Resolution details.

- (xv) After selecting the resolution you have decided to vote on, click on **"SUBMIT"**. A confirmation box will be displayed. If you wish to confirm your vote, click on **"OK"**, else to change your vote, click on **"CANCEL"** and accordingly modify your vote.
- (xvi) Once you **"CONFIRM"** your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
- (xvii) You can also take out print of the voting done by you by clicking on **"Click here to print"** option on the Voting page.
- (xviii) If Demat account holder has forgotten the same password then Enter the User ID and the image verification code and click on Forgot Password & enter the details as prompted by the system.
- (xix) Note for Institutional Shareholders
 - Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are required to log on to <https://www.evotingindia.co.in> and register themselves as Corporate.
 - A scanned copy of the Registration Form bearing the stamp and sign of the entity should be emailed to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com.
 - After receiving the login details they have to create a compliance user which should be created using the admin login and password. The Compliance user would be able to link the account(s) for which they wish to vote on.
 - The list of accounts should be mailed to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com and on approval of the accounts they would be able to cast their vote.
 - A scanned copy of the Board Resolution and Power of Attorney (POA) which they have issued in favor of the Custodian, if any, should be uploaded in PDF format in the system for the scrutinizer to verify the same.
- (xx) In case you have any queries or issues regarding e-voting, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions ("FAQs") and e-voting manual available at www.evotingindia.co.in under help section or write an email to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com.

(xxi) **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

Commencement of e-voting: From 9:00 A.M. on 26/09/2018

End of e-voting: Up to 5:00 P.M. on 28/09/2018

During the e-voting period, Shareholders of the Company, holding shares as on the cut-off date **22/09/2018** either in physical form or in dematerialized form may cast their vote electronically. The E-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter.

EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

{PURSUANT TO SECTION 102(1) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013 ("THE ACT")}

The following Statement sets out all material facts relating to the Special Business mentioned in the Notice:

Item No. 3:

In accordance with the provisions of Section 149 read with Schedule IV to the Act, appointment of an Independent Director requires approval of members. An independent director can hold office for a term up to 5(five) consecutive years on the board of a Company and he shall not be included in the total number of directors for retirement by rotation. Based on the recommendation of the Human Resources, Nomination and Remuneration Committee, the Board of Directors has proposed that Mr. Bharat Bansal (DIN: 00387048), be appointed as an Independent Director on the Board of the Company. The appointment of Mr. Bharat Bansal, shall be effective upon approval by the members in the Meeting. Mr. Bharat Bansal is not disqualified from being appointed as a Director in terms of Section 164 of the Act and has given his consent to act as a Director.

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The Company has received a declaration from Mr. Bharat Bansal that he meets the criteria of independence as prescribed both undersub-section (6) of Section 149 of the Act and under the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations").

In the opinion of the Board, Mr. Bharat Bansal fulfills the conditions for his appointment as an Independent Director as specified in the Act and the Listing Regulations. Mr. Bharat Bansal is independent of the management and possesses appropriate skills, experience and knowledge.

Mr. Bharat Bansal aged about 32 years has done B.E. and has worked in different capacities in automobile as director.

Keeping in view his vast expertise and knowledge, it will be in the interest of the Company that Mr. Bharat Bansal is reappointed as an Independent Director.

Copy of draft letter of appointment of Mr. Bharat Bansal setting out the terms and conditions of appointment is available for inspection by the members at the registered office of the Company.

This statement may also be regarded as an appropriate disclosure under the Listing Regulations.

Save and except Mr. Bharat Bansal and his relatives to the extent of their shareholding interest, if any, in the Company, none of the Directors / Key Managerial Personnel of the Company/ their relatives are, in any way, concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the resolution set out at Item No. 3 of the Notice.

The Board commends the Special Resolution set out at Item No.3 of the Notice for approval by the members.

Item No. 4:

In accordance with the provisions of Section 149 read with Schedule IV to the Act, appointment of an Independent Director requires approval of members. An independent director can hold office for a term up to 5 (five) consecutive years on the board of a Company and he shall not be included in the total number of directors for retirement by rotation. Based on the recommendation of the Human Resources, Nomination and Remuneration Committee, the Board of Directors has proposed that Mr. Sher Singh (DIN: 00939677), be appointed as an Independent Director on the Board of the Company. The appointment of Mr. Sher Singh shall be effective upon approval by the members in the Meeting. Mr. Sher Singh is not disqualified from being appointed as a Director in terms of Section 164 of the Act and has given his consent to act as a Director.

The Company has received a declaration from Mr. Sher Singh that he meets the criteria of independence as prescribed both undersub-section (6) of Section 149 of the Act and under the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations").

In the opinion of the Board, Mr. Sher Singh fulfills the conditions for his appointment as an Independent Director as specified in the Act and the Listing Regulations. Mr. Sher Singh is independent of the management and possesses appropriate skills, experience and knowledge.

Mr. Sher Singh aged about 79 years has done B.E. Mechanical and has worked in different capacities as Chief Executives in various Engineering Company.

Keeping in view his vast expertise and knowledge, it will be in the interest of the Company that Mr. Sher Singh is reappointed as an Independent Director.

Copy of draft letter of appointment of Mr. Sher Singh setting out the terms and conditions of appointment is available for inspection by the members at the registered office of the Company.

This statement may also be regarded as an appropriate disclosure under the Listing Regulations.

Save and except Mr. Sher Singh and his relatives to the extent of their shareholding interest, if any, in the Company, none of the Directors / Key Managerial Personnel of the Company/ their relatives are in any way, concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the resolution set out at Item No. 4 of the Notice.

The Board commends the Special Resolution set out at Item No.4 of the Notice for approval by the members.

Item No. 5:

In accordance with the provisions of Section 149 read with Schedule IV to the Act, appointment of an Independent Director requires approval of members. An independent director can hold office for a term up to 5(five) consecutive years on the board of a Company and he shall not be included in the total number of directors for retirement by rotation. Based on the recommendation of the Human Resources, Nomination and Remuneration Committee, the Board of Directors has proposed that Mr. Bharat Bhushan Deva (DIN: 01229390), be appointed as an Independent Director on the Board of the Company. The appointment of Mr. Bharat Bhushan Deva shall be effective upon approval by the members in the Meeting. Mr. Bharat Bhushan Deva is not disqualified from being appointed as a Director in terms of Section 164 of the Act and has given his consent to act as a Director.

The Company has received a declaration from Mr. Bharat Bhushan Deva that he meets the criteria of independence as prescribed both undersub-section (6) of Section 149 of the Act and under the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations").

In the opinion of the Board, Mr. Bharat Bhushan Deva fulfills the conditions for his appointment as an Independent Director as specified in the Act and the Listing Regulations. Mr. Bharat Bhushan Deva is independent of the management and possesses appropriate skills, experience and knowledge.

Mr. Bharat Bhushan Deva aged about 65 years has done B.E. and has worked in different capacities in various businesses.

Keeping in view his vast expertise and knowledge, it will be in the interest of the Company that Mr. Bharat Bhushan Deva is reappointed as an Independent Director.

Copy of draft letter of appointment of Mr. Bharat Bhushan Deva setting out the terms and conditions of appointment is available for inspection by the members at the registered office of the Company.

This statement may also be regarded as an appropriate disclosure under the Listing Regulations.

Save and except Mr. Bharat Bhushan Deva and his relatives to the extent of their shareholding interest, if any, in the Company, none of the Directors / Key Managerial Personnel of the Company/ their relatives are, in any way, concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the resolution set out at Item No. 5 of the Notice.

The Board commends the Special Resolution set out at Item No.5 of the Notice for approval by the members.

Place: Aligarh
Date: 13/08/2018

By Order of the **Board of Directors**
For Hicks Thermometers India Limited

Sd/-
Sumati Tandon
(Company Secretary)

HICKS THERMOMETERS (INDIA) LIMITED**DETAILS OF DIRECTOR RETIRING BY ROTATION/ SEEKING APPOINTMENT/ RE-APPOINTMENT AT THE ENSUING ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

PARTICULARS	MISS. RANJANA BANSAL	MR. BHARAT BANSAL	MR. SHER SINGH	MR. BHARAT BHUSHAN DEVA
Age		32 Years	79 Years	65 Years
Qualifications		Bachelor of Engineering (Automobile)	Bachelor of Engineering (Mechanical)	Bachelor of Engineering
Experience (including expertise in specific functional area)/ Brief Resume	Rich and varied experience in the business of the Company	Has worked in different capacities in automobile sector as director.	Has Vast Experience and has worked in different capacities as Chief Executives in various Engineering Company.	Has worked in different capacities in various businesses.
Terms and Conditions of Appointment/ Re-appointment	As per the resolution at item no. 2 of the Notice convening Annual General Meeting on 29th September, 2018 Miss. Ranjana Bansal is proposed to be re-appointed as a Non-Executive Director, liable to retire by rotation	As per the resolution at item no. 3 of the Notice convening Annual General Meeting, on August 13, 2018 Read with explanatory statement there to	As per the resolution at item no. 4 of the Notice convening Annual General Meeting, on August 13, 2018 Read with explanatory statement there to	As per the resolution at item no. 5 of the Notice convening Annual General Meeting, on August 13, 2018 Read with explanatory statement there to
Remuneration last drawn (including sitting fees, if any)	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Remuneration proposed to be paid	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Date of first appointment on the Board	22/10/1994	01/10/2015	27/05/2005	28/07/1998
Shareholding in the Company as on 31 st March, 2018	500	1000	520	500
Relationship with other Directors/ KMP	Sister of Smt. Kusum Gupta, Director and not related to any other Director/ KMP	Not related to any other Director/ KMP	Not related to any other Director/ KMP	Not related to any other Director/ KMP

Number of meetings of the Board attended during the year	6/6	6/6	6/6	6/6
Directorships of other Boards as on 31 st March, 2018	- Hicks Thermometers India Limited - Prem Finance Co Pvt Ltd - Ashok Auto Finance And Leasing Limited - ASB Auto Engineering Private Limited - ASB Investments Pvt Ltd - ASB Projects Limited - Ashok Auto Excel Private Limited - Sukrati Lifestyle Private Limited - Aarsh Infraventures Private Limited - Ashok Auto Sales Limited - Ashok NavNirman Private Limited - Ashok Real Build Private Limited - Ashok Auto Ventures LLP	- Ashok Auto Sales Limited - Ashok NavNirman Private Limited - Ashok Auto Excel Private Limited - ASB Projects Limited - Hicks Thermometers India Limited - Ashok Real Build Private Limited - Ashok Auto Finance And Leasing Limited - ASB Auto Engineering Private Limited - Prem Finance Co Pvt Ltd - ASB Investments Pvt Ltd - Aarsh Infraventures Private Limited - Sukrati Lifestyle Private Limit	- Hicks Thermometers India Limited - Primus Commodities Private Limited	- Hicks Thermometers India Limited - Xenon Infraventures And Financial services Private Limited - Deva Saltlake LLP - Deva Holdings LLP
Membership/ Chairmanship of the Committees of other Boards as on 31 st March, 2018	None	None	None	None

By Order of the Board

For Hicks Thermometers India Limited

Sd/-

Sumati Tandon

(Company Secretary)

Place: Aligarh

Date: 13/08/2018

Directors' Report**Dear Members,**

Your Company's Directors are pleased to present the 56th Annual Report of the Company, along with Audited Accounts, for the financial year ended 31st March, 2018.

FINANCIAL RESULTS:*(in Rs.)*

PARTICULARS	2017-18	2016-17
Revenue from Operations	51,83,22,798.48	51,56,17,269.87
Other Income	1,06,46,600.65	49,35,087
Total Revenue	52,89,69,399.13	52,05,52,356.87
Profit / (-) Loss before Finance Cost, Depreciation and Tax	2,96,22,100.88	2,91,04,767.33
Finance Costs	37,05,023.45	37,15,306.85
Depreciation	30,52,188	27,14,109
Profit before Exceptional and Tax	2,28,64,889.43	2,26,75,351.48
Exceptional Items	0	0
Profit Before Tax (PBT)	2,28,64,889.43	2,26,75,351.48
Tax Expense	74,85,271	72,43,697
Profit for the year (PAT)	1,53,79,618.43	1,54,31,654.48

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS AND THE STATE OF COMPANY'S AFFAIRS:

During the financial year 2017-18, your Company recorded revenue from operations of Rs. 5,183 lakhs, PBT of Rs. 228 lakhs and Net Profit of Rs. 153 lakhs as against that of Rs. 5,156 Lakhs, Rs. 226 Lakhs and Rs. 154 Lakhs respectively in the previous financial year 2016-17. The net profit of the Company during the financial year 2017-18 is nearly same as it was during the last financial year although there is growth in the revenue but due to the similar increase in the expenses the Company was unable to maintain its growth in the Net Profits of the Company.

Your Company is engaged in the same line of business as it was engaged in the previous financial year. Detailed information on the operations of the Company and details on the state of affairs of the Company are covered in the Management Discussion and Analysis Report.

TRANSFER TO RESERVES:

Your Company does not propose to transfer any amount to the General Reserve out of the amount available for appropriations.

DIVIDEND:

In order to conserve the resources of your company, the Board of Directors have decided not to declare any dividend for the period under review.

DEPOSITS:

Your Company has not accepted any deposit from public/shareholders under section 73 & 76 of the

Companies Act, 2013 and, as such, no amount on account of principal or interest on public deposits was outstanding on the date of the Balance Sheet.

CHANGES IN SHARE CAPITAL:

The paid up Share Capital of your Company as on 31st March, 2018 was Rs. 32,55,000/-. During the year under review, the Company has not issued any shares. The Company has not issued shares with differential voting rights. It has neither issued employee stock options nor sweat Equity shares and does not have any scheme to fund its employees to purchase the shares of the Company.

ISSUE OF EQUITY SHARES WITH DIFFERENTIAL RIGHTS, SWEAT EQUITY, ESOS ETC:

During the year the Company has not issued any shares with differential rights, sweat equity, ESOS etc.

SUBSIDIARIES AND ASSOCIATES:

The Company does not have any subsidiary or associates pursuant to the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 as on 31.03.2018.

CHANGE IN NATURE OF BUSINESS:

During the year there was no change in the nature of business.

COMPANIES POLICY ON DIRECTORS' APPOINTMENT AND REMUNEARTION:

In compliance with the provisions of Section 178 of the Companies Act, 2013 the Nomination and Remuneration Committee of the Board of Directors have formulated a policy comprising the criteria for determining qualifications, positive attributes and independence of a director and remuneration for the directors, key managerial personnel and other employees, which have been approved and adopted by the Board. The company has made its own selection process viz-a-viz for executive and non executive directors. The current policy is to have an appropriate mix of executive and independent directors in order to maintain the independence of the Board and separate its functions of governance and management. The Company has duly constituted the Nomination and Remuneration Committee of the board and the committee inter alia periodically evaluates:

1. The need for change in composition and size of the Board.
2. Recommend/ review remuneration of the Managing Director(s) based on their performance.
3. Recommend the policy for remuneration of director's, KMPs & other senior level employees of the Company and review the same in accordance with performance of the Company and industry trend.

The criterion formulated by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee is duly followed by the Board of Directors of the Company while appointing the directors, Key Managerial Personnel and senior management personnel in the company. The Highlights of this policy are as follows:

Criteria for appointment of Directors in the Company:

- 1) Person of integrity with high ethical standards.
- 2) Person with knowledge, skill and innovative ideas that can be beneficial to the company.
- 3) Person interested in learning new things and updating the knowledge and skills possessed.
- 4) Person who can act objectively while exercising his duties.
- 5) Person who believes in team spirit.
- 6) Person who is responsible towards the work and can devote sufficient time and attention to the professional obligations for informed and balanced decision making.

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In respect of Managing Director, Whole-time Director and Independent Director, besides the general criteria laid down by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee for all directors, the criteria as mentioned in Companies Act, 2013 also been included.

Criteria for appointment of Key Managerial Personnel and Senior Management Employee:

- 1) Person should be having the required educational qualification, skills, knowledge and experience as required and necessary for the concerned post.
- 2) Person should be hardworking, self-motivated and highly enthusiastic.
- 3) Person should be having positive thinking, leadership qualities, sincerity, good soft skills and power of taking initiatives.

Remuneration policy of the Company:

The Remuneration policy of the company has been framed by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee in such manner that it can attract and motivate the directors, key managerial personnel and employees of the company to work in the interest of the company and to retain them.

- 1) Company has a policy to pay remuneration in such manner that the relationship of remuneration to performance is clear and meets appropriate performance benchmarks.
- 2) It has been ensured while formulating the policy that remuneration to directors, key managerial personnel and senior management should involve a balance between fixed and incentive pay reflecting short and long term performance objectives appropriate to the working of the company.
- 3) Remuneration to be paid to Managing Director/Whole-time Director shall be within the limits specified under Companies Act, 2013.
- 4) Increments to the existing remuneration may be recommended by the committee to the Board of Directors.

DETAILS OF DIRECTORS AND KMP:

The term of Shri. Bharat Bansal, Shri. Sher Singh and Shri. Bharat Bhushan Deva as Independent Director is up to 31st March, 2019. The Board of Directors at its meeting held on 13th August, 2018, on the recommendation of Nomination and Remuneration Committee of the Board and subject to the approval of the members in the ensuing Annual General Meeting, re-appointed Shri. Bharat Bansal, Shri. Sher Singh and Shri. Bharat Bhushan Deva as an Independent director for a further period of 5 (Five) years from the expiry of their tenure that is with effect from 1st April, 2019. Members are requested to refer to the Item Nos. 3, 4 and 5 of the Notice of AGM and the explanatory statement for the terms of re-appointment of Shri. Bharat Bansal, Shri. Sher Singh and Shri. Bharat Bhushan Deva.

In accordance with the provisions of the Act and the Articles of Association of the Company, Miss. (Dr.) Ranjana Bansal, Director of the Company, retire by rotation at the ensuing Annual General Meeting and being eligible, has offered herself for re-appointment.

All Independent Directors of the Company had given declarations that they meet the criteria of independence as laid down under Section 149(6) of the Act and Regulation 16(1)(b) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing obligations and Disclosure Requirements). In the opinion of the Board, they fulfill the conditions of independence as specified in the Act and the Rules made there under and are independent of the management.

In terms of Section 203 of the Act, the following are the Key Managerial Personnel (KMP) of the Company:

1. Shri Hari Prakash Gupta as Managing Director;
2. Shri Rakesh Kumar Singh as Chief Financial Officer (CFO); and
3. Smt. Sumati Tandon as Company Secretary (CS)

Apart from Shri Bharat Bansal, Shri. Sher Singh and Shri. Bharat Bhushan Deva who are re-appointed, no other Director or KMP has been appointed or has retired or resigned during the year.

FORMAL ANNUAL EVALUATION OF THE PERFORMANCE OF THE BOARD, ITS COMMITTEES AND DIRECTORS:

Pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Act and the Listing Regulations, the Board has carried out an annual evaluation of its own performance, performance of the Directors as well as the evaluation of the working of its Committees.

The NRC has defined the evaluation criteria, procedure and time schedule for the Performance Evaluation process for the Board, its Committees and Directors.

The Board's functioning was evaluated on various aspects, including *inter alia* structure of the Board, including qualifications, experience and competency of Directors, diversity in Board and process of appointment; Meetings of the Board, including regularity and frequency, agenda, discussion and dissent, recording of minutes and dissemination of information; functions of the Board, including strategy and performance evaluation, corporate culture and values, governance and compliance, evaluation of risks, grievance redressal for investors, stakeholder value and responsibility, conflict of interest, review of Board evaluation and facilitating Independent Directors to perform their role effectively; evaluation of management's performance and feedback, independence of management from the Board, access of Board and management to each other, succession plan and professional development; degree of fulfilment of key responsibilities, establishment and delineation of responsibilities to Committees, effectiveness of Board processes, information and functioning and quality of relationship between the Board and management. Directors were evaluated on aspects such as professional qualifications, prior experience, especially experience relevant to the Company, knowledge and competency, fulfilment of functions, ability to function as a team, initiative, availability and attendance, commitment, contribution, integrity, independence and guidance/ support to management outside Board/ Committee Meetings. In addition, the Chairman was also evaluated on key aspects of his role, including effectiveness of leadership and ability to steer meetings, impartiality, ability to keep shareholders' interests in mind and effectiveness as Chairman. Areas on which the Committees of the Board were assessed included mandate and composition; effectiveness of the Committee; structure of the Committee; regularity and frequency of meetings, agenda, discussion and dissent, recording of minutes and dissemination of information; independence of the Committee from the Board; contribution to decisions of the Board; effectiveness of meetings and quality of relationship of the Committee with the Board and management.

The performance evaluation of the Independent Directors was carried out by the entire Board, excluding the Director being evaluated. The performance evaluation of the Chairman and the Non Independent Directors was carried out by the Independent Directors, who also reviewed the performance of the Board as a whole. The NRC also reviewed the performance of the Board, its Committees and of the Directors.

The Chairman of the Board provided feedback to the Directors on an individual basis, as appropriate. Significant highlights, learning and action points with respect to the evaluation were presented to the Board.

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COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD:

Your Company has several Committees which have been established in Compliance with the requirements of the relevant provisions of applicable laws and statutes.

The Company has following Committees of the Board:

- Audit Committee

Shri Sher Singh	Independent Director
Shri Bharat Bhushan Deva	Independent Director
Shri Hari Prakash Gupta	Managing Director

There have been no instances during the year when recommendations of the Audit Committee were not accepted by the Board.

- Nomination & Remuneration Committee

Smt. Kusum Gupta	Non-Executive Non-Independent Director
Shri Sher Singh	Independent Director
Shri Bharat Bhushan Deva	Independent Director

- Stakeholders Relationship Committee

Shri Hari Prakash Gupta	Managing Director
Shri Siddhartha Gupta	Joint Managing Director
Smt. Kusum Gupta	Non-Executive Non-Independent Director

MATERIAL CHANGES AND COMMITMENTS, IF ANY, AFFECTING THE FINANCIAL POSITION:

Your company would like to inform that no material changes and commitments affecting the financial position of the Company have occurred during the period.

LISTING & DEMAT FACILITY:

The Company would like to inform you that the securities of the Company are listed on the Calcutta Stock Exchange ("CSE") with effect from 18th February, 2015 and the company has entered into agreement with the Central Depository Services Limited (CDSL) and demat facility is being made available to the shareholders through CDSL. However, approval from National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) for providing the demat facility is still pending for dematerialization of shares.

PREVENTION OF SEXUAL HARASSMENT AT WORKPLACE:

The Company has zero tolerance for sexual harassment at workplace and has adopted a Policy on Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal of Sexual Harassment at the Workplace, in line with the provisions of the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013 and the Rules there under. The Policy aims to provide protection to employees at the workplace and prevent and redress complaints of sexual harassment and for matters connected or incidental thereto, with the objective of providing a safe working environment, where employees feel secure.

The Company has not received any complaint of sexual harassment during the financial year 2016-17.

RELATED PARTY CONTRACT AND ARRANGEMENT OF THE COMPANY:

All Related Party Transactions that were entered into during the financial year were on an arm's length basis, in the ordinary course of business and were in compliance with the applicable provisions of the Act and the Listing Regulations. There were no materially significant Related Party Transactions made by the Company during the year that would have required Shareholder approval under the Listing Regulations or which may have a potential conflict with the interest of the Company.

All Related Party Transactions are placed before the Audit Committee for approval. Prior omnibus approval of the Audit Committee is obtained for the transactions which are repetitive in nature. A statement of all Related Party Transactions is placed before the Audit Committee for its review on a quarterly basis, specifying the nature, value and terms and conditions of the transactions.

The Company has adopted a Related Party Transactions Policy. Details of the transactions with Related Parties are provided in the accompanying financial statements. There were no transactions during the year which would require to be reported in Form AOC-2.

INTERNAL FINANCIAL CONTROLS:

Internal Financial Controls are an integrated part of the risk management process, addressing financial and financial reporting risks. The internal financial controls have been documented, digitised and embedded in the business processes.

Assurance on the effectiveness of internal financial controls is obtained through management reviews, control self-assessment, continuous monitoring by functional experts as well as testing of the internal financial control systems by the internal auditors during the course of their audits. We believe that these systems provide reasonable assurance that our internal financial controls are designed effectively and are operating as intended.

The Company has in place adequate internal controls with reference to financial statements. All the transactions are properly authorized, recorded and reported to the Management. The Company is following all the applicable Accounting standards for properly maintaining the books of accounts and reporting financial statements. The internal auditor of the company checks and verifies the internal control and monitors them in accordance with policy adopted by your Company. Company ensures proper and adequate systems and procedures commensurate with its size and nature of its business. During the year, such controls were tested and no reportable material weakness in the process or operation was observed.

PARTICULARS OF LOANS, GUARANTEES OR INVESTMENTS ETC:

Information regarding loans, guarantees and investments covered under the provisions of Section 186 of the Companies Act, 2013 are detailed in the Financial Statements.

RISK MANAGEMENT POLICY AND IDENTIFICATION OF KEY RISKS:

Risk management comprises all the organizational rules and actions for early identification of risks in the course of doing business and the management of such risks.

Although not mandatory, as a measure of good governance, the Company has constituted a Risk Management Committee of the Board. The Committee reviews the Company's performance against identified risks, formulates strategies towards identifying new and emergent risks that may materially affect the Company's overall risk exposure and reviews the Risk Management Policy and structure.

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This robust Risk Management framework seeks to create transparency, minimize adverse impact on business objectives and enhance the Company's competitive advantage.

The Internal Audit Department is responsible for facilitating coordination with the heads of various Departments, with respect to the process of identifying key risks associated with the business, manner of handling risks, adequacy of mitigating factors and recommending corrective action. The major risks forming part of the Enterprise Risk Management process are linked to the audit universe and are also covered as part of the annual risk based audit plan.

The Company has adopted a Risk Management Policy pursuant to Section 134 of the Act.

There is no risk threatening the existence of the company. However, Management proposes to safeguard even the Remote risks affecting the business.

CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY (CSR)

Since your company does not meet the criteria as defined under Section 135 of Companies Act, 2013, the provisions of Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) are not applicable to the Company.

MEETINGS OF THE BOARD:

6 (Six) Board Meetings were held during the year and the gap between two meetings did not exceed one hundred and twenty days. The dates on which the said meetings were held are as follows:

First Meeting	29 th May, 2017;
Second Meeting	11 th August, 2017;
Third Meeting	30 th September, 2017;
Fourth Meeting	14 th November, 2017;
Fifth Meeting	12 th February, 2018; and
Sixth Meeting	17 th February, 2018.

EXTRACT OF ANNUAL RETURN:-

In accordance with Section 134(3)(a) of the Companies Act, 2013, an extract of the annual return of the annual return in the prescribed format in Form MGT-9 is annexed herewith marked as **Annexure DR-1** to this Report.

MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS REPORT

In terms of the provisions of Regulation 34 of the Listing Regulations, the *Management's Discussion and Analysis* is set out in this Annual Report.

PARTICULARS OF EMPLOYEES AND REMUNERATION

Disclosures with respect to the remuneration of Directors and employees as required under Section 197(12) of the Act and Rule 5(1) of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration) Rules, 2014, as amended from time to time, is annexed herewith and marked as **Annexure DR-2** to this Report.

Details as required under the provisions of Section 197(12) of the Act read with Rule 5(2) and 5(3) of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014, as amended from time to time, are available at the registered office of the Company during working hours, 21 days before the date of the Annual General Meeting and shall be made available to any shareholder on request, as per the provisions of Section 136(1) of the said Act.

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

- a) **Conservation of Energy**
Since the operations of the company are not energy intensive, therefore it does not call for any steps to be taken.
Therefore clause (i) & (ii) are not applicable
- b) **Technology Absorption**
The Company has not imported any specific technology for its operations which are not updated in India.
- c) **Foreign Exchange Earnings and Outgo**
During the period under review there was no Foreign Exchange Earnings. However, the outflow of foreign exchange for import of trading & raw material has been detailed in the financial statements.

AUDITORS & AUDITORS' REPORT:**(A) STATUTORY AUDITORS**

M/s Deepak Yashpal and Co., Chartered Accountants, Aligarh were appointed as the Statutory Auditors of your Company, in the AGM held on 30.09.2017, for a term of 5 (five) consecutive years. M/s Deepak Yashpal and Co., Chartered Accountants, Aligarh have confirmed their eligibility and qualification required under the Act for holding the office, as Statutory Auditors of the Company.

As the first proviso to sub-section (1) of Section 139 requiring ratification has been omitted by the Companies (Amendment Act) 2017, as notified by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs on May 7, 2018 resolution seeking ratification of their appointment is not required and therefore, does not form part of the Notice convening the 56th Annual General Meeting.

The Notes on financial statement referred to in the Auditors' Report are self-explanatory and do not call for any further comments. The Auditors' Report does not contain any qualification, reservation, adverse remark or disclaimer.

(B) SECRETARIAL AUDIT & SECRETARIAL AUDIT REPORT:

The Board appointed Adesh Tandon and Associates, Company Secretaries, to conduct Secretarial Audit for the FY 2017-18. The Secretarial Audit Report for the financial year ended March 31, 2018 in the prescribed format in Form MR-3 is annexed herewith marked as **Annexure DR-3** to this Report.

The Observations of the Secretarial Auditor have been duly noted and the Company is in the advanced stage of making these compliances which we hope will be completed as soon as possible.

GENERAL DISCLOSURES:

1. The Company has complied with the requirements of the Stock Exchanges, SEBI and statutory authorities on all matters related to the capital markets during the last three years. No penalty or strictures were imposed on the Company by these authorities.
2. The Managing Director & CEO and the Chief Financial Officer have certified to the Board in accordance with Regulation 17(8) read with Part B of Schedule II to the Listing Regulations pertaining to CEO/ CFO certification for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 2018.

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3. The Company has adopted a Whistle Blower Policy, to provide a formal vigil mechanism to the Directors and employees to report their concerns about unethical behaviour, actual or suspected fraud or violation of the Company's Code of Conduct or ethics policy. The Policy provides for adequate safeguards against victimization of employees who avail of the mechanism and also provides for direct access to the Chairperson of the Audit Committee. It is affirmed that no personnel of the Company has been denied access to the Audit Committee.

DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT:

Your Directors state that:

- a) in the preparation of the annual accounts for the year ended March 31, 2018, the applicable accounting standards read with requirements set out under Schedule III to the Act, have been followed and there are no material departures from the same;
- b) the Directors have selected such accounting policies and applied them consistently and made judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent so as to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the company as at March 31, 2018 and of the profit of the company for the year ended on that date;
- c) the Directors have taken proper and sufficient care for the maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding the assets of the company and for preventing and detecting fraud and other irregularities;
- d) the Directors have prepared the annual accounts on a going concern basis;
- e) the Directors have laid down internal financial controls to be followed by the Company and that such internal financial controls are adequate and are operating effectively; and
- f) the Directors had devised proper systems to ensure compliance with the provisions of all applicable laws and that such systems are adequate and operating effectively.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS:

Your Directors would like to express their sincere appreciation for the cooperation and assistance received from the Authorities, Readers, Bankers, Credit Rating Agencies, Depositories, Stock Exchanges, Registrar and Share Transfer Agents, Associates as well as our Shareholders at large during the year under review.

The Directors also wish to place on record their deep sense of appreciation for the commitment, abilities and hard work of all executives, officers and staff those who enabled the Company to consistently deliver satisfactory and rewarding performance even in the challenging economic conditions.

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors
Hicks Thermometers India Limited

Place: Aligarh
Date: 13/08/2018

Sd/-
Hari Prakash Gupta
(Managing Director)

Sd/-
Siddhartha Gupta
(Joint Managing Director)

EXTRACT OF ANNUAL RETURN

(as on the financial year ended on 31st March, 2018)

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

I. REGISTRATION AND OTHER DETAILS

Corporate Identification Number (CIN)	L33112UP1961PLC002846
Registration Date	2 nd June, 1961
Name of the Company	Hicks Thermometers India Limited
Category / Sub-Category of the Company	Public Company / Limited by Shares
Address of the Registered Office and contact details	A-12 &13 Industrial Estate, Aligarh-202001 (UP) Email: hicksindia@gmail.com
Whether listed company	Yes
Name, Address and Contact details of Registrar and Transfer Agent	Skyline Financial Services Private Limited D-153 A, 1st Floor, Okhla Industrial Area, Phase I, New Delhi - 110020 Tel: + 91 11 64732681 -88 Fax: + 91 1126812682 Email: info@skylinerta.com Website: www.skylinerta.com

II. PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES OF THE COMPANY

(Business activities contributing 10 % or more of the total turnover of the company)

S. No.	Name and Description of Products	NIC Code of the Product	% to total turnover of the Company
1	Wholesale of Scientific, Medical and Surgical Machinery and Equipment	46596	100

III. PARTICULARS OF HOLDING, SUBSIDIARY AND ASSOCIATE COMPANIES: Not Applicable

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

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i. Category-wise Share Holding

(Annexure Dr-1)

Category of Shareholders	No. of Shares held at the beginning of the year as on 1 st April, 2017				No. of Shares held at the end of the year as on 31 st March, 2018				% Change During the year
	Demat	Physical	Total	% of Total Shares	Demat	Physical	Total	% of Total Shares	
A. Promoters									
1. Indian									
- Individual/HUF	-	1,68,755	1,68,755	61.25	-	1,82,255	1,82,255	66.15	4.9
2. Foreign	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Promoter Shareholding (A)	-	1,68,755	1,68,755	61.25	-	1,82,255	1,82,255	66.15	4.9
B.Public Shareholding									
1. Institutions	-	680	680	0.25	-	680	680	0.25	-
- Banks / FI									
- Foreign Venture Capital Investors	-	600	600	0.22	-	600	600	0.22	-
Sub-Total (B)(1)	-	1,280	1,280	0.47	-	1,280	1,280	0.47	-
2. Non-Institutions									
- Bodies Corporate	-	11,270	11,270	4.10	-	11,150	11,150	4.05	(0.05)
i) Indian									
ii) Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Individuals									
i) Individual shareholders holding nominal share capital upto Rs. 2 Lakh	-	78,195	78,195	28.38	-	80,815	80,815	29.34	0.96
ii) Individual shareholders holding nominal share capital in excess of Rs. 2 Lakh	-	16,000	16,000	5.80	-	-	-	-	(5.80)

Sub-Total (B)(2)	-	1,05,465	1,05,465	38.28	-	91,965	91,965	33.39	(4.89)
Total Public Shareholding (B) = (B)(1) + (B)(2)	-	1,06,745	1,06,745	38.75	-	93,245	93,245	33.85	(5.36)
C. Shares held by Custodian for GDRs & ADRs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grand Total (A+B+C)	-	2,75,500	2,75,500	100	-	2,75,500	2,75,500	100	-

ii. Shareholding of Promoters

S. No.	Shareholder's Name	Shareholding at the beginning of the year			Shareholding at the end of the year			% change in share holding during the year
		No. of Shares	% of total Shares of the company	% of Shares Pledged/ Encumbered to total shares	No. of Shares	% of total Shares of the company	% of Shares Pledged/ Encumbered to total shares	
1	Hari Prakash Gupta	65,758	23.87	-	69,413	25.20	-	1.33
2	Hari Prakash Gupta (HUF)	17,160	6.23	-	22,005	7.98	-	1.75
3	Kusum Gupta	12,255	4.45	-	17,255	6.26	-	1.81
4	Siddhartha Gupta	64,082	23.26	-	64,082	23.26	-	-
5	Nitika Gupta	9,500	3.44	-	9,500	3.45	-	-
	Total	1,68,755	61.25	-	1,82,255	66.15	-	4.9

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iii. **Change in Promoters' Shareholding**

(Annexure Dr-I)

S. No.	Particulars	Shareholding at the beginning of the year		Cumulative Shareholding during the year	
		No. of shares	% of total shares of the company	No. of shares	% of total shares of the company
	At the beginning of the year as on 1 st April, 2017	1,68,755	61.25	-	-
Date wise Increase / (Decrease)					
1	HariPrakash Gupta				
	Transfer of 3655 Shares from Shekhar Gupta on 09.05.2017	-	-	1,72,410	62.30
2	KusumGupta				
	Transfer of 5000 Shares from Ashok Mittal on 09.05.2017	-	-	1,77,410	64.40
3	HariPrakash Gupta (HUF)				
	Transfer of 4845 Shares from Ashok Mittal on 09.05.2017	-	-	1,82,255	66.15
	At the end of the year as on 31 st March, 2018	-	-	1,82,255	66.15

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

S. No.	For Each of the Top 10 Shareholders	Shareholding at the beginning		Shareholding at the end		Change in Shareholding	
		No. of shares	% of total shares of the company	No. of shares	% of total shares of the company	No. of Shares	Percentage
1	SEEMA MITTAL	16000	5.81	16,000	5.81	-	-
2	SHRI VEDA HOLDING PVT. LTD	10000	3.63	10,000	3.63	-	-
3	SUNIL KUMAR SINGHAL	6805	2.47	6805	2.47	-	-
4	SHEKHAR GUPTA	4624	1.68	200	0.07	4424	1.61
5	PARINITI BANSAL	3000	1.09	3,000	1.09	-	-
6	KANUPRIYA GUPTA	2000	0.72	2000	0.72	-	-
7	MEENAKSHI SINGHAL	1500	0.54	1500	0.54	-	-
8	J N TIWARI	1325	0.48	1325	0.48	-	-

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9	SHRI RAM	1300	0.47	1300	0.47	-	-
10	SHIV KUMAR	1225	0.44	1225	0.44	-	-

v. Shareholding of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel:

S. No	Name	Shareholding at the beginning of the year		Change in shareholding Increase/ (Decrease)	Cumulative shareholding during the year		Shareholding at the end of the year	
		No. of Shares	% of total shares of the company		No. of Shares	% of total shares of the company	No. of Shares	% of total shares of the company
1	Hari Prakash Gupta	65,758	23.87	3,655	65,758	23.87	69,413	25.20
2	Siddharth Gupta	64,082	23.26	-	64,082	23.26	64,082	23.26
3	Kusum Gupta	12,255	4.45	-	5,000	4.45	17,255	6.26
4	Ranjana Bansal	500	0.18	-	500	0.18	500	0.18
5	Sher Singh	520	0.19	-	520	0.19	520	0.19
6	Bharat Bhushan Deva	500	0.18	-	500	0.18	500	0.18
7	Bharat Bansal	1,000	0.36	-	1,000	0.36	1,000	0.36
8	Rakesh Kumar Singh (CFO)	20	0.007	-	20	0.007	20	0.007
9	Sumati Tandon (CS)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

V. INDEBTEDNESS

	Secured Loans excluding deposits	Unsecured Loans	Deposits	Total Indebtedness
Indebtedness at the beginning of the financial year	1,95,63,782	2,55,56,913	-	4,51,20,695
i) Principal Amount				
ii) Interest due but not paid				
iii) Interest accrued but not due				
Total (i+ii+iii)	1,95,63,782	2,55,56,913	-	4,51,20,695

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Change in Indebtedness during the financial year	• Addition	• Reduction	(Annexure Dr-I)	
	5,68,486.45	16,77,680	-	22,46,166.45
	(47,75,555.76)	(5,91,126)	-	(53,66,681.76)
Net Change	(42,07,069.31)	10,86,554	-	(31,20,515.31)
Indebtedness at the end of the financial year				
i) Principal Amount	1,53,56,712.45	2,66,43,466.50	-	4,20,00,178.95
ii) Interest due but not paid				
iii) Interest accrued but not due				
Total (i+ii+iii)	1,53,56,712.45	2,66,43,466.50	-	4,20,00,178.95

VI. REMUNERATION OF DIRECTORS AND KEY MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL

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

Sl. No.	Particulars of Remuneration	Name of MD/WTD/Manager		
		HariPrakash Gupta	Siddharth Gupta	Total amount
1.	Gross salary			
	(a) Salary as per provisions contained in section 17(1) of the Income-tax Act, 1961	54,46,750	54,46,750	1,08,93,500
	(b) Value of perquisites u/s 17(2) of Income-tax Act, 1961	-	-	-
	(c) Profits in lieu of salary u/s 17(3) of Income-tax Act, 1961	-	-	-
2.	Stock Option	-	-	-
3.	Sweat Equity	-	-	-
4.	Commission (as % of profit/others)	-	-	-
5.	Others, please specify	-	-	-
	Total (A)	54,46,750	54,46,750	1,08,93,500
	Ceiling as per the Act	Being Rs. 84 lacs per annum per director as per Section 197 read with Schedule V and the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014 and all other applicable provisions, if any of the Companies Act, 2013, as amended from time to time.		

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B. Remuneration to other Directors:

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Sl. No	Particulars of Remuneration	Name of Directors					Total
		Kusum Gupta (Other Non-Exec)	Ranjana Bansal (Ind. Dir)	Bharat Bhushan Deva (Ind. Dir)	Sher Singh (Ind. Dir)	Bharat Bansal (Ind. Dir)	
1.	Independent Directors • Fee for attending board / committee meetings • Commission • Others, please specify						
	Total (1)						
2.	Other Non-Executive Directors • Fee for attending board / committee Meetings • Commission • Others, please specify						
	Total (2)						
	Total (B)=(1+2)						
	Total Managerial Remuneration						

C. REMUNERATION TO KEY MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL OTHER THAN MD/MANAGER/WTD

Sl. No	Particulars of Remuneration	Key Managerial Personnel		
		Sumati Tandon (CS)	Rakesh Kumar Singh (CFO)	Total
1	Gross Salary (a) Salary as per the provisions contained in section 17(1) of the Income Tax Act, 1961; (b) Value of perquisites u/s 17(2) Income-tax Act, 1961; and (c) Profits in lieu of salary under section 17(3) Income tax Act, 1961	60,000	2,83,680*	3,43,680

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2	Stock Option	-	-	-
3	Sweat Equity	-	-	-
4	Commission (as % of profit/others)	-	-	-
5	Others, please Specify	-	-	-
	Total	60,000	2,83,680*	3,43,680

* it includes salary for 11 months only.

D. **PENALTIES / PUNISHMENT/ COMPOUNDING OF OFFENCES UNDER COMPANIES ACT, 2013** : Not Applicable

For and on behalf of the **Board of Directors**
Hicks Thermometers India Limited

Place: Aligarh
Date: 13/08/2018

Sd/-
HariPrakash Gupta
(Managing Director)

Sd/-
Siddharth Gupta
(Joint Managing Director)

Statement of Disclosure of Remuneration under Section 197 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 5(1) of Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014 (as amended from time to time)

- i) Ratio of the remuneration of each Executive Director to the median remuneration of the Employees of the company for the financial year 2017-18, the percentage increase in remuneration of each Executive Director, Chief Financial Officer and Company Secretary during the financial year 2017-18:

S. No.	Name of the Director/ KMP	Designation	Ratio of Remuneration of each Director to median Remuneration of Employees	Percentage increase in Remuneration
	Hari Prakash Gupta	Managing Director	542.13	16.38%
	Siddharth Gupta	Joint Managing Director	542.13	16.38%
	Rakesh Kumar Singh	Chief Financial Officer	28.23	-8.47%
	Sumati Tandon	Company Secretary	5.97	-69.23%

- ii) Percentage increase in the median remuneration of Employees for the financial year 2017-18 was -91.76%.
- iii) The Company has 67 permanent employees on the rolls of Company as on 31st March, 2018.
- iv) Average percentile increase made in the salaries of employees other than managerial personnel in the financial year was -91.76% whereas the percentage increase in managerial remuneration was 16.38%. The average increases every year is an outcome of Company's market competitiveness as against its peer group Companies. The increment given to each individual employee is based on the employees' potential, experience as also their performance and contribution to the Company's progress over a period of time and also benchmarked against a comparable basket of relevant companies in India.
- v) It is hereby affirmed that the remuneration paid is as per the Remuneration Policy for Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and other employees, adopted by the Company.

Note:

1. Remuneration includes salary, allowances and value of perquisites and excludes contribution to provident fund, gratuity, and encashment of leaves as per rules of the Company.

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SECRETARIAL AUDIT REPORT (Annexure Dr-3)

(FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 2018)

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

To,

The Members,

HICKS THERMOMETERS INDIA LIMITED

A-12 & 13, Industrial Estate,

Aligarh- 202001 (UP)

We have conducted the secretarial audit of the compliance of applicable statutory provisions and the adherence to good corporate practices by **Hicks Thermometers India Limited** (hereinafter called "**the Company**"). Secretarial Audit was conducted in a manner that provided us a reasonable basis for evaluating the corporate conducts/statutory compliances and expressing our opinion thereon.

Based on our verification of the books, papers, minute books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the Company and also the information provided by the Company, its officers, agents and authorized representatives during the conduct of secretarial audit, We hereby report that in our opinion, the Company has during the audit period covering the financial year ended on March 31st, 2018 complied with the statutory provisions listed hereunder and also that the Company has proper Board-Processes and Compliance-Mechanism in place to the extent, in the manner and subject to the reporting made hereinafter. We have examined the books, papers, minute books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the Company for the financial year ended on March 31st, 2018 according to the provisions of:

- (i) The Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act') and the rules made there under;
- (ii) The Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956 ('SCRA') and the rules made there under;
- (iii) The Depositories Act, 1996 and the Regulations and Bye-laws framed there under;
- (iv) Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 and the rules and regulations made there under to the extent of Foreign Direct Investment, Overseas Direct Investment and External Commercial Borrowings;
(Not applicable to the Company during the Audit Period);
- (v) The following Regulations and Guidelines prescribed under the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992 ('SEBI Act'):-
 - a) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011;
 - b) The Securities And Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015;
 - c) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2009; **(Not applicable to the Company during the Audit Period)**
 - d) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits) Regulations, 2014; **(Not applicable to the Company during the Audit Period)**

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- e) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Debt Securities) Regulations, 2008; **(Not applicable to the Company during the Audit Period)**
- f) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Registrars to an Issue and Share Transfer Agents) Regulations, 1993 regarding the Companies Act and dealing with client; **(Not applicable to the Company during the Audit Period)**
- g) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Delisting of Equity Shares) Regulations, 2009; **(Not applicable to the Company during the Audit Period)**
- h) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 1998; **(Not applicable to the Company during the Audit Period);** and
- i) The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

We further report that, having regard to the compliance system prevailing in the Company and as certified by management and on examination of the relevant documents and records in pursuance thereof, on text check basis, the Company has complied the law applicable specifically to the Company named as under:

- a) The Drugs and Cosmetics Act, 1940;
- b) The Legal Metrology Act, 2009; and
- c) Bureau of Indian Standards,

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

- a) Secretarial Standards issued by The Institute of Company Secretaries of India; and
- b) The Listing Agreements entered into by the Company with the Calcutta Stock Exchange.

During the period under review the Company has complied with the provisions of the Act, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Standards, etc. mentioned above and we have the following Observations:-

- a) The Company has received ISIN Activation from CDSL on 28th May, 2015. However, the application with NSDL for Dematerialization of Shares is still pending;
- b) Website of the Company is not updated as per regulation 46 of the Listing Regulations;
- c) The Company has not complied with the Indian Accounting Standards since the Company is exclusively listed on Calcutta Stock Exchange, which has become a non operational stock exchange and pursuant to which the Company is in process of under delisting.
- d) The listing fees to be paid to the Calcutta Stock exchange is pending.

We further report that:-

The Board of Directors of the Company is duly constituted with proper balance of Executive Directors, Non-Executive Directors and Independent Directors. The changes in the composition of the Board of Directors that took place during the period under review were carried out in compliance with the provisions of the Act. Adequate notice is given to all the directors to schedule the Board Meetings, agenda and detailed notes on agenda were sent at least seven days in advance, and a system exists for seeking and obtaining further information and clarifications on the agenda items before the meeting and for meaningful participation at the meeting.

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All decisions at the Board Meetings and Committee Meetings are carried out unanimously as recorded in the minutes of the meetings of the Board or Committee of the Board as the case may be.

We further report that:-

There exist systems and processes in the Company commensurate with the size and operations of the Company to monitor and ensure compliance with applicable laws, rules, regulations and guidelines.

We further report that during the audit period, there were no instances of:-

- a) Public/Right/Preferential issue of shares/debentures/sweat equity, etc.;
- b) Redemption / buy-back of securities;
- c) Major decisions taken by the members in pursuance to section 180 of the Companies Act, 2013;
- d) Merger / amalgamation / reconstruction, etc.;
- e) Foreign Technical Collaborations.

**For Adesh Tandon & Associates
Company Secretaries**

Date: August 13, 2018

Place: Kanpur

**Sd/-
Adesh Tandon
(Proprietor)
FCS No.2253
CP No.1121**

DECLARATION

In accordance with SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, I, Hari Prakash Gupta in my capacity as the Managing Director of the Company hereby confirm that all the members of the Board of Directors and Senior Management Personnel of the Company have affirmed their compliance for the financial year 2017-18 with the Company's Code of Conduct.

For Hicks Thermometers India Limited

**Sd/-
Hari Prakash Gupta
(Managing Director)
(DIN: 00173929)**

MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS REPORT**INDUSTRY STRUCTURE AND DEVELOPMENTS**

Our Company **HICKS THERMOMETERS INDIA LIMITED** is engaged in the business of Manufacturing of Thermometers and dealing and trading in other Healthcare/Surgical Equipments.

Healthcare Industry is amongst the fastest growing sectors in India and there is a huge requirement to meet the healthcare needs of the growing populations. Global population is expected to cross 9 billion by 2050. Rising population has led to increasing healthcare demand. India is the second most populous country in the world, with its population estimated to grow over time.

Company was founded in 1961 by late Sh. V.P. Gupta as a manufacturer of glass clinical thermometers which is being made by us till date and has now diversified in trading of medical products and devices which are imported or sourced from Indian supplier.

“**HICKS**” is a well known brand in India and it is synonymous to healthcare. We have a robust network all over the India and a dedicated marketing team.

Your Company's Vision and business strategy are aligned with the needs of Indian Agricultural Economy.

OPPORTUNITIES AND THREATS

As the Company is engaged in the Manufacturing of Glass Clinical Thermometers and Trading of various varieties of other Healthcare/Surgical Items like Digital Thermometers, B.P. Monitor, Nebulizer, Pulse Oximeter, Hot Water Bottle, Electric Heating Belt, Hot & Cold Pad, Cervical Collar, L. S. Belt, Abdominal Belt, Knee Cap, Infusion Set, Face Mask etc. since last 56 years, now the utilization of these products increases day by day, thus your company foresees great opportunity in the trading business of Healthcare/Surgical products as awareness towards healthcare is increasing day by day.

There is always a risk attached to the healthcare/surgical product market due to Competition. But your company, having the knowledge of this fact, always tries to control the risk associated with the type of business but emerging consumer market is enough to ensure the growth of the Company.

As indicated above there is a huge scope for growth. The perceptible threat to our business is from multinational companies and low quality products and we need to guard against the same but in the Consumer Market ultimately the quality prevails.

SEGMENT WISE OR PRODUCT WISE OR PRODUCT WISE PERFORMANCE

The Company is engaged in only one segment i.e., in Healthcare/Surgical related products and in which there are approx 50 products involved and the performance has increasing trend. The Company's bottom line has been supported by its brand image as well as quality of its products.

OUTLOOK

In near future your company sees tremendous growth in Healthcare/Surgical sectors of the economy which will strengthen the position in market, thus pushing the Healthcare/Surgical market upward and would pave path to provide good returns for the funds invested, barring unforeseen circumstances.

RISK AND CONCERNS

The business in which your company deals is based on the Healthcare and wellness of the consumers and does not see any risk except currency fluctuations. The company always endeavors to follow the market trend and risk and benefits attached to it before introducing different products in the market, so as to minimize the risk and maximize the returns.

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INTERNAL CONTROL SYSTEM AND THEIR ADEQUACY

Your company has proper and adequate internal control system which aims at conducting the business in an orderly and efficient manner, safeguarding the assets and resources of the company. It ensures the timely flow of financial and management information, effective and efficient implementation of policies and plans, completeness of accounting records and proper check on errors, frauds. The Board has framed a risk management plan for the company and suitably incorporated procedures in it for assessing and minimizing the prospective risks to which the company may be exposed. The Audit committee also monitors and evaluate the risk management plan placed in the company from time to time.

The company has appointed an Internal Auditor. The Internal Auditor of the company keeps a follow up on the internal financial reporting and information dissemination of the company between the departments. The Audit committee of the company interacts from time to time with the internal auditor of the company regarding the adequacy of internal financial control system placed in the company.

DISCUSSION ON FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE WITH RESPECT TO OPERATIONAL PERFORMANCE

- REVENUE

Despite challenges, your company achieved a revenue growth of 0.52% during the financial year 2017-18. The total revenue from operations of the company during the financial year 2017-18 was increased to Rs. 5,183.22 lakhs as compared to that of Rs. 5,156.17 lakhs during the financial year 2016-17. However, there was also increase of 1.81% in the total expenditure of the Company during the financial year 2017-18. The total expenses of your Company during the financial year 2017-18 increased to Rs. 5,061.04 lakhs as compared to that of Rs. 4,978.77 lakhs during the financial year 2016-17.

However, your Company managed to increase the Profit before Tax (PBT) of the Company during the financial year 2017-18 as that was during the financial year 2016-17 i.e., Rs. 228.64 lakhs.

- DEPRECIATION

Depreciation during the financial Year 2017-18 was Rs. 30.52 lakhs as compared to Rs. 27.14 lakhs during the financial year 2016-17.

- TAX EXPENSES

The tax expenses during the financial year 2017-18 also increased to Rs. 74.85 during the financial year 2017-18 as compared to that of Rs. 72.43 during the financial year 2016-17.

- PROFIT AFTER TAX (PAT)

The Profit after Tax (PAT) of the Company during the financial Year 2017-18, however, decreased to Rs. 153.79 lakhs as compared to that of Rs. 154.31 lakhs during the financial year 2016-17, marking a decline of 0.34% during the year.

HUMAN RESOURCE

People management is the backbone of your Company and it is regarded as one of the important resources for the success of Hicks. Over the years, your Company has strengthened its HR processes to ensure continual development and growth of its employees. HR processes are fine-tuned and updated to attract and recruit talent into the Company. Though Hicks is an equal opportunity employer, special focus is given to enhance diversity and promote employment opportunities for under-privileged segments of society by way of affirmative action to ensure that these segments get their due in building Team Hicks.

The Company has well documented and updated policies in place to prevent any kind of discrimination

and harassment, including sexual harassment. The Whistle Blower Policy plays an important role as a watchdog. The Directors and Employees of the company can easily report their genuine concern for any unethical conduct or malpractice, violation of code of conduct observed by them in the company to the Audit Committee of the Board.

The Company has formulated an evaluation criterion for the performance evaluation of its Board of Directors, committees of Board of the Company, Independent Directors and for each Individual Director other than Independent Directors. The Board of Directors evaluate the performance of the Directors on individual basis and on whole from time to time judge the capability of its Directors and to ensure that if they need any training.

The company has adopted a practice of conducting familiarization programme as and when the company appoints an Independent Director in the Board in order to familiarize him/her with the company, its working culture, its operations, management team, Code of Conduct for Directors, the role and duties of Independent Directors.

Towards the end of the financial year, a discussion session was also arranged in the Board Meeting for knowing the experience of the Independent Directors during the entire year, achievement of compliance related and other targets of the company, making them aware of new rules and regulations to be implemented by the company.

The relations between the employees and the management have remained cordial and harmonious during the year under review.

SAFETY AND HEALTH

Your Company is committed to strengthening the health and safety of its employees and associates over the years. All the measures required for health and safety of the Directors, employees and workers of your Company are on place and are being taken care of from time to time. Further, your Company is focussing to improve the health and safety standards across the Organisation, through adoption of best practices to raise the bar on safety.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Information Technology continues to be integral to the Company's processes, improvement and transformational initiatives. During the year your Company has transformed its accounting software to SAP and is trying to meet the standards of the Industry and elevate to a new level of heights. Extensive training and guidance is being given to the employees in order to enable them to have their hands set on SAP.

CAUTIONARY STATEMENT

Statements in the 'Management Discussion and Analysis' describing the Company's Objective, Projections and Expectations may be forward looking statements within the meaning of applicable securities laws and regulations. Actual results could differ materially from those expressed or implied. These statements are subject to known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors such as change in the government regulations, tax laws, economic conditions and other incidental factors.

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DEEPAK YASHPAL AND CO
Chartered Accountants



GURU DWARA ROAD,
CHHARRA ADDA, INFORNT OF
GANDA KUAN, Aligarh 202001

Independent Auditor's Report

To the Members of **M/S HICKS THERMOMETERS(INDIA) LIMITED**

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of M/S HICKS THERMOMETERS(INDIA) LIMITED ("the Company"), which comprise the Balance Sheet as at March 31, 2018, the Statement of Profit and Loss, the Cash Flow Statement for the year then ended, and a summary of the significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

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 Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") with respect to the preparation of these financial statements that give a true and fair view of the financial position, financial performance and cash flows of the Company in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in India, including the Accounting Standards specified under Section 133 of the Act, read with Rule 7 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014. This responsibility also includes maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding of the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls, that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We have taken into account the provisions of the Act, the accounting and auditing standards and matters which are required to be included in the audit report under the provisions of the Act and the Rules made there under.

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing specified under Section 143(10) of the Act. Those Standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and the disclosures in the financial statements. 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. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal financial control relevant to the Company's preparation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of the accounting policies used and the reasonableness of the accounting estimates made by the Company's Directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

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We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion on the financial statements.

Opinion

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 Act in the manner so required and give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the state of affairs of the Company as at 31st March, 2018, and its profit/loss and its cash flows for the year ended on that date.

Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

1. As required by the Companies (Auditor's Report) Order, 2016 ("the Order"), issued by the Central Government of India in terms of sub-section (11) of section 143 of the Companies Act, 2013, we give in the 'Annexure A', a statement on the matters specified in paragraphs 3 and 4 of the Order, to the extent applicable.
2. As required by Section 143 (3) of the Act, we report that:
 - a) We have sought and obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit.
 - b) In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Company so far as it appears from our examination of those books.
 - c) The Balance Sheet, the Statement of Profit and Loss and the Cash Flow Statement dealt with by this Report are in agreement with the books of account.
 - d) In our opinion, the aforesaid financial statements comply with the Accounting Standards specified under Section 133 of the Act, read with Rule 7 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014.
 - e) On the basis of the written representations received from the directors as on 31st March, 2018 taken on record by the Board of Directors, none of the directors is disqualified as on 31st March, 2018 from being appointed as a director in terms of Section 164 (2) of the Act.
 - f) With respect to the adequacy of the internal financial controls over financial reporting of the Company and the operating effectiveness of such controls, refer to our separate Report in 'Annexure B'.
 - g) With respect to the other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with Rule 11 of the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, in our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us:
 - i. The Company does not have any pending litigations which would impact its financial position.
 - ii. The Company did not have any long-term contracts including derivative contracts for which there were any material foreseeable losses.
 - iii. There were no amounts which were required to be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund by the Company.

Place:-Aligarh
Date: 29/05/2018

For DEEPAK YASHPAL AND CO
Chartered Accountants
Sd/- FRN: 417976
DEEPAK KUMAR
(Proprietor)
Membership No. 417976

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Annexure 'A'

The Annexure referred to in paragraph 1 of Our Report on "Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements".
We report that:

- i.
 - a. The company has maintained proper records showing full particulars, including quantitative details and situation of its fixed assets.
 - b. As explained to us, fixed assets have been physically verified by the management at reasonable intervals; no material discrepancies were noticed on such verification.
 - c. The title deeds of immovable properties are held in the name of the company.
- ii. As explained to us, inventories have been physically verified during the year by the management at reasonable intervals. No material discrepancy was noticed on physical verification of stocks by the management as compared to book records.
- iii. According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the books of account, the Company has not granted any loans, secured or unsecured, to companies, firms, Limited Liability Partnerships or other parties listed in the register maintained under Section 189 of the Companies Act, 2013. Consequently, the provisions of clauses iii (a), (b) and (c) of the order are not applicable to the Company.
- iv. In respect of loans, investments, guarantees, and security, provisions of section 185 and 186 of the Companies Act, 2013 have been complied with.
- v. The company has not accepted any deposits from the public covered under sections 73 to 76 of the Companies Act, 2013.
- vi. As per information & explanation given by the management, maintenance of cost records has not been specified by the Central Government under sub-section (1) of section 148 of the Companies Act, 2013.
- vii.
 - a. According to the records of the company, undisputed statutory dues including Provident Fund, Investor Education and Protection Fund, Employees' State Insurance, Income-tax, Sales-tax, Service Tax, Custom Duty, Excise Duty, value added tax, cess and any other statutory dues to the extent applicable, have generally been regularly deposited with the appropriate authorities. According to the information and explanations given to us there were no outstanding statutory dues as on 31st of

March, 2018 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 is no amount payable in respect of income tax, service tax, sales tax, customs duty, excise duty, value added tax and cess whichever applicable, which have not been deposited on account of any disputes.
- viii. In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given by the management, we are of the opinion that, the Company has not defaulted in repayment of dues to a financial institution, bank, Government or debenture holders, as applicable to the company.
- ix. Based on our audit procedures and according to the information given by the management, the money not raised by way of initial public offer or further public offer (including debt instruments) and term loans have been applied for the purpose for which they were obtained.
- x. According to the information and explanations given to us, we report that no fraud by the company or any fraud on the Company by its officers or employees has been noticed or reported during the year.
- xi. According to the information and explanations given to us, we report that managerial remuneration has been paid in accordance with the requisite approvals mandated by the provisions of section 197 read with Schedule V to the Companies Act.
- xii. The company is not a Nidhi Company. Therefore clause xii) of the order is not applicable to the company.
- xiii. According to the information and explanations given to us, all transactions with the related parties are in compliance with sections 177 and 188 of Companies Act, 2013 where applicable and the details have been disclosed in the Financial Statements etc. as required by the applicable accounting standards.
- xiv. The company has not made any preferential allotment or private placement of shares or fully or partly convertible debentures during the year under review.
- xv. The company has not entered into non-cash transactions with directors or persons connected with him.
- xvi. The company is not required to be registered under section 45-IA of the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934.

Place:-Aligarh

For DEEPAK YASHPAL AND CO
Chartered Accountants
FRN: 417976

Sd/-
DEEPAK KUMAR
(Proprietor)
Membership No. 417976

HICKS THERMOMETERS (INDIA) LIMITED

DEEPAK YASHPAL AND CO
Chartered Accountants



GURU DWARA ROAD,
CHHARRA ADDA, INFORNT OF
GANDA KUAN, Aligarh 202001

Date: 29/05/2018

Annexure 'B'

Report on Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting

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

We have audited the internal financial controls over financial reporting of M/S HICKS THERMOMETERS(INDIA) LIMITED ("the Company") as of March 31, 2018 in conjunction with our audit of the financial statements of the Company for the year ended on that date.

Management's Responsibility for Internal Financial Controls

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

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Company's internal financial controls over financial reporting based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting (the "Guidance Note") and the Standards on Auditing, issued by 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 Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. Those Standards and the Guidance Note require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether adequate internal financial controls over financial reporting was established and maintained and if such controls operated effectively in all material respects.

Our audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the adequacy of the internal financial controls system over financial reporting and their operating effectiveness. Our audit of internal financial controls over financial reporting included obtaining an understanding of internal financial controls over financial reporting, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, and testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of internal control based on the assessed risk. The procedures selected

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

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

Meaning of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting

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

1. pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the company;
2. provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and that receipts and expenditures of the company are being made only in accordance with authorisations of management and directors of the company; and
3. provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of 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.

Opinion

In our opinion, the Company has, in all material respects, an adequate internal financial controls system over financial reporting and such internal financial controls over financial reporting were operating effectively as at March 31, 2018, based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the Company considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.

For DEEPAK YASHPAL AND CO
Chartered Accountants
FRN: 417976

Sd/-

DEEPAK KUMAR
(Proprietor)

Membership No. 417976

Place:-Aligarh
Date: 29/05/2018

HICKS THERMOMETERS (INDIA) LIMITED

BALANCE SHEET as at 31st March 2018

		₹ in rupees	
Particulars	Note No.	As at 31st March 2018	As at 31st March 2017
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Shareholder's funds			
Share capital	1	32,55,000.00	32,55,000.00
Reserves and surplus	2	11,69,71,224.91	10,15,91,606.48
Money received against share warrants			
Share application money pending allotment		12,02,26,224.91	10,48,46,606.48
Non-current liabilities			
Long-term borrowings	3	3,31,60,301.60	3,15,05,261.15
Deferred tax liabilities (Net)	4	9,45,767.00	9,73,334.00
Other long term liabilities			
Long-term provisions	5		
Current liabilities			
Short-term borrowings	6	3,41,06,068.60	3,24,78,595.15
Trade payables	7	88,39,877.35	1,36,15,433.11
(A) Micro enterprises and small enterprises			
(B) Others		6,93,36,953.34	6,35,86,579.09
Other current liabilities	8	22,43,098.34	21,89,445.65
Short-term provisions	5	12,28,645.00	6,85,000.00
TOTAL		8,16,48,574.03	8,00,76,457.85
ASSETS			
Non-current assets			
Fixed assets	9	2,09,89,584.32	2,03,65,386.13
Tangible assets			
Intangible assets			
Capital work-in-Progress			
Intangible assets under development			
Non-current investments	10	9,600.00	9,600.00
Deferred tax assets (net)	4		
Long-term loans and advances			
Other non-current assets	11		
Current assets			
Current investments		2,09,99,184.32	2,03,74,986.13
Inventories	12	8,51,94,251.00	10,16,29,083.00
Trade receivables		5,17,97,981.92	2,91,31,517.11
Cash and cash equivalents	14	6,79,78,756.94	5,83,82,919.28
Short-term loans and advances	11	80,32,030.36	67,33,855.96
Other current assets	15	19,78,663.00	11,49,298.00
TOTAL		21,49,81,683.22	19,70,26,673.35
		23,59,80,867.54	21,74,01,659.48

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

As per our report of even date

For DEEPAK YASHPAL AND CO

Chartered Accountants

(FRN: 417976)

SD/-
DEEPAK KUMAR
Proprietor
Membership No.: 417976
Place: ALIGARH
Date: 29/05/2018

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HARI PRAKSH GUPTA
Managing Director
DIN: 00173929

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors

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SIDDHARTH GUPTA
Managing Director
DIN: 00174038

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RAKESH KUMAR SINGH
CFO

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SUMATI TANDON C.S.
MEM. NO. 31355

STATEMENT OF PROFIT AND LOSS for the year ended 31st March 2018

₹ in rupees

Particulars	Note No.	31st March 2018	31st March 2017
Revenue			
Revenue from operations	16	51,83,22,798.48	51,56,17,269.87
Less: Excise duty			
Net Sales		51,83,22,798.48	51,56,17,269.87
Other income	17	1,06,46,600.65	49,35,087.00
Total revenue		52,89,69,399.13	52,05,52,356.87
Expenses			
Cost of material Consumed		2,67,57,742.44	1,40,82,182.09
Purchase of stock-in-trade		28,04,07,129.50	35,11,22,745.17
Changes in inventories	19	1,40,29,371.00	(3,58,54,769.00)
Employee benefit expenses	20	2,35,50,212.44	1,86,31,766.01
Finance costs	21	37,05,023.45	37,15,306.85
Depreciation and amortization expenses	22	30,52,188.00	27,14,109.00
Other expenses	23	15,69,29,810.63	14,57,73,748.68
Gain(Loss) on foreign currency transaction	24	(23,26,967.76)	(23,08,083.41)
Total expenses		50,61,04,509.70	49,78,77,005.39
Profit before exceptional, extraordinary and prior period items and tax		2,28,64,889.43	2,26,75,351.48
Exceptional items			
Profit before extraordinary and prior period items and tax		2,28,64,889.43	2,26,75,351.48
Extraordinary items			
Prior period item			
Profit before tax		2,28,64,889.43	2,26,75,351.48
Tax expenses			
Current tax	25	75,12,838.00	71,40,267.00
Deferred tax	26	(27,567.00)	1,03,430.00
Profit(Loss) for the period		1,53,79,618.43	1,54,31,654.48
Earning per share			
Basic	27		
Before extraordinary Items		55.82	56.01
After extraordinary Adjustment		55.82	56.01
Diluted			
Before extraordinary Items			
After extraordinary Adjustment			

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.
As per our report of even date

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(FRN: 417976)

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HICKS THERMOMETERS (INDIA) LIMITED

CASH FLOW STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st March 2018

PARTICULARS		₹ in rupees	
		31st March 2018	31st March 2017
A. Cash Flow From Operating Activities			
Net Profit before tax and extraordinary items(as per Statement of Profit and Loss)		2,28,64,889.43	2,26,75,351.48
Adjustments for non Cash/ Non trade items:			
Depreciation & Amortization Expenses		30,52,188.00	27,14,109.00
Finance Cost		13,78,055.69	37,15,306.85
Interest received		(41,87,507.00)	(23,194.00)
Operating profits before Working Capital Changes		2,31,07,626.12	2,90,81,573.33
Adjusted For:			
(Increase) / Decrease in trade receivables		(2,26,66,464.81)	1,57,04,161.58
Increase / (Decrease) in trade payables		57,50,374.25	1,50,49,435.54
(Increase) / Decrease in inventories		1,64,34,832.00	(3,84,90,878.00)
Increase / (Decrease) in other current liabilities		5,97,297.69	
(Increase) / Decrease in Short Term Loans & Advances		(12,98,174.40)	
(Increase) / Decrease in other current assets		(8,29,365.00)	
Cash generated from Operations		2,10,96,125.85	2,13,44,292.45
Income Tax (Paid) / Refund			(71,40,267.01)
Net Cash flow from Operating Activities(A)		2,10,96,125.85	1,42,04,025.44
B. Cash Flow From Investing Activities			
Purchase of tangible assets		(36,76,386.19)	(36,32,392.00)
Interest Received		41,87,507.00	23,194.00
Net Cash used in Investing Activities(B)		5,11,120.81	(36,09,198.00)
C. Cash Flow From Financing Activities			
Finance Cost		(13,78,055.69)	(37,15,306.85)
Increase in / (Repayment) of Short term Borrowings		(47,75,555.76)	
Increase in / (Repayment) of Long term borrowings		16,55,040.45	(8,46,497.35)
Other Inflows / (Outflows) of cash		(75,12,838.00)	
Net Cash used in Financing Activities(C)		(1,20,11,409.00)	(45,61,804.20)
D. Net Increase / (Decrease) in Cash & Cash Equivalents(A+B+C)		95,95,837.66	60,33,023.24
E. Cash & Cash Equivalents at Beginning of period		5,83,82,919.28	5,23,49,895.92
F. Cash & Cash Equivalents at End of period		6,79,78,756.94	5,83,82,919.16
G. Net Increase / (Decrease) in Cash & Cash Equivalents(F-E)		95,95,837.66	60,33,023.24

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

As per our report of even date
For DEEPAK YASHPAL AND CO
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Note:

- The Cash Flow Statement has been prepared by Indirect Method as per AS-3 issued by ICAI.
- Figures of previous year have been rearranged/regrouped wherever necessary
- Figures in brackets are outflow/deductions

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Notes to Financial statements for the year ended 31st March 2018

The previous year figures have been regrouped / reclassified, wherever necessary to conform to the current year presentation.

Note No. 1 Share Capital

Particulars	₹ in rupees	
	As at 31st March 2018	As at 31st March 2017
Authorised :		
400000 (31/03/2017:400000) Equity shares of Rs. 10.00/- par value	40,00,000.00	40,00,000.00
100000 (31/03/2017:100000) Preference shares of Rs. 10.00/- par value	10,00,000.00	10,00,000.00
Issued :		
279540 (31/03/2017:279540) Equity shares of Rs. 10.00/- par value	27,95,400.00	27,95,400.00
50000 (31/03/2017:50000) Preference shares of Rs. 10.00/- par value	5,00,000.00	5,00,000.00
Subscribed and paid-up :		
275500 (31/03/2017:275500) Equity shares of Rs. 10.00/- par value	27,55,000.00	27,55,000.00
50000 (31/03/2017:50000) Preference shares of Rs. 10.00/- par value	5,00,000.00	5,00,000.00
Total	32,55,000.00	32,55,000.00

Reconciliation of the Shares outstanding at the beginning and at the end of the reporting period**Equity shares**

	As at 31st March 2018		As at 31st March 2017	
	No. of Shares	Amount	No. of Shares	Amount
At the beginning of the period	2,75,500	27,55,000.00	2,75,500	27,55,000.00
Issued during the Period				
Redeemed or bought back during the period				
Outstanding at end of the period	2,75,500	27,55,000.00	2,75,500	27,55,000.00

Preference shares

	As at 31st March 2018		As at 31st March 2017	
	No. of Shares	Amount	No. of Shares	Amount
At the beginning of the period	50,000	5,00,000.00	50,000	5,00,000.00
Issued during the Period				
Redeemed or bought back during the period				
Outstanding at end of the period	50,000	5,00,000.00	50,000	5,00,000.00

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Right, Preferences and Restriction attached to shares

Equity shares

The company has only one class of Equity having a par value Rs. 10.00 per share. Each shareholder is eligible for one vote per share held. The dividend proposed by the board of directors is subject to the approval of the shareholders in ensuing Annual General Meeting, except in case of interim dividend. In the event of liquidation, the Equity shareholders are eligible to receive the remaining assets of the company after distribution of all preferential amounts, in proportion to their shareholding.

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Details of shareholders holding more than 5% shares in the company

Type of Share	Name of Shareholders	As at 31st March 2018		As at 31st March 2017	
		No. of Shares	% of Holding	No. of Shares	% of Holding
Equity [NV: 10.00]	Hari Prakash Gupta	69,413	25.19	65,758	23.87
Equity [NV: 10.00]	Siddharth Gupta	64,082	23.26	64,082	23.26
Equity [NV: 10.00]	Hari Prakash Gupta, (H.U.F.)	22,005	7.99	17,160	6.23
Equity [NV: 10.00]	MRS. SEEMA MITTAL	16,000	5.81	16,000	5.81
Equity [NV: 10.00]	MRS. KUSUM GUPTA	17,255	6.26	12,255	4.45
	Total :	1,88,755	68.51	1,75,255	63.62
Preference [NV: 10.00]	Hari Prakash Gupta	20,000	40.00	20,000	40.00
Preference [NV: 10.00]	Sidharth Gupta	10,000	20.00	10,000	20.00
Preference [NV: 10.00]	Mrs. Kusum Gupta	20,000	40.00	20,000	40.00
	Total :	50,000	100.00	50,000	100.00

Note No. 2 Reserves and surplus

₹ in rupees

Particulars	As at 31st March 2018	As at 31st March 2017
Surplus		
Opening Balance	10,11,33,708.48	8,57,02,054.00
Add: Profit for the year	1,53,79,618.43	1,54,31,654.48
Less : Deletion during the year		
Closing Balance	11,65,13,326.91	10,11,33,708.48
Capital reserve		
Opening Balance	4,340.00	4,340.00
Add: Addition during the year		
Less : Deletion during the year		
Closing Balance	4,340.00	4,340.00

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General reserve		
Opening Balance	4,53,558.00	4,53,558.00
Add: Addition during the year		
Less : Deletion during the year		
Closing Balance	4,53,558.00	4,53,558.00
Balance carried to balance sheet	11,69,71,224.91	10,15,91,606.48

Note No. 3 Long-term borrowings

₹ in rupees

Particulars	As at 31st March 2018			As at 31st March 2017		
	Non-Current	Current Maturities	Total	Non-Current	Current Maturities	Total
Term Loan - From banks						
SECURED LOAN	65,16,835.10		65,16,835.10	59,48,348.65		59,48,348.65
	65,16,835.10		65,16,835.10	59,48,348.65		59,48,348.65
Term Loan - From Others						
Unsecured (from director and Director's concern)	1,88,43,466.50		1,88,43,466.50	1,82,15,786.50		1,82,15,786.50
	1,88,43,466.50		1,88,43,466.50	1,82,15,786.50		1,82,15,786.50
Other Loans and advances						
Unsecured (Deposit from customers security)	78,00,000.00		78,00,000.00	67,50,000.00		67,50,000.00
Bank Guarantee secured				5,91,126.00		5,91,126.00
	78,00,000.00		78,00,000.00	73,41,126.00		73,41,126.00
The Above Amount Includes						
Secured Borrowings	65,16,835.10		65,16,835.10	59,48,348.65		65,39,474.65
Unsecured Borrowings	2,66,43,466.50		2,66,43,466.50	2,55,56,912.50		2,49,65,786.50
Net Amount	3,31,60,301.60	0	3,31,60,301.60	3,15,05,261.15	0	3,15,05,261.15

Note No. 4 Deferred Tax

₹ in rupees

Particulars	As at 31st March 2018	As at 31st March 2017
Deferred tax liability		
DEFERED TAX	9,45,767.00	9,73,334.00
Gross deferred tax liability	9,45,767.00	9,73,334.00
Net deferred tax liability	9,45,767.00	9,73,334.00

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Note No. 5 Provisions

₹ in rupees

Particulars	As at 31st March 2018			As at 31st March 2017		
	Long-term	Short-term	Total	Long-term	Short-term	Total
Provision for employee benefit						
Bonus payable		12,28,645.00	12,28,645.00		6,85,000.00	6,85,000.00
		12,28,645.00	12,28,645.00		6,85,000.00	6,85,000.00
Total		12,28,645.00	12,28,645.00		6,85,000.00	6,85,000.00

Note No. 6 Short-term borrowings

₹ in rupees

Particulars	As at 31st March 2018	As at 31st March 2017
Loans Repayable on Demands - From banks		
Working capital facilities From Canara bank secured	88,39,877.35	1,36,15,433.11
	88,39,877.35	1,36,15,433.11
The Above Amount Includes		
Secured Borrowings	88,39,877.35	1,36,15,433.11
Total	88,39,877.35	1,36,15,433.11

Note No. 7 Trade payables

₹ in rupees

Particulars	As at 31st March 2018	As at 31st March 2017
(A) Micro enterprises and small enterprises	6,93,36,953.34	6,35,86,579.09
Total	6,93,36,953.34	6,35,86,579.09

Note No. 8 Other current liabilities

₹ in rupees

Particulars	As at 31st March 2018	As at 31st March 2017
Others payables		
TDS PayABLE	9,09,295.34	7,27,684.00
M.D.Salary Payable	3,81,524.00	4,81,900.00
SALARY PAYABLE	4,93,424.00	5,06,851.00
Director Allowance Payable	70,000.00	61,900.00
U.P.S.T.		1,58,201.30
C.S.T.		52,890.35
P.F.Payable	1,83,918.00	1,65,537.00
E.S.I.Payable	39,937.00	34,482.00
Security Suparshva Swabs	1,65,000.00	
	22,43,098.34	21,89,445.65
Total	22,43,098.34	21,89,445.65

Note No. 9 Fixed Assets Chart as at 31st March 2018

Fixed Assets Statement as at 31st March 2018

₹ in rupees

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Assets	Useful Life (in Years)	Gross Block			Accumulated Depreciation/ Amortisation					Net Block		
		Balance as at 1st April 2017	Additions during the year	Addition on account of business acquisition	Deletion during the year	Balance as at 31st March 2018	Balance as at 1st April 2017	Provided during the year	Deletion / adjustments during the year	Written off from retained earnings	Balance as at 31st March 2018	Balance as at 31st March 2017
A Tangible assets												
Own Assets												
Motor Vehicles	8.00	1,54,96,625.00	24,87,767.00			1,79,84,392.00	50,56,259.17	17,90,819.00			1,11,37,313.83	1,04,40,365.83
Motor Vehicles	10.00	62,408.00				62,408.00	50,149.90	3,280.00			8,978.10	12,258.10
WATER SUPPLY INSTALLATION	15.00	19,748.00				19,748.00	19,747.00				1.00	1.00
Plant & Machinery	15.00	77,72,401.03	4,60,175.00			82,32,576.03	56,79,231.00	2,76,069.00			22,77,276.03	20,93,170.03
WEIGHING SCALE	15.00	49,306.00				49,306.00	20,651.90	2,324.00			26,330.10	28,654.10
Fire Extinguisher	15.00	5,77,719.00				5,77,719.00	1,69,463.00	37,817.00			3,70,446.00	4,08,266.00
Road & Drainage	15.00	6,233.00				6,233.00	6,233.00				6,233.00	
CYCLE	15.00	36,015.00				36,015.00	17,274.75	1,495.00			18,769.75	18,740.25
Generator	15.00	9,44,103.00				9,44,103.00	8,87,605.00	1,828.00			54,670.00	56,498.00
Electric Installation	10.00	1,72,722.00				1,72,722.00	1,64,036.00	1,231.00			7,455.00	8,686.00
Furniture	10.00	37,25,011.00	70,894.85			37,95,905.85	9,92,487.00	3,30,871.00			24,73,567.85	27,33,544.00
Building	60.00	26,48,152.00				26,48,152.00	21,12,230.00	36,793.00			4,99,129.00	5,35,922.00
Office Equipment	15.00	44,45,701.00	4,71,713.80			49,17,414.80	11,57,487.68	2,96,524.00			34,63,403.12	32,86,213.32
computer	3.00	17,81,216.00	1,85,835.54			19,67,051.54	10,76,341.50	2,73,137.00			6,17,573.04	7,04,874.50
A-12,13	0.00	28,996.00				28,996.00	10,768.00				18,228.00	18,228.00
Mussonie Land	0.00	17,965.00				17,965.00					17,965.00	17,965.00
Total (A)		3,77,85,321.03	36,76,396.19			4,14,61,707.22	1,74,19,934.90	30,52,188.00			2,04,72,122.90	2,03,65,386.13
P.Y Total		3,41,52,569.03	36,32,762.00			3,77,85,321.03	1,47,05,825.00	27,14,109.00			1,74,19,934.00	1,94,46,744.03

General Notes :

General Notes:

1. No depreciation if remaining useful life is negative or zero.
2. Depreciation is calculated on pro-rata basis in case assets is purchased/sold during current F.Y.
3. If above assets is used for any time during the year for double shift, the depreciation will increase by 50% for that period and in case of the triple shift the depreciation shall be calculated on the basis of 100% for that period.

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Note No. 10 Non-current investments

₹ in rupees

Particulars	As at 31st March 2018	As at 31st March 2017
Investment Properties		
In Others		
Investment Properties Non Trade (Lower of cost and Market value) share held in IOB CHENNAI	9,600.00	9,600.00
Non-Trade Investment(Valued at cost unless stated otherwise)		
Gross Investment	9,600.00	9,600.00
Net Investment	9,600.00	9,600.00
Aggregate amount of unquoted investments	9,600.00	9,600.00

Note No. 11 Loans and advances

₹ in rupees

Particulars	As at 31st March 2018		As at 31st March 2017	
	Long-term	Short-term	Long-term	Short-term
Other loans and advances				
Secured, considered good(Head)		71,64,379.84		52,03,606.13
Unsecured, considered good(Head)		8,67,650.52		15,30,249.83
		80,32,030.36		67,33,855.96
Total		80,32,030.36		67,33,855.96

Note No. 12 Inventories

₹ in rupees

Particulars	As at 31st March 2018	As at 31st March 2017
(Valued at cost or NRV unless otherwise stated)		
Finished Goods	22,79,601.00	27,28,415.00
Traded goods	7,71,54,914.00	9,10,11,508.00
WIP	10,45,903.00	7,69,866.00
Stores and spares	17,46,144.00	15,71,812.00
Raw Material	29,67,689.00	30,45,460.00
Gold Coin		25,02,022.00
Total	8,51,94,251.00	10,16,29,083.00

Note No. 13 Trade receivables

₹ in rupees

Particulars	As at 31st March 2018	As at 31st March 2017
Exceeding six months		
Unsecured, Considered Good	5,17,97,981.92	2,91,31,517.11
Total	5,17,97,981.92	2,91,31,517.11
Total	5,17,97,981.92	2,91,31,517.11

Note No. 14 Cash and cash equivalents

₹ in rupees

Particulars	As at 31st March 2018	As at 31st March 2017
Balance with banks		
Current Accounts	59,02,747.12	45,87,159.67
Total	59,02,747.12	45,87,159.67
Earmarked balances with banks		
Fixed Deposit Account	6,18,90,567.08	5,37,45,070.48
Total	6,18,90,567.08	5,37,45,070.48
Cash in hand		
Cash in hand	1,85,442.74	50,689.13
Total	1,85,442.74	50,689.13
Total	6,79,78,756.94	5,83,82,919.28

Note No. 15 Other current assets

₹ in rupees

Particulars	As at 31st March 2018	As at 31st March 2017
Other Assets		
I.T.I RECEIVABLE	2,71,020.00	2,43,673.00
Advance Tax and Tax Deducted at Source	17,07,643.00	9,05,625.00
Total	19,78,663.00	11,49,298.00

Note No. 16 Revenue from operations

₹ in rupees

Particulars	31st March 2018	31st March 2017
Sale of products	51,83,22,798.48	51,56,17,269.87
Net revenue from operations	51,83,22,798.48	51,56,17,269.87

Note No. 17 Other income

₹ in rupees

Particulars	31st March 2018	31st March 2017
Interest Income	41,87,507.00	39,28,482.92
Other non-operating income		
Miscellaneous Receipts	64,44,861.48	5,27,696.35
Profit From Delhi Branch	14,232.17	4,78,907.73
	64,59,093.65	10,06,604.08
Total	1,06,46,600.65	49,35,087.00

Note No. 18

Details of material consumed

₹ in rupees

Particulars	31st March 2018	31st March 2017
Raw Material		
Consumption raw material	2,67,57,742.44	1,40,82,182.09
	2,67,57,742.44	1,40,82,182.09

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Total	2,67,57,742.44	1,40,82,182.09
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Note No. 19 Changes in inventories

₹ in rupees

Particulars	31st March 2018	31st March 2017
Inventory at the end of the year		
Finished Goods	22,79,601.00	27,28,415.00
Work-in-Progress	10,45,903.00	7,69,866.00
Traded Goods	7,71,54,914.00	9,10,11,508.00
	8,04,80,418.00	9,45,09,789.00
Inventory at the beginning of the year		
Finished Goods	27,28,415.00	20,11,490.00
Work-in-Progress	7,69,866.00	12,36,432.00
Traded Goods	9,10,11,508.00	5,54,07,098.00
	9,45,09,789.00	5,86,55,020.00
(Increase)/decrease in inventories		
Finished Goods	4,48,814.00	(7,16,925.00)
Work-in-Progress	(2,76,037.00)	4,66,566.00
Traded Goods	1,38,56,594.00	(3,56,04,410.00)
	1,40,29,371.00	(3,58,54,769.00)

Note No. 20 Employee benefit expenses

₹ in rupees

Particulars	31st March 2018	31st March 2017
Salaries and Wages		
Salaries, Wages	2,08,43,487.44	1,55,99,340.01
Director Allowance	12,00,000.00	12,00,000.00
	2,20,43,487.44	1,67,99,340.01
Contribution to provident and other fund		
Other retirement benefits	13,65,013.00	12,27,638.00
	13,65,013.00	12,27,638.00
Staff welfare Expenses		
Medical Expenses	1,41,712.00	6,04,788.00
	1,41,712.00	6,04,788.00
Total	2,35,50,212.44	1,86,31,766.01

Note No. 21 Finance costs

₹ in rupees

Particulars	31st March 2018	31st March 2017
Interest	37,05,023.45	37,15,306.85
Total	37,05,023.45	37,15,306.85

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Note No. 22 Depreciation and amortization expenses

Particulars	₹ in rupees	
	31st March 2018	31st March 2017
Depreciation on tangible assets	30,52,188.00	27,14,109.00
Total	30,52,188.00	27,14,109.00

Note No. 23 Other expenses

Particulars	₹ in rupees	
	31st March 2018	31st March 2017
Power and Fuel	18,92,329.00	19,11,522.00
Freight and Forwarding	1,10,79,985.65	1,11,20,601.00
Consumption of stores and spare parts	66,07,369.70	51,01,687.75
Job work expense	10,41,510.00	39,78,375.00
Rent	6,62,400.00	5,12,400.00
Rates and taxes	60,700.00	1,90,640.00
Insurance expenses	5,85,627.00	5,59,398.00
Conveyance expenses	1,42,50,138.95	1,30,58,361.92
Telephone expenses	16,95,422.19	12,80,790.55
Legal expenses	7,55,472.00	3,74,749.00
Audit fees	40,000.00	40,000.00
Repairs And maintenance	47,64,111.40	17,17,669.25
Advertising expenses	6,76,15,191.46	5,25,18,395.00
Selling and Forwarding Expenses	21,81,603.00	34,22,748.13
Commission/Discount On Sales	2,93,92,899.59	3,75,71,089.91
Misc. Exp.	1,34,19,016.47	1,05,73,689.81
Bank charges	1,47,250.93	1,97,959.44
Loss In Transit	62,507.71	1,61,750.00
Excise Expenses]		12,97,823.92
Sales tax exp	6,40,178.58	1,84,098.00
Service Tax expenses	36,097.00	
Total	15,69,29,810.63	14,57,73,748.68

Note No. 24 Gain(Loss) on foreign currency transaction

Particulars	₹ in rupees	
	31st March 2018	31st March 2017
Difference in Foreign Exchange	(23,26,967.76)	(23,08,083.41)
Total	(23,26,967.76)	(23,08,083.41)

Note No. 25 Current tax

Particulars	₹ in rupees	
	31st March 2018	31st March 2017
Current tax pertaining to current year	75,12,838.00	71,40,267.00

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Total	75,12,838.00	71,40,267.00
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Note No. 26 Deferred tax

Particulars	₹ in rupees	
	31st March 2018	31st March 2017
Deferred tax	(27,567.00)	1,03,430.00
Total	(27,567.00)	1,03,430.00

Note No. 27 Earning Per Share

Particulars	₹ in rupees			
	Before Extraordinary items		After Extraordinary items	
	31st March 2018	31st March 2017	31st March 2018	31st March 2017
Basic				
Profit after tax (A)	1,53,79,618.43	1,54,31,654.48	1,53,79,618.43	1,54,31,654.48
Weighted average number of shares outstanding (B)	2,75,500	2,75,500	2,75,500	2,75,500
Basic EPS (A / B)	55.82	56.01	55.82	56.01
Face value per share	10.00	10.00	10.00	10.00

Note No. 3(a) Long-term borrowings: Unsecured (from director and Director's concern)

Particulars	As at 31st March 2018			As at 31st March 2017		
	Non-Current	Current Maturities	Total	Non-Current	Current Maturities	Total
Loan from Director (Dr.(Mrs.) V.Gupta)				3,92,224.00		3,92,224.00
Security deposit FROM DIRECTORS	2,00,000.00		2,00,000.00	2,00,000.00		2,00,000.00
Loan from Hicks Healthcare(P) LTD.	85,97,853.00		85,97,853.00	83,21,367.00		83,21,367.00
Loan from Shri Veda Holding (P) Ltd.	26,84,437.50		26,84,437.50	25,38,951.50		25,38,951.50
Loan from Yatharth Enterprises (P) Ltd.	73,61,176.00		73,61,176.00	67,63,244.00		67,63,244.00
Total	1,88,43,466.50		1,88,43,466.50	1,82,15,786.50		1,82,15,786.50

Note No. 8(a) Other current liabilities:
SALARY PAYABLE

₹ in rupees

Particulars	31st March 2018	As at 31st March 2017
Salary payable Factory	1,75,320.00	1,71,665.00
Salary payable Office	1,45,753.00	1,37,027.00
Salary payable Sales	1,72,351.00	1,98,159.00
Total	4,93,424.00	5,06,851.00

Note No. 11(a) Loans and advances : Other loans and advances:
Secured, considered good(Head)

₹ in rupees

Particulars	As at 31st March 2018		As at 31st March 2017	
	Long-term	Short-term	Long-term	Short-term
Deposit with Government Authorities and others		71,64,379.84		52,03,606.13
Total		71,64,379.84		52,03,606.13

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SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES & PRACTICES AND NOTES TO ACCOUNTS

(Annexure and forming part of the Balance Sheet as at 31st March, 2018)

(A) SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNT POLICIES:

(a) Basis of accounting and preparation of financial statements:-

The Financial statement of the company have been prepared in accordance with the Generally accepted Accounting Principles in India (Indian GAAP) to comply with the Accounting Standards notified under the companies (Accounting Standards) Rule, 2006 as (amended) and the relevant provision of the Companies Act, 2013. The financial statements have been prepared on accrual basis under the historical cost convention. The accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the financial statements are consistent with those followed the previous year. The company does not comply with the Indian accounting standards since the Calcutta stock exchange is become non operation Stock Exchange and company is under the process of de-listing.

(b) FIXED ASSETS AND DEPRECIATION:-

(i) The Fixed Assets are accounted for the cost basis including cost of installation where incurred expenditure on regular staff who might be occasionally engaged for installation work in borne under revenue.

(ii) During the year the depreciation has been provided on the rate and the manner specified on Schedule II of the Companies Act 2013 on useful life.

(c) INVENTORIES:-

A. RAW MATERIAL: Raw materials are valued at lower of cost or Net Realisable Value.

B. STORE & SPARE PARTS: Stores and Spare parts are valued at lower of cost or Net Realisable value.

C. WORK IN PROCESS: Work in Process are valued at lower of cost or Net Realisable value.

D. FINISHED GOODS: Finished goods are valued at lower of cost or Net Realisable value.

E. PACKING MATERIAL: Packing Material are valued at lower of cost or Net Realisable value.

Excise duty is payable on clearance of goods, but is accounted in books on accrual basis. Accordingly, provision of duty is made on goods lying with the consignees and at branch office while calculating the cost of closing finished stock.

COST IS DETERMINED ON THE BASIS OF FIRST IN FIRST OUT:

(d) TURNOVER: [A] Sales are accounted for inclusive of excise duty recoveries.

[B] Sales return, rebate & discount are adjusted from the sales of the year in which return takes place.

(e) PURCHASE: The amount of purchase Rs. 11593501.00 of materials purchased from the manufacturers.

(f) RETIREMENT BENEFIT & LEAVE ENCASHMENT:

The Company has taken a LIC policy to cover the gratuity liability for which a year contribution has been made and charges of Profit and Loss Account.

(g) FOREIGN CURRENCY TRANSACTION:

Foreign currency transaction:

(i) Initial Recognition

Transaction in the foreign currencies entered into by the Company and its integral foreign operations are accounted at the exchange rates prevailing on the date of transaction or at rate that closely approximate

the rate at the date of the transaction.

(ii) **Conversion:**

Foreign currency monetary items are reported using the closing rate.

(iii) **Exchange Difference :** Exchange difference arising on the settlement or restatement of monetary items at rates difference from those at which they were initially recorded are recognized as income or as expenses in the year in which they arise.

(iv) foreign currency monetary items (other than derivative contracts) of the company and its net investment in non integral foreign operations outstanding at the Balance sheet date are restated at the year-end rates.

In the case of integral operation, assets and liabilities (other than non monetary items) are translated at the exchange rate prevailing on the basis of Balance sheet date. Non monetary items are carried at historical cost. Revenue and expenses are translated at the average exchange rate prevailing during the year. Exchange difference arising out of these translations are charged on the Statement of Profit and loss.

(h) **TAXATION:**

Provision for taxation has been ascertained on the basis of taxable Profit, computed in accordance with the provisions of Income Tax Act, 1961.

(i) **TAXES ON INCOME:**

The expenses for the period, comprising current tax and deferred tax is included in determining the net profit for the year. The accumulated deferred tax assets at the beginning of the year has been recognised with a corresponding credit to the opening reserves in accordance with the Accounting Standard 22 issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.

Deferred tax assets are recognised for all deductible timing differences and carried forward to the extent. There is reasonably certainty that sufficient future taxable profit will be available against which such deferred tax assets can be released.

Deferred tax assets and liability are measured at the tax rates that have been enacted to substantively enacted by the Balance Sheet.

(j) **Earning per share**

Basis earning per share is computed by dividing the profit/loss after including the post tax effect of extraordinary items, if any) by the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the year. Diluted earnings per share is computed by dividing the profit/loss after tax (including the post tax effect the extraordinary items, if any) as adjusted for dividend, interest and other charges to expense or income relating to the dilutive potential equity shares. Potential equity shares are deemed to be dilutive only if their conversion to equity shares would decrease the net profit per share from continuing ordinary operations. Potential dilutive equity shares are deemed to be converted as at the beginning of the period, unless they have been issued at the later date. The dilutive potential equity share are adjusted for the proceeds receivable had the shares been actually issued at fair value (i.e. average market value of the outstanding shares). Dilutive potential equity shares are determined independently for each period splits/reverse share splits and bonus shares, as appropriate.

(k) **Provision and contingencies**

A provision is recognized when the company has a present obligation as a result of past events and it is probable that an out flow of resources will be required to settle the obligation in respect of which a

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reliable estimate can be made. Provisions (excluding retirement benefits) are not discounted to their present value and are determined based on the best estimate required to settle the obligation at the Balance sheet date. These are reviewed at each Balance sheet date and adjusted to reflect the current best estimates. Contingent liabilities are disclosed in the Notes.

(L) Insurance claims

Insurance claims are accounted for on the basis of claims admitted/expected to be admitted and to the extent that there is no uncertainty in receiving the claims.

Contested claims against the company are treated as Contingent Liability and are not provided for the accounts but are disclosed by way of note in Notes to Accounts.

(B) NOTES OF ACCOUNTS:

1. The Revised Schedule VI has become effective from 1 April 2011 for the preparation of financial statements. This has significantly impacted the disclosure and presentation made in the financial statement. Previous year's figures have been regrouped/reclassified wherever necessary to correspond with current year's classification/disclosure.
2. Related Party disclosures: Related party disclosures, as required by AS-18 are given below:-

DISCLOSURE as per AS-18

Loan from Director (Dr. (Mrs) V Gupta)	-	3,92,224.00
Security deposit from directors	2,00,000.00	2,00,000.00
LOAN FROM ASSOCIATES OF DIRECTORS		
Loan from Hicks Healthcare (P) Ltd	8597853.00	83,21,367.00
Loan from Shri Veda Holding (P) Ltd	2684437.50	25,38,951.50
Loan from Yatharth Enterprises (P) Ltd	7361176.00	67,63,244.00
Total	18843466.50	1,82,15,786.50

3(a) CONTINGENT LIABILITIES:

- (i) Outstanding balances of bills discounted Rs. NIL (Previous year NIL).
 - (ii) Claims by Ex-employees of Mussoorie's unit (closed), Legal cases pending amount is unascertained.
 - (iii) Other money pertaining to pending Legal cases, amount approx. 29 Lacs for which the Company is contingently liable.
- (b) Being the SSI unit, the Company is exempted from paying the Excise Duty on the sale upto Rs.150 Lacs. According Excise Provision on unsold stock lying in the factory premises has not been made. However, it had no impact on the profit during the year.
- (c) In the opinion of the board, current assets, loans and advances shown in the balance sheet have a value on realisation in the ordinary course of business at least equal to the amount stated there in the provision for all known liabilities have been aimed and are dequate.
- (d) Balance of Sundry Debtors, loan and advances and Sundry Creditors are generally subject to confirmation and or reconciliation.

(C) EXECUTIVE CHAIRPERSON, MANAGING DIRECTOR/JOINT MANAGING DIRECTOR'S REMUNERATION

(Included in Notes-18 under the head Employee cost)

	This Year	Last Year
Salary including Bonus & Leave salary	11237180	9864949
Contribution to P.F.	176860	172339

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(As certified, calculated and classified by the management)

CAPACITY

<u>PRODUCTS</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>LICENCED</u>	<u>INSTALLED CAPACITY</u>	<u>PRODUCTION CAPACITY</u>
THERMOMETER	PCS.	N.A.	2,500,000	969,091

MANUFACTURED GOODS

<u>ITEM</u>		<u>SALES</u> <u>AMT.</u>	<u>OPENING STOCK</u> <u>AMT.</u>	<u>CLOSING STOCK</u> <u>AMT.</u>
THERMOMETER	C/Y	21,625,506.30	2,728,415.00	2,279,601.00
	L/Y	(15,466,401.00)	(2,011,490.00)	(2,728,415.00)

TRADING GOODS

<u>ITEM</u>		<u>OPENING STOCK</u> <u>AMT.</u>	<u>PURCHASES</u> <u>AMT.</u>	<u>SALES</u> <u>AMT.</u>	<u>CLOSING STOCK</u> <u>AMT.</u>
THERMOMETER	C/Y	30,594,285.00	112,767,346.60	191,588,436.00	14,727,676.00
	L/Y	(5,199,564.00)	(106,635,799.80)	(111,340,400.00)	(30,594,285.00)
SURGICAL	C/Y	60,417,222.00	180,889,352.00	221,843,400.00	62,427,238.00
	L/Y	(50,207,534.00)	(244,486,945.37)	(388,810,468.87)	(60,417,222.00)

RAW MATERIAL CONSUMED

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QTY.</u>	<u>THIS YEAR</u> <u>VALUE</u>	<u>QTY.</u>	<u>PREVIOUS YEAR</u> <u>VALUE</u>
CAPILLARY & BULB GLASS(KGS)	11,510	1,817,221	11,110	2,163,151
MERCURY(KG)	828	3,609,885	7,994	2,150,499
RT HUT & RT BIG	4,235	74,380	4,625	96,950
STORES & SPARE PARTS		8,233,779		9,671,582
		<u>13,735,265</u>		<u>14,082,182</u>

	<u>%</u>	<u>THIS YEAR</u> <u>VALUE</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>PREVIOUS YEAR</u> <u>VALUE</u>
IMPORTED	15.59	2,141,764	10.91	1,529,250
INDIGOUS	84.41	<u>11,593,501</u>	89.09	<u>12,487,037</u>
		<u>13,735,265</u>		<u>14,016,287</u>

IMPORTED ON C.I.F. BASIS

	<u>THIS YEAR</u>	<u>PREVIOUS YEAR</u>
Imported Stock	160254123.40	138483771.30
Foreign Travelling	2,165,761.00	1127936.00
Executive Salary	<u>11237180</u>	<u>9864949</u>
Contribution to PF	176860	172339

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(vii) The figures of previous year have been re-grouped/recasted/rearranged wherever considered necessary to confirm current years classification.

(viii) All figures of amount, including those in the Notes to Accounts have been rounded off to the nearest rupee.

SIGNATURE TO NOTES '1' TO '27'

For DEEPAK YASHPAL AND CO

Chartered Accountants

For & On Behalf of the Board

SD/-
[DEEPAK KUMAR]
proprietor

SD/-
[HARI PRAKASH GUPTA]
Managing Director

SD/-
[SIDDHARTH GUPTA]
Jt. Managing Director

Membership No. 417976

Place: Aligarh

Dated: 29th May 2018

SD/-
[RAKESH KUMAR SINGH]
CFO

SD/-
[SUMATI TANDON]
CS

ATTENDANCE SLIP

PLEASE FILL ATTENDANCE SLIP AND HAND IT OVER AT THE ENTRANCE OF THE MEETING HALL

(Joint Shareholders may obtain additional attendance slip at the venue of the meeting)

DP ID*:	
Client ID*:	
Folio Number:	
Number of Shares:	
Name of the Shareholder:	
Address of the Shareholder:	

I hereby record my presence at the 56th (Fifty-Sixth) Annual General Meeting of the members of Hicks Thermometers India Limited held on Saturday, 29th September, 2018 at 11:00 A.M. at the registered office of the Company at A-12& 13, Industrial Estate, Aligarh- 202001 (U.P.)

(Signature of Shareholder/ Proxy)

* Applicable for investors holding shares in electronic form.

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FORM NO. MGT-11

PROXY FORM

[Pursuant to section 105(6) of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 19(3) of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014]

CIN: L33112UP1961PLC002846

Name of the company: **HICKS THERMOMETERS INDIA LIMITED**

Registered office: A-12 & 13 INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, ALIGARH - 202001 (UP)

Name of the Member(s)	
Registered Address	
e-mail ID	
Folio No./ Client ID	
DP ID	

I/We, being the member(s) of _____ shares of the above named company, hereby appoint:

1. _____ of _____ having e-mail ID _____ or failing him
2. _____ of _____ having e-mail ID _____ or failing him
3. _____ of _____ having e-mail ID _____

and whose signature(s) are appended below as my/our proxy to attend and vote (on a poll) for me/us and on my/our behalf at the 56th Annual General Meeting of the members of the Company to be held on Saturday, the 29th day of September, 2018 at 11:00 A.M. at the registered office of the Company at A 12-13, Industrial Estate, Aligarh - 202001, Uttar Pradesh, and at any adjournment thereof in respect of such resolutions as are indicated below :

HICKS THERMOMETERS (INDIA) LIMITED

S. No.	Resolutions	For	Against
1	Consider and Adopt Audited financial statement for the financial year ended on 31 st March, 2018 and the Reports of the Board of Director's and Auditor's thereon.		
2	Re-appointment of Miss. (Dr.) Ranjana Bansal, a Director retiring by rotation.		
3	Re-appointment of Shri Bharat Bansal as an Independent Director.		
4	Re-appointment of Shri Sher Singh as an Independent Director.		
5	Re-appointment of ShriBharat Bhushan Deva as an Independent Director.		

Signed this..... day of..... 2018

(Signature of Shareholder)

Affix a
Revenue
Stamp

Signature of 1st proxy holder

Signature of 2nd proxy holder

Signature of 3rd proxy holder

Notes:

- This form of proxy in order to be effective should be duly completed and deposited at the Registered Office of the Company, not less than forty-eight hours before the commencement of the Meeting.
- A proxy need not be a member of the Company and shall prove his identity at the time of attending the Meeting.
- A person can act as proxy on behalf of members not exceeding fifty and holding in the aggregate not more than ten percent of the total share capital of the Company carrying voting rights. Further, a member holding more than ten percent of the total share capital of the company carrying voting rights may appoint a single person as proxy and such person shall not act as proxy for any other person or member.
- This is only optional. Please put a "in the appropriate column against the resolutions indicated in the Box. If you leave the 'For' or 'Against' column blank against any or all the resolutions, your Proxy will be entitled to vote (on poll) at the Meeting in the manner he/she thinks appropriate.
- Appointing a proxy does not prevent a member from attending the Meeting in person if he / she so wishes. When a Member appoints a Proxy and both the Member and Proxy attend the Meeting, the Proxy will stand automatically revoked.
- In the case of joint holders, the signature of any one holder will be sufficient, but names of all the joint holders should be stated.
- This form of proxy shall be signed by the appointer or his attorney duly authorized in writing, or if the appointer is a body corporate, be under its seal or be signed by an officer or an attorney duly authorized by it.
- This form of proxy will be valid only if it is duly complete in all respects, properly stamped and submitted as per the applicable law. Incomplete form or form which remains unstamped or inadequately stamped or form upon which the stamps have not been cancelled will be treated as invalid.
- Undated proxy form will not be considered valid.
- If Company receives multiple proxies for the same holdings of a member, the proxy which is dated last will be considered valid; if they are not dated or bear the same date without specific mention of time, all such multiple proxies will be treated as invalid.

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**A NAME THAT SPELLS
TOTAL TRUST
AND
CONFIDENCE**

29th Sept 2018

HICKS THERMOMETERS (INDIA) LTD.

HEAD OFFICE: A/13/15, INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, ALIGARH (INDIA)

CIN : L39112DLNP01PLC002846