

# ALCOBREW DISTILLERIES INDIA LIMITED

ANNUAL REPORT 2022-23



# Alcobrew Distilleries India Ltd.

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#### **DIRECTORS' REPORT**

#### **Dear Shareholders**

The Board has the pleasure of presenting the (21st) Twenty-first Director's Report of the Company for the year ended 31st March 2023.

#### 1. FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

PARTICULARS	YEAR ENDED	YEAR ENDED	
PARTICULARS	31-03-2023	31-03-2022	
Revenue from operations	1,30,401.47	1,02,915.12	
Less: Excise Duty	58,259.42	45,557.69	
Net revenue from operations	72,142.05	57,357.43	
Other Income	78.32	106.78	
Total Income (A)	72,220.37	57,464.20	
Operating Expenditure (B)	63,635.03	51,809	
Earnings before interest, tax, depreciation, and amortization (EBITDA) [C=A-B]	8,585.34	5,655.2	
Finance Cost (D)	1336.35	1307.13	
Depreciation and amortization expense (E)	520.12	307.81	
Profit before prior period item and tax [F=C-D-E]	6,728.87	4040.26	
Prior Period Item (G)	0	0	
Profit before tax [H=F-G]	6,728.87	4040.26	
Taxes (I)			
Current Tax	1711.73	1425.73	
Previous Year Tax Provision written Back	-67.13	-	
Deferred Tax	1.40	-10.33	
Profit after tax [J=H-I]	5,082.87	2624.86	



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# 2. BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE COMPANY'S WORKING DURING THE YEAR/STATE OF THE COMPANY'S AFFAIRS

During the year under review, the Company achieved a gross turnover of Rs. 1,30,401.47 lakhs during the financial year 2022-23 as compared to Rs. 102915.12 lakhs in the previous year and a net turnover of Rs. 72,142.05 lakhs during the financial year 2022-23 as compared to Rs. 57,357.43 lakhs in the previous year. The Company has earned profit after tax of Rs. 5,082.87 lakhs in the financial year 2022-23 as compared to Rs. 2624.86 lakhs in the previous year.

# 3. SIGNIFICANT CORPORATE DEVELOPMENT Solan Plant

We have the pleasure of informing you that as of date, the Malt plant is running to its full capacity. However, during the year 2022-23, the capacity increased at a gradual pace with a marked improvement in production from quarter to quarter. The quarter-wise figures for Malt production are given as under:

Period	Production in KL
Quarter I (Apr, 22-Jun, 22)	50.80
Quarter II (June, 22-Sep, 22)	152.2
Quarter III (Oct, 22-Dec, 22)	198.7
Quarter IV (Jan, 22-Mar, 23)	259.1
Total	660.8

We are pleased to inform you that all care has been taken to safeguard the environment and avoid all such activities which would contribute to an erosion of the environmental balance.

#### A) Adherence to Air Pollution Norms

We have provided one chimney to dissipate the smoke into the atmosphere. The height of the Chimney is 35.5 meters with a diameter of 1800 mm at the base and 900 mm at the top. There are two ports for sampling flue gases. A caged ladder is provided for security, from the point of view of collection of samples and maintenance.

Additionally, we have installed bag filters to control the emission of heavy particles into the atmosphere.

This is to ensure that the emission is per the norms set by the CPSB/SPCB. This is monitored continuously & data is conveyed to the CPSB/SPCB portals.

## B) Adherence to Water Pollution Norms

Since the requirement of water for providing the Malt spirit is required in good quantity, all care has been taken to avoid any contamination of groundwater/running water with any pollutants.

An effluent treatment plant as per pollution body/environmental norms has been installed for treating the effluents before disposal. The treated effluent is passed through a reverse osmosis system and the output is used to replenish the cooling tower basin. The outlet of this RO system & flow meter is closely monitored using a night vision camera connected to the CPSB/SPCB servers for online monitoring.

No treated effluent is allowed to be mixed with stormwater. An LED display panel at the main gate displays the parameters of the treated effluent.

#### **Bottling Plant at Solan**

During the year under review, the Bottling plant for a capacity of 6 lakh cases per annum under Work in Progress was capitalized on 1<sup>st</sup> October 2022. This plant has been set up with the intention to cater to the local markets of HP with our existing brands. Further, we are in the process of launching the Single Malt sometime after March, 2025. The said plant will be used for bottling Single Malts for domestic and overseas markets.

The Company has entered into a Lease Agreement with Campari India Private Limited for leasing a portion of the Bottling Line at Solan for the production of Campari's Skyy Vodka and other products.

## **Launch of New Brands**

In order to ramp up the top line and help the bottom line to grow given the fact that the input costs are going northwards the Company thought of adding some more brands to its existing baskets of brands. During the year under review, the Company launched two brands namely Golfer's Shot 18 Hole and Alcobrew Single Oak in the last quarter in the premium plus and semi-premium plus categories respectively. The Company is taking active steps towards the premiumization of the brands.

#### 4. CHANGES IN CAPITAL STRUCTURE

During the year under review, there was no change in the share capital of the company.

#### 5. TRANSFER TO GENERAL RESERVE

During the year under review, the Company has not transferred any amount to general reserves.

#### 6. DIVIDEND

Your directors have not recommended any dividend for the year ended March 31, 2023.

#### 7. DEPOSITS

During the year under review, the Company has not accepted any fixed deposit within the meaning of Section 73 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Companies (Acceptance of

Deposits) Rules, 2014 and no amount of principal or interest is outstanding as of the balance sheet closure date.

#### 8. CHANGE IN THE NATURE OF BUSINESS

During the year under review, there was no change in the nature of the business of the Company. However, the addition of the Malt plant is helping the company in the process of backward integration.

#### 9. DIRECTORS AND KEY MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL

#### **DIRECTORS**

During the year, Mr. Ashok Harikishanlal Capoor and Mr. Dalip Kumar Kaul were appointed as Additional Directors (Independent & Non-Executive) of the Company w.e.f. 26<sup>th</sup> April, 2022 who held office up to the date of the ensuing Annual General Meeting. Thereafter, at the AGM held on 22 August 2022, Mr. Ashok Harikishanlal Capoor and Mr. Dalip Kumar Kaul were appointed as Independent Directors. They were appointed for a period of up to 3 (Three) years w.e.f. April 26, 2022.

However, Mr. Ashok Harikishanlal Capoor and Mr. Dalip Kumar Kaul resigned from the Company w.e.f. 19<sup>th</sup> October, 2022 and 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2023 respectively.

Mr. Susheel Bhat was appointed as Additional Director (Independent & Non-Executive) of the Company w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> February 2023.

#### **KEY MANEGERAIL PERSONNEL**

During the year under review, Mr. Rishab Jain was appointed as Chief Financial Officer of the Company w.e.f. 26<sup>th</sup> April, 2022 and he resigned from the Company w.e.f. 20<sup>th</sup> February 2023.

#### **CHANGES AFTER YEAR-END**

Mrs. Anju Kapoor was appointed as an Additional Director (Independent & Non-Executive) of the Company w.e.f. 17<sup>th</sup> April, 2023 who shall hold office up to the date of the ensuing Annual General Meeting.

The Board of Directors ("Board"), on the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee in their meeting held on 26<sup>th</sup> June 2023 recommends to the Shareholder for the appointment of Mr. Susheel Bhat and Mrs. Anju Kapoor as an Independent Director for the period of up to 3 (Three) years w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> February 2023 and 17<sup>th</sup> April, 2023 respectively.

To comply with the provisions of Section 152 of the Companies Act, 2013, Mrs. Veena Pandita, Whole-time Director is liable to retire by rotation at the ensuing Annual General Meeting and being eligible seeks re-appointment. The Board of Directors, on the recommendation of the

Nomination and Remuneration Committee, recommends her reappointment at the ensuing Annual General Meeting.

#### The Board of Directors and KMP as on 31.03.2023

S. No.		Name of KMPs	Designation
1.		Mr. Romesh Pandita	Chairman & Managing Director
2	2.	Mr. Arvind Kaul	Whole-time Director
3	3. Mrs. Veena Pandit		Whole-time Director
4	4. Mr. Susheel Kumar Bhat		Additional Director (Independent)
5	•	Ms. Mani Ahuja	Company Secretary

## **Board Meetings**

During the year, four (4) Board Meetings were convened and held. The intervening gap between the meetings was within the prescribed limits under the Companies Act, 2013.

#### **Date of Board Meeting and Attendance**

Sr. No.	Date of Board Meeting	Directors Present at the Meeting
1	26.04.2022	5
2	13.07.2022	5
3	12.10.2022	5
4	01.02.2023	5

#### **Attendance of Directors at Board Meetings:**

Sr. Name of Director No.		No. of Meeting Attended	
1.	Mr. Romesh Pandita	4	
2.	Mrs. Veena Pandita	4	
3.	Mr. Arvind Kaul	4	
4.	Mr. Dalip Kumar Kaul*	4	
5.	Mr. Ashok H Capoor#	3	
6.	Mr. Susheel Bhat##	1	

<sup>\*</sup> Mr. Dalip Kumar Kaul has resigned w.e.f. 28.02.2023

#### 10. COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD

The Board Committees play a vital role in strengthening the Corporate Governance practices. The Board Committees are set up under formal approval of the Board to carry out clearly

<sup>#</sup> Mr. Ashok H Capoor has resigned w.e.f. 19.10.2022

<sup>##</sup> Mr. Susheel Bhat has appointed w.e.f. 01.02.2023

defined roles that are considered to be performed by members of the Board. The following Board Committees were constituted by the Board of Directors

#### **AUDIT COMMITTEE**

During the year under review, the Board of Directors constituted the Audit Committee on 26<sup>th</sup> April 2022 with the following members:

- 1. Mr. Dalip Kumar Kaul, Chairman\*
- 2. Mr. Ashok Harikishanlal Capoor, Member#
- 3. Mr. Arvind Kaul, Member
- \* Mr. Dalip Kumar Kaul has resigned w.e.f. 28.02.2023
- # Mr. Ashok H Capoor has resigned w.e.f. 19.10.2022

Thereafter, due to the resignation of Mr. Ashok Harikishanlal Capoor and Dalip Kaul the Board of Directors reconstituted the Audit Committee on 17<sup>th</sup> April 2023 with the following members:

- 1. Mr. Arvind Kaul, Member
- 2. Mr. Susheel Bhat, Member
- 3. Mrs. Anju Kapoor, Member

The terms of reference and composition of the Audit Committee satisfy the requirement of Section 177 of the Companies Act, 2013. The Committee met 2 (two) times during the financial year 2022-23 as under

#### **Date of Audit Committee Meeting and Attendance**

Sr. No.	Date of Meeting	No. of Member Present
1	26.04.2022	3
2	13.07.2022	3

#### **Attendance of Members at Audit Committee Meetings:**

Sr. No.	Name of Director	No. of Meeting Attended
1.	Mr. Arvind Kaul	2
2.	Mr. Dalip Kumar Kaul*	2
3.	Mr. Ashok Harikishanlal Capoor#	2

<sup>\*</sup> Mr. Dalip Kumar Kaul has resigned w.e.f. 28.02.2023

#### **NOMINATION AND REMUNERATION COMMITTEE**

During the year under review, the Board of Directors constituted the Nomination and Remuneration Committee on 26<sup>th</sup> April 2022 with the following members:

1. Mr. Ashok Harikishanlal Capoor, Chairman\*

<sup>#</sup> Mr. Ashok H Capoor has resigned w.e.f. 19.10.2022

- 2. Mr. Dalip Kumar Kaul, Member#
- 3. Mr. Arvind Kaul, Member

\*Mr. Ashok H Capoor has resigned w.e.f. 19.10.2022

In view of the resignation of Mr. Ashok Harikishanlal Capoor and Dalip kumar Kaul the Board of Directors reconstituted the Nomination and Remuneration Committee on 17<sup>th</sup> April 2023 with the following members:

- 1. Mr. Arvind Kaul, Member
- 2. Mr. Susheel Bhat, Member
- 3. Mrs. Anju Kapoor, Member

The terms of reference and composition of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee satisfy the requirement of Section 178 of the Companies Act, 2013. The Committee met 3 (three) times during the financial year 2022-23 as under

#### **Date of Nomination and Remuneration Committee Meeting and Attendance**

Sr. No.	Date of Meeting	No. of Member Present		
1	26.04.2022	3		
2	13.07.2022	3		
3	01.02.2023	3		

#### Attendance of Members at Nomination and Remuneration Committee Meetings:

Sr. No.	Name of Director	No. of Meeting Attended		
1.	Mr. Arvind Kaul	3		
2.	Mr. Dalip Kumar Kaul*	3		
3.	Mr. Ashok Harikishanlal Capoor#	2		
4.	Mr. Susheel Bhat**	1		

<sup>\*</sup> Mr. Dalip Kumar Kaul has resigned w.e.f. 28.02.2023

<sup>#</sup> Mr. Dalip Kumar Kaul has resigned w.e.f. 28.02.2023

<sup>#</sup> Mr. Ashok H Capoor has resigned w.e.f. 19.10.2022

<sup>\*\*</sup> Mr. Susheel Bhat has appointed w.e.f. 01.02.2023

#### **CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY COMMITTEE**

The Board of Directors reconstituted the Corporate Social Responsibility Committee on 17<sup>th</sup> April, 2023 with the following members.

- 1. Mrs. Veena Pandita, Chairperson
- 2. Mr. Arvind Kaul, Member
- 3. Mr. Susheel Bhat, Member

The Composition and terms of reference of the Corporate Social Responsibility Committee satisfy the requirements of Sections 135 of the Act and rules made thereunder.

The Corporate Social Responsibility Committee met 2 (two) times during the Financial Year 2022-23 as under:

#### **Date of CSR Committee Meeting and Attendance**

Sr. No.	Date of Meeting	No. of Member Present
1	26.04.2022	3
2	13.07.2022	3

#### **Attendance of Members at CSR Committee Meetings:**

Sr. Name of Director		No. of Meeting Attended
1.	Mrs. Veena Pandita	2
2.	Mr. Arvind Kaul	2
3.	Mr. Ashok Harikishanlal Capoor	2

#### 11. DECLARATION BY INDEPENDENT DIRECTOR

The Company has received declarations from all the Independent Directors confirming that they meet the criteria of independence as laid down under Section 149(6) of the Companies Act, 2013.

#### 12. STATEMENT OF PARTICULARS OF EMPLOYEES

The information required pursuant to the provisions of Section 197 of the Act read with Rule 5 of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014 with respect to the employees of the Company will be provided upon request and is available for inspection by the members at the Registered Office and Corporate Office of the Company during business hours on working days of the Company up to the date of the ensuing AGM. If any member is interested in obtaining a copy thereof, such member may write to the Company in this regard.

#### 13. ANNUAL RETURN

As required pursuant to Section 92 (3) of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 12 (1) of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, the Annual Return of the Company will be uploaded on the website of the Company at www.alcobrew.com.

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

All contracts/arrangements and transactions entered into by the Company with related parties during the year under review were in the ordinary course of business and on an arm's length basis. The particulars of contracts or arrangements with related parties as per Section 188(1) of the Act, is annexed in prescribed Form AOC-2 as **Annexure-1**.

#### 15. PARTICULARS OF LOANS, GUARANTEES, OR INVESTMENTS

During the financial year 2022-23, the Company has not given guarantees/surety or investment as described under Section 186 of the Companies Act, 2013.

## 16. DETAIL OF SUBSIDIARIES, JOINT VENTURES, AND ASSOCIATE COMPANIES

There was no subsidiary, joint venture, or associate of the Company existing during the Financial Year 2022-23.

#### 17. DETAILS OF THE COMPANY'S CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY (CSR)

Pursuant to the requirement of Section 135 of the Companies Act 2013 read with the Companies (Corporate Social Responsibility Policy) Rules, 2014, the Company has a Corporate Social Responsibility Committee (CSR) Committee.

The brief outline of the Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) Policy of the Company and the initiatives undertaken by the Company on CSR activities during the year are set out in **Annexure - II** of this report in the format prescribed in the Companies (Corporate Social Responsibility Policy) Rules, 2014.

#### 18. RISK MANAGEMENT

Your Company has a Risk Management Policy which identifies and evaluates business risks and opportunities. The Company recognizes that these risks need to be managed and mitigated to protect the interests of the stakeholders and to achieve business objectives. The risk management framework is aimed at effectively mitigating the Company's various business and operational risks through strategic actions.

#### 19. INTERNAL FINANCIAL CONTROLS

The Company has maintained an adequate financial control system, commensurate with the size, scale, and complexity of its operations, and ensures compliance with various policies, practices, and statutes in keeping with the organization's pace of growth and increasing complexity of operations. The Company has various SOPs pertaining to the functioning of

finance and accounts in place and they are being strictly adhered to besides following the statutory requirement pertaining to the Income Tax Act 1961, the Companies Act, 2013, and other statutes applicable.

#### 20. VIGIL MECHANISM

The Company promotes ethical behavior in all its business activities and has put in place a vigil mechanism for Directors, Employees, and other persons dealing with the Company for reporting illegal or unethical behavior, actual or suspected fraud, or violation of the company's Code of Conduct. The mechanism provides adequate safeguards against the victimization of Directors, employees, or other persons who avail of the mechanism. During the year under review, no complaint under the Whistle Blower Policy was received.

#### 21. STATUTORY AUDITORS AND THE AUDITORS' REPORT

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 139 of the Company's Act 2013 and the Rules framed there under M/s Lavlesh & Associates, Chartered Accountants were appointed as the Statutory Auditors of the Company from the conclusion of the 20<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting ("AGM") held on 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2022 till the conclusion of 25<sup>th</sup> AGM to be held in the Year 2027.

The Auditors' Report is self-explanatory and therefore does not require any further clarification/ explanation from the Board of Directors. No Frauds have been reported by the auditors under Section 143 (12) of the Companies Act, 2013.

#### 22. COST RECORDS AND AUDIT

As per Section 148(1) of the Companies Act 2013 and the Companies (Cost Records and Audit) Rules, 2014, maintenance of cost records and Audit is not applicable to the Company during the financial year 2022-23.

#### 23. SECRETARIAL AUDIT

The Company had appointed PI & Associates, Company Secretaries, to conduct its Secretarial Audit for the financial year ending March 31, 2023. The Secretarial Audit Report is annexed as **Annexure III** to the Board's report. The Secretarial Audit Report is self-explanatory and therefore does not require any further clarification/ explanation from the Board of Directors.

#### 24. SECRETARIAL STANDARDS (SS)

During the financial year, the Company has complied with the applicable Secretarial Standards i.e., SS-1 and SS-2 relating to 'Meetings of the Board of Directors' and 'General Meetings' respectively.

# 25. THE DETAILS OF CONSERVATION OF ENERGY, TECHNOLOGY ABSORPTION, FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNING, AND OUTGO

Information relating to the conservation of energy, technology absorption, and foreign exchange earnings and outgo, as required to be furnished under the provisions of section 134(3)(m) of the Companies Act, 2013, is given as **Annexure - IV** to this Report.

#### 26. DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to the requirement under Section 134 of the Companies Act, 2013, the Directors confirmed that:

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

#### 27. GENERAL

Your directors confirm that no disclosure or reporting is required in respect of the following items as there was no transaction on these items during the year under review: -

- 1. Issue of equity shares with differential voting rights as to dividend, voting, or otherwise.
- 2. Issue of Sweat Equity Shares.
- 3. No significant or material orders were passed by the Regulators or Courts or Tribunals which impact the going concern status and Company's operations in the future.
- 4. There are no material changes or commitments affecting the financial position of the Company which have occurred between the end of the Financial Year of the Company to which the financial statements relate and the date of the report.
- 5. Your Company has adopted a Policy as per the provisions of the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition, and Redressal) Act, 2013. There were no complaints received/pending relating to sexual harassment during the year under review.
- 6. No application made or any proceeding pending under the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 as of the end of the Financial Year 2022-23.

#### 28. ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Your Company's organizational culture upholds professionalism, integrity, and continuous improvement across all functions, as well as efficient utilization of the Company's resources for sustainable and profitable growth.

Your directors wish to place on record their appreciation for the sincere services rendered by employees of the Company at all levels. Your directors also wish to place on record their appreciation for the valuable cooperation and support received from the various Government Authorities, Banks, and other stakeholders such as members, customers, and suppliers among others. Your directors also commend the continuing commitment and dedication of the employees at all levels, which has been critical for the Company's success. Your directors look forward to their continued support in the future.

By Order of the Board of Directors FOR ALCOBREW DISTILLERIES INDIA LIMITED

Date: 26 June, 2023 Place: Gurugram Romesh Pandita Managing Director [DIN:00046488]

Arvind Kaul
Whole-time Director
[DIN:03374780]

#### Form No. AOC-2

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

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

- Details of contracts or arrangements or transactions not at arm's length basis: Alcobrew
  Distilleries India Limited ("the Company") has not entered into any
  contract/arrangement/transaction with its related parties which are not in the ordinary course
  of business or at arm's length during FY 2022-23
- (a) Name(s) of the related party and nature of relationship: Not Applicable
- (b) Nature of contracts/arrangements/transactions: Not Applicable
- (c) Duration of the contracts / arrangements/transactions: Not Applicable
- (d) Salient terms of the contracts or arrangements or transactions including the value, if any: **Not Applicable**
- (e) Justification for entering into such contracts or arrangements or transactions: Not Applicable
- (f) Date(s) of approval by the Board: Not Applicable
- (g) Amount paid as advances, if any: Not Applicable
- (h) Date on which the special resolution was passed in general meeting as required under first proviso to section 188: **Not Applicable**
- 2. Details of material contracts or arrangement or transactions at arm's length basis:

(Rs. In lakhs)

Name(s) of the related	Nature of contracts /	Duration of the contracts /	Salient terms of the	Date(s) of approval by	Amount paid as advances,
party and nature of relationship	arrangements / transactions	arrangements / transactions	contracts or arrangements or transactions including the value, if any	the Board, if any	if any
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
		NII			

By Order of the Board of Directors FOR ALCOBREW DISTILLERIES INDIA LIMITED

Romesh Pandita

**Managing Director** 

[DIN:00046488]

Arvind Kaul

Whole-time Director

[DIN:03374780]

Date: 26 June, 2023

Place: Gurugram



#### Annexure - II

#### Annual Report on Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activities for the financial year 2022-23

1. A brief outline of the Company's CSR policy of the Company.

The CSR Policy of the company has been framed within the overall broad objectives laid down in Schedule VII to the Companies Act 2013. The projects and activities undertaken are as per the guidelines mentioned in the said Schedule.

2. The Composition of CSR Committee as on 31st March, 2023

S. No.	Name of the Director	Designation/ Nature of Directorship	_	Number of meetings of CSR Committee attended during the year
1	Mrs. Veena Pandita	Chairperson	2	2
2	Mr. Arvind Kaul	Member	2	2
3	Mr. Ashok	Member	2	2
	Harikishanlal Capoor#			

<sup>#</sup> Ceased as a member of CSR Committee w.e.f. 19.10.2022

- 3. Provide the weblink where Composition of CSR Committee, CSR Policy, and CSR Projects approved by the Board are disclosed on the website of the Company: The Composition of CSR Committee and CSR Policy is displayed on the website of the Company at http://www.alcobrew.com.
- 4. Provide the details of Impact assessment of CSR projects carried out in pursuance of sub-rule (3) of rule(8) of the Companies (Corporate Social Responsibility Policy) Rules, 2014, if applicable (Attach the report. NA
- 5. Details of the amount available for set off in pursuance of sub rule(3) of rule 7 of the Companies(Corporate Social Responsibility Policy) Rules, 2014 and amount required for set off for financial year, if any: NA
- 6. Average net profit of the Company for last three financial years as per Section 135(5): Rs. 3085.17 lakhs
- 7. (a) Two percent of average net profit of the company as per section 135(5): Rs. 61.70 Lakhs
  - (b) Surplus arising out of the CSR projects or programmes or activities of the previous financial years: Nil
  - (c) Amount required to be set off for the financial year: 4.19 Lakhs
  - (d)Total amount to be spent for the financial year; Rs. 57.51 Lakhs
- 8. (a) CSR amount spent or unspent for the financial year

Total Amount Spent for the Financial Year. (in Rs.)		transferred to Account as per Section	Amount transferre Schedule VII as per 135(5)	•	•
	Amount	Date of transfer	Name of the fund	Amount	Date of Transfer
Rs. 57.79 lakhs	≅	-		-	1

# b) Details of CSR amount spent against ongoing projects for the financial year

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

5.no	Name	of	Item f	from	Local	area	Location	of the	Project	Amount	Amount	Mode of	Mode of
	the		the list	t of	(Yes/N	lo)	project		duration	allocated	transferred to	impleme	Implementa
	Project		activitie	es in				r		for the	Unspent CSR	ntation	tion -
			Schedu	le					W.	project (ir	Account for	Direct	Through
1.5			VII to	the						Rs.).	the project as	(Yes/No)	Implementi
			Act								per Section		ng Agency
											135(6)		
							State	Distric					
								t					

NA

		Item from the list of		Location project	of the		Mode of implement ation Direct	Name of
S.no	Name of the Project	the activities are	Local area (Yes/No)			Amount Spent for the project (in Rs.)	(Yes/ No)	Implemen ting Agency
				State	District			
1.	Providing aid to Deepshika School	11	Yes	Haryana	Gurgaon	2,73,159	Yes	NA
2	Donation to Prime Minister Cares Fund	viii	NA	NA	NA		Yes	NA
3	Providing quality education support to underprivilege d students through Smile Foundation	ii	yes	Pan India		6,00,000 4,00,000	No	Smile Foundatio n
4	Campaign run "Say No to Plastic" through Uttkarsh Foundation by donating Jute Bag	iv	yes	Chandig arh	Punjab	5,25,000	No	Uttkarsh foundatio n

5	Delivered the Life skill training to enhance their skills for better business opportunities.	iii	NO	Uttar Pradesh	Kannuaj & Etawa	10,00,000	NO	Sum Drishti Education Society
6	Contribution towards Dharchula Rehabilitation Program conducted by Socio Legal Research & Education Foundation	x	No	Uttrakh and	Dharchula	30,00,000	NO	Socio legal Research & Education Foundatio
					TOTAL		57,98,159	

- (d) Amount spent in Administrative Overheads : Nil
- (e) Amount spent on Impact Assessment, if applicable: NA
- (f) Total amount spent for the Financial Year (8b+8c+8d+8e): Rs. 57.98 lakhs
- (g) Excess amount for set off

S.no.	Particulars	Amount
i.	Two percent of average net profit of the company as per section	Rs. 61.70 Lakhs
	135(5)	
ii.	Total amount spent for the Financial Year	Rs. 57.98 lakhs
iii.	Excess amount spent for the financial year [(ii)-(i)]	(3.72) Lakhs
iv.	Surplus arising out of the CSR projects or programmes or activities of the previous financial years, if any	Rs. 4.19 lakhs
V	Amount available for set off in succeeding financial years [(iii)-(iv)]	Rs. 0.47 lakhs

# 9. a) Details of Unspent CSR amount for the preceding three financial years: NA for this FY

Sł. No.	Preceding	Amount	Amount	Amount transferred	to any fun	d specified	Amount	t
Year to Ur	transferred to Unspent CSR	spent in the reporting	under Schedule VII section 135(6), if an	•	n VII as per	remaini to spent	ng be in	
		Account under Section 135 (6) (in Rs.)	Financial Year (in Rs)	Name of the Fund	Amount(in Rs)	Date of transfer	succeed financia years	ding
				NA				

b) Details of CSR amount spent in the financial year for ongoing projects of the preceding financial year(s):

SI.	Project	Name	Financial	Project	Total	Amount	Cumulative	Status of	the
No.	ID	of the	Year in	Duration	Amount	spent on	amount	Project	
		Project	which the		allocated	the	spent at		
			project was		for the	project	the end of	Completed/Ongo	oing
			commenced		project	in the	reporting		
						reporting	Financial		
						Financial	Year		
						Year		(1	
	Not Applicable								

- 10. In case of creation or acquisition of capital asset, furnish the details relating to the assets so created or acquired through CSR spent in the Financial Year
- a) Date of creation or acquisition of the Capital Assets. N A
- b) Amount of CSR spent for creation or acquisition of capital: NA
- c) Details of the entity or public authority or beneficiary under whose name such capital assets is registered, their address etc: NA
- d) Provide detail of the capital assets created or acquired (including and location of the Capital Asset): NA
- 11. Specify the reason(s), if the Company has failed to spend two percent of the average net profit as per section 135(5): NA

Date: 26 June, 2023

Place: Gurugram

**Romesh Pandita** 

DIN:00046488

**Managing Director** 

Chairperson

**Committee & Director** 

DIN: 00858680

DIN:03374780

Whole-time Director

**Arvind Kaul** 



INFORMATION RELATING TO ENERGY CONSERVATION, TECHNOLOGY ABSORPTION, AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNINGS AND OUTGO FORMING PART OF DIRECTORS' REPORT IN TERMS OF SECTION 134(3)(m) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013 READ WITH THE COMPANIES (ACCOUNTS) RULES, 2014

#### A. CONSERVATION OF ENERGY

Steps taken for conservation of energy	As part of its governance program, the Company regularly encourages all employees to conserve energy in the best possible manner. As a result, the power consumption in the office and factory is optimum and regularly monitored by the staff.
H	Hot & Cold insulation is provided for process lines wherever hot and cold liquid is handled.  Heat exchanges are being used to convert heat from effluent to process water.  Variable frequency drivers are being used to reduce the power consumption of various drive motors.  The Malt plant has initiated a process by which the biological waste to be disposed of is being used as fuel for the boiler.
Steps taken by the company for utilizing alternate energy	The cost of alternative sources of energy available is prohibitively costlier than the conventional sources of energy considering the level of consumption.
The capital investment in energy conservation equipment	The Company has not made any major investment in energy conservation equipment.

#### B. TECHNOLOGY ABSORPTION

Efforts made towards technology absorption	The Company does not use any foreign technology for its operation
Benefits derived like product improvement, cost reduction, product development or import substitution	Nil
Imported technology (imported during the last three years reckoned from the beginning of the financial year)	Not applicable
Expenses incurred on research and development	Nil

#### C. FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNINGS AND OUTGO

The total foreign exchange used and the total foreign exchange earned during the year as compared to the previous financial year has been provided hereunder:

(Rs. in lakhs)

Particulars	For Year 2022-23	For Year 2021-22
Foreign Exchange Earning	631.87	640.43
Foreign Exchange Outgo	61.82	143.88

By Order of the Board of Directors FOR ALCOBREW DISTILLERIES INDIA LIMITED

Place: Gurugram Date: 26 June, 2023

Romesh Pandita Managing Director [DIN: 00046488] Arvind Kaul Whole-time Director [DIN: 03374780]





# FORM NO. MR - 3 SECRETARIAL AUDIT REPORT

FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2023

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

To.

The Members,

ALCOBREW DISTILLERIES INDIA LIMITED

(U15520DL2002PLC117974)

We have conducted the secretarial audit of the compliance of applicable statutory provisions and the adherence to good corporate practices by Alcobrew Distilleries India Limited (hereinafter called "the Company"). The 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. It is also noted that the Company is primarily engaged in manufacturing, marketing, selling and distribution of alcoholic beverages.

Based on our verification of the Company's books, papers, minute books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the Company, 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 31, 2023, complied with the statutory provisions listed hereunder and also that the Company has proper Board-processes and compliance-mechanism in place to the extent and as applicable to the Company, 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 made available to us and maintained by the Company for the financial year ended on March 31, 2023 according to the provisions of:

(i) The Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act') and the rules made thereunder

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- (ii) The Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956 ('SCRA') and the rules made thereunder; (Not applicable)
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- (iv) Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 and the rules and regulations made thereunder to the extent of Foreign Direct Investment, Overseas Direct Investment and External Commercial Borrowings; (Not applicable)
- (v) The following Regulations and Guidelines prescribed under the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992 ('SEBI Act') as applicable during the period under review:
  - a. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers)
    Regulations, 2011;(Not applicable)
  - b. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015; (*Not applicable*)
  - c. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements)
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  - d. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employees Benefits) Regulations, 2014; (*Not applicable*)
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  - i. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. (*Not applicable*)
- (vi) We further report that with respect to the compliance of the below mentioned specific laws as confirmed by management, we have relied on the representation made by the Company regarding affirmation for compliances under these Specific laws:
  - a. The Food Safety and Standards Act 2006 and Rules/ Regulations made thereunder; and
  - b. The Punjab Excise Act, 1914, Rules made thereunder.

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

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- (i) Secretarial Standards issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India with respect to board and general meetings: The Company is generally regular in complying with the standards.
- (ii) The Listing Agreements entered into by the Company with the BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited read with the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (Not applicable).

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

#### We further report that:

- The Board of Directors of the Company is duly constituted with proper balance of Executive Directors and Non-Executive 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 Companies Act, 2013.
  - We noted that Mr. Ashok Harikishanlal Capoor and Mr. Dalip Kumar Kaul were appointed as Independent Directors of the Company w.e.f. April 26, 2022 and further resigned w.e.f. October 19,2022 and February 28, 2023 respectively. Further Mr. Susheel Bhat and Ms. Anju Kapoor were appointed w.e.f. February 01,2023 and April 17, 2023 respectively.
- II. Adequate notice was given to all Directors to schedule the Board Meetings, agenda and detailed notes on agenda were sent at least seven days in advance for meetings other than those held at shorter notice, if any 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.
- III. Majority decision were carried through and there were no instances where any director expressing any dissenting views.

We further report that based upon the management representation, there are adequate systems and processes in the Company commensurate with the size and operations of the Company to monitor and ensure compliance with applicable laws, rules, regulations and guidelines except that pursuant to conversion of the Company into public limited, it had constituted its Nomination and Remuneration Committee during the Audit Period for the first time comprising of two Non-Executive Directors (i.e. Independent Directors) and one Executive Director which is in variance with the requirement of Section 178 of the Act which requires all three directors of the said committee to be non-executive directors.



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We further report that during the audit period the Company had the following events which had bearing on the Company's affairs in pursuance of the above referred laws, rules, regulations, guidelines, standards etc. as herein belowmentioned:-

- That one of the Independent Directors resigned during the Audit Period which in turn left the Company with only one independent director and consequently, meeting of independent directors could not be held for the performance evaluation of non-independent directors amongst other matter(s) as provided under Schedule IV of the Act.
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For PI & Associates

**Company Secretaries** 

Ankit Singhi

Partner

ACS No.: F11685

C P No.: 16274

Peer Review No.:1498/2021

UDIN: F011685E000504023

Date: June 26, 2022 Place: New Delhi

Disclaimer:

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

Annexure A"

To,

The Members,

# ALCOBREW DISTILLERIES INDIA LIMITED

NEW DELH

Our Secretarial Audit Report of even date is to be read along with this letter:

- 1. Maintenance of secretarial records is the responsibility of the management of the Company. Our Responsibility is to express an opinion on these secretarial records based on our audit.
- 2. We have followed the audit practices and processes as were appropriate to obtain reasonable assurance about the correctness of the contents of the secretarial records. The verification was done on test basis to ensure that correct facts are reflected in secretarial records. We believe that the processes and practices, we followed provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.
- 3. We have not verified the correctness and appropriateness of financial records and Books of Accounts of the Company.
- 4. Where ever required, we have obtained the Management representation about the compliance of laws, rules and regulation and happening of events etc.
- 5. The compliance of the provisions of corporate and other applicable laws, rules, regulations, standards is the responsibility of management. Our examination was limited to the verification of procedures on test basis.

The Secretarial Audit Report is neither an assurance as to future viability of the Company nor of the efficacy or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the affairs of the Company.

For PI & Associates

Company Secretaries

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For PI & Associates

Company Secretaries

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**NEW DELH** 

Ankit Singhi Partner

ACS No.: F11685

C P No.: 16274

Peer Review No.:1498/2021 UDIN: F011685E000504023

Date: June 26, 2022

Place: New Delhi

Disclaimer:

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

Annexure A"

To,

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Date: June 26, 2022

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

# TO THE MEMBERS OF ALCOBREW DISTILLERIES INDIA LIMITED

# Report on the Standalone Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying Standalone Financial Statements of ALCOBREW DISTILLERIES INDIA LIMITED ("the Company") which comprises the Balance Sheet as at March 31, 2023, the Statement of Profit and Loss and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information (hereinafter referred to as "standalone financial statements").

#### **Opinion**

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the aforesaid standalone financial statements give the information required by the Companies Act, 2013 ("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 March 31, 2023, and profit, changes in equity and its cash flows for the year ended on that date.

#### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit of the standalone financial statements in accordance with the Standards on Auditing (SAs) specified under section 143(10) of the Companies Act, 2013. Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the Auditor 's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements under the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules thereunder, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the Code of Ethics. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion on the standalone financial statements.

#### **Key Audit Matters**

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

Key Audit Matters as per SATTRASS not applicable to the Company as it is an unlisted company.

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

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the preparation of the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Management Discussion and Analysis, Board's Report including Annexures to Board's Report, Business Responsibility Report, Corporate Governance and Shareholder's Information, but does not include the standalone financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

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

In connection with our audit of the standalone financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the standalone financial statements or our knowledge obtained during the course of our audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

# Responsibility of Management for the Standalone 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 standalone financial statements that give a true and fair view of the financial position, financial performance, (changes in equity)' and cash flows of the Company in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in India, including the accounting Standards specified under section 133 of the Act. This responsibility also includes maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding of the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate implementation and maintenance of 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 statement that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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

The Board of Directors are also responsible for overseeing the company's financial reporting process.

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# Auditor's Responsibility for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

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

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances. Under section 143(3)(i) of the Companies Act, 2013, we are also responsible for expressing our opinion on whether the company has adequate internal financial controls system in place and the operating effectiveness of such controls.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness
  of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

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

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

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# Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

- 1. As required by the Companies (Auditor's Report) Order, 2020 ("the Order"), issued by the Central Government of India in terms of 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.
  - 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 standalone financial statements comply with the Accounting Standards specified under Section 133 of the Act.
  - e. On the basis of the written representations received from the directors as on 31st March, 2023 taken on record by the Board of Directors, none of the directors is disqualified as on 31st March, 2023 from being appointed as a director in terms of Section 164 (2) of the Act.
  - f. With respect to the adequacy of the internal financial controls over financial reporting of the Company and the operating effectiveness of such controls, refer to our separate Report in "Annexure B".
  - g. Remuneration paid by the company to its directors is in accordance with the provisions of section 197 of the "Act".
  - h. With respect to the other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with Rule 11 of the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, in our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us:
    - i. There is no litigation pending which has the impact on its financial position in its financial statements.
    - ii. The Company did not have any long-term contracts including derivative contract for which there were any material foreseeable losses.
    - iii. There were no amounts required to be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund by the Company.
    - iv. The management has represented that to the best of its knowledge and belief, other than those disclosed in the notes to the accounts:
      - a. no funds have been advanced or loaned or invested (either from borrowed funds or share premium or any other source



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or kind of funds) by the company to or any other person(s) or entity(ies) including foreign entities ("intermediaries") with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the intermediary shall, whether, directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the company ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries;

- b. no funds have been received by the company from any person(s) or entity(ies), including foreign entities ("Funding Parties"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the company shall, whether, directly or indirectly, lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Funding Party ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries and;
- c. Based on such audit procedures that we considered reasonable and appropriate in the circumstances, nothing has come to our notice that has caused us to believe that the representations under sub-clause (a) and (b) above contain any material mis-statement.
- v. The Company has not declared or paid dividend during the year in contravention of the provisions of section 123 of the Companies Act,2013.

New Delhi 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2023 For Laviesh & Associates

(FRN: 021978N)

(Laviesh Bhat)
Proprietor

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Annexure "A" referred to in paragraph 1 of Our Report of even date to the members of ALCOBREW DISTILLERIES INDIA LIMITED on the accounts of the company for the year ended 31st March, 2023.

The Annexure referred to in Independent Auditors' Report to the members of the Company on the financial statements for the year ended 31st March 2023, On the basis of the information and explanation given to us during the course of our audit, we report that:

- With respect to its fixed assets:
  - a) The Company has maintained proper records showing full particulars, including quantitative details and situation of Property, Plant and Equipment and Intangible Assets.
  - b) The Company has a regular program of physical verification of its Property, Plant and Equipment by which Property, Plant and Equipment are verified in a phased manner over a period of three years. In accordance with this program certain, Property, Plant and Equipment were verified during the year and no material discrepancies were noticed on such verification. In our opinion, this periodicity of physical verification is reasonable having regard to the size of the Company and the nature of its assets.
  - c) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records of the Company, the title deeds of all the immovable properties (other than properties where Company is the lessee and lease agreements are duly executed in favor of the lessee) disclosed in the financial statements and mortgaged with the banks are held in the name of the Company.
  - d) The Company has not revalued its Property, Plant and Equipment and Intangible Assets during the year.
  - e) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, no proceedings have been initiated or are pending against the Company for holding any property under the Benami Transactions (Prohibition) Act, 1988 (45 of 1988) and rules made thereunder.
- 2) With respect to its inventory:

a) As explained to us, the inventories of finished goods, semi-finished goods, stores, spare parts and raw materials were physically verified at regular intervals by the Management. In our opinion, this periodicity of physical verification is reasonable having regard to the size of the Company. Further, discrepancies of 10% or more in the aggregate for each class of inventory were not noticed during the physical verification.

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- b) The Company has been sanctioned working capital limits in excess of Rs.5 crores, in aggregate, from banks and financial institutions on the basis of security of current assets at any time during the year. The quarterly statements of current assets, in respect of the working capital limits, have been filed by the Company with the concerned banks. The differences, which were not material, were noticed in inventory value of finished goods due to inclusion of excise duty paid on the stocks in the statement while stocks are maintained at cost in the books of accounts. Other variations in the receivables were not material vis-à-vis value of book debts in the books.
- 3) During the year the company has not made investments in, provided any guarantee or security or granted any loans or advances in the nature of loans, secured or unsecured, to companies, firms, Limited Liability Partnerships or any other parties.
- 4) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the Company has complied with the provisions of section 185 and 186 of the Act, with respect to the loans and investments made.
- 5) The Company has not accepted any deposits from the public.
- 6) The Central Government has not prescribed the maintenance of cost records under section 148(1) of the Act, in respect of activities carried out by the Company.
- 7) With respect to statutory dues:
  - a) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records of the Company, undisputed statutory dues including Goods and Services tax, provident fund, employees' state insurance, income-tax, sales-tax, service tax, duty of custom, duty of excise, value added tax, cess have generally been regularly deposited by the company with the appropriate authorities.
  - b) According to the information and explanations given to us, there were disputed statutory dues referred to in sub-clause above were outstanding as at 31st March 2023 which have not been deposited as per details given below.



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c)

Name of Statute	Nature of Dues	Amoun t (Rs/La cs)	Period to which it relates	Forum where dispute pending	Remarks (if any)
GST	GST on Cross Charge	Not yet quantified	July 2017 to till date	DGGI, Gurugram	The matter is still under review and Show Cause Notice has not been issued till date. However, Rs.100 lakhs has been deposited, under protest on an adhoc basis.
VAT Punjab	Against C &F Forms	10.88	FY 14-15	Assessing Officer	Case remand ed back to the Assessi ng Officer

Income Tax	Assessment Demand	12.38	FY 2020-21	Dy. Commissioner , Income Tax	Rectification u/s 154 filed
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8) In our opinion and as per the information and explanations given to us, there are no transactions which have not been recorded in the books of accounts and have been surrendered or disclosed as income during the year in the tax assessments under the Income Tax Act, 1961 (43 of 1961).

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## 9) With respect to loans and other borrowings:

- a) In our opinion and as per the information and explanations given to us, the Company has not defaulted in repayment of loans or borrowings or in payment of interest thereon to any lender during the year.
- b) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of the audit procedures, we report that Company has not been declared willful defaulter by any bank or financial institution or other lender.
- c) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, Company has utilized the money obtained by way of term loans during the year for the purpose for which loans were obtained.
- d) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of the audit procedures, we report that the funds raised by the Company for short term basis have not been applied for long term purposes.
- e) According to the information and explanations given to us and on an overall examination of the financial statements of the Company, we report that the Company has not taken any funds from any entity or person on account of or to meet the obligations of its subsidiaries, associates or joint ventures.
- f) According to the information and explanations given to us and on an overall examination of the financial statements of the Company, we report that the Company has not raised loans during the year on the pledge of securities held in its subsidiaries, associates or joint ventures.

## 10) With respect to utilization of IPO and fund raising

- a) The Company did not raise any money by way of initial public offer or further public offer (including debt instruments) during the year.
- b) The Company has not made any preferential allotment or private placement of shares or convertible debentures during the year.

## 11) Reporting of Frauds:

- a) According to the information and explanations given to us and based on our examination of records of the company, no material fraud by the Company or on the Company been noticed or reported during the course of our audit.
- b) The auditors have not filed any report under sub-section 12 of section 143 of Companies Act, 2013 in Form ADT-4 as prescribed under rule 13 of Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 with the Central Government.
- c) As represented to us by the management, there are no whistle blower complaints received by the Company during the year.
- 12) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the Company is not a nidhi company. Accordingly, paragraph 3(xii) of the Order is not applicable.
- According to the information and explanations given to us and based on our examination of the records of the Company, transactions with the related parties are in compliance with sections177 and 188 of the Act where applicable and details of such transactions have been disclosed in the mannial statements as required by the applicable accounting standards.

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## 14) With respect to Internal Audit:

- a) In our opinion and based on examination of records, the Company appointed a firm of Chartered Accountants as internal auditor of the company as required under section 138 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with rule 13 of the Companies (Accounts) Rule, 2014. However, internal audit was carried out for specific areas of Human resources, Order to Cash, Information Technology and Inventory only, as desired by the management.
- b) We have considered the internal audit reports that were made available to us.
- 15) According to the information and explanations given to us and based on our examination of the records of the Company, the Company has not entered into non-cash transactions with directors or persons connected with them and hence provisions of section 192 of the Companies Act, 2013 are not applicable to the Company.

## 16) With respect to RBI regulations:

- a) The Company is not required to be registered under section 45-IA of the Reserve Bank of India Act 1934. Accordingly, paragraph 3(xvi)(a) of the Order is not applicable.
- b) The Company has not conducted any Non-Banking or Housing Finance activity during the year. Accordingly, paragraph 3(xvi)(b) of the Order is not applicable.
- c) The Company is not a Core Investment Company (CIC) as defined in the regulations made by Reserve Bank of India. Accordingly, paragraph 3(xvi)(c) of the Order is not applicable.
- According to the information and explanations provided to us, the group does not have any CIC. Accordingly, paragraph 3(xvi)(d) of the order is not applicable.
- 17) The Company has not incurred cash losses in the financial year and immediately preceding financial year.
- 18)) There has been no resignation of the statutory auditors during the year. The statutory auditor vacated the office as per the rotational method under section 139(2).
- 19) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of the financial ratios, ageing and expected dates of realization of financial assets and payment of financial liabilities, other information accompanying the financial statements, our knowledge of the Board of Directors and management plans and based on our examination of the evidence supporting the assumptions, nothing has come to our attention, which causes us to believe that any material uncertainty exists as on the date of the audit report that company is not capable of meeting its liabilities existing at the date of balance sheet as and when they fall due within a period of one year from the balance sheet date. We, however, state that this is not an assurance as to the future viability of the company. We further state that our reporting is based on the facts up to the date of the audit report and we neither give any guarantee nor any assurance that all liabilities falling due within a period of one year from the balance sheet date, will get discharged by the company as and when they fall due;



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- 20) With respect to Corporate Social Responsibility:
  - a) According to the information and explanations given to us and based on our examination of the records of the Company, the Company has spent the entire amount to be spent under section 135 (5) of the Companies Act,2013 and does not have unspent amount under Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) to be transferred to Fund specified in Schedule VII of the Companies Act, 2013.
  - b) There is no on-going project which is being executed by the company. Accordingly, reporting under paragraph 3 (xx) (b) of the order is not applicable.
  - 21)This is the standalone statement. Accordingly, paragraph 3 (xxi) of the Order is not applicable.

New Delhi 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2023 For Lavlesh & Associates

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Annexure "B" referred to in paragraph 2 of Our Report of even date to the members of ALCOBREW DISTILLERIES INDIA LIMITED on the accounts of the company for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2023.

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

## Management's Responsibility for Internal Financial Controls

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

## **Auditors' Responsibility**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Company's internal financial controls over financial reporting based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Guidance Note 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. Those Standards and the Guidance Note require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether adequate internal financial controls over financial reporting was established and maintained and if such controls operated effectively in all material respects.

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

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

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## 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 authorizations 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 31st March 2023, based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the Company considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.

New Delhi

Dated: 26th June 2023

For Lavlesh & Associates

Chartered Accountants

(FRN:021978N)

(Laviesh Bhat)

Proprietor

M. No. 089961

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## **ALCOBREW DISTILLERIES INDIA LIMITED**

Balance Sheet as at March 31, 2023

CIN NO.U15520DL2002PLC117974

(Amount in Rs Lakhs)

CIN NO.U15520DL2002PLC117974	Notes	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
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EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Shareholders' Funds		7 700 00	7 700 00
Share Capital	2	7,700.00	7,700.00
Reserves and Surplus	3	11,074.98	5,992.11
Non-Current Liabilities			
Long Term Borrowings	4	1,969.45	1,025.45
Other Long Term Liabilities	<u>6</u> 7	4.13	798.48
Long Term Provisions	7	146.76	134.55
Current Liabilities			
Short Term Borrowings	8	11,376.64	6,526.64
Trade Payables	9	6,599.28	5,929.80
Other Current Liabilities	10	2,863.23	878.47
Short Term Provisions	11	3,238.90	3,114.15
TOTAL		44,973.37	32,099.66
ASSETS			
Non-Current Assets			
Property, Plant & Equipment	19	6,586.16	5,765.15
Intangible Assets	19	33.45	28.55
Capital Work in Progress	19		880.64
Deferred Tax Asset (Net)	5	23.32	24.73
Non Current Investments	12	143.81	114.25
Other Non Current Assets	13	175.78	182.64
Current Assets		767 8868	
Inventories	14	6,322.78	3,056.7
Trade Receivables	15	24,200.47	16,717.6
Cash & Cash Equivalents	16	757.33	626.4
Short Term Loans and Advances	17	3,777.02	3,935.2
Other Current Assets	18	2,953.24	767.60
TOTAL		44,973.37	32,099.60
Significant Accounting Policies	1		
The accompanying notes from an integral part of the financial statements	2 to 44		

This is the Balance Sheet referred to in our report of even date attached

For Lavlesh & Associates Chartered Accountants

(FRN No.021978N)

Laviesh Bhat Proprietor M. No.89961

Place : New/Delhi Date: June 26, 2023

New Delhi

UDIN: 23089961BGXNQH2616

For and on behalf of The Board of Directors of Alcobrew Distilleries India Limited

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Romesh Pandita Managing Director DIN: 00046488 Whole Time Director DIN: 03374780

Mani Ahuja Company Secretary M.No: A 30544

Place : Gurugram Date: June 26, 2023



## **ALCOBREW DISTILLERIES INDIA LIMITED**

## Statement of Profit & Loss for the Year Ended March 31, 2023

(Amount in Rs Lakhs) CIN NO.U15520DL2002PLC117974 For the Year Ended 31 For the Year Ended Notes 31 March 2023 March 2022 INCOME: Revenue from Operations 1,30,254.73 1,03,100.43 20 Sale of Products & Services (185.31)21 146.74 Profit / (Loss) from Tie-up Operations 1.30,401.47 1,02,915.12 Total Revenue from Operations 58,259.42 45,557,69 20 Less: Excise Duty 57,357.43 72,142.05 Net Revenue from Operations 22 78.32 106.78 Other Income 72.220.37 57,464.20 **Total Income EXPENDITURE:** 23 37,805.14 24,670.17 Cost of Materials Consumed 1,139.56 Changes in Inventories of Finished Goods 24 (737.75)25 2,222,12 1,815.53 Employee Benefit Expenses 3,920.65 4.518.99 Government Fees (Refer Note - 31) 1,307.13 26 1,336.35 Financial Costs 20,263.08 27 19,826.53 Other Expenses 19 520.12 307.81 Depreciation and Amortization Expenses 53,423.94 65,491.50 Total Expenses 4,040.26 6,728.87 Profit / (Loss) before Extraordinary Items Extraordinary Items / Prior Period Items 4.040.26 6.728.87 Profit before Tax Tax Expense 1,425.73 1,711,73 Current tax Previous Years Tax Provisions Written Back ( Net of (67.13)Taxes Paid ) 1.40 (10.33)Deferred tax 2,624.86 5,082.87 Profit for the Year after Tax 6.60 5.49 Earning per Equity Share: ( Basic and Diluted ) (Rs) 28

This is the Statement of Profit & Loss reffered to in our report of even date attached

The accompanying notes from an integral part of the

For Lavlesh & Associates

Significant Accounting Policies

Chartered Accountants (FRN No.021978N)

financial statements

Lavlesh Bhat Proprietor M. No.8996

Place . New Delhi Date: June 26, 2023

New Delhi

UDIN: 23089961BGXNQH2616

For and on behalf of The Board of Directors of

Alcobrew Distilleries India Limited

Romesh Pandita Managing Director

2 to 44

DIN: 00046488

Arvind Kaul

Whole Time Director DIN: 03374780

Mani Ahuja

Company Secretary

M.No: A 30544 TILLE

Place: Gurugram Date: June 26, 2023

## Cash Flow Statement as at March 31, 2023

CIN NO.U15520DL2002PLC117974

	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	6 700 07	4,040.26
Net Profit before Tax and Extra Ordinary Items	6,728.87	4,040.20
Add : Expenses not Requiring Cash	500.40	307.81
Depreciation and amortization expense	520.12	(38.64)
nterest income	(30.75)	
Finance Cost	1,336,35	1,307.12
Operating Profit before Working Capital Changes	8,554.59	5,616.55
Adjustments for changes in working capital	70.000.000	400.00
Increase) / Decrease in Inventories	(3,266.01)	482.30
Increase) / Decrease in trade receivables	(7,482,83)	2,011.15
(Increase) / Decrease in loans and advances and other assets	(2,020.53)	342.62
(Decrease) / Increase in trade payables	669.47	(58.91)
(Decrease ) / Increase in other payables	1,190.41	(643.69)
(Decrease) / Increase in Long Term / Short Term Provisions	136.95	438.15
Cash ( used ) / generated from operations	(2,217.94)	8,188.16
Less : Income Tax paid	1,644.60	1,425,73
Operating Profit before charging Extra Ordinary Items	(3,862,54)	6,762,43
Net cash provided by operating activities (A)	(3,862.54)	6,762.43
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CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	(105 10)	(0.004.47)
Purchase of Fixed Assets	(465.40)	(2,804.47)
Interest received	30.75	38.64
Investment in Mutual Funds	(29,56)	(26.35)
Net cash used in investing activities (B)	(464.21)	(2,792.18
CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
(The same of the s	944.00	(485.19
(Repayment) / Receipt of long-term borrowings	4,850.00	(3,421.78
(Repayment) / Receipt of short-term borrowings	(1,336.35)	(1,307.12
Interest Paid	(1,555.55)	(1,00.1.12
Net cash available from financing activities (C)	4,457.65	(5,214.09
EXTRA ORDINARY ITEMS	= :=XX	
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents (A+B+C)	130.90	(1,243.84
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period	626.42	1,870.25
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	757.33	626.42
Significant Accounting Policies & Notes on Financial Statement (1 to 44)		

This is the Cash Flow Statement referred to in our report of even date attached

For Laviesh & Associates Chartered Accountants

(FRN No.021978N)

Laviesh Shat Propreitor M. No.89961

Place : New Delbi Date: June 26, 2023

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#### 1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### A. CORPORATE INFORMATION

Alcobrew Distilleries India Limited (hereinafter referred to as 'the Company') is a limited company domiciled in India and incorporated under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1956. The company is primarily engaged in manufacturing, marketing, selling & distribution of Alcoholic Beverages. The company has also set up a malt spirit distillation plant in the state of Himachal Pradesh.

#### **B.** Basis of Preparation

The financial statements of the Company have been prepared and presented in accordance with the generally accepted accounting principles in India (Indian GAAP), GAAP comprises mandatory Accounting Standards as prescribed under section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act') read with the Companies (Accounting Standards) Rules 2021 and guidelines issued by the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI). The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention on an accrual basis. Accounting policies have been consistently applied except where a newly-issued Accounting Standard is initially adopted or a revision to an existing Accounting Standard requires a change in the accounting policy hitherto in use.

#### C. Use of Estimates

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with Generally Accepted Accounting Principals (GAAP) requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the results of operations during the reporting year. Although these estimates are based upon management's best knowledge of current events and actions, actual results could differ from those estimates and revisions, if any, are recognized in current and future periods.

### D. Fixed Assets

## Tangible Assets



Tangible assets are stated at cost net of recoverable taxes, trade discounts and rebates, less accumulated depreciation, and impairment loss, if any. The cost of tangible assets comprises its purchase price, borrowing cost and any cost directly attributable to bringing the asset to its working condition for its intended use, net charges on foreign exchange contracts and adjustments arising from exchange rate variations attributable to the assets.

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Subsequent expenditures related to an item tangible asset are added to its book value only if they increase the future benefits from the existing asset beyond its previously assessed standard of performance.

#### **Intangible Assets**

The Intangible Assets represents the Cost of the Brands developed/purchased and ERP Software. Intangible Assets are recorded at the consideration paid for acquisition of such assets and are carried at cost towards its purchase & other direct related costs therein.

#### E. Depreciation on Assets

#### **Tangible Assets**

Depreciation on tangible assets is provided on the written-down value method over the useful lives of assets prescribed under Schedule II of the Companies Act, 2013. Depreciation for assets purchased/sold during a period is proportionately charged. Useful Life of different assets taken by the company as prescribed under Schedule II of the Companies Act, 2013 are given below:

Particulars Particulars	Useful Lives
Plant & Machinery	15 Years
Computers	3 Years
Office equipment	5 Years
Furniture and Fixtures	10 Years
Motor Vehicles	8 Years
Building	30 Years

#### **Intangible Assets**

No depreciation has been claimed on Intangible Assets except on Software for which the useful life has been taken as 6 years.

#### F. Impairment of Assets

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



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#### G. Foreign Currency Transaction

Transactions in foreign currency are accounted for at the exchange rate prevailing on the date of transaction. All monetary items denominated in foreign currency are converted into Indian Rupees at the year-end exchange rate. The exchange differences arising on such conversion and on settlement of transactions are recognized in the statement of profit & loss account.

#### H. Investments

Investment is classified as non-current or current, based on management intention at the time of purchase. Investments that are readily realizable and intended to be held for not more than a year are classified as current investments. All other investments are Non-Current investments. Trade investments are investments made for or to enhance companies business interests. All investments are stated at cost.

#### I. Inventories

Raw Material, Packing Material and Finished Goods Inventories are valued at cost or net realizable value whichever is lower.

Work in Progress Inventories comprises all cost of purchase, cost of conversion, other costs including depreciation incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition and reduced by sale proceeds of scrap generated during the manufacturing process of the related work in progress inventory with respect to Malt spirits production.

#### J. Revenue Recognition

Revenue is recognized only when risks and rewards incidental to ownership are transferred to the customer, it can be reliably measured, and it is reasonable to expect ultimate collection.

Revenue from operations represents invoice value of goods sold inclusive of excise duty paid.

It also includes revenue generated out of bottling.

Revenue also includes Gross Tie up Income generated out of Tie-up operations executed on behalf of the company with respect to own brands.



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## K. Employee Benefits

## Provident Fund & Employees' State Insurance (ESI)

The Company's contributions towards Provident Fund and ESI are expensed in the statement of profit and loss in accordance with the respective statutes. The Company has no further obligation under these plans beyond its monthly contributions.

#### Gratuity

Gratuity liability under the Payment of Gratuity Act is a defined benefit obligation and is provided for based on an actuarial valuation on projected unit credit method made at the end of each financial year.

#### Leave Encashment

Leave Encashment liability is a defined benefit obligation and is provided for based on an actuarial valuation.

#### L. Borrowing Costs

Borrowing costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition/ construction of the qualifying assets are capitalized as part of the cost of such assets in accordance with Accounting Standard 16. All other borrowing costs are charged to the statement of profit & loss account.

## M. Provision for Doubtful Debts/Advances

Provision for doubtful debts/advances is made in specific cases where the management is of the view that the amounts from certain parties are not recoverable in the ordinary course of business.

#### N. Taxes

Current income tax is measured at the amount expected to be paid to the authorities in accordance with applicable provisions of the Income Tax Act, 1961.

#### **Deferred Tax**

Deferred Income Tax reflects the impact of current year timing differences between taxable income and accounting income for the year and reversal of timing differences of earlier years. Deferred tax is measured based on the tax rates and tax laws enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date as per Accounting Standard-22 for Taxes on Income issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.



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#### O. Earnings Per Share

Basic earnings per share are calculated by dividing the net profit or loss for the period attributable to equity shareholders by number of equity shares outstanding during the period. For calculating diluted earnings per share, the same method is applied.

#### P. Provisions and Contingent Liabilities

Provisions involving substantial degree of estimation in measurement are recognized when there is an obligation as a result of past events, and it is probable that there will be an outflow of resources. Possible future or present obligations that may but will probably not require outflow of resources or where the same cannot be reliably estimated, are disclosed as Contingent liability in the financial statements.

#### Q. Cash & Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash and cash deposit with banks. The Company considers all highly liquid investments with a remaining maturity at the date of purchase of three months or less and that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash to be cash equivalents.

#### R. Cash Flow Statement

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

#### S. Tie Up Disclosures

Inventory, Receivables and Trade Payables with respect to Tie up operations have been taken as part of the Balance Sheet.



#### 2 SHARE CAPITAL

	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
Authorised Share Capital :		
10,00,00,000 ( Previous Year 4,00,00,000) Equity shares of Rs 10 each	10,000.00	10,000.00
	10,000.00	10,000.00
Issued, Subscribed & Paid up:		
7,70,00,000 (Previous Year 7,70,00,000) Equity Shares of Rs 10 each	7,700.00	7,700.00
TOTAL	7,700.00	7,700.00

#### A Rights and Restrictions attached to Shares

The company has only one class of shares with par value of Rs.10 per share. Each shareholder is eligible for one vote per share held. Dividend, if proposed by Directors, is subject to approval of shareholders in the ensuing Annual General Meeting.

## B Reconciliation of Share Capital As on 31.03.2023

#### Reconciliation of No. of Shares outstanding at the beginning & at the end of the year

Equity Shares	As at 31 Ma	As at 31 March 2023		2022
	No. of shares	Amount	No. of shares	Amount
At the beginning of the year	7,70,00,000	7,700	3,85,00,000	3,850
Add : *Bonus Shares issued			3,85,00,000	3,850
Outstanding at the end of the year	7,70,00,000	7,700	7,70,00,000	7,700

## Equity shares issued as fully paid up Bonus Shares during the preceeding 5 years by capitalisation of free reserves and share premium account

	As at 31 March 2023		As at 31 March 2022	
Details	No. of shares	Amount	No. of shares	Amount
During the year 2021-22	3,85,00,000	3,850	3,85,00,000	3,850
Outstanding at the end of the year	3,85,00,000	3,850	3,85,00,000	3,850

#### D Details of Shareholders holding more than 5% Shares in the Company

	Equity shares of Rs 10 each fully paid	As at 31 March 2023		As at 31 March 2022	
		No. of shares	% Holding	No. of shares	% Holding
1	Mr. Romesh Pandita	6,99,98,000	90.90	6,99,98,000	90.90
2	Mrs. Veena Pandita	70,00,000	9.09	70,00,000	9.09
	TOTAL	7,69,98,000	99.99	3,85,00,000	99.99

### E Shareholding of Promoters and %age change during the year

	Equity shares of Rs 10 each fully paid	As at 31 March 2023		As at 31 March 2022	
		No. of shares	% Change	No. of shares	% Change
1	Mr. Romesh Pandita	6,99,98,000		6,99,98,000	
	% of total shares issued	90.90	Nil	90.90	0.01
1	Mrs. Veena Pandita	70,00,000		70,00,000	
	% of total shares issued	9.09	Nil	9.09	Nil
	TOTAL	7,69,98,000		7,69,98,000	



## 3 RESERVES AND SURPLUS

	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
As per last financial statements	5,992,11	7,217.24
Less : Capitalisation of Reserves for issue of bonus shares		3,850.00
Add : Transferred from Profit & Loss Account	5,082,87	2,624.86
TOTAL	11,074.98	5,992.11

#### 4 LONG TERM BORROWINGS

	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
Secured Loans		
Term Loan from Banks	1,840.00	890.14
Vehicle Loan	10,45	16.31
Unsecured Loans		
From Directors	119.00	119.00
TOTAL	1,969.45	1,025.45

#### A Term Loans

Bank wise break up of Term Loans along with brief details of security given is given below:

Name of Bank	Amount as at 31.03.2023	Amount as at 31.03.2022	Security Given
ICICI Bank	Nil	40.22	Exclusive charge on assets created out of the Term Loan.
		(Secured Loan- Nil)	First pari passu charge on entire current assets of the company.
			First pari paasu charge on all movable fixed assets of the company.
			First pari passu charge on Factory Land and Building a Derabassi
			First pari passu charge on pledge of 3 lakh equity shares of the company held by Mr Romesh Pandita.
			First pari passu charge on assignment and pledge over trademarks "White & Blue" and "Golfers Shot".
			Charge on specific assets (details as per Sanction Letter) of the Directors.
			Personal Guarantees of Mr Romesh Pandita and Mrs Veena Pandita.
HDFC Bank	2,050.00	890.14	Exclusive charge on assets created out of the Term Loan.
	(Secured Loan - 1840.00)		First pari passu charge on entire current assets of the company both present and future.
	Current Maturity – 210.00)		First pari paasu charge on all movable fixed assets of the company both present and future.
			First pari passu charge on assignment and pledge over trademarks "White & Blue" and "Golfers Shot".
			First pari passu charge on Factory Land and Building a Derabassi and Solan.
a	10,		Charge on specific assets (details as per Sanction Letter) of the Directors.
			Personal Guarantees of Mr Romesh Pandita and Mrs Veena Pandita

<sup>\*</sup> The repayment of HDFC Bank Term Loan will start w.e.f June 2023

#### B Vehicle Loans

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Break up of Vehicle Loans is as follows:

Type of Lender	Amount as at 31.03.2023	Amount as at 31.03.2022	Security Given
From Banks	16.30	35.09	Hypothecation of vehicles

Out of the above vehicle loan, an amount of Rs 5.85 lakhs (Previous Year Rs 18.78 lakhs) is shown under "Current Maturities of Long-Term Debts", being the amount repayable in the next 12 months.

#### 5 DEFERRED TAX LIABILITY / (ASSET)

	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
Deferred Tax Liability		
Opening Balance	(24.72)	(14.39)
Add : During the year	1.40	(10.33)
TOTAL	(23.32)	(24.73)

#### **6 OTHER LONG TERM LIABILITIES**

	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
Security Deposits	4.13	798.48
TOTAL	4.13	798.48

#### 7 LONG TERM PROVISIONS

	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
Provision for Employees Benefits		
- Gratuity	110.58	100.44
- Leave Encashment	36.17	34.12
TOTAL	146.76	134.55

## A Disclosures as required by Accounting Standard 15 on Employees Benefits:

- 1 Gratuity is computed as 15 day's salary for every completed year of service or part thereof and is payable on retirement / resignation /termination of service. The Gratuity Plan for the company is a defined benefit scheme where annual contributions as per actuarial valuation are charged to the Statement of Profit & Loss. No fund has been created for this scheme.
- 2 The Provident Fund is a defined contribution scheme whereby the company deposits an amount as determined as fixed percentage of basic pay with the Regional Provident Fund Commissioner.
- 3 The Company has a leave encashment scheme with defined benefits for its employees. The company makes provision for such liability in the books of accounts on the basis of the actuarial valuation. No fund has been created for the scheme.
- For summarizing components of net benefit expense recognized in the Statement of Profit & Loss, the funded status and amounts recognized in the Balance Sheet for the respective plan:

## B Changes in the present value of defined benefit obligation:

Particulars	Leave Encashment		Gratuity	
r atticulars	2022-23	2021-22	2022-23	2021-22
Opening defined benefit obligation	49.40	47.48	131.76	114.1
Interest Cost	3.60	N.A	9.61	7.69
Current Service Cost	16.99	9.78	29.63	25.51
Benefits Paid	7.02	7.87	5.95	6.89
Actuarial (Gain)/Losses on obligation	7.55	N.A	12.58	-8.65
Closing defined benefit obligation	70.53	49.40	177.64	131.76

## C Net employee benefit recognized in the Statement of Profit & Loss:

Particulars	Leave Encashment		Gratuity	
Farticulais	2022-23	2021-22	2022-23	2021-22
Current service cost	16.99	9.78	29.63	25.51
Interest Cost	3.60	2	9.61	7.69
Expected return on plan asset	5.53	-	<b>*</b> ?	-
Net Actuarial (Gain)/Losses recognised during the period	7.55	ž	12.58	-8.65
Expenses recognised in the Statement of Profit & Loss	28.15	9.78	51,83	24.55



## D Amounts recognized in the Balance Sheet

Particulars	Leave Encashment		Gratuity	
Farticulars	2022-23	2021-22	2022-23	2021-22
Present value of obligation as at the end of the period	70.53	49.4	177,64	131.76
Fair value of plan assets as at the end of the period				
Funded status / Difference	-70.53	-49.4	-177.64	-131.76
Unrecognized Actuarial (gains)/ Losses				
Net Asset/ (liability) recognized in Balance sheet	-70.53	-49.4	-177,64	-131.76

## E Principle assumptions used in determining liabilities:

Particulars	Leave Er	Leave Encashment		Gratuity	
Particulars	2022-23	2021-22	2022-23	2021-22	
Discount Rate	7.30%	7.20% p.a.	7.30%	7.20% p.a.	
Salary Growth Rate	10% p.a	10% p.a. for 1 <sup>st</sup> 3 yrs and 7%thereafter	10% p.a	10% p.a. for 1st 3 yrs and 7%thereafter	
Mortality	100 % of IALM 2012-14	100 % of IALM 2012-14	100 % of IALM 2012-14	100 % of IALM 2012-14	
Expected rate of return	121	7/26			
Withdrawal rate per annum					
Up to 30 years	18%	10% p.a.	18%	10% p.a.	
30 years-44 years	18%	5% p.a.	18%	5% p.a.	
Above 44 years	18%	1% p.a.	18%	1% p.a.	

## 8 SHORT TERM BORROWINGS

	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
Secured		
Working Capital Loans From Banks	11,160.78	6,467.63
Current Maturities of Long Term Borrowings ( Refer Note 4 A & B )	215.86	59.01
TOTAL	11,376.64	6,526.64

#### A Working Capital Loans

Bank wise break up of working capital loans along with nature of facility and brief details of security given is given below:

Name of Bank / Type of Limit	Amount as at 31.03.2023	Amount as at 31.03.2022	Security Given
ICICI Bank			First pari passu charge on entire current assets of the company.
Cash Credit Limit	3,062.29	117.82	First pari paasu charge on all movable fixed assets of the company.
Working Capital Demand Loan	14	2,820.00	First pari passu charge on Factory Land and Building
			First pari passu charge on pledge of 3 lakh equity shares of the company held by Mr Romesh Pandita.
			First pari passu charge on assignment and pledge ove trademarks "White & Blue" and "Golfers Shot".
			Charge on specific assets (details as per Sanction Letter) of the Directors.
			Personal Guarantees of Mr Romesh Pandita and Mrs Veena Pandita.
HDFC Bank			
Cash Credit Limit	4,233.55	2365.75	First pari passu charge on entire current assets of the company both present and future.
			First pari paasu charge on all movable fixed assets of the company both present and future.
SY & ASSOC			First pari passu charge on Factory Land and Building a Derabassi and Solan.
			First pari passu charge on assignment and pledge over trademarks "White & Blue" and "Golfers Shot".
New Delffi			Charge on specific assets ( details as per Sanction Letter) of the Directors.
Proved Acquir			Personal Guarantees of Mr Romesh Pandita and Mrs Veena Pandita

South Indian Bank			
Cash Credit Limit	1,575.02	1131.82	First pari passu charge on entire current assets of the company both present and future.
			First pari paasu charge on all movable fixed assets of the company both present and future.
			First pari passu charge on Factory Land and Building at Derabassi and Solan.
			First pari passu charge on assignment and pledge over trademarks "White & Blue" and "Golfers Shot".
			Charge on specific assets ( details as per Sanction Letter) of the Directors.
			Personal Guarantees of Mr Romesh Pandita and Mrs Veena Pandita.
State Bank of India			
Cash Credit Limit	2,289.92	32.23	Hypothecation of entire current assets of the company both present and future.
			First pari paasu charge on all movable fixed assets of the company both present and future except assets acquired out of the proceeds of ICICI Bank Term Loan.
			First pari passu charge on assignment and pledge over trademarks "White & Blue" and "Golfers Shot".
			Charge on specific assets (details as per Sanction Letter) of the Directors.
			Personal Guarantees of Mr Romesh Pandita and Mrs Veena Pandita.

## 9 TRADE PAYABLES

	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
Sundry Creditors		
- MSME	148.84	74.72
- Others	6,450.44	5,855.08
TOTAL	6,599.28	5,929.80

#### A Trade Payables Aging Schedule

Anina	Undisputed		Disputed	
Aging	MSME	Others	MSME	Others
Less than 1 Year				
As At March 31, 2023	148.84	6,434.61		
As At March 31, 2022	74.72	5,720.96		
1 to 2 Years				
As At March 31, 2023		15.83	F	
As At March 31, 2022		31.41		
2 to 3 Years				
As At March 31, 2023	E .	195		
As At March 31, 2022		39.48		
More than 3 Years				
As At March 31, 2023	2	- Table 1	2	
As At March 31, 2022	*	63.23	•	
Total				
As At March 31, 2023	148.84	6,450.44	n	
As At March 31, 2022	74.72	5,855.08	• 1	

## Note

The company has made efforts but could not receive information from all the suppliers regarding their status under Micro Small Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006 and hence disclosures with respect to outstanding amounts of MSME and Others have been made on the basis and to the extent information was available.



#### B Details of dues to Micro and Small Enterprises as per MSMED Act, 2006,

	Particulars Particulars	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
1	The amounts remaining unpaid to micro and small suppliers as at the end of the year		
a	- Principal	148.84	74.72
b	- Interest	(A)	
2	The amount of interest paid by the buyer as per the Micro Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006 (MSMED Act, 2006)	3)	ne.
3	The amounts of the payments made to micro and small suppliers beyond the appointed day during each accounting year	3	716,97
4	The amount of interest due and payable for the period of delay in making payment (which have been paid but beyond the appointed day during the year) but without adding the interest specified under MSMED Act. 2006.	ಷ	<b>36</b>
5	The amount of interest accrued and remaining unpaid at the end of each accounting year.	98	(2)
6	The amount of further interest remaining due and payable even in the succeeding years, until such date when the interest dues as above are actually paid to the small enterprise for the purpose of disallowance as a deductible expenditure under the MSMED Act, 2006.	(a)	<u>.</u>

The above information is given in respect of such vendors to the extent they could be identified as micro and small enterprises as per Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (Development) Act 2006 on the basis of information available with the company.

## 10 OTHER CURRENT LIABILITIES

	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
Expenses Payable	278.11	239.09
Statutory Dues Payable	2,582.97	621.96
Other Liabilities	2.16	17.40
TOTAL	2,863.23	878.47

## 11 SHORT TERM PROVISIONS

	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
- Income Tax	3,137.46	3,067.54
- Gratuity (Refer Note - 7)	67.07	31.32
- Leave Encashment (Refer Note - 7)	34.37	15.28
TOTAL	3,238.90	3,114.14

## 12 NON-CURRENT INVESTMENTS

	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
Investments in Mutual Funds ( At Cost )	143.81	114.25
TOTAL	143.81	114.25

## A The market value of the Investment (Mutual Funds) as per details given below as on March 31, 2023 was Rs. 226.15 lacs (Previous Year Rs. 194.35 lacs).

Fund Name	Market Value (Based on NAV)		
Loud Maina	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022	
Aditya Birla Mutual Funds	58.22	54.11	
DSP BR Mutual Funds	38.54	35.43	
HDFC Mutual Funds	11.06	9.98	
ICICI Mutual Funds	60.63	53.56	
Mirae Mutual Fund	12.56	10.48	
Edelweiss Mutual Funds	24.91	21.87	
Canara Robeco Mutual Funds	4.34	2.03	
Kotak Mutual Funds	8.97	4.41	
Mahindra Manulife Funds	0.58		
SBI Contra G Funds	0.59		
PG/M India Mutual Funds	5.75	2.48	
Total	226.15	194.35	



#### 13 OTHER NON CURRENT ASSETS

(Unsecured-Considered Good)

	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
Security Deposits	175.78	182.64
TOTAL	175.78	182.64

#### 14 INVENTORIES

(Value as taken, valued & certified by the Management)

	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
OWN - At Cost or Net Realisable Value, whichever is lower		
Raw Materials	1,708.49	1,333.52
Work In Progress - at Cost (including direct overheads & Net of Spent Grain Sale)	1,446.51	2.63
Finished Goods	1,078.01	340.26
Packaging Material	1,794.65	1,227.81
Goods in Transit	_164.51	
SUB TOTAL -{A}	6,192.17	2,904.22
TIE-LIP . At Cost or Not Poslicable Value, whichever is lower		
TIE-UP - At Cost or Net Realisable Value, whichever is lower	E4 C4	50.70
Raw Materials	54.61	50.78
Raw Materials Finished Goods	13,52	40.32
Raw Materials		
Raw Materials Finished Goods	13,52	40.32

#### 15 TRADE RECEIVABLES

(Unsecured-Considered Good unless otherwise stated)

	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
Sundry Debtors		
- Undisputed	26,354.75	18,700.88
- Disputed		3.5
	26,354.75	18,700.88
Less: Provision for Doubtful Debts	2,154.28	1,983.24
TOTAL	24,200.47	16,717.64



## A Trade Receivables Aging Schedule

	Undis	puted	Disput	ted
Aging	Considered Good	Considered Doubtful	Considered Good	Considered Doubtfu
Less than 6 months				
As At March 31, 2023	23,163.47	-	*	
As At March 31, 2022	15,381.53			
6 months to 1 Year				
As At March 31, 2023	(2)	615.00		
As At March 31, 2022	250	1,763.98		
1 to 2 Years				-
As At March 31, 2023		1,171.11	2	
As At March 31, 2022		411.51		
2 to 3 Years				
As At March 31, 2023		1,405.17	21	
As At March 31, 2022		1,143.86	( <del>*</del> )	
More than 3 Years				
As At March 31, 2023	<u> </u>	=======================================	3	
As At March 31, 2022	(#)		(#):	/•
Total				
As At March 31, 2023	23,163.47	3,191.28	. <del></del>	3.5
As At March 31, 2022	15,381.53	3,319.35		

#### 16 CASH AND BANK BALANCES

	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
Cash and Cash equivalents:		
Cash in hand	1.96	1.80
Balances with schedules banks:	i i	
In current accounts	26.98	15.27
In Deposits (under lien with Banks & Govt Authorities)	728.40	609.35
TOTAL	757.33	626.42

#### 17 SHORT TERM LOANS & ADVANCES

## (Unsecured-Considered Good)

	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
Advance Income Tax	2,387.78	2,344.08
Input VAT Recoverable	973.15	1,129.00
Advance To Vendors	343.56	379.92
Loans and advances	130.00	82.21
	3,834.49	3,935.22
Less : Provision for Doubtful Advances	57.47	
TOTAL	3,777.02	3,935.22

#### A Loans & Advances in the nature of loan to KMP/Director

Type of Borrower	Particulars	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
Dispeter	Amount of Loan	16.66	25.00
Director	% of Total Loans	13.44	30.33

#### 18 OTHER CURRENT ASSETS

	As at 31 March 2023	As at 31 March 2022
Prepaid Expenses	2,952.87	766.51
Export Incentives Receivable	0.16	0.21
Interest Accrued	0.21	0.94
TOTAL	2,953.24	767.66



13. Fixed Assets & Depreciation										( NS III CANIIS)
		Gro	Gross Block			Accumulated Depreciation	Depreclation	_	Net Carryi	Net Carrying Amount
Particulars	Opening Balance as on	Additions	Disposals / Adjustments	as on 31.03.2023 Balance as on	Opening Balance as on	During the year	Disposals / Adjustment	Disposals / Total Dep as Adjustment on 31.03.2023	As on 31.03.2023	As on 31.03.2022
Property, Plant & Equipment										
Land	529.80	1	íğ.	529.80	i	i	(0)	•	529.80	529.80
Building	3,838.82	1,072.72	-5.22	4,906.31	868.57	323.46	i	1,192.03	3,714.26	2,970.25
Computer	140.93	50.51	-34.85	156.59	105.80	29.15	-34.09	100.85	55.74	35.13
Furniture & Fixture	179.32	4.34	-9.21	174.46	95.77	21.56	-7.09	110.24	64.21	83.55
Office Equipment	101.50	14.92	-9.91	106.52	47.45	41.87	-8.59	80.73	25.79	54.05
Plant & Machinary	2,730.08	547.20	-1.37	3,275.91	712.32	412.32	-5.86	1,118.78	2,157,12	2,017.76
Vehicles	187.15	6.71	-7.38	186.48	112.56	33.43	-7.39	138.60	47.88	74.60
Total	7,707.60	1,696.40	-67.94	9,336.07	1,942.46	861.79	-63.01	2,741.24	6,594.81	5,765.14
ntangible Assets										
Goodwill : Brands Accquired	20.50	E	16	20.50	ē	•	•	·	20.50	20,50
Software	60.03	3.67	Į.	63.70	51.98	7.18	0.23	59.40	4.30	8.05
			e.		<b>:</b>		ī			
Less: Loaded to Mait WIP				•	•	-348.85		-348.85		*
Grand Total	7,788.13	1,700.07	-67.94	9,420.26	1,994.44	520.12	-62.78	2,451.78	6,619.61	5,793.69



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Previous Year

#### 20 REVENUE FROM OPERATIONS

	For the Year Ended 31 F March 2023	For the Year Ended 31
		March 2022
Sale of Products ( IMFL )	1,29,911,52	1,02,753.96
Sale of Services ( Bottling )	67.98	_
Other Operating Revenue (Scrap Sale)	359.53	346.46
	1,30,339.04	1,03,100.43
Less: Excise Duty	58,259.42	45,557.69
Less : Interunit Stock Transfers	84.31	
TOTAL	71,995.31	57,542.74

## 21 PROFIT / (LOSS) FROM TIE UP OPERATIONS

	For the Year Ended 31	For the Year Ended 3
	March 2023	March 2022
Turnover ( Net of Excise Duty Paid )	823.64	113.51
Less :Cost of Goods Sold	375.25	251.68
Less :Expenses	301.66	47.14
NET PROFIT / (LOSS) FROM TIE UP OPERATIONS-OWN BRANDS	146.74	(185.31)

#### Income from Tie up Operations/Contracts - Own Brands :

The company earned a profit of Rs 146.74 lacs (Previous Year - Loss of Rs 185.31 lacs) from Tie-up Operations of its own brands as per the agreement.

Inventory, Trade Receivables and Trade Payables with respect to Tie-up Operations/contracts business form part of the Balance Sheet of the company and are included in the respective schedules.

## 22 OTHER INCOME

	For the Year Ended 31	For the Year Ended 31
	March 2023	March 2022
Interest Income (Gross)	30.75	38.64
Export Incentives	9.06	38.06
Profit / (Loss) on sale of Assets / Mutual Funds	(5.92)	2.37
Foreign Exchange Fluctuation Gain	0.37	4.71
Unclaimed Balances Written Back	44.06	23.00
TOTAL	78.32	106.78

## 23 COST OF MATERIAL CONSUMED

	For the Year Ended 31	For the Year Ended 31
	March 2023	March 2022
Raw Material		
Opening Stock	1,278.56	928.20
Add : Purchase	19,201.51	13,315.94
Less : Interunit Stock Transfers	84.31	
Less : Closing Stock	3,155.00	1,278,56
Sub Total	17,240.76	12,965.58
Packing Material & Consumables Consumed		
Opening Stock	1,227.81	895.66
Add : Purchase	21,131.22	12,036.74
Less : Closing Stock	1,794.65	1,227.81
Sub Total	20,564.38	11,704.59
TOTAL	37,805.14	24,670.17



#### 24 CHANGES IN INVENTORIES OF FINISHED GOODS

	For the Year Ended 31	For the Year Ended 31
	March 2023	March 2022
Inventories (at Close)		
Finished Goods	1,078.01	340,26
Inventories (at commencement)		
Finished Goods	340.26	1,479.82
TOTAL	(737.75)	1,139.56

## 25 EMPLOYEE BENEFITS EXPENSE

	For the Year Ended 31	For the Year Ended 31
	March 2023	March 2022
Salaries, wages & bonus	1,972.04	1,643.66
Contribution to provident and other funds	103.04	83.36
Gratuity Provision	51.84	24.55
Leave Encashment Provision	28.17	9.79
Staff welfare expenses	62.81	45.10
Recruitment and Training	4.23	9,09
TOTAL	2,222.12	1,815.53

## 26 FINANCE COSTS

	For the Year Ended 31	For the Year Ended 31
	March 2023	March 2022
Interest expenses	1,278.79	1,267.81
Bank & Other Charges	15.31	8.56
Loan Processing Charges	42.26	30.75
TOTAL	1,336.35	1,307.13

Interest expenses includes interest of Rs 68.02 lakhs (previous year Rs 194.28 takhs) on delayed payment of VAT of previous years paid / provided for as expense in the current financial year.



#### 27 OTHER EXPENSES

	For the Year Ended 31	For the Year Ended 31
	March 2023	March 202:
Manufacturing Expenses		
Power Fuel and Water	51.69	43.06
Bottling Charges	948.33	618.63
Repair & Maintenance	262.98	188.08
Other manufacturing Expenses	45.40	30.42
Sub-total	1,308.40	880.20
Marketing, Selling & Distribution		
Advertisement Expenses	556.10	240.49
Sales Promotion Expenses	2,786.26	4,308.20
Rebate/Discount	8,870.90	9,307.82
Commission Expenses	2,252.72	1,276.09
Freight Outward Expenses	2,143.54	1,589.55
Breakage Expenses	189.95	192.48
Royalty Paid	61.82	46.55
Sub-total Sub-total	16,861.29	16,961.19
Establishment Expenses		
Office Expenses	253.84	190.82
Legal & Professional fees	379.04	310.62
Rates & Taxes	21.11	27.10
Rent	186.27	151.01
Insurance Expenses	50.32	73.96
Travel and conveyance	417.68	314.74
Corporate Social Responsibility ( Refer Note No 35 )	62,17	53.60
Corporate Environment Responsibility	0.92	
Auditors' Remuneration ( Refer Note 38 )	14.93	2.00
Miscellaneous Expenses	19.76	64.79
Bad Debts Written Off	22.29	11,33
Provision for Doubtful Debts & Advances	228.51	1,221.71
Sub-total	1,656.84	2,421.70
TOTAL	19,826.53	20,263.08

## 28 EARNING PER SHARE (EPS)

	For the Year Ended 31	For the Year Ended 31
	March 2023	March 2022
Net Profit as per the Statement of Profit and Loss	5,082.87	2,624.86
Number of equity shares of Rs.10 each at the beginning of the year	7,70,00,000	3,85,00,000
Number of equity shares of Rs.10 each at the end of the year	7,70,00,000	7,70,00,000
Weighted average number of equity shares of Rs.10 each at the end of the year for calculation of basic and diluted EPS	7,70,00,000	4,77,82,192
Basic and diluted earnings per share (in Rs.) (Per share of Rs 10 each)	6.60	5.49



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## 29. Earning in Foreign Currency

Sale of Goods

: Rs 631.87 lakhs ( previous year : Rs 640.43 lakhs)

#### 30. Expenditure in Foreign Currency

Royalty Paid

: Rs 61.82 lakhs (previous year: Rs 46.55 lakhs)

Capital Expenditure

: Nil (previous year : Rs 97.33 lakhs)

#### 31. Government Fees

It represents the yearly Fees towards license renewal fees, label registrations, Bond registrations & other fee as per the excise policies of different States wherever the Company has business operations.

32. Creditors & Debtors balances are subject to confirmation and reconciliation, if any.

### 33. Contingent Liabilities not provided for

- Claims against the company not acknowledged as debts Rs 320.00 Lakhs (Previous Year Rs 348.23 lakhs).
- Contingent VAT Demand against Cases in Appeal Rs 10.88 Lakhs (Previous Year Rs 98.95 Lakhs)
- Outstanding Bank Guarantees Rs 184.82 Lakhs (Previous Year Rs 94.10 lakhs)

## 34. Segment Reporting

In accordance with the guidelines laid down in AS 17 on Segment Reporting, the company has two primary business segments i.e

- a. Manufacture of liquor This segment includes product group like Indian Made Foreign Liquor (IMFL) and sale through Bottling Contracts and Tie Up Agreements.
- b. Manufacture of Matured Malt Spirit (MMS).

The accounting policies adopted for Segment Reporting are in line with the accounting policies adopted by the Company.

The disclosures as per AS 17 are given below:

## A. Primary Segments



S.No	Particulars	F'	FY 2022-23			FY 2021-22		
		IMFL	MMS	Total	IMFL	MMS	Total	
1	Segment Revenue							
Α	External Turnover ( Net of Excise Duty)	72,220.37	0.00	72,220.37	57,464.20	0.00	57,464.20	
В	Inter Segment	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	

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	Turnover						
C	Revenue from Operations	72,220.37	0.00	72,220.37	57,464.20	0.00	57,464.20
2	Segment Profit before Interest & Taxes	8,282.91	-217.69	8,065.22	5,347.38	0.00	5,347.38
3	Interest			1,336.35			1,307.13
4	Profit before Taxes			6,728.87			4,040.25
5	Taxes						
Α	Current Year			1,711.73			1,425.73
В	Previous Years Tax Provision written back net of demands paid if any			-67.13			0.00
C	Deferred Taxes			1.40			(10.33)
6	Profit for the Year after Tax			5,082.87			2624.85
7	Other Information						
A	Segment Assets	37,228.59	5,189.88	42,418.47	25,078.45	3,657.50	28,735.96
В	Segment Liabilities	9,498.29	216.55	9,714.84	7,602.32	185.60	7,787.92
С	Capital Expenditure						
D	Depreciation	376.84	143.28	520.12	307.81	0.00	307.81

## **B. Secondary Segments**

S.No	Particulars	rs FY 2022-23		FY 2021-22			
		Derabassi	Solan	Total	Derabassi	Solan	Total
Α	Segment Assets	35,729.19	6,689.28	42,418.47	25,078.45	3,657.50	28,735.96



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## 35. Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR)

S.No	Particulars	Amount ( Rs in Lakhs )
1	Amount required to be spent during the current financial year.	61.70
2	Amount of Expenditure incurred.	62.17
3	Shortfall at the end of the year.	Nil
4	Total of Previous years shortfall. (FY 21-22)	Nil
5	Reasons for Shortfall.	Not Applicable
6	Nature of CSR Activities.	Women empowerment, Education of underprivileged children, Environment Sustainability, Rural Development
7	Details of Related Party Transactions.	Nil
8	Details of Provisions made if any.	Nil
9	Excess spent during the year, carried forward to the next year.	Nil

- **36.** Sale Tax Assessment under Punjab VAT Act 2005 has been completed till FY 2015-16. Liability, if any, for the remaining years will be accounted for on completion of assessments.
- **37.** Liability for interest on delayed payment of VAT is provided for / paid in the books in the year of completion of the respective VAT assessment.

38. Payment to Auditors	This Year	Previous Year
Audit fee	2.00	2.00
Tax Audit	1.00	*
Income Tax & TDS Matters	8.25	*
Certification & Consultancy Fee	1.40	2
GST on above	2.28	u u

## 39. Related Party Transactions in accordance with Accounting Standard AS-18

#### a) Related parties

## i. <u>Key Management Personnel (KMP)</u>

Mr. Romesh Pandita (Managing Director)

Ms. Veena Pandita (Director)

Mr Arvind Kaul (Whole Time Director)

Mr Anant S Iyer (Chief Operating Officer)

## ii. Relatives of KMP

Ms Vanessa Pandita Mr Parth Pandita Mr Ashutosh Kachroo



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## b) Transactions With related parties for the year ended March 31, 2023

(Rupees in Lacs)

	Particulars	Nature of Relationship	For the year ended March 31,2023	For the year ended March 31,2022
Tra	nsactions during the year			
(Un	der Ordinary Course of Business)			
1.	Salary			
	Mr Romesh Pandita	KMP	204.51	202.08
	Ms Veena Pandita	KMP	26.49	20.59
	Mr Arvind Kaul	KMP	70.22	49.08
	Mr Anant S Iyer	KMP	110.73	99.95
	Ms Vanessa Pandita	Relative of KMP	13.05	11.11
	Mr Parth Pandita	Relative of KMP	10.27	8.61
2.	Rent			
	Mr Romesh Pandita	KMP	93.27	86.78
	Ms Veena Pandita	KMP	10.20	11.00
	Mr Parth Pandita	Relative of KMP	2.40	2.40
3.	Loan ( As on 31.03.2023 )			
	Mr Arvind Kaul	KMP	16.66	25.00
4.	Security Deposit Rent ( As on 31.03.2022)			
	Mr Romesh Pandita	KMP	27.47	27.47
5.	Pledge of Shares ( As on 31.03.2023 )			
	Mr. Romesh Pandita 3.30 lacs Equity Shares of Rs. 10/- each	KMP	33.00	33.00
6.	Professional Charges & Security Deposit			
	Mr Ashutosh Kachroo	Relative of KMP	18.30	16.80

Note: Related Parties have been identified by the Management.



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#### 40. Financial Ratios

S. No	Ratio	Numerator	Denominator	As at March 31, 2023	As at March 31, 2022	% Change	Remarks
1	Current Ratio	Current Assets	Current Liabilities	1.58	1.53	3.44	Not Applicable
2	Debt Equity Ratio	Total Debt	Total Equity	0.71	0.55	28.88	See Note Below
3	Debt Service Coverage Ratio	EBIDTA + Non-Cash Expenses	Finance Cost + Principal Repayments during the year	6.24	2.78	124.05	See Note Below
4	Return on Equity Ratio	PAT	Average Equity Share Capital	66%	45%	45.23	See Note Below
5	Inventory Turn Over Ratio	Cost of Goods Sold	Average Inventory	8.15	8.32	-1.99	Not Applicable
6	Trade Receivables Turnover Ratio	Sale of Products	Average Debtors	6.37	5.82	9.44	Not Applicable
7	Trade Payables Turnover Ratio	Total Purchases	Average Creditors	6.44	4.25	51.33	See Note Below
8	Net Capital Turnover Ratio	Sale of Products	Average Working Capital	11.53	12.19	-5.37	Not Applicable
9	Net Profit Ratio	PAT	Net Revenue from Operations	7.05%	4.58%	53.96	See Note Below
10	Return on Capital Employed Ratio	ЕВІТ	Shareholder's Fund + Long Term Borrowings + Deferred Tax Liability / ( Asset )	38.87%	36.39 %	6.81	Not Applicable
11	Return on Investment Ratio	PAT	Shareholders' Funds	27.07%	19.17 %	41.22	See Note Below



#### Note:

- a. <u>Debt Equity Ratio</u> The increment in this financial ratio vis a vis previous year is mainly due to an increase in working capital requirement due to a change in business model in one of our major markets and an increase in term loan. However, the increment has been subdued due to an increase in reserves and surplus.
- b. **<u>Debt Service Coverage Ratio --</u>** The improvement in this ratio is mainly due to an increase in EBIDTA coupled with lower term loan repayment.

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- c. **Return on Equity Ratio** The improvement in this ratio is mainly due to an increase in profit.
- d. <u>Trade Payable Turnover Ratio</u> The improvement in this ratio is mainly due to faster repayment of creditors.
- e. **Net Profit Ratio** The improvement in this ratio is mainly due to an increase in sales coupled with an overall reduction in expenses.
- f. Return on Investment Ratio The increase in this ratio is due to the improvement in the Net Profit Ratio.
- **41.** The company has in the current financial year paid a GST of Rs 100.00 lakhs (pertaining to cross charges for previous financial years) under protest. The same has been shown under advances recoverable as the company is of the view that cross charges are not applicable to us, the amount has been paid under protest. Accounting treatment of the same will be effected in the year of decision of the matter.
- **42.** Fresh Malt Spirit manufactured during the year in the Solan Plant is being stored in wooden barrels for maturation. Accordingly, the same is treated as Work in Progress inventory in the account books.

## 43. Additional Regulatory Information Not Disclosed Elsewhere in the Financial Statements

1. The Company did not have any transactions with struck off companies under section 248 of the Companies Act, 2013 or section 560 of the Companies Act, 1956 except for the companies mentioned below:

S.No	Name of Struck Off Company	Nature of Transactions with Struck Off Company	Balance Outstanding as at March 31, 2023 ( Rs in Lakhs )	Relationship with Struck Off Company, if any
1	SRISRI CREATIONS JEWELS AND HANDICRAFTS PVT LTD (DELHI)	SUNDRY DEBTORS	7.97	None
2	JADE KNITS PVTLTD	TRADE PAYABLES	0.06	None

2. The Company does not have any charge which is yet to be registered with ROC beyond the statutory period. The Company had obtained loans from banks in earlier years which have been fully repaid. However due to delay in receipt of NOCs from banks, there was a delay in satisfaction of the related charge with the ROC beyond the statutory period as per details given below:



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Beneficiary	Charge ID	Amount	Due Date	Delay	Reasons
HDFC Bank	100271754	10,00,00,000	14-3-2023		The charge is due to be satisfied on 13-4-2023. Hence, there is no delay on the date of the Balance Sheet.
HDFC Bank	100271843	10,50,00,000	14-3-2023	-	The charge is due to be satisfied on 13-4-2023. Hence, there is no delay on the date of the Balance Sheet.
HDFC Bank	100109152	39,25,00,000	14-3-2023		The charge is due to be satisfied on 13-4-2023. Hence, there is no delay on the date of the Balance Sheet.

- 3. The Company has complied with the number of layers prescribed under clause (87) of section 2 of the Act read with Companies (Restriction on number of Layers) Rules, 2017.
- 4. The quarterly statements of current assets, in respect of the working capital limits, have been filed by the Company with the concerned banks. The differences, which were not material, were noticed in inventory value of finished goods due to inclusion of excise duty paid on the stocks in the statement filed while stocks are maintained at cost in the books of accounts. Other variations in the receivables were not material vis-à-vis value of bookdebts in the books.
- 5. Aggregate value of opening stock, purchases and closing stock of raw material, packing material and consumables for FY 2022-23 is as follows:

Item	FY 2022-23				
Description	Opening Stock	Purchases	Closing Stock		
ENA (Extra Neutral Alcohol)	148.88	9733.68	601.99		
Malt Spirit (Indigenous)	1012.00	7210.67	468.26		
Flavours & Caramels	117.68	877.12	538.22		
Barley & Dry Yeast	0	1380.05	100.02		
Packing Material & Others	1227.81	21131.22	1794.65		
Work in Progress			1446.51		
Total	2506.37	40332.74	4949.65		



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Item	FY 2021-22					
Description	Opening Stock	Purchases	Closing Stock			
ENA (Extra Neutral Alcohol)	92.22	6,502.93	148.88			
Malt Spirit (Indigenous)	787.18	6,079.89	1,012.00			
Flavours & Caramels	48.80	733.12	117.68			
Packing Material & Others	895.66	12,036.74	1,278.56			
Total	1,823.86	25,352.68	2,557.12			

6. Aggregate value of sales for FY 2022-23 is as follows:

	For the Year Ended 31 March 2023	For the Year Ended 31 March 2022
Sale of Products (IMFL)	1,29,911.52	1,02,753.96
Sale of Services (Bottling)	67.98	18
Other Operating Revenue (Scrap	20	
Sale)	359.53	346.46
	1,30,339.04	1,03,100.43
Less: Excise Duty	58,259.42	45,557.69
Less: Inter Unit Stock Transfers	84.31	Yan
TOTAL	71,995.31	57,542.74

44. Previous year figures have been regrouped / rearranged wherever considered necessary to make them comparable with current year's figures.

As per our report of even date attached

For Lavlesh & Associates

Chaftered Accountants (FRN No. 21978N)

**Lavlesh Bhat** Proprietor M. No. 89961

Place: New Delhi Date: June 26, 2023

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For and on behalf of the Board of Directors of

**Alcobrew Distilleries India Limited** 

Romesh Pandita Managing Director

DIN: 00046488

Arvind Kaul

Whole Time Director

DIN: 03374780

Mani Ahuja Company Secretary

M. No A 30544

Place: Gurugram Date: June 26, 2023

