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**Sub.: Annual Report for the financial year 2024-25 along with Notice of Annual General Meeting.**

Dear Sir/Madam,

Pursuant to the provisions of Regulation 34(1) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, we are submitting herewith the Annual Report of the Company for the financial year 2024-25 including Notice of 39<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Company which is being sent to the Members through electronic means as per the circulars from Ministry of Corporate Affairs and the Securities and Exchange Board of India.

Important details with regard to AGM are as under:

| <b>Sr. No.</b> | <b>Particulars</b>                                                                            | <b>Details</b>                                                                                                          |
|----------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1.             | AGM details                                                                                   | <b>Monday, the 11<sup>th</sup> August, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. through Video Conferencing/Other Audio Video Visual Means</b> |
| 2.             | Cut-off date to determine list of members entitled to receive Notice of AGM and Annual Report | Friday, 11 <sup>th</sup> July, 2025                                                                                     |
| 3.             | Cut-off date to determine list of members entitled to receive final dividend                  | Monday, 4 <sup>th</sup> August, 2025                                                                                    |
| 4.             | Dividend Payment Date                                                                         | By 10 <sup>th</sup> September, 2025                                                                                     |
| 5.             | Cut-off date to determine list of members entitled for e-voting                               | Monday, 4 <sup>th</sup> August, 2025                                                                                    |
| 6.             | Remote e-voting start time, day and date                                                      | 9:00 a.m. (IST), Thursday, the 7 <sup>th</sup> August, 2025                                                             |
| 7.             | Remote e-voting end time, day and date                                                        | 5:00 p.m. (IST), Sunday, the 10 <sup>th</sup> August, 2025                                                              |

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The link to view the Notice of AGM and Annual Report is as under:

<https://www.praj.net/wp-content/uploads/2025/07/Annual-Report-for-2024-25.pdf>

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully,

**FOR PRAJ INDUSTRIES LIMITED**

**ANANT BAVARE  
COMPANY SECRETARY &  
COMPLIANCE OFFICER  
(M. NO. 21405)**

**Encl.:** as above

# DELIVERING TECHNOLOGY EMBEDDED POSSIBILITIES

Purpose. Passion. Perfection.





Celebrating 75 years of vision, courage, and innovation - Dr Pramod Chaudhari, a pioneer whose legacy continues to inspire a sustainable tomorrow



Paving the way to a greener India - Shri Nitin Gadkari inaugurates the country's first sustainable road made with Praj Industries' lignin-based biobitumen on NH-44 near Nagpur, marking a breakthrough in eco-friendly infrastructure and bioeconomy innovation.



A milestone for India's bioeconomy - Dr Jitendra Singh (Minister of State in the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions of India) inaugurated the country's first Biopolymer Demonstration facility at Jejuri, showcasing Praj's PLA technology, in the presence of Dr Rajesh Gokhale (Secretary, DBT) and Dr Ashish Lele (Director, NCL).



'पैलतीरावरून... तर असं झालं', a book on Dr Pramod Chaudhari's entrepreneurial journey published at the hands of Chief Minister of Maharashtra Shri Devendraji Fadnavis. In the picture, from Left to Right- Mr. Vishal Soni, CEO- Vishwakarma Publications, Dr Pramod Chaudhari, Shri Devendraji Fadnavis, Shri Chandrakantdada Patil, Higher and Technical Education Minister of Maharashtra, Prof. Milind Joshi, President of the Akhil Bharatiya Marathi Sahitya Mahamandal, Mr. Atul Mulay, President, Bioenergy, Praj Industries Ltd.



Praj's Grain Module Addition Workshop in Pune spotlighted feedstock diversification as the next big leap for biofuels—enabling existing distilleries to expand sustainably with grain-based solutions.



Praj is honored to be recognized as one of the Top Companies for Women in STEM 2024 by CII. We commend our talented women professionals whose leadership and innovation continue to drive our success.



Honored to welcome Dr Raghunath Mashelkar to Praj Matrix, our hub of innovation and cutting-edge research.



Celebrating innovation and impact! Praj is honored as the 'Best Innovative Technology Supplier' at SEIC 2025. A proud moment for our team as we continue to drive sustainable transformation in the sugar and ethanol industry.



Praj receives the RECEIC Award from FICCI for its breakthrough Lactic Acid and Lactide Technology—powering India's journey in circular bioplastics and global sustainability

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## Board of Directors



**Dr Pramod  
Chaudhari**

Chairman



**Utkarsh  
Palnitkar**

Independent Director



**Parimal  
Chaudhari**

Non-Executive Director



**Vinayak  
Deshpande**

Independent Director



**Dr Shridhar  
Shukla**

Independent Director



**Rujuta  
Jagtap**

Independent Director



**Ajay  
Deshpande**

Independent Director



**Shishir  
Joshipura**

CEO & Managing  
Director



**Sachin  
Raole**

CFO & Director-  
Resources



**Ashish  
Gaikwad**

Managing Director-  
Designate

# Corporate Information

## Board of Directors

|                                                                                           |                                                                                         |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Dr Pramod Chaudhari, Chairman                                                             | Mr Vinayak Deshpande, Independent Director                                              |
| Mr Shishir Joshipura, CEO and Managing Director                                           | Ms Parimal Chaudhari, Non-Executive Director                                            |
| Mr Ashish Gaikwad, Managing Director-Designate<br>(w.e.f. 3 <sup>rd</sup> February, 2025) | Dr Shridhar Shukla, Independent Director                                                |
| Mr Sachin Raole, CFO and Director Resources                                               | Mr Suhas Baxi, Independent Director (upto 7 <sup>th</sup> August, 2024)                 |
| Mr Utkarsh Palnitkar, Independent Director                                                | Ms Rujuta Jagtap, Independent Director                                                  |
|                                                                                           | Mr Ajay Narayan Deshpande, Independent Director (w.e.f. 25 <sup>th</sup> October, 2024) |

## Company Secretary

Mr Anant Bavare

## Auditors

Statutory Auditors: P G BHAGWAT LLP  
Cost Auditors: Dhananjay V. Joshi & Associates  
Internal Auditors: Khare Deshmukh & Co.  
Secretarial Auditors: KANJ & Co. LLP

## Bankers

Bank of Maharashtra  
The Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited  
ICICI Bank Limited  
Citibank N.A.  
Standard Chartered Bank

## Registered Office

"Praj Tower", S. No. 274 & 275/2, Bhumkar  
Chowk- Hinjewadi Road, Hinjewadi,  
Pune 411 057, Maharashtra, India

## Registrar & Share Transfer Agent

MUFG Intime India Pvt. Ltd. (formerly known as Link Intime India Pvt. Ltd.) Block No 202, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Akshay Complex, Off Dhole Patil Road, Pune 411 001, Maharashtra, India

## R & D Unit I

Praj Matrix – The Innovation Center  
Gat No. 402, 403, 1098, Village Urawade,  
Tal. Mulshi, Pune 412 115, Maharashtra, India

## R & D Unit II

Shreenathnagar, Patethan, P.O. Rahu, Tal Daund,  
Dist. Pune 412 207, Maharashtra, India

## R & D Unit III

Plot No. E-20 & E-21 additional MIDC Area, Jejuri, Tal. Purandar, Pune 412 303, Maharashtra, India

## Manufacturing Facilities

- Unit I Gat No. 748 and Unit II Gat No. 745, 746, Sanaswadi, Tal. Shirur, Dist. Pune 412 208, Maharashtra, India
- Kandla SEZ Unit I, Plot No. 307 to 314, Gandhidham, Kutch 370 230, Gujarat, India
- Kandla SEZ Unit II, Plot No. 282 to 286 and 294 to 298, Gandhidham, Kutch 370 230, Gujarat, India
- Kandla SEZ Unit III, Warehouse No. 1 to 3, Himalaya Complex, Phase I, Sector IV, Gandhidham, Kutch 370 230, Gujarat, India
- Yard I, Plot No. 35, Behind Act Warehouse, Kandla, Gandhidham, Kutch 370 230, Gujarat, India
- Yard II, Warehouse No 7 & 8, Plot No. 38 & 39, West Gate, Kandla, Gandhidham, Kutch 370 210, Gujarat, India
- Praj HiPurity Systems Ltd.  
Gut No. 437, 438, 456, 467, 204 & 205, Near Gokul Hotel, Kondle Road, Village Usar, Taluka - Wada, District - Thane 421 303, Maharashtra, India
- Praj GenX Ltd.  
Plot No. 3 & 7, Padubidri Karkala Road, ASPEN SEZ, Nandicoor, Udupi, Karnataka 574 111, India

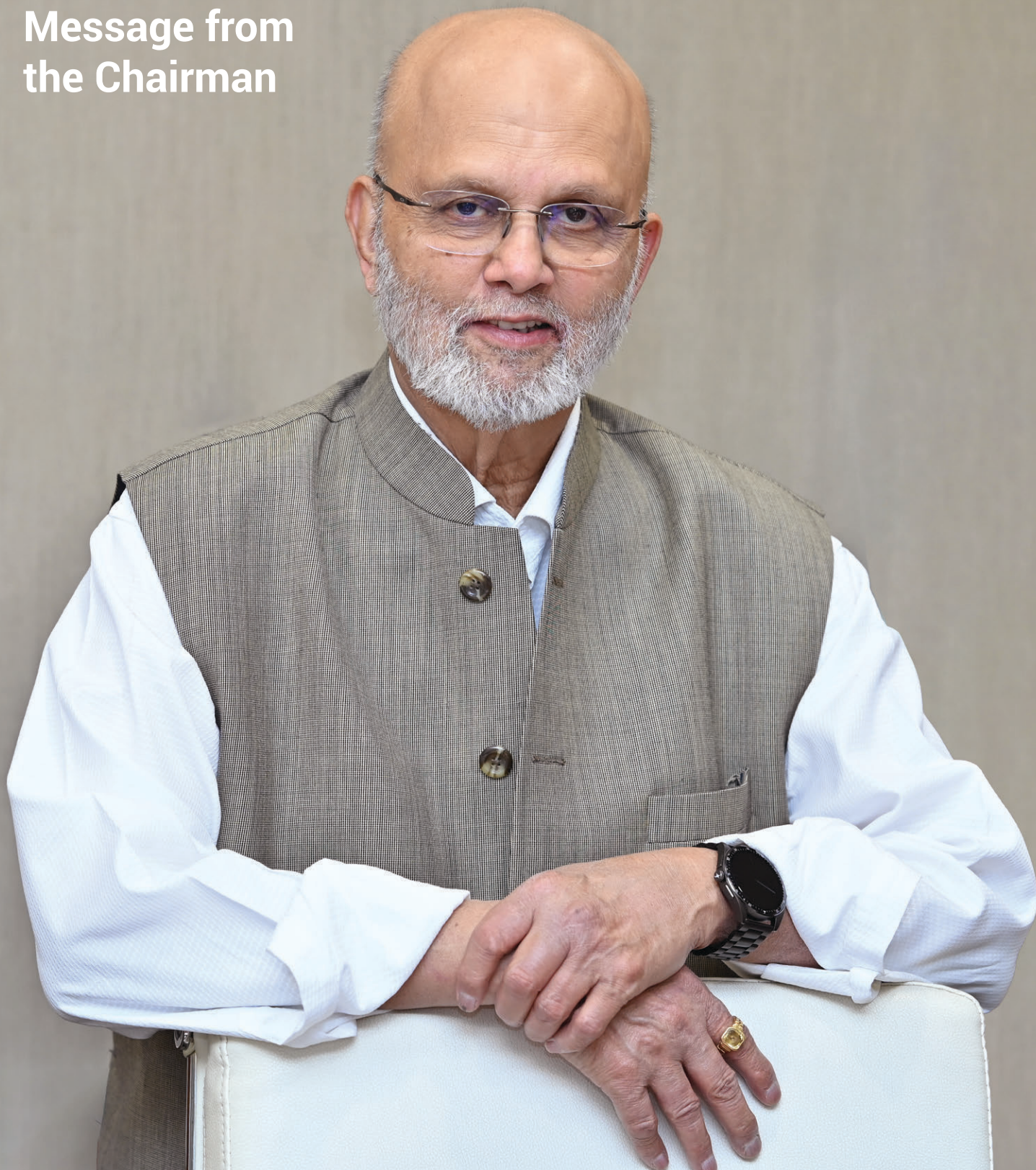
## Presence in

India, Thailand, USA, The Philippines and Tanzania



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## Message from the Chairman



# Dear Shareholders,

I am privileged to present the 39<sup>th</sup> Annual Report of Your Company for FY 2024–25.

We are witnessing a global reset. As the world navigates climate challenges, resource pressures, and rising expectations for responsible business practices, forward-looking companies must act with clarity, conviction, and speed. The decisions we make today will shape the industries of tomorrow.

At Praj, we are guided by a bold and actionable 2030 Vision that positions Your Company at the forefront of industrial transformation and clean energy innovation.

This vision is built on execution. Through our strategic platforms- Bio-Mobility®, Bio-Prism®, and Energy Transition & Climate Action (ETCA)- we are driving meaningful progress across key economic sectors, creating tangible value while preparing industries for a low-emission, high-efficiency future. Bio-Mobility® is redefining the future of transportation and industrial fuels. Leveraging our leadership in ethanol technology, we are expanding into next-generation biofuels such as compressed biogas, Sustainable Aviation Fuel (SAF), and biohydrogen. These solutions directly reduce carbon intensity and enhance energy resilience.

Bio-Prism® is accelerating the move away from fossil-based chemicals and materials. Using advanced biotechnology and process innovation, we are producing bio-based alternatives like bioplastics, biobitumen, and biochemicals. This shift reduces import dependency and supports long-term business continuity by offering cleaner, scalable alternatives to conventional petrochemicals.

Complementing our core platforms, Praj HiPurity Systems Ltd. (PHS) is well-positioned to capitalize on the growing demand for ultra-pure water solutions across high-growth sectors, unlocking significant opportunities in industries requiring impeccable water quality.

Our ETCA business addresses critical energy challenges. Through engineering strength, manufacturing excellence, and

best-in-class practices, it supports the development of clean energy solutions in areas such as hydrogen, ammonia, carbon capture, and waste-to-energy. These efforts help industries comply with evolving regulations, reduce emissions, and improve operational efficiency.

The Government of India has taken cognizance of the immense potential of the bioeconomy and is working on a forward-looking BioE3 (Biotechnology for Economy, Environment and Employment) Policy for Fostering High Performance Biomanufacturing. This reinforces the importance of industry participation in building a future-ready energy landscape. In alignment with this vision, our strategic platforms are not only delivering lasting impact but also contributing to national priorities.

We firmly believe that true progress requires collaboration. That's why we continue to build a strong ecosystem, engaging with global experts, institutions, and policymakers to shape the future of clean technology and industrial development.

Throughout this journey, we remain committed to high standards of integrity, governance, and accountability. These principles are embedded in everything we do and are essential to earning the confidence of all stakeholders.

To our valued shareholders, thank you for your continued trust and support. Backed by strong fundamentals, a clear strategic roadmap, and deep technical expertise, Praj is ideally positioned to harness the growing opportunities offered by the global transition. Our 2030 Vision serves as both a compass and catalyst- driving purposeful action and aligning our efforts with national and global priorities. With this vision at the core, we are shaping a cleaner, more resilient, and future-ready industrial world- creating lasting impact for the economy, industry, and generations to come.

Warm Regards,  
**Dr Pramod Chaudhari**  
Chairman  
June 2025

## Message from CEO & MD



Dear Shareholders,

The past year was one of measured progress for Praj Industries, set against a backdrop of global uncertainty, evolving energy policies, and shifting demand dynamics. While the overall financial performance did not reflect our typical momentum, we remained focused on building long-term value and deepening our leadership in the global bioeconomy.

We made steady headway across our core businesses. In 1G ethanol, India achieved its E20 blending milestone well ahead of schedule, and Praj remained a key enabler in this journey. The industry began turning its attention to what lies beyond-higher blends, flex fuel applications, blending with diesel, SAF- all areas where we are actively involved through technology development and ecosystem creation. Our expanding footprint in Latin and North America for grain-based ethanol and low-carbon ethanol solutions, respectively, augurs well for our future.

Services, O&M, and remote monitoring solutions saw growing demand, with increasing interest in biogenic CO<sub>2</sub> capture and lifecycle support. Co-product valorisation offerings further strengthened Praj's positioning as a long-term partner in industrial decarbonization.

In 2G ethanol, the IOCL Panipat project- based on Praj's Enfinity® platform- produced over one million litres of ethanol. Once stabilized with its peak capacity on a continuous basis, it will serve as a benchmark reference facility. Commissioning efforts for the HPCL and BPCL plants are also underway.

The CBG business gained renewed momentum with greater private sector interest. We successfully demonstrated our

high-efficiency technology RenGas® using press mud, spent wash, rice straw, and Napier grass as feedstock.

Our work in Sustainable Aviation Fuel is progressing through early-stage collaborations. We are building the world's first integrated ethanol-to-jet (SAF) facility at Praj Matrix, Praj's R&D center and innovation engine, which will be commissioned by September 2025. The Bio-Mobility® platform continues to evolve to meet the demands of emerging fuel applications across transport sectors.

On the Bio-Prism® front, one of the significant milestones during the year was the operationalization of the demonstration facility for biopolymers. Polylactic Acid (PLA)- a bio-based alternative to conventional plastics- became the first molecule in Praj's biopolymer portfolio to be successfully demonstrated. Praj also showcased its biobitumen technology- a carbon abatement solution for road construction sector- through the inauguration of India's first national highway stretch built using biobitumen near Nagpur.

Praj HiPurity Systems Ltd. broadened its presence by developing high-capacity fermenters and offering them in the semiconductors and EV batteries segments. Praj GenX represents our confidence in the immense potential of modularisation capabilities developed at the Mangalore facility. Now audited and approved by eight global customers, the facility strongly positions Praj GenX for order book growth.

As we look ahead, we are aware that challenges- be it evolving energy policies, technological disruptions, or macroeconomic shifts- will continue to test us. But our journey so far has been one of resilience and reinvention. Time and again, we have turned adversity into opportunity. I am confident that Praj will continue to rise to the occasion with the same determination and foresight that have defined our success.

Praj has charted an ambitious growth path for 2030 under the able guidance and mentorship of Dr Pramod Chaudhari. With this background, I now hand over the baton to Mr Ashish Gaikwad, who will lead Praj into its next phase of growth and innovation. As I reflect on this journey, I am proud of the resilience, purpose, and commitment that the Praj team has demonstrated. I am deeply grateful for the opportunity to lead this exceptional company and the support I have received from all the stakeholders. Thank you for your continued faith and trust in Praj team.

Warm regards,  
**Shishir Joshipura**  
 CEO & Managing Director  
 June 2025

## Message from MD– Designate



It is with great enthusiasm and a deep sense of responsibility that I step into the role of Managing Director of Praj Industries.

I am honoured to take on the responsibility of translating our strategic framework of growth opportunities into action and steering the Company toward its 2030 goals. I look forward to working alongside all the visionary Board Members and passionate teams of experts and individuals at Praj, who have established the company as a significant global player to pursue energy transition and sustainable industrial transformation. Praj's journey ahead marks a continuation of a mission driven by innovation, integrity, and purpose.

We are at an inflection point in our industry and in global history. Climate action, clean energy, circular economy models, and net-zero commitments are redefining how industries will operate in the near future. Praj is uniquely positioned to lead this transition. Our proven expertise in biofuels, renewable chemicals, and decarbonization- alongside our growing footprint in high-purity systems, water solutions, and modular engineering- strategically positions us to leverage the global shift toward energy transition and climate action, tackling some of the most urgent challenges of our era.

I am equally committed to fostering internal synergies and collaboration between our R&D capabilities at Praj aligning them across our business units- Liquid & Gaseous Biofuels, Renewable Chemicals & Materials, Praj HiPurity, Praj GenX, Water & Wastewater Treatment, and Brewery Solutions- to deliver integrated, high-impact solutions to our customers.

Praj continues to advance innovations in bioplastics,

biobitumen, and renewable chemicals. With the thyssenkrupp Uhde partnership, we are now poised to offer an end-to-end PLA solution. Our technology for biobitumen presents an import substitute with strong potential to enhance the viability of bioenergy projects.

To support this next phase of our journey, we are also sharpening our strategic focus through key organizational initiatives under our Transformation Management Office. TMO will help us structure the growth vectors, align actions for execution, and track progress to enable responsive adjustments in line with evolving priorities. We are also establishing Centers of Excellence (CoEs) for Talent Management, Innovation, Digitalization, and Manufacturing Supply Chain. We are investing in modern platforms like SAP S/4HANA and other digital infrastructure for a real-time decision-making system. At Praj GenX, our manufacturing assets are aligned with Industry 5.0 principles, combining advanced machines and smart technologies to enable seamless human-machine collaboration. These efforts will ensure that Praj remains agile, future-ready, and ahead of the curve in an increasingly competitive global landscape.

At the heart of all our ambitions are our people. We will continue to invest in talent development, diversity, and inclusive leadership. With the enduring work of Praj Foundation across education, rural upliftment, and health, we are committed to being not just a responsible business for profit, but a force for social good.

As we look ahead, we are mindful of the challenges on the horizon- volatile energy markets, evolving global regulations, and shifting technology landscapes. Yet, I remain confident that Praj's robust innovation ecosystem, customer-centric mindset, and value-driven leadership will help us navigate these complexities and continue delivering sustainable impact.

I look forward to engaging with all of you- our valued stakeholders- investors, customers, employees, and partners. I thank Dr Pramod Chaudhari for this invaluable opportunity to lead Praj. I would also like to thank Mr Shishir Joshipura for his kind assistance during the transition period. I know that I can count on everyone's continued trust and collaboration. I am confident that with your support, we will lead the transformation toward a more sustainable and inclusive world.

Warm regards,  
**Ashish Gaiikwad**  
Managing Director– Designate  
June 2025

## Innovate. Integrate. Deliver.

**40+ years**

of experience and  
expertise

**1000+**

References

**400+**

References outside  
India

**Across 100+**

Countries

**1300+**

Employees

**4**

Manufacturing  
locations

**90+**

Research scientists

**400+**

Patents

**40%**

Business from repeat  
customers

**20+ years**

of regular dividend payout



Praj Foundation is honoured to be officially accredited  
by the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)

## Praj at a Glance (Consolidated)

|                                          | UOM   | 24-25        | 23-24        | 22-23        | 21-22        | 20-21        |
|------------------------------------------|-------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| SALES                                    | ₹ Mn. | 32280.422    | 34662.784    | 35280.378    | 23432.744    | 13046.687    |
| OTHER INCOME                             | ₹ Mn. | 508.360      | 434.986      | 356.008      | 241.242      | 257.364      |
| TOTAL INCOME                             | ₹ Mn. | 32788.782    | 35097.770    | 35636.386    | 23673.986    | 13304.051    |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURE EXCLUDING DEPRECIATION | ₹ Mn. | 29220.410    | 30882.603    | 32146.666    | 21399.302    | 11951.787    |
| EBIDTA (EXCLUDING OTHER INCOME)          | ₹ Mn. | 3248.320     | 3878.064     | 3180.001     | 2058.494     | 1190.781     |
| DEPRECIATION                             | ₹ Mn. | 864.409      | 440.559      | 302.471      | 225.912      | 221.218      |
| PROFIT BEFORE TAX                        | ₹ Mn. | 2985.535     | 3774.608     | 3187.249     | 2048.773     | 1131.046     |
| PAT BEFORE MINORITY INTEREST             | ₹ Mn. | 2189.330     | 2833.909     | 2398.182     | 1502.421     | 810.587      |
| PAT AFTER MINORITY INTEREST              | ₹ Mn. | 2189.101     | 2833.560     | 2397.941     | 1502.395     | 810.469      |
| OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME               | ₹ Mn. | (21.642)     | (49.961)     | (16.331)     | (22.437)     | 11.041       |
| TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME               | ₹ Mn. | 2167.688     | 2783.948     | 2381.851     | 1479.984     | 821.628      |
| NET BLOCK OF FIXED ASSETS + CWIP         | ₹ Mn. | 5898.857     | 5253.148     | 3275.140     | 2892.399     | 2845.581     |
| SHARE CAPITAL                            | ₹ Mn. | 367.626      | 367.626      | 367.426      | 367.347      | 366.458      |
| RESERVES AND SURPLUS                     | ₹ Mn. | 13450.045    | 12377.073    | 10412.558    | 8789.838     | 7651.774     |
| NET WORTH                                | ₹ Mn. | 13817.671    | 12744.699    | 10779.984    | 9157.185     | 8018.232     |
| EPS BASIC                                | ₹     | 11.91        | 15.42        | 13.05        | 8.18         | 4.43         |
| <b>RATIOS</b>                            |       |              |              |              |              |              |
| EBIDTA (EXCLUDING OTHER INCOME) TO SALES | %     | 10%          | 11%          | 9%           | 9%           | 9%           |
| PBT TO SALES                             | %     | 9%           | 11%          | 9%           | 9%           | 9%           |
| PAT TO SALES                             | %     | 7%           | 8%           | 7%           | 6%           | 6%           |
| RONW                                     | %     | 16%          | 24%          | 24%          | 17%          | 11%          |
| ROCE                                     | %     | 23%          | 31%          | 30%          | 23%          | 15%          |
| NO. OF SHARES                            | Nos.  | 18,38,13,088 | 18,38,13,088 | 18,37,13,088 | 18,36,73,088 | 18,32,28,904 |
| DIVIDEND                                 | %     | 300%         | 300%         | 225%         | 210%         | 108%         |
| BOOK VALUE PER SHARE                     | ₹     | 75.17        | 69.34        | 58.68        | 49.86        | 43.76        |
| CASH EPS                                 | ₹     | 16.61        | 17.82        | 14.70        | 9.41         | 5.63         |

# Management Discussion & Analysis Report



## Global Rise of the Bioeconomy

The global shift toward sustainable industrial development is accelerating, driven by the urgency of climate action and the energy transition. Bio-based solutions— such as biofuels, bioplastics, and renewable chemicals— are transforming traditional manufacturing and enabling low-carbon, circular growth across sectors. The IEA's Net Zero by 2050 report highlights the urgent need for a complete transformation of the global energy sector, which is responsible for nearly 75% of greenhouse gas emissions. It outlines a narrow but achievable pathway to limit global warming to 1.5°C, with bioenergy playing a vital role— especially in hard-to-abate sectors such as transport and industry. Also, in light of evolving geopolitical conditions, countries are increasingly focused on reducing dependence on imported crude oil and strengthening energy self-sufficiency.

According to the World Bioeconomy Forum, the global bioeconomy is experiencing rapid expansion, currently valued at over \$4–5 trillion, and projected to reach \$30 trillion by 2050. This growth is driven by advancements in sectors like biorefineries and renewable chemicals. For instance, the

global biorefinery market is expected to rise from \$212.05 billion in 2024 to \$315 billion by 2029, growing at a CAGR of 8.2% during the period, while the biotechnology sector could exceed \$3.8 trillion by 2030. The renewable chemicals market alone is projected to hit \$350 billion by 2030. Over 50 countries, including India, the USA, Brazil, and members of the EU, have launched dedicated bioeconomy strategies. Emerging trends— such as the integration of AI and region-specific models— are transforming the landscape, positioning the bioeconomy as a cornerstone of future-ready, low-carbon industrial development. Increased government regulations, incentives, and sustainable practices are creating opportunities for the sector.

India, with its strong policy frameworks and expanding bioeconomy, is playing a key role in this global transformation, including its leadership in the Global Biofuel Alliance launched at the G20 Summit to promote biofuels as a cornerstone of clean energy.

# India's Energy Transition

India is advancing toward a sustainable energy future with a robust policy framework focused on energy security, green manufacturing, and reducing dependence on crude oil. As the world's third-largest energy consumer, it has launched key initiatives to support this transition:



- **National Bio-Energy Mission**  
Boosts biofuel infrastructure and waste-to-energy integration.
- **2G Ethanol Plants**  
Utilize agri-residues to cut pollution and support rural incomes. The Pradhan Mantri JI-VAN Yojana promotes 2G ethanol production from agri-residues and industrial waste, supporting clean energy and rural livelihoods. Recently extended to 2028–29, it now includes diverse feedstocks and technologies to boost innovation, investment, and sustainable development.
- **SATAT Scheme**  
The Compressed Biogas Blending Obligation (CBO) mandates the phased blending of CBG with natural gas in the CNG and PNG networks, starting at 1% in FY 2025-26 and reaching 5% by FY 2028-29.
- **SAF Roadmap**  
India targets SAF blending of 1% by 2027, scaling to 5%.
- **BioE3 Policies**  
Aims to scale India's bioeconomy to USD 300 billion by 2030 by advancing biomanufacturing and promoting inclusive, sustainable growth. It focuses on strategic areas such as bio-based chemicals, smart proteins, precision biotherapeutics, and carbon capture technologies.
- **Green Hydrogen Mission**  
Aims for 5 MMT annual green hydrogen production by 2030.
- **Industrial Decarbonization**  
Focuses on energy efficiency, carbon capture, and circular economy practices.

Together, these initiatives strengthen India's role in the global energy transition while driving inclusive growth and climate resilience.



## Business Performance

### **Praj: The Decarbonization Partner of Choice**

Decarbonization lies at the heart of Praj's mission, aligned closely with the global imperatives of energy transition and climate action. As industries across the world seek to move away from fossil-based systems, Praj is enabling this shift by offering bio-based, technology-driven solutions that are practical, scalable, and aligned with net-zero ambitions.

Our proven expertise in biofuels, renewable chemicals, and industrial process engineering allows us to deliver solutions that not only reduce greenhouse gas emissions but also enhance energy efficiency and long-term operational resilience. Through our proprietary platforms such as Bio-Mobility® and Bio-Prism®, we are providing sustainable alternatives across high-impact sectors including transportation, aviation, and infrastructure.

Praj is also advancing Carbon Capture and Utilization (CCU) solutions, turning industrial CO<sub>2</sub> emissions into value-added products.



## Bio-Mobility®: Enabling Sustainable Transportation

The global shift toward low-carbon transportation is gaining momentum, with governments and industries investing heavily in renewable fuels to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. Praj's Bio-Mobility® platform is at the forefront of this transformation, offering sustainable transportation solutions across land, air, and sea. With increasing global mandates for clean energy adoption, Bio-Mobility™ is driving the transition to renewable fuels, ensuring a sustainable and energy-secure future for transportation.



## Ethanol Blending in India: Beyond E20

Ethanol blending has emerged as a key strategy to reduce India's dependence on imported crude oil while advancing its clean energy agenda. India has successfully achieved its 20% ethanol blending target (E20), well ahead of schedule—a major milestone in the country's energy transition journey. With this goal now met, the focus is shifting toward higher blending levels and broader applications of ethanol across sectors.

NITI Aayog has indicated active deliberations on moving toward E25 and deploying flex-fuel vehicles capable of operating on higher ethanol blends such as E85 for four wheelers and E100 for two wheelers. Broader use cases are also being explored, including diesel blending and Sustainable Aviation Fuel (SAF). NITI Aayog is evaluating alcohol blending in diesel, with the aim of reducing emissions, curbing oil imports, and strengthening energy security.

India's rapidly expanding aviation sector is poised to become a key driver in decarbonizing this traditionally hard-to-abate sector. With proven conversion pathways already validated for commercial use, ethanol seamlessly fits into the global SAF roadmap. There are indicative plans to blend 1% Sustainable Aviation Fuel (SAF) by 2027, scaling up to 5% by 2030 — requiring approximately 140 million litres of SAF annually by 2027 and around 700 million litres per year by 2030.

These ambitious targets and initiatives underscore India's commitment to a sustainable energy future, positioning the country as a global leader in biofuel innovation and climate action.

The government has taken several enabling steps to support the expansion, including supporting sugar mills in establishing grain-based ethanol modules through financial assistance and facilitating feedstock diversification for ethanol production by lifting restrictions on cane juice use.

Praj is actively contributing to this evolving ecosystem through strategic collaborations. A notable initiative is its Centre of Excellence & Innovation (CoEI) in Bioeconomy— Farm to Fuel Approach, established in partnership with the Vasantdada Sugar Institute (VSI), Pune. This center focuses on alternative feedstock development, byproduct valorization, and technology scale-up.

However, the sector is also witnessing structural shifts. Liquidity challenges and prolonged financial closures have resulted in lengthening of project execution cycles— from the earlier average of 9–12 months to now 12–15 months. Despite these headwinds, Praj remains committed to building a robust ethanol ecosystem, enabling both energy transition and rural economic empowerment.



### Upgrading Ethanol Plants for Efficiency and Sustainability

As the ethanol industry faces rising sustainability and efficiency demands, Praj is leading the way in providing innovative solutions to modernize and upgrade existing plants. Our technology-driven upgrades focus on reducing steam and water consumption, boosting operational capacity, improving yields, and extending plant life— while minimizing capital expenditure and downtime.

With strong in-house R&D and implementation experience, Praj delivers customized solutions that help distilleries meet decarbonization goals and optimize performance. These upgrades are crucial in an environment of tightening regulations and rising costs, allowing our clients to remain competitive.



### Co-Product Valorization

Beyond decarbonization, Praj is committed to enhancing customer profitability through co-product valorization. Our multi-feed, multi-product platforms empower industries to unlock new value from by-products, creating additional revenue streams while promoting circularity and resource efficiency. In grain-based ethanol production, our solutions enable the extraction of Distillers Corn Oil (DCO), rice protein, and DDGS (Distillers Dried Grains with Solubles)— all of which serve as high-value outputs for the feed, food, and oleochemical sectors. These technologies not only reduce waste but also improve overall plant economics by turning process residuals into commercially viable products.

By offering integrated, end-to-end capabilities, Praj helps customers transition to sustainable and profitable operations, reinforcing our role as a partner in both decarbonization and business growth.



### Services & O&M Solutions

We are witnessing growing interest from our customers—both in India and internationally—for solutions such as biogenic CO<sub>2</sub> capture, fermentation process management, and comprehensive O&M services. Praj's expanding portfolio in services, spares, and operations & maintenance is enabling customers to enhance plant performance, extend asset life, and achieve greater resource efficiency. The RemoteBridge™ platform, a digital tool, complements these offerings by providing real-time performance insights and predictive diagnostics. Together, these solutions reflect Praj's commitment to supporting our customers in their journey toward cleaner, more reliable, and profitable operations.

The range of performance enhancers is gaining increasing demand both domestically and internationally, as we actively work to expand their reach in global markets. These bionutrient solutions boost yeast efficiency and catalyze fermentation, enabling improved yields and enhanced plant performance worldwide.



## Ultra Low Carbon (2G) Ethanol

Praj remains at the forefront of India's bioenergy transition with its advanced second-generation (2G) ethanol technology. The IOCL 2G plant in Panipat, based on Praj's Enfinity™ platform, has produced over 1 million litres of ethanol and is currently undergoing capacity ramp-up and stabilization.

Unlike 1G ethanol, 2G ethanol is made from agri-residues like rice straw—helping reduce stubble burning and providing farmers with additional income. With strong policy support, 2G ethanol is set to play a key role in India's clean energy and rural development goals. In addition to the Panipat project, commissioning is underway for two other major 2G plants—HPCL's plant in Bathinda and BPCL's plant in Bargarh.

Ultra-low carbon ethanol produced through 2G technology qualifies as feedstock for Sustainable Aviation Fuel (SAF), making it a key growth driver for the medium to long term. Praj continues to invest in R&D to reduce production costs and improve the commercial viability of 2G ethanol, supporting its expanded role in India's clean energy future.



## Global Scenario

Across the globe, ethanol is gaining strategic importance as a key enabler of the clean energy transition. Governments are increasingly adopting ethanol blending mandates to curb emissions, reduce reliance on imported fossil fuels, and boost rural economies through agricultural value addition. The United States and Brazil continue to lead the world in ethanol production and consumption, supported by robust policy frameworks and widespread use of flex-fuel vehicles.

In Brazil, blending rates are consistently around 27%, and the government's "Fuel of the Future" program envisions increasing this further to E30, reinforcing its long-term commitment to biofuels. There is also increasing use of grains as feedstock—a notable shift from traditional sugarcane-based ethanol. These developments are setting the tone for more diversified, resilient, and scalable ethanol ecosystems globally.

Building on the momentum of the two projects announced last year, Praj is making significant headway in supporting Brazil's transition toward grain-based ethanol production. With corn emerging as a preferred feedstock due to its round-the-year availability and logistical advantages, the Brazilian ethanol industry is gradually adopting a dual-feed approach alongside traditional sugarcane.

Praj's advanced grain-to-ethanol technology is tailored to local requirements and is gaining strong traction in the region. Meanwhile, several other nations including Colombia, Panama,

Argentina, Paraguay are revising policies to accommodate higher blends. Global interest in Sustainable Aviation Fuel (SAF) and Alcohol-to-Jet (ATJ) pathways is also on the rise, positioning ethanol as a versatile and low-carbon feedstock in multiple transport sectors.

In FY 2024-25, Praj secured a significant order from a customer in Paraguay to set up an ethanol plant based on starchy feedstock. Also, Praj secured a repeat order in East Africa for a molasses-based distillery, reaffirming its position as a trusted partner for sustainable alcohol production in the region.

Praj is strengthening its international presence with new and repeat orders in Paraguay and East Africa, reflecting growing global demand for its sustainable biofuel and alcohol production solutions.

Praj is strategically positioning itself to capitalize on emerging opportunities in the USA, particularly in the low-carbon ethanol market. We are executing an order for converting an existing ethanol facility into a low carbon ethanol facility in the USA. We secured an order for a project that utilizes lactose separated from milk as feedstock, aligning with the growing demand for sustainable and decarbonized solutions.

Praj is committed to adapting its strategies to align with evolving industry priorities and regulations, ensuring its solutions remain competitive and relevant.



The successful commissioning of DCM Shriram's 12 TPD Integrated Compressed Biogas (CBG) plant, developed in collaboration with Praj's RenGas® technology, marks a significant milestone in engineering precision, operational excellence, and fuel purity standards. This achievement sets a new benchmark for stakeholders across the clean energy sector.



## Compressed Biogas (CBG) / Renewable Natural Gas (RNG)

Compressed Biogas (CBG) is rapidly emerging as a key pillar of India's circular and low-carbon economy. Produced from a range of organic feedstocks such as press mud, spent wash, rice straw, and Napier grass, CBG offers a renewable and sustainable alternative to conventional compressed natural gas (CNG). The market landscape for CBG is also evolving rapidly, with a growing shift from cascade-cylinder distribution to pipeline injection for industrial use, enabling better scalability and logistics efficiency. Private companies and OMCs are playing a significant role in driving this transition, and Praj is actively supporting this momentum with robust technology solutions and successful project execution.

Policy support has been instrumental in accelerating the development of India's Compressed Biogas (CBG) ecosystem. With strong backing from MNRE and MoPNG, CBG projects are supported by guaranteed offtake. The Sustainable Alternative Towards Affordable Transportation (SATAT) scheme continues to be a key enabler, while the integration of CBG into City Gas Distribution (CGD) networks is opening up new markets and driving commercial viability. As an emerging sector aligned with energy security and waste-to-wealth goals, CBG is poised for significant growth. Under the SATAT scheme, CBG plant development is underway, with ongoing efforts to expand infrastructure – pointing to continued interest in building out India's CBG ecosystem.

Praj has successfully demonstrated commercial-scale CBG production using diverse feedstocks, ensuring consistent performance without loss of Biochemical Methane Potential (BMP) and quality surpassing the stringent standards.

There is rising interest from sugar mills in installing press mud-based CBG plants and in a notable development, Praj received an order to set up a CBG plant co-located within a Napier grass cultivation field, offering an integrated feedstock and production model.

Integrating biobitumen production into CBG plants based on specific feedstocks enhances project economics by transforming the digestate—a typical low-value byproduct—into a marketable, eco-friendly material used in road construction. This dual-output model maximizes feedstock utilization, improves overall returns, and diversifies revenue streams. As demand grows for sustainable alternatives in both energy and infrastructure, biobitumen offers an opportunity to align CBG projects with circular economy principles. It also opens up access to emerging markets and policy incentives, making such integrated plants more financially attractive and environmentally impactful.

## Sustainable Aviation Fuel (SAF)

Sustainable Aviation Fuel (SAF) represents a fast-growing global opportunity, with the market projected to surge to over \$16.5 billion by 2030, driven by stringent emission targets and rising demand for cleaner air travel. However, while HEFA (Hydrotreated Esters and Fatty Acids) is currently the dominant pathway, it relies on limited lipid-based feedstocks and cannot alone meet the growing SAF demand. This highlights the need for alternative routes such as the Alcohol-to-Jet (ATJ) pathway, which enables the conversion of low-carbon alcohol into aviation-grade fuel.

Praj, through its Bio-Mobility® platform, has developed indigenous technology to convert renewable feedstocks like agricultural residues and lignocellulosic biomass to SAF, aligned with global standards such as ASTM D7566.

Praj has already pioneered SAF production at its R&D centre— India's first such initiative— and is collaborating with major industry players to accelerate deployment. With robust R&D, global partnerships, and deep feedstock-to-fuel capabilities, Praj is well-positioned to help scale SAF adoption and drive the global transition to net-zero aviation.



## Bio-Prism®: Transforming Renewable Chemicals & Materials

Plastics have become integral to modern life, revolutionizing industries such as healthcare, packaging, construction, and automotive. Since 1950, global plastic production has surged from 2.3 million tons to over 400 million tons annually, reflecting their widespread use and growing demand.

Praj's Bio-Prism® platform is focused on developing high-value bio-based chemicals and renewable materials, including:

### Biopolymers & Bioplastics

At our Demonstration Facility for Biopolymers in Jejuri, we are showcasing our technology for producing next-generation sustainable materials. This facility is designed to demonstrate production technology, enabling prospective customers to evaluate process performance and product viability for real-world applications in packaging, textiles, and industrial use. With Polylactic Acid (PLA) being the first biopolymer in focus, the future pipeline includes Polyhydroxyalkanoates (PHA) and Butanediol (BDO), broadening the platform's capability to support the growing demand for bio-based alternatives.

### Biobitumen

Praj's proprietary technology refines crude lignin into Biobitumen— a low-carbon, circular economy solution for sustainable road construction.

With a blending capacity of up to 15%, this green material can partially replace fossil-derived bitumen, offering a significant 70% reduction in greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions. The road infrastructure industry stands to benefit from this eco-friendly innovation, which also presents an opportunity to save ₹4,000– 4,500 crore in foreign exchange if India replaces 15% of its conventional bitumen with biobitumen— equivalent to nearly 15 lakh tons.

Praj's Biobitumen technology has been successfully used in the construction of the Nagpur-Mansar road project. This eco-friendly innovation, which can partially replace fossil-derived bitumen, is now being used to build the country's first national highway using biobitumen.



## Praj HiPurity Systems Ltd. (PHS)

Praj HiPurity Systems Ltd. (PHS) continues to lead in delivering high-purity water systems and Modular Process Systems (MPS) for the pharmaceutical, biotech, and personal care sectors. In FY 2024–25, PHS expanded its offerings across critical applications such as vaccines, injectable formulations, and both synthetic and bio-based APIs, providing solutions that fully comply with global regulatory standards including USFDA, EU-GMP, and cGMP.

PHS is capitalizing on three major growth pillars: global expansion, expansion of its offerings, and cross-sector application of existing solutions. The company has extended its reach into international markets while simultaneously exploring new industrial applications of its core technologies— such as ultra-pure water systems for lithium-ion

battery production in EVs and semiconductors.

One of the key milestones this year was developing and supplying high-capacity fermenters, including a dedicated high-capacity fermentation complex for a leading pharmaceutical company in South India. In collaboration with Praj Matrix, PHS continues to enhance its technology offerings to meet the evolving needs of biopharmaceutical manufacturing.

Praj HiPurity Systems Ltd. also delivers comprehensive value-added services such as maintenance agreements, round-the-clock technical support, system upgrades, and operator training. These value-added services enhance operational efficiency, ensure regulatory compliance, and maximize asset longevity across the lifecycle of high-purity water and process systems.



## Critical Process Equipment & Modularization

The global process equipment market is projected to reach approximately USD 124.78 billion by 2030, growing at a CAGR of 4.58% from 2025, reflecting increasing demand for efficient, modular, and scalable industrial solutions. The broader energy transition market is witnessing robust growth, estimated to expand from around USD 2.83 trillion in 2024 to USD 5.42 trillion by 2031, at a CAGR of 9.7%. These trends underscore the rising global focus on sustainable technologies and modularization as key enablers for faster project execution, improved safety, and enhanced resource optimization across industries.

During the year, Praj's state-of-the-art manufacturing facility at Kandla operated at full capacity, reflecting strong demand across domestic and international markets. The facility played a crucial role in delivering high-quality process equipment and modular assemblies for a range of projects. With optimized capacity utilization and stringent quality systems in place, it continues to be a key enabler in ensuring timely project execution and supporting Praj's commitment to engineering excellence.

Praj GenX Ltd., a wholly-owned subsidiary of Praj Industries Ltd., delivers innovative modular solutions for Energy Transition and Climate Action (ETCA), addressing the growing global market for process equipment and modularization. Modularization offers key advantages such as reduced execution time, faster delivery, improved safety, and enhanced quality control, making it a preferred approach for efficient and scalable project execution.

Praj GenX has developed a pioneering suite of modular plant design philosophies aligned with the principles of Industry 5.0, focusing on human-centricity, sustainability, and digital integration. The PraModule5.0™ platform delivers next-generation modular solutions for the BioEnergy sector, while ModuLess5.0™ and ModulFlex™ extend these benefits to a wider array of industrial applications. These design innovations are supported by the state-of-the-art mega-facility in Mangaluru—developed as a model Industry 5.0 plant. It integrates advanced automation, digital technologies, and green manufacturing practices. Commissioned in two phases for efficient ramp-up and operational readiness, the facility is poised to drive growth, with its impact on order book and revenues expected to reflect in FY 2025–26. To ensure quality and reliability, eight customers have audited and approved the facility, demonstrating strong confidence in Praj GenX's capabilities.

A notable highlight is the "Rani Chennamma Team," an all-women workforce trained to operate cutting-edge technologies such as collaborative robots (cobots) and welding machines. With 50 skilled professionals, this team reflects Praj GenX's commitment to gender diversity, inclusive growth, and empowerment.

With a robust pipeline of international inquiries, Praj GenX is well-positioned to capitalize on significant global opportunities in modular engineering.



## Water & Wastewater Treatment Solutions

The industrial wastewater treatment market is driven by accelerating urbanization, expanding industrial activity, and increasing environmental awareness. These factors are prompting industries to adopt advanced and efficient wastewater treatment solutions to meet stricter regulatory requirements and support sustainability goals. As water scarcity and pollution concerns intensify, the demand for innovative treatment technologies will continue rising across sectors.

Praj is enhancing its water and wastewater treatment offerings with advanced, energy-efficient, and modular skid-based systems for industrial use. These plug-and-play solutions enable faster deployment and efficient integration, especially in space- and time-constrained projects.

During the year, Praj delivered modularized wastewater treatment solutions to select industrial customers, reinforcing its commitment to efficient, scalable, and future-ready systems. These plug-and-play units offer significant advantages— including faster deployment, reduced on-site work, space optimization, and ease of integration into existing operations. With growing demand from industries facing time and space constraints, Praj’s modular approach is gaining traction as a preferred choice for reliable and sustainable wastewater treatment.

With expertise across sectors like food & beverage, pharma, chemicals, and distilleries, Praj’s technologies support Zero Liquid Discharge (ZLD), high water recovery, and resource reuse— helping industries reduce freshwater use, meet regulatory norms, and lower operational costs.



## Brewery and Beverages

India’s brewery equipment market is resurging after a period of quiet, with domestic demand fueling substantial growth. It is projected to rise to US \$890 million by 2030, growing at a CAGR of 6.5%. As breweries increasingly seek energy efficiency, water conservation, and quality improvements, Praj’s integrated modernization solutions offer minimal downtime, swift commissioning, and dependable performance, especially through brownfield projects across India. Meanwhile, greenfield investments are gaining traction in emerging markets and premium beverage segments, signifying a promising future pipelined toward FY 2025–26.



## Innovation and R&D

Praj's R&D Center, Matrix, continues to make remarkable progress, reinforcing its leadership in the global bioeconomy with cutting-edge technologies and innovative solutions. Building on its portfolio of over 400 patents, Praj's focus on Bio-Mobility® and Bio-Prism® platforms is accelerating decarbonization in mobility and the development of renewable chemicals and sustainable materials.

A significant highlight has been the continued advancement of its Alcohol-to-Jet (ATJ) demonstration facility, which integrates bioprocesses with catalysis. Praj is exploring new pathways to improve the efficiency of production at this facility.

Praj's innovative biological pretreatment processes are yielding higher volumes of low-carbon biofuels such as CBG, and the Pressmud Preservation technology is ensuring

consistent, year-round biogas production in CBG plants without loss of biomethanation potential (BMP). Praj's proprietary technologies PMStab™ for press mud, BMSolve™ for lignocellulosic feedstocks, and NGStab™ for Napier grass— optimize feedstock stabilization, pretreatment and ensure year-round biogas production by enhancing decomposition and preserving organic content.

Praj has achieved a major milestone under its Bio-Prism® platform with the commissioning of India's first integrated demonstration facility for biopolymers at Jejuri. This state-of-the-art facility is a significant leap forward in building a sustainable, circular bioeconomy and will play a pivotal role in advancing the development of bioplastics. It will enable commercial-scale production of lactic acid, a key building block for Polylactic Acid (PLA)— a renewable, biodegradable



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alternative to conventional plastics. Beyond PLA, the facility is designed to support the development of other next-generation polymers like Polyhydroxyalkanoates (PHA) and Butanediol (BDO).

Praj's collaboration with the Institute of Chemical Technology has been instrumental in advancing its capabilities in biopolymers. This partnership is exemplified by the establishment of the Parimal and Pramod Chaudhari Centre of Excellence and Innovation for Biopolymers, which serves as a dedicated hub for testing various shapes, forms, and end-use applications of biopolymers— driving innovation and real-world adoption.

Furthermore, Praj has continued to innovate by unlocking value from biorefinery co-products, reinforcing its commitment to

integrated and sustainable bioeconomy solutions. One such advancement is the extraction of plant-based proteins from rice used in ethanol production— an initiative that not only adds a high-value co-product stream but also supports the growing global demand for alternative protein sources in food and animal nutrition.

Praj's development of Biobitumen from lignin, an abundant, non-food biorefinery residue, offers a renewable alternative to fossil-based bitumen traditionally used in road construction. Its successful application at the Nagpur– Mansar bypass on NH-44 marks a significant step toward decarbonizing infrastructure, demonstrating real-world viability and setting the stage for large-scale adoption of green construction materials.



# Sustainability

Praj Foundation continues to lead with purpose, driving sustainable change across rural India through integrated programs in preventive healthcare, sustainable water resource development, and education. Our initiatives are deeply aligned with the Sustainable Development Goals and focused on creating lasting impact through community-led action.



## Preventive healthcare for women

Praj Foundation's flagship healthcare program, "Food is Medicine," empowers rural women to take charge of their family's nutrition and wellness using simple, traditional, and cost-effective practices. Operating across 6 locations in Maharashtra and Gujarat, the program covers over 100 villages, directly impacting more than 10,000 women and reaching ~50,000 individuals.

By promoting kitchen gardens, reviving iron-rich cooking traditions, and linking health with livelihood through poultry and food processing, the initiative addresses anaemia, boosts immunity, and fosters income generation. It's not just healthcare—it's holistic empowerment.

## Water Conservation

Water is central to rural resilience. Through its water conservation efforts, Praj Foundation has rejuvenated water systems across 90 villages— 70 in Maharashtra and 20 in Gujarat. More than 10,000 wells and borewells have been revived, bringing over 50,000 acres of land under sustainable irrigation. These efforts have directly benefited 10,000+ families and 40,000+ individuals, securing drinking water, enhancing agricultural productivity, and restoring community confidence in their natural resources.

## Education

Praj Foundation's education initiatives bridge the gap between aspiration and access. From early childhood literacy to rural entrepreneurship, the focus is on building competencies that last a lifetime.

- 13,000+ children strengthened their foundational literacy and numeracy skills
- 135+ schools and Anganwadis supported
- 275+ teachers trained
- 250+ youth gained hands-on vocational training
- 1,049+ rural youth empowered through entrepreneurship programs
- 150+ rural enterprises established
- 2,800+ high school students introduced to practical technology via the IBT program
- 500+ students annually benefit from school infrastructure upgrades

## Net Zero & Climate-Resilient Village– Mandede



As part of its commitment to sustainable and inclusive development, Praj Industries launched a pioneering initiative to transform Mandede, a village in Mulshi taluka near Pune, into a Net Zero and Climate-Resilient Village. This flagship project is designed to serve as a replicable model for rural sustainability, aligned with global climate goals and national development priorities.

The two-year pilot program adopts a holistic, systems-based approach to address six critical areas: water security, energy efficiency, waste and wastewater management, sustainable agriculture and livelihoods, public health, and quality education.

By leveraging Praj's expertise in the bioeconomy and collaborating with academic and field partners, the initiative is driving measurable progress across environmental and social indicators.

Key interventions during the year included the deployment of improved cookstoves in nearly half of the village households, leading to a significant reduction in fuelwood consumption and carbon emissions. Rooftop solar panels were installed in

select homes under a pilot initiative, which has generated strong community interest for wider adoption.

The project also achieved important milestones in water resource management. Desilting of local chain bunds helped improve groundwater recharge and extend water availability during dry months. An integrated watershed management plan has been developed to ensure long-term water resilience.

In the area of waste management, a nature-based greywater treatment system (Eco-STP) has been successfully implemented in one hamlet, with plans underway to expand coverage. Organic waste composting and plastic segregation systems have been introduced at the household and community level, promoting circular waste practices.

This initiative exemplifies Praj Foundation's commitment to creating shared value through responsible environmental stewardship and community empowerment. With encouraging early results, the Mandede model is poised for scale-up and replication across other rural geographies in the future.



# Human Capital

Praj's journey of innovation and sustainable transformation is powered by its people. We are continuously striving to create business ready talent pool for its actionable 2030 vision. Hiring of Technology and Engineering graduates from campuses under its "StepUP" program and grooming them through structured programs is a significant initiative. The company has added key leadership professionals and experienced mid-managerial talent during the year to strengthen capabilities in niche areas. There is continuous thrust through awareness and education about company's Values, Integrity, Ethics and IT Security framework. The company is focussing on 5 critical themes for strengthening the employee engagement – namely, Conversation, Connection, Clarity, Competence and Career. It has also launched a focussed People Leadership Development Initiative – "People Compass" covering a sizeable number of People Managers.

The company is also focussing on comprehensive "Wellness and Happiness" programs. It has launched its digital initiative "WISH" for all its employees. There are business specific technical programmes regularly conducted under its "TechEdge" intervention for continuous upgradation of techno-functional knowledge. There is also thrust on improving skills and overall business connect for people working on our project sites. Our inclusive and performance-driven culture fosters curiosity, collaboration, and a strong sense of purpose, enabling individuals to grow while contributing to larger organizational goals. We are building a workforce that is agile, future-ready, and deeply aligned with our mission to deliver sustainable solutions globally.

Praj's commitment to innovation and sustainable transformation is driven by its dedicated workforce. The organization continually seeks to develop a talent pool aligned with its actionable 2030 vision by recruiting Technology and Engineering graduates through the StepUP program and nurturing them via structured development initiatives. During the year, Praj strengthened its capabilities in specialised areas by adding key leadership and experienced mid-managerial professionals.

The company maintains a strong emphasis on promoting awareness and education related to its Values, Integrity, Ethics, and IT Security framework. Employee engagement is being enhanced through a focus on five critical themes: Conversation, Connection, Clarity, Competence, and Career. Additionally, Praj introduced the People Leadership Development Initiative\_—People Compass—reaching a significant number of People Managers.

The organization also prioritizes holistic employee well-being through comprehensive Wellness and Happiness programs and has rolled out the digital initiative WISH for all team members. To ensure ongoing techno-functional advancement, regular business-specific technical sessions are conducted under the TechEdge initiative. Skill development and business connectivity efforts are extended to employees at project sites as well.

Praj's inclusive and performance-oriented culture encourages curiosity, collaboration, and a shared sense of purpose, supporting individual growth while advancing the company's mission of delivering sustainable solutions worldwide. The organization is dedicated to developing an agile, future-ready workforce that aligns closely with its global sustainability objectives.

## Fostering a Safe and Inclusive Workplace

Praj is committed to creating a respectful, inclusive, and equitable work environment for all. Our gender-neutral POSH (Prevention of Sexual Harassment) policy ensures that every employee, regardless of gender identity, feels safe and empowered to speak up. Reinforcing this commitment, our internal platform Uchit serves as a confidential and transparent channel for grievance redressal, promoting fairness and accountability. Together, these initiatives uphold our core values of dignity, trust, and equality- building a workplace culture where every individual can thrive without fear or bias.

# Awards & Recognition

In FY 2024–25, Praj Industries continued to be recognized for its commitment to innovation, sustainability, and inclusive excellence through a series of prestigious awards:

## Top Company Excelling in Women in STEM 2024

*Recognized by the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII)*

Celebrates Praj's commitment to gender diversity and the promotion of women in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics.

## Prof. Nandibewoor Endowment Award 2024

*Awarded by the Indian Chemical Society at the 61<sup>st</sup> Annual Congress of Chemists and International Conference on Emerging Trends in Chemistry (Jaipur)*

This honor recognizes Praj's pioneering contributions to chemical engineering and sustainability. The award underscores our role in shaping the future of India's chemical industry, aligned with the vision of Viksit Bharat @2047.

## 'Rasayan Udyog Shri' 2025 conferred upon Dr Pramod Chaudhari, Founder Chairman

*Conferred by the Indian Chemical Society*

Honoring Dr Chaudhari and Praj Matrix for outstanding contributions to chemical innovation and research excellence.

## Resource Efficiency & Circular Economy Industry Coalition (RECEIC) Award

*Awarded by FICCI in the "Circular Technology Disruptor" category*

Acknowledges Praj's leadership in advancing disruptive technologies for a circular bioeconomy

## Best Innovative Technology Supplier – SEIC 2025

*Awarded at the Sustainable Energy India Conference (SEIC)*

Highlights Praj's role in developing high-impact, sustainable technology solutions for the energy sector.

## UNEP Accreditation – Praj Foundation

*Praj Foundation received accreditation from the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)*

This recognition reinforces our commitment to environmental stewardship and global sustainable development goals through community-based initiatives.



## Strategic Growth Blueprint

During the year, Praj undertook a comprehensive strategic review to chart the next phase of its growth journey. This forward-looking exercise involved a deep dive into market opportunities, organizational strengths, and evolving customer expectations. Several key initiatives were identified across business segments, operations, and talent development-focused on unlocking new value pools, enhancing execution agility, and strengthening Praj's role in industrial biotech and sustainable engineering. The resulting roadmap is designed to catalyze accelerated, innovation-driven, and future-ready growth.



## Strengthening Digital Backbone

As part of our digital transformation journey, Praj successfully implemented SAP S/4HANA to strengthen enterprise-wide systems and processes. This upgrade enables greater operational control, real-time monitoring, and improved data analytics across functions. The integrated platform also lays the foundation for future adoption of AI-driven insights, predictive analytics, and enhanced decision-making, helping us improve efficiency, responsiveness, and strategic planning.



## Managing Risks with Strategic Foresight

Praj recognizes that operating in dynamic global markets involves a spectrum of risks, including regulatory shifts, geopolitical developments, feedstock variability, and technology disruptions. We proactively manage these through a robust risk management framework that integrates early warning systems, compliance monitoring, and scenario planning. Our diversified portfolio, strong R&D capabilities, and agile execution models help us mitigate market and operational risks, ensuring business continuity and long-term resilience.

## The Road Ahead

At Praj, our commitment to industrial sustainability, renewable energy, and next-gen bio-based solutions is no longer just a vision- it is a reality. We have emerged as a decarbonization partner of choice, expanding globally and driving the adoption of clean energy across aviation, transport, infrastructure, and manufacturing.

Through our R&D hub, Praj Matrix, we continue to lead in process innovation, resource efficiency, and circular economy solutions. Our expertise in high-purity systems, water treatment, and sustainable engineering is helping industries transition to low-carbon operations.

Having delivered on our commitments, we now focus on scaling our impact- strengthening our presence in the global bioeconomy and advancing the transition to a more sustainable industrial future.



**Details of significant changes (i.e. change of 25% or more as compared to the immediately previous financial year) in Key Financial Ratios along with detailed explanation therefor.**

| Standalone Praj         | UOM   | 31-Mar-25 | 31-Mar-24 | Variation | Major reason for variance                                                                               |
|-------------------------|-------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Debtors Turnover        | Days  | 95        | 87        | 9%        | N.A.                                                                                                    |
| Inventory Turnover      | Days  | 54        | 34        | 59%       | The rise in overall inventory levels majorly on account of higher level of inventory of modular plants. |
| Interest Coverage       | Times | N.A.      | N.A.      | N.A.      | N.A.                                                                                                    |
| Current Ratio           | Times | 1.57      | 1.60      | -2%       | N.A.                                                                                                    |
| Debt Equity Ratio       | Times | N.A.      | N.A.      | N.A.      | N.A.                                                                                                    |
| Operating Profit Margin | %     | 12.31%    | 11.25%    | 9%        | N.A.                                                                                                    |
| Net Profit Margin       | %     | 9.63%     | 9.38%     | 3%        | N.A.                                                                                                    |
| RONW                    | %     | 19.77%    | 24.10%    | -18%      | N.A.                                                                                                    |

## Forward-Looking Statements

This document contains forward-looking statements that reflect Praj's strategic vision, growth expectations, and future business outlook. These statements are based on current market conditions, industry trends, government policies, and management's expectations regarding business performance, technology advancements, and expansion plans.

While we remain committed to innovation, sustainable growth, and long-term value creation, actual results may differ due to various factors, including macroeconomic conditions, regulatory changes, geopolitical developments, and market dynamics.

Praj assumes no obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements, except as required by law. Stakeholders are encouraged to consider these statements in the context of industry uncertainties and evolving business environments.



# DIRECTORS' REPORT

To,  
The Members of Praj Industries Limited

Your Directors are pleased to present the 39<sup>th</sup> Report together with the Audited Financial Statements of Praj Industries Limited ("the Company") for the financial year ended on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025.

## 1. FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS AND STATE OF COMPANY'S AFFAIRS :

The financial statements of the Company have been prepared in accordance with the Indian Accounting Standards ("Ind AS") notified under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act"), read with Rule 7 of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014.

During the year under review, your Company recorded a standalone total income of ₹28,056 Mn., (previous year ₹30,580 Mn.), with profit after tax of ₹2,644 Mn. (previous year ₹2,804 Mn.). On a consolidated level, total income stood at ₹32,789 Mn. (previous year ₹35,098 Mn.), with profit after tax of ₹2,189 Mn. (previous year ₹2,834 Mn.).

(₹ in Mn.)

| Particulars                                                          | Standalone     |                | Consolidated   |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
|                                                                      | 2024-25        | 2023-24        | 2024-25        | 2023-24        |
| Revenue from Operations                                              | 27,447         | 29,896         | 32,281         | 34,663         |
| Other Income                                                         | 609            | 684            | 508            | 435            |
| <b>Total Income</b>                                                  | <b>28,056</b>  | <b>30,580</b>  | <b>32,789</b>  | <b>35,098</b>  |
| <b>Total Expenses</b>                                                | <b>24,841</b>  | <b>26,933</b>  | <b>30,085</b>  | <b>31,323</b>  |
| PBT (Before exceptional items)                                       | 3,215          | 3,647          | 2,704          | 3,775          |
| (+) Exceptional item                                                 | 282            | -              | 282            | -              |
| PBT                                                                  | 3,497          | 3,647          | 2,986          | 3,775          |
| (-) Tax Expenses                                                     | 853            | 843            | 797            | 941            |
| PAT                                                                  | 2,644          | 2,804          | 2,189          | 2,834          |
| Other Comprehensive Income                                           | (21)           | (36)           | (21)           | (50)           |
| Total Comprehensive Income                                           | 2,623          | 2,768          | 2,168          | 2,784          |
| (+) Balance in Profit & Loss account                                 | 10,193         | 8,090          | 10,325         | 8,206          |
| <b>Profit Available for Appropriations</b>                           | <b>12,816</b>  | <b>10,858</b>  | <b>12,493</b>  | <b>10,990</b>  |
| <b>Appropriations</b>                                                |                |                |                |                |
| i) Dividend                                                          | (1,103)        | (828)          | (1,103)        | (828)          |
| ii) Transfer to / (from) Special Economic Zone Re-investment Reserve | -              | 163            | -              | 163            |
| <b>Balance in Statement of Profit &amp; Loss</b>                     | <b>11,713*</b> | <b>10,193*</b> | <b>11,390#</b> | <b>10,325#</b> |

\* Includes Debt instruments balance through Other Comprehensive Income.

# Includes Debt instruments balance through Other Comprehensive Income and exchange differences on translation of foreign operations.

## 2. MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS REPORT :

Management Discussion and Analysis Report for the financial year under review, as stipulated under regulation 34(2)(e) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("the Listing Regulations") forms part of this Annual Report.

## 3. DIVIDEND :

The Board of Directors at its meeting held on 29<sup>th</sup> April, 2025 has recommended final Dividend of ₹6/- per share

(i.e. 300%) of face value of ₹2/- each for the financial year 2024-25. The dividend is payable subject to shareholders' approval at the ensuing Annual General Meeting (AGM). The final dividend pay-out, if approved by the shareholders in the ensuing AGM, will be around ₹1,102.879 Mn.

The dividend pay-out is in line with the Company's Dividend Distribution Policy.

## 4. DIVIDEND DISTRIBUTION POLICY :

In accordance with the Regulation 43A of the Listing Regulations, the Company has formulated a Dividend

Distribution Policy which is available on the Company's website and link for the same is given in "Annexure 1".

## 5. RESERVES :

During the year under review, the Company does not propose to transfer any amount to the General Reserve.

## 6. CREDIT RATING :

- (i) CRISIL has re-affirmed "A1+" rating to the Company's short-term banking facilities which signifies that the degree of safety regarding timely payment of instruments is very strong.
- (ii) CRISIL has also re-affirmed its rating of the Company's long-term bank facilities to "AA/Stable".

The "AA/Stable" rating signifies high safety with regard to timely payment of long-term financial obligations.

## 7. DIRECTORS AND KEY MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL (KMP) :

### (i) Appointment :

#### Dr Pramod Chaudhari (DIN : 00196415)

During the year, Dr Pramod Chaudhari completed his tenure as Executive Chairman on 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2024.

The shareholders through Postal Ballot by way of Special Resolution on 20<sup>th</sup> December, 2024, approved the appointment of Dr Pramod Chaudhari (DIN : 00196415) as Non-Executive Chairman (in the category of Non-Executive Non-Independent Director) of the Company for a period of five (5) years w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2025 to 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2029.

Further, based on the recommendation of Nomination and Remuneration Committee (NRC), the Board at its Meeting held on 29<sup>th</sup> April, 2025 has approved the appointment of Dr Pramod Chaudhari as Founder Chairman & Group Mentor (Whole Time Director in the category of Executive Director) for a period of five (5) years with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2025 till 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2030, subject to approval of shareholders by way of Special Resolution at 39<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of the Company.

#### Mr. Ashish Gaikwad (DIN : 07585079)

Based on the recommendation of NRC, the Board at its meeting held on 30<sup>th</sup> January, 2025 has appointed Mr. Ashish Gaikwad (DIN : 07585079) as the Managing

Director-Designate w.e.f. 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 2025 till 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2025 and thereafter as the Managing Director from 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2025 till 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2030, which was further approved by the shareholders through Postal Ballot by way of Ordinary Resolution on 21<sup>st</sup> March, 2025.

#### Mr. Ajay Narayan Deshpande (DIN : 03435179)

Based on the recommendation of NRC, the Board at its meeting held on 25<sup>th</sup> October, 2024 has appointed Mr. Ajay Narayan Deshpande (DIN : 03435179) as an Independent Director for a period of three (3) years w.e.f. 25<sup>th</sup> October, 2024 to 24<sup>th</sup> October, 2027, which was further approved by the shareholders through Postal Ballot by way of Special Resolution on 20<sup>th</sup> December, 2024.

The Board is of the opinion that Mr. Ajay Narayan Deshpande is a person of integrity and possesses requisite skills, experience and knowledge relevant to the Company's business and it would be beneficial to have his association with the Company as an Independent Director.

#### Mr. Berjis Desai (DIN : 00153675)

Board, on the recommendation of NRC, at its meeting held on 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2025, has considered and approved appointment of Mr. Berjis Desai (DIN : 00153675) as an Additional Director (in the category of Non-Executive Non-Independent Director), liable to retire by rotation w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2025, subject to approval of the shareholders at 39<sup>th</sup> AGM of the Company.

### (ii) Cessation :

#### Mr. Suhas Baxi (DIN : 00649689)

Mr. Suhas Baxi (DIN : 00649689) ceased to be an Independent Director of the Company w.e.f. 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2024 due to completion of his tenure.

### (iii) Director liable to retire by rotation :

Ms. Parimal Chaudhari (DIN : 00724911) retires by rotation at the ensuing AGM and not offered herself for re-appointment.

In view of the above, the Board, on the basis of recommendation of NRC, at its meeting held on 29<sup>th</sup> April, 2025 has considered and approved the appointment of Mr. Parth Chaudhari (DIN : 07010109) as a Non-Executive Non-Independent Director, liable to retire by rotation, w.e.f. the date of 39<sup>th</sup> AGM i.e. 11<sup>th</sup> August, 2025 in place of Ms. Parimal Chaudhari.

**(iv) Key Managerial Personnel (KMP) :**

The Company has the following KMPs as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025;

| Name of the KMP       | Designation                 |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|
| Mr. Shishir Joshipura | CEO & Managing Director     |
| Mr. Ashish Gaikwad*   | Managing Director-Designate |
| Mr. Sachin Raole      | CFO & Director-Resources    |
| Mr. Anant Bavare      | Company Secretary           |

\* appointed w.e.f. 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 2025

During the year, due to the appointment of Dr Pramod Chaudhari as a Non-Executive Chairman, he ceased to be the KMP of the Company w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2025.

**8. DECLARATION FROM INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS :**

The Independent Directors have submitted their annual declaration to the Board confirming that they fulfill all the requirements as stipulated in Section 149(6) and 149(7) of the Act read with rules framed there under and Regulations 16(1)(b) and 25 of the Listing Regulations.

**9. SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES :**

Praj Engineering & Infra Ltd., India, Praj HiPurity Systems Ltd., India, Praj GenX Ltd., India, Praj Americas Inc., U.S.A., Praj Far East Co. Ltd., Thailand, Praj Far East Philippines Ltd. Inc., The Philippines, continue to be subsidiaries of your Company.

Your Company has incorporated Foreign Wholly Owned Subsidiary Company, Praj Projects (Tanzania) Ltd. on 2<sup>nd</sup> December, 2024 to execute the project in Tanzania.

Consolidated Financial Statements of the Company prepared in accordance with Section 129(3) of the Act, and the applicable Accounting Standards, which include the results of the Subsidiary Companies, forms part of this Annual Report. Further, a statement containing salient features of the financial statements of all subsidiaries in prescribed Form AOC-1, is enclosed as **"Annexure 2"**.

Copies of Annual Accounts and related detailed information of all the subsidiaries can also be sought by any shareholder of the Company or its Subsidiaries by making a written request to the Company Secretary on the address of the Registered Office of the Company in this regard. The Annual Accounts of the Subsidiary Companies are also available for inspection at the Company's Registered Office. The separate Audited Financial Statements in respect of each of the Subsidiary Companies are also available on the website of your Company at <https://www.praj.net/investors-type/financial-reports-of-subsidiaries/>

The Company has formulated a policy for determining 'material subsidiary' which is hosted on the Company's website and link for the same is given in **"Annexure 1"**.

**10. CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY ("CSR") :**

Pursuant to and in compliance with Section 135 of the Act and Rule 5 of the Companies (Corporate Social Responsibility Policy) Rules, 2014, the Board has constituted a CSR Committee. The details of the CSR Committee constitution, CSR activities and other details, as required under Section 135 of the Act and the CSR Rules, are given in the CSR Report at **"Annexure 3"**.

The CSR Policy is placed on the Company's website and link for the same is given in **"Annexure 1"**.

**11. CORPORATE GOVERNANCE :**

Pursuant to Regulation 34 of the Listing Regulations, Report on Corporate Governance along with the certificate from a Practising Company Secretary certifying compliance with conditions of Corporate Governance is annexed to this Report as **"Annexure 4"**.

**12. BUSINESS RESPONSIBILITY AND SUSTAINABILITY REPORT ("BRSR") :**

Pursuant to Regulation 34(2)(f) of the Listing Regulations, the BRSR on initiatives taken from an environmental, social and governance perspective, in the prescribed format is annexed to this Report as **"Annexure 5"**.

**13. BOARD MEETINGS :**

The Board met five (5) times during the financial year, the details of which are given in the Corporate Governance Report which forms an integral part of this Annual Report. The intervening gap between any two meetings was within the period prescribed by the Act and the Listing Regulations as amended from time to time.

**14. COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD :**

The details of all the Committees such as composition, terms of reference and meetings held during the year under review are set out in the Corporate Governance Report which forms an integral part of this Annual Report.

**15. AUDITORS :****(i) Statutory Auditors :**

P. G. BHAGWAT LLP, Chartered Accountants, (Firm Regn. No. 101118W), were appointed as the Statutory Auditors of the Company for a period of five (5) years from 34<sup>th</sup> AGM until the conclusion of 39<sup>th</sup> AGM to be held in the calendar year 2025.

The Auditor's Report does not contain any qualifications, reservations, adverse remarks or disclaimer.

Based on the recommendations of Audit Committee, the Board at its meeting held on 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2025 has recommended to the shareholders of the Company, appointment of M/s MSKA & Associates, Chartered Accountants (Firm Reg. No. : 105047W) as Statutory Auditors of the Company w.e.f. date of 39<sup>th</sup> AGM till the conclusion of 44<sup>th</sup> AGM to be held in the financial year 2030 at a remuneration of ₹4.125 Mn. per annum plus applicable taxes and reimbursement of out-of-pocket expenses on actuals, if any.

As required under the Listing Regulations, M/s MSKA & Associates, the auditors have confirmed their eligibility and they hold a valid certificate issued by the Peer Review Board of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.

**(ii) Internal Auditors :**

The Internal Auditors, Khare Deshmukh & Co., Chartered Accountants, Pune have conducted internal audits periodically during financial year 2024-25 and submitted their reports to the Audit Committee.

Their reports have been reviewed by the Statutory Auditors and the Audit Committee.

The Board has appointed Khare Deshmukh & Co., Chartered Accountants Pune, as Internal Auditors of the Company for the financial year 2025-26.

**(iii) Cost Auditors :**

In terms of Section 148 of the Act, read with the Companies (Cost Records and Audit) Rules, 2014, your Company has appointed Dhananjay V. Joshi & Associates, Cost Accountants as Cost Auditors of the Company for the financial year 2025-26 at the remuneration of ₹0.325 Mn. which is subject to ratification by the shareholders at the 39<sup>th</sup> AGM.

The maintenance of cost records as specified under Section 148 of the Act is applicable to the Company, and accordingly, all the cost records are made and maintained by the Company and audited by the cost auditors.

**(iv) Secretarial Auditors :**

Based on the recommendations of Audit Committee, the Board at its meeting held on 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2025 has approved appointment of M/s MSN Associates, Company Secretaries (Firm Registration No. 29533) as Secretarial Auditors of the Company for a period of five (5) consecutive year w.e.f. financial year 2025-26 till 2029-30, subject to approval of shareholders at 39<sup>th</sup> AGM at a remuneration of ₹0.25 Mn. per annum plus applicable taxes and reimbursement of outof- pocket expenses on actuals, if any, for the financial year ending on 31st March, 2026.

As required under the Listing Regulations, M/s. MSN Associates, the Secretarial Auditors have confirmed their eligibility, and they hold a valid certificate of Peer Review issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India.

**Secretarial Audit Report**

In accordance with the provisions of Section 204 of the Act, and the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014, the Company has appointed M/s KANJ & Co., LLP, Practising Company Secretaries, to conduct the Secretarial Audit of the Company for the financial year 2024-25. The Secretarial Audit Report (MR-3) for the financial year 2024-25 forms part of the Annual Report as "Annexure 6".

The Secretarial Audit Report for the financial year 2024-25 does not contain any qualifications, reservations, adverse remarks or disclaimer.

**Annual Secretarial Compliance Report**

Pursuant to and in compliance with the provisions of Regulation 24A(2) of the Listing Regulations, M/s KANJ & Co. LLP, Practising Company Secretaries have issued Annual Secretarial Compliance Report for the financial year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025. The Company has submitted the said report to the Stock Exchanges within the prescribed time frame.

**16. MATERIAL CHANGES AND COMMITMENTS :**

There were no material changes and commitments, affecting the financial position of the Company occurred between the end of the financial year to which these financial statements relate and the date of the report.

**17. RISK MANAGEMENT :**

Pursuant to Regulation 21 of the Listing Regulations, the Company has constituted a Risk Management Committee, details of the Committee along with terms of reference are provided in the Corporate Governance Report which forms an integral part of this Annual Report.

The Company has framed a Risk Management Policy to ensure sustainable business growth and to promote a pro-active approach in identifying, reporting, evaluating and mitigating risks associated with the business of the Company. The policy establishes a structured and disciplined approach to Risk Management, in order to guide decisions on risk related issues. The Risk Management Policy is hosted on the Company's website and link for the same is given in "Annexure 1".

The enterprise risks and their mitigation plans are presented by the risk owners to the Risk Management Committee. The Enterprise Risk Management (ERM) framework is aimed at effectively mitigating the business and enterprise risks through strategic actions. The mitigation plans for enterprise and business risks are reviewed and updated on a periodic basis to the Risk Management, Audit Committee and the Board of Directors of the Company.

In today's challenging and competitive environment, strategies for mitigating inherent risks associated with business and for accomplishing the growth plans of the Company are imperative. The common risks inter-alia are risks emanating from; Regulations, Cyber Risks, Competition, Business, Technology obsolescence,

Investments, Retention of talent, Finance, Politics and Fidelity etc. In today's complex business environment, Cyber risks have considerably increased.

During the year, we continued our efforts to keep ourselves up to date with cyber security events globally to achieve higher compliance and its continued sustenance.

As mentioned in Risk Management Policy, these risks are assessed and steps, as appropriate, are taken to mitigate the same.

The Company has instituted adequate Internal Controls and processes to have a cohesive view of risks, optimal risk mitigation responses and efficient management of internal control and assurance activities.

In the opinion of the Board, there are no risks which may threaten the existence of the Company.

## 18. INTERNAL FINANCIAL CONTROLS :

The Company has in place, adequate internal financial controls with reference to Financial Statements commensurate with the size, scale and complexity of its operations. During the year, such controls were tested and no reportable material weaknesses in the design or operation were observed.

## 19. PARTICULARS OF EMPLOYEES :

The information required pursuant to Section 197(12) of the Act read with Rule 5(1) of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014, duly amended, in respect of Directors & KMPs of the Company is furnished hereunder :

| Sr. No. | Name                                    | Designation                 | Ratio of remuneration of Directors to the median remuneration of employees | % Increase/ (Decrease) in remuneration over FY 2023-24 |
|---------|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| 1.      | Dr Pramod Chaudhari                     | Chairman <sup>1</sup>       | 65.75                                                                      | --*                                                    |
| 2.      | Mr. Shishir Joshipura                   | CEO & Managing Director     | 50.13                                                                      | 6                                                      |
| 3.      | Mr. Ashish Gaikwad <sup>2</sup>         | Managing Director-Designate | 12.51                                                                      | --*                                                    |
| 4.      | Mr. Sachin Raole                        | CFO & Director- Resources   | 23.68                                                                      | 10                                                     |
| 5.      | Mr. Vinayak Deshpande                   | Independent Director        | 2.89                                                                       | --*                                                    |
| 6.      | Mr. Utkarsh Palnitkar                   | Independent Director        | 1.62                                                                       | --*                                                    |
| 7.      | Ms. Parimal Chaudhari                   | Non- Executive Director     | 2.53                                                                       | 17                                                     |
| 8.      | Dr Shridhar Shukla                      | Independent Director        | 1.26                                                                       | 40                                                     |
| 9.      | Mr. Suhas Baxi <sup>3</sup>             | Independent Director        | 0.36                                                                       | --*                                                    |
| 10.     | Ms. Rujuta Jagtap                       | Independent Director        | 0.54                                                                       | 25                                                     |
| 11.     | Mr. Ajay Narayan Deshpande <sup>4</sup> | Independent Director        | 0.54                                                                       | --*                                                    |
| 12.     | Mr. Anant Bavare                        | Company Secretary           | 2.87                                                                       | --*                                                    |

<sup>1</sup>appointed as the Non-Executive Chairman w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2025

<sup>2</sup>appointed as the Managing Director-Designate w.e.f. 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 2025

<sup>3</sup>ceased to be an Independent Director w.e.f. 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2024

<sup>4</sup>appointed as an Independent Director w.e.f. 25<sup>th</sup> October, 2024

\*not comparable since the appointment was for part of the year (i.e. either in previous year or during FY 2024-25) and therefore not given.

The median remuneration of employees of the Company during the financial year 2024-25 was ₹1.385 Mn., there was an increase of around 9% in the median remuneration of employees.

There were 1318 permanent employees on the rolls of the Company as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025.

Average percentage increase made in the salaries of employees other than the managerial personnel in the financial year 2024-25 was around 10% whereas the managerial remuneration for the same financial year increased by around 7%.

The key parameters for the variable component of remuneration paid to the Directors are considered by the Board of Directors based on the recommendations of NRC as per the Remuneration Policy for the Directors, KMP and other Employees.

It is hereby affirmed that the remuneration paid is as per the Remuneration Policy for Directors, KMP and other Employees.

The statement containing particulars of employees as required under Section 197(12) of the Act read with Rule 5(2) and 5(3) of the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014, are available to shareholders for inspection on request.

In terms of Section 136 of the Act, the said statement is open for inspection at the Registered Office of the Company. The Annual Report is being sent to the shareholders excluding the aforesaid statement. Any shareholder interested in obtaining a copy of the same may write to the Company Secretary.

## 20. REMUNERATION POLICY FOR DIRECTORS AND KMPs :

The Company's Remuneration Policy for Directors/KMPs is directed towards rewarding performance based on periodical review of achievements. The Remuneration Policy is in consonance with the existing industry practice which is attached as "Annexure 7" to this Report.

The said policy is also available on the Company's website and link for the same is given in "Annexure 1".

## 21. EMPLOYEE STOCK OPTION PLAN ("ESOP") :

During the year under review, your Directors confirm that no shares were issued by the Company under the Employee Stock Option Plan 2011 of the Company.

The Company vide letter dated 3rd February, 2025, has granted 4,21,000 options to Mr. Ashish Gaikwad, Managing Director-Designate at ₹565/- per option under Employee Stock Option Plan 2011 Grant XII.

A statement giving complete details, as at 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025, pursuant to Regulation 14 of the SEBI (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021, is available on the Company's website at <https://www.praj.net/wp-content/uploads/2025/06/ESOP-Disclosure-Report-2024-25.pdf>.

## 22. VIGIL MECHANISM / WHISTLE BLOWER POLICY :

To ensure that the activities of the Company and its employees are conducted in a fair and transparent manner by adoption of highest standards of professionalism, honesty, integrity and ethical behaviour, the Company has adopted a Vigil Mechanism / Whistle Blower Policy. Key features of this policy are given in Corporate Governance Report. Policy is hosted on the website of the Company and link for the same is given in "Annexure 1".

## 23. PARTICULARS OF LOANS, GUARANTEES AND INVESTMENTS :

The details of loans, guarantees and investments covered under Section 186(4) of the Act are given in the notes to the Audited Standalone Financial Statements. (Please refer Note nos. 4, 11 & 30 to the Standalone Financial Statements)

## 24. PARTICULARS OF CONTRACTS OR ARRANGEMENTS WITH RELATED PARTIES :

All contracts / arrangements / transactions entered by the Company during the financial year 2024-25 with related parties were in the ordinary course of business and on an arm's length basis. Such transactions form part of the notes to the financial statements provided in this Annual Report. Particulars of related party transactions are provided in Note no. 30 in the Standalone Financial Statements.

There were no materially significant related party transactions which could have potential conflict with the interests of the Company at large. None of the transactions with related parties falls under the scope of Section 188(1) of the Act. The information on transactions with related parties pursuant to Section 134(3)(h) of the Act read with Rule 8(2) of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014 in Form AOC-2 does not apply to the Company for the financial year 2024-25 and hence the same is not provided.

Your Company has formulated a policy on related party transactions which is available on the Company's website and link for the same is given in "Annexure 1".

## 25. BOARD EVALUATION :

Pursuant to and in compliance with the provisions of Section 134 of the Act and Rules made thereunder and as provided in Schedule IV to the Act and the Listing

Regulations, the Board works with the NRC to lay down the evaluation criteria for the performance of Executive / Non-Executive / Independent Directors.

Independent Directors have three key roles -Governance, Control and Guidance. Some of the performance indicators based on which the Independent Directors are evaluated include :

- (i) Ability to contribute to and monitor the Company's corporate governance practices.
- (ii) Ability to contribute by introducing international best practices to address top-management issues.
- (iii) Active participation in medium to long-term strategic planning.
- (iv) Commitment to the fulfillment of Directors' obligations and fiduciary responsibilities, which include participation in the Board and the Committee Meetings.

The evaluation of all the Directors, Committees and the Board as a whole was conducted based on the criteria and framework adopted by the Board.

## 26. ANNUAL RETURN :

Pursuant to Section 92(3) read with Section 134(3)(a) of the Act, Annual Return for the financial year ended on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025, in prescribed Form No. MGT-7 to be filed with Ministry of Corporate Affairs is available on the website of the Company at <https://www.praj.net/investors-type/annual-return/>.

## 27. DIRECTORS' RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT :

In accordance with the provisions of Section 134(5) of the Act, the Board hereby submits its responsibility statement for the financial year 2024-25 as follows :

- (i) in the preparation of the annual accounts, the applicable accounting standards have been followed along with proper explanation relating to material departures.
- (ii) the Directors have selected such accounting policies and applied them consistently and made judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent so as to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 and of the profit of the Company for the year ended on that date.
- (iii) the Directors have taken proper and sufficient care for the maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting fraud and other irregularities.

- (iv) the Directors have prepared the annual accounts on a going concern basis.
- (v) the Directors have laid down internal financial controls to be followed by the Company and that such internal financial controls are adequate and were operating effectively; and
- (vi) 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.

## 28. DETAILS IN RESPECT OF FRAUDS REPORTED BY AUDITORS UNDER SECTION 143(12) OF THE ACT :

During the year, the Auditors have not reported to the Audit Committee, any incidence of fraud as defined under Section 143(12) of the Act, committed against the Company by its officers or employees.

## 29. DEPOSITS :

The Company has not accepted any deposits from public as per the provisions of Sections 73 and 74 of the Act read with Rules made thereunder and as such, no amount on account of principal or interest on deposits from public was outstanding as on the date of the balance sheet.

## 30. SECRETARIAL STANDARDS :

The Company has complied with the applicable Secretarial Standards (as amended from time to time) on meetings of the Board of Directors and General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India.

## 31. INVESTOR EDUCATION AND PROTECTION FUND (IEPF) :

During the year under review, pursuant to and in compliance with the provisions of Sections 124 and 125 of the Act and Rules made thereunder, the Company has transferred :

- (i) 33,189 equity shares whose dividend has remained unclaimed / unpaid for a consecutive period of seven (7) years to IEPF and
- (ii) ₹13,74,153/- (Rupees Thirteen Lakhs Seventy Four Thousand One Hundred Fifty Three only), being the unclaimed dividend, pertaining to the final dividend for the financial year 2016-17 to IEPF after giving notice to the shareholders to claim their unclaimed / unpaid dividend.

As on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025, 2,98,650 equity shares are lying with IEPF.

**32. SIGNIFICANT AND MATERIAL ORDERS PASSED BY THE REGULATORS OR COURTS OR TRIBUNALS :**

During the year, there were no significant material orders passed by the regulators and courts, which would impact the going concern status of the Company.

**33. INSOLVENCY AND BANKRUPTCY CODE (IBC) :**

There were no proceedings admitted against the Company under IBC 2016.

**34. DISCLOSURE UNDER THE SEXUAL HARASSMENT OF WOMEN AT WORKPLACE (PREVENTION, PROHIBITION AND REDRESSAL) ACT, 2013 :**

The Company has in place policy on Prevention of Sexual Harassment in line with the requirements of the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013 ("POSH Act"). All employees (permanent, contractual, temporary, trainees) are covered under this policy.

The Company has constituted Internal Committee for each location. The Name of all Committee members and their contact details are available on the Company's notice board along with the Policy on Prevention of Sexual Harassment (POSH), which is accessible to all employees of the Company.

Awareness programs are conducted on the POSH during the financial year. Also, all new joiners at the Company undergo separate induction on POSH policy.

Your Directors state that during the year under review, there were no complaints received pursuant to the POSH Act.

**35. CONSERVATION OF ENERGY, TECHNOLOGY ABSORPTION, FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNINGS AND OUTGO :****(i) Conservation of Energy :**

Your Company focuses on energy conservation through various means integrated into its technology and operational principles :

- Biogas unit is installed at some of the manufacturing facilities of the Company to process waste.
- Design and Engineering Focus : The Praj Technology and Engineering Group designs and engineers plants and machinery with a focus on minimizing energy and water consumption.

- Use of solar energy and Low electricity consumption : Installation of solar plants at various locations as well as usage of Green energy has resulted in to considerable saving in energy consumption. Approximately 33% of our electricity requirement is currently met with renewable energy.

**(ii) Technology Absorption :**

Praj is technology based Company. The Company is actively involved in developing and deploying technologies. These technologies are used by various customers.

**Low Carbon Intensity (CI) Ethanol :**

Praj has developed an energy-efficient solution to reduce the carbon intensity (CI) of corn-based ethanol production. This innovation achieves significant lowering of the overall energy demand in ethanol plants by optimizing thermal integration.

**Compressed Biogas (CBG) / Advanced Bio-Methane (RenGas™) :**

Praj patented technology namely, RenGas™ efficiently generates bio-methane from agricultural residues such as Rice straws, Napier grass and sugar mill waste, press- mud.

The Company also has an innovative solution for developed markets that converts whole stillage into Biogas alongside Distiller's Corn Oil (DCO).

Praj has developed multiple technologies for feedstocks, PMStab™ for preservation of yield efficiency of press mud, BMSolve™ and NGStab™ for pretreatment of biomass and Napier grass respectively.

**Bio-Bitumen :**

Praj has developed technology to produce Bio-Bitumen, a renewable alternative to fossil-based bitumen for eco-friendly road construction.

**Sustainable Aviation Fuel (SAF) :**

The Company has developed technology for producing SAF from sugary feedstock via the Alcohol-to-Jet (ATJ) fuel route, aiming to decarbonize the aviation industry.

A Pilot/Demo unit for SAF at Praj R&D has achieved successful mechanical completion.

### Bioplastics & Biopolymers :

The Company has indigenously developed integrated Polylactic Acid Technology at Jejuri. This facility houses fermentation, chemical synthesis, separation and purification sections along with other supporting sections. Bio-based plastics, which are made up of natural monomers and contain safer additives, are biodegradable and provide an effective solution to mitigate the hazards of plastics.

### Renewable Products General Focus :

The Company makes continuous efforts to reduce carbon and enhance GHG emission savings for the production of renewable products, including fuels and chemicals.

### (iii) Expenditure incurred on Research and Development during financial year 2024-25 :

Your Company has spent ₹699.2 Mn. on Research and Development during the financial year 2024-25.

### (iv) Foreign Exchange Earnings & Outgo :

(₹ in Mn.)

| Particulars                          | 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2025 | 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2024 |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Earnings                             | 4,163                        | 6,723                        |
| Outgo                                | 2,101                        | 1,278                        |
| <b>Net Foreign Exchange Earnings</b> | <b>2,062</b>                 | <b>5,445</b>                 |

Your Company has retained its status as a net forex earner consecutively for past 27 years.

### 36. DISCLOSURE ABOUT INCIDENCE OF FIRE AT PRAJ MATRIX, R&D CENTER :

On 28<sup>th</sup> March, 2025, a fire incident occurred at the office block of Praj Matrix, R&D center in Pune. There was no loss of human life, and the safety of all personnel was ensured. None of the Praj operations were adversely impacted due to this incident.

### 37. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT :

Your Directors wish to place on record their appreciation for the continued co-operation and support extended to the Company by Customers, Collaborators, Government Authorities, Bankers, Suppliers, Auditors. They also place on record their appreciation for the dedication and value-added contribution made by all the employees.

Your directors would also like to thank all the shareholders who have reposed confidence in the Company and its future.

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors

Date : 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2025  
Place : Pune

Dr Pramod Chaudhari  
Chairman  
(DIN : 00196415)

## ANNEXURE 1

### CORPORATE POLICIES OF THE COMPANY

| Sr. No. | Policy Name                                                                                                                                                                          | Weblink                               |
|---------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1.      | Dividend Distribution Policy<br>[Regulation 43A of the Listing Regulations]                                                                                                          | <a href="#">Click here for Policy</a> |
| 2.      | Policy on determination of Material Subsidiary<br>[Regulation 16(1)(c) of the Listing Regulations]                                                                                   | <a href="#">Click here for Policy</a> |
| 3.      | Corporate Social Responsibility Policy<br>[Section 135 of the Act]                                                                                                                   | <a href="#">Click here for Policy</a> |
| 4.      | Risk Management Policy<br>[Regulation 21 of the Listing Regulations and as defined under Section 134 of the Act]                                                                     | <a href="#">Click here for Policy</a> |
| 5.      | Nomination & Remuneration Policy<br>[Regulation 19 of the Listing Regulations and as defined under Section 178 of the Act]                                                           | <a href="#">Click here for Policy</a> |
| 6.      | Vigil Mechanism/Whistle Blower Policy<br>[Regulation 22 of the Listing Regulations and as defined under Section 177 of the Act]                                                      | <a href="#">Click here for Policy</a> |
| 7.      | Policy for Related Party Transactions<br>[Regulation 23 of the Listing Regulations and as defined under the Act]                                                                     | <a href="#">Click here for Policy</a> |
| 8.      | Familiarisation Programme for Independent Directors<br>[Regulations 25(7) and 46 of the Listing Regulations]                                                                         | <a href="#">Click here for Policy</a> |
| 9.      | Code of Conduct for Board and Senior Management<br>[Regulation 17 of the Listing Regulations]                                                                                        | <a href="#">Click here for Policy</a> |
| 10.     | Code of Conduct to Regulate, Monitor and Report of Trading by Designated Persons<br>[Regulation 9 of the SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations]                          | <a href="#">Click here for Policy</a> |
| 11.     | Policy for procedure of inquiry in case of leak or suspected leak of unpublished price sensitive information<br>[Regulation 9A of SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations] | <a href="#">Click here for Policy</a> |
| 12.     | Code of Practices and Procedures for Fair Disclosure of Unpublished Price Sensitive Information<br>[Regulation 8(1) of SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations]            | <a href="#">Click here for Policy</a> |
| 13.     | Policy on determination of Materiality of Events/Information<br>[Regulation 30 of the Listing Regulations]                                                                           | <a href="#">Click here for Policy</a> |
| 14.     | Policy on Board Diversity<br>[Regulation 19 of the Listing Regulations]                                                                                                              | <a href="#">Click here for Policy</a> |
| 15.     | Archival Policy<br>[Regulation 30 of the Listing Regulations]                                                                                                                        | <a href="#">Click here for Policy</a> |
| 16.     | Policy on Preservation of Documents<br>[Regulation 9 of the Listing Regulations]                                                                                                     | <a href="#">Click here for Policy</a> |

## ANNEXURE 2 FORM AOC-1

### STATEMENT CONTAINING SALIENT FEATURES OF FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF SUBSIDIARIES PURSUANT TO SECTION 129(3) READ WITH RULE 5 OF COMPANIES (ACCOUNTS) RULES, 2014

| Sr. No. | NAME OF THE SUBSIDIARY COMPANY                                                               | Praj Far East Philippines Ltd. Inc., The Philippines | Praj Americas Inc. USA | Praj Far East Co., Ltd. Thailand | Praj Projects (Tanzania) Limited | Praj HiPurity Systems Limited, India | Praj Engineering & Infra Limited, India | Praj GenX Limited, India |
|---------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1.      | Date of Incorporation                                                                        | 17/08/2012                                           | 16/07/2009             | 01/08/2006                       | 02/12/2024                       | 22/10/2007                           | 30/07/1993                              | 15/03/2023               |
| 2.      | Financial Period of the Subsidiary ended on                                                  | 31/03/2025                                           | 31/03/2025             | 31/03/2025                       | 31/03/2025                       | 31/03/2025                           | 31/03/2025                              | 31/03/2025               |
| 3.      | % of Shareholding                                                                            | 100% of Equity Capital                               | 100% of Equity Capital | 100% of Equity Capital           | 100% of Equity Capital           | 100% of Equity Capital               | 99.67% of Equity Capital                | 100% of Equity Capital   |
| 4.      | Share Capital                                                                                | 11.167                                               | 9.281                  | 12.519                           | 0.719                            | 50.000                               | 3.098                                   | 0.500                    |
| 5.      | Reserves and Surplus                                                                         | 14.720                                               | 12.519                 | 26.730                           | (23.493)                         | 985.910                              | 368.128                                 | (783.938)                |
| 6.      | Total Assets                                                                                 | 26.481                                               | 35.382                 | 41.195                           | 452.173                          | 2312.595                             | 1067.961                                | 2741.171                 |
| 7.      | Total Liabilities (Excluding Share Capital And Other Equity)                                 | 0.594                                                | 13.582                 | 1.946                            | 474.948                          | 1276.685                             | 696.735                                 | 3524.609                 |
| 8.      | Investments                                                                                  | NIL                                                  | NIL                    | NIL                              | NIL                              | NIL                                  | 220.000                                 | NIL                      |
| 9.      | Turnover                                                                                     | 8.864                                                | 60.962                 | 19.934                           | 11.010                           | 3102.743                             | 1425.389                                | 277.756                  |
| 10.     | Profit/(Loss) for the Current Year (Before Taxes)                                            | (0.197)                                              | 2.903                  | (2.967)                          | (33.477)                         | 289.163                              | 96.894                                  | (906.925)                |
| 11.     | Provision for Taxation (Including Deferred Taxes)                                            | 0.097                                                | 0.713                  | 0.000                            | (10.020)                         | 75.774                               | 27.614                                  | (156.241)                |
| 12.     | Profit/(Loss) for the Current Year (After Taxes)                                             | (0.294)                                              | 2.190                  | (2.967)                          | (23.457)                         | 213.389                              | 69.280                                  | (750.684)                |
| 13.     | Proposed Dividend                                                                            | NIL                                                  | NIL                    | NIL                              | NIL                              | NIL                                  | NIL                                     | NIL                      |
| 14.     | Original Currency                                                                            | PESO                                                 | US DOLLAR              | THAI BAHT                        | TANZANIAN SHILLING               | ₹                                    | ₹                                       | ₹                        |
| 15.     | Exchange Rate as on 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2025 In - Closing Rate                            | 1.4927                                               | 85.4425                | 2.5190                           | 0.03214                          | 1.00                                 | 1.00                                    | 1.00                     |
| 16.     | Exchange Rate from 1 <sup>st</sup> April 24 to 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2025 In - Average Rate | 1.4642                                               | 84.5459                | 2.4320                           | 0.03209                          | 1.00                                 | 1.00                                    | 1.00                     |

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors of Praj Industries Limited

**Dr. Pramod Chaudhari**  
Chairman  
(DIN : 00196415)

**Shishir Joshipura**  
CEO & Managing Director  
(DIN : 00574970)

**Sachin Raole**  
CFO & Director- Resources  
(DIN : 00431438)

**Anant Bavare**  
Company Secretary  
(M.No. : ACS21405)

Place : Pune  
Date : 29 April 2025

## ANNEXURE 3

### ANNUAL REPORT ON CSR ACTIVITIES OF THE COMPANY

#### 1. A brief outline of the Company's CSR policy including overview of projects or programmes proposed to be undertaken and reference to the weblink to the CSR Policy :

Praj Industries Limited ("PIL") is a socially responsible corporate citizen. PIL recognizes trusteeship as a critical function of an organization in discharging its responsibility towards the society, environment and its resultant ecosystem.

The early start on CSR activities has given PIL a tremendous learning and understanding of how CSR projects should be selected, implemented and sustained. PIL has a separate team dedicated to CSR activities. Along with Praj Foundation (CSR arm of PIL), PIL is engaged in various projects. Many of the themes selected also resonate well with the overall national agenda like Health, Water, Clean India (Swachh Bharat).

PIL is committed to supporting sustainable development through effective interventions at various levels.

To ensure this, PIL shall undertake the following activities :

- Environment sustainability and Rural development.
- Healthcare including Preventive health and Eradication of Malnutrition;
- Promotion of Education, Capacity Building, Employment and Gender equality;
- Assistance to Orphanage, Old Age Homes and Differently Aabled;
- Training to promote nationally recognized Sports;
- Protecting art and culture;
- Areas covering Relief to underprivileged.

#### Implementation of CSR Activities

PIL undertakes CSR activities primarily in and around the areas of operation of the Company. PIL executes the CSR activities directly or through Praj Foundation, a Charitable Trust having CSR registration number CSR00001195 or appropriate NGOs.

Majority of the CSR funds are expended through Praj Foundation.

The Board approves the Annual Action Plan having the list of CSR activities, eligible expenditure to be incurred on CSR activities, modalities of utilization of funds, implementation schedule, etc. on the recommendation of CSR Committee in the beginning of every financial year.

#### Monitoring of CSR Activities

PIL has established CSR Committee as per the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013. CSR Committee recommends CSR activities to be undertaken by the Company, to the Board as specified in Schedule VII of the Companies Act, 2013 (here in after referred to as "the Schedule VII").

The CSR Committee takes periodical review of CSR activities carried out during the financial year and report to the Board.

PIL monitors the progress of the CSR project and activities regularly with respect to quality of its implementation, cost and schedule with the same vigour as its business activities. The impact assessment of its projects are conducted at suitable intervals diligently.

PIL spends, in every financial year, at least 2 per cent of the average net profits of the Company made during the 3 immediately preceding financial years, in pursuance of the Companies Act, 2013 and rules framed there under for the purposes specified in Schedule VII and also in pursuance of this CSR Policy. Surplus arising out of the CSR activity does not form the part of business profits of the Company.

PIL also encourages Personal Social Responsibility (PSR) amongst PRAJites to enhance their social sensitivity by voluntary self-engagement in social activities recognized under Schedule VII. PIL endeavors to undertake activities, not specifically mentioned above, but covered under Schedule VII.

## 2. Composition of the CSR Committee :

| Sr. No. | Name of Director      | Designation / Nature of Directorship                  | Number of meetings of CSR Committee held during the year | Number of meetings of CSR Committee attended during the year |
|---------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1       | Ms. Parimal Chaudhari | Chairperson, Non-Executive Non – Independent Director | 3                                                        | 3                                                            |
| 2       | Mr. Sachin Raole*     | Member, CFO & Director - Resources                    | 3                                                        | 3                                                            |
| 3       | Ms. Rujuta Jagtap     | Member, Independent Director                          | 3                                                        | 2                                                            |

\* appointed as the member of the committee w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2024

## 3. Web-link where Composition of CSR committee, CSR Policy and CSR projects approved by the Board are disclosed on the website of the Company :

**Composition of CSR Committee :**

[composition-of-csr-committee-2024.pdf](#)

**CSR Policy :**

[Corporate-Social-Responsibility-Policy.pdf](#)

**CSR Programmes :**

[CSR-Annual-Action-Plan-for-FY-24-25.pdf](#)

## 4. 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) : Not applicable

5. (a) Average net profit of the Company for last three financial years : ₹2825.94 Mn.
- (b) Two percent of average net profit of the Company as per section 135(5) : ₹56.52 Mn.
- (c) Surplus arising out of the CSR projects or programmes or activities of the previous financial years : Nil
- (d) Amount required to be set off for the financial year, if any : Nil
- (e) Total CSR obligation for the financial year [(b)+(c)-(d)] : ₹56.52 Mn.
6. (a) Amount spent on CSR projects (both ongoing projects and other than ongoing projects) : ₹56.64 Mn.
- (b) Amount spent on Administrative Overheads : Nil
- (c) Amount spent on Impact Assessment, if applicable : Nil
- (d) Total amount spent for the Financial Year [(a)+(b)+(c)] : ₹56.64 Mn.
- (e) CSR amount spent or unspent for the financial year :

| Total Amount Spent for the Financial Year (in ₹) | Amount Unspent                                                        |                  |                                                                                                     |        |                  |
|--------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|------------------|
|                                                  | Total Amount transferred to Unspent CSR Account as per section 135(6) |                  | Amount transferred to any fund specified under Schedule VII as per second proviso to section 135(5) |        |                  |
|                                                  | Amount                                                                | Date of transfer | Name of the Fund                                                                                    | Amount | Date of transfer |
| 5,66,36,316/-                                    | Nil                                                                   | N.A.             | Nil                                                                                                 | Nil    | N.A.             |

## (f) Excess amount for set-off, if any :

| Sr. No. | Particular                                                                                                  | Amount (in Mn.) |
|---------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| (i)     | Two percent of average net profit of the company as per section 135(5)                                      | 56.52           |
| (ii)    | Total amount spent for the financial year                                                                   | 56.64           |
| (iii)   | Excess amount spent for the financial year [(ii)-(i)]                                                       | 0.12            |
| (iv)    | Surplus arising out of the CSR projects or programmes or activities of the previous Financial Years, if any | Nil             |
| (v)     | Amount available for set off in succeeding Financial Years [(iii)-(iv)]                                     | Refer Note      |

**Note :** The total CSR spend during the financial year 2024-25 amounts to ₹56.64 Mn. against an obligation of ₹56.52 Mn. Hence, there is an excess spend of ₹0.12 Mn. for which set-off is not being claimed by the Company.

**7. Details of Unspent CSR amount for the preceding three financial years :**

Nil

**8. Whether any capital assets have been created or acquired through CSR amount spent in the financial year :**

No

**9. Specify the reason(s), if the Company has failed to spend two per cent of the average net profit as per Section 135(5) :**

Not applicable

**Place : Pune**

**Date : 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2025**

**Parimal Chaudhari**

**Chairperson-CSR Committee**

**(DIN : 00724911)**

**Sachin Raole**

**CFO & Director-Resources**

**(DIN : 00431438)**

## ANNEXURE 4

### REPORT ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

#### 1. COMPANY'S PHILOSOPHY ON CODE OF GOVERNANCE :

The Company is committed and strives to achieve optimum performance by adhering to corporate governance practices, at all levels. We aim to maximize shareholder value, while safeguarding and promoting the interests of other stakeholders and maintaining a commitment to ethics and code of conduct. Our corporate structure, business, operations and disclosure practices have been strictly aligned to our Corporate Governance Philosophy. The Company always strives to achieve optimum performance at all levels by adhering to good Corporate Governance practices, such as :

- Fair and transparent business practices;
- Effective management control by Board;
- Optimum representation from Executive, Non-Executive and Independent Directors on the Board;
- Accountability for performance;
- Monitoring of executive performance by the Board;
- Compliance of laws; and
- Transparent and timely disclosure of financial and other relevant information and performance.

#### 2. BOARD OF DIRECTORS :

##### (i) Composition and Category of Directors :

The Composition of the Board of your Company is a fair mix of Executive, Non- Executive and Independent Directors, which is appropriate for the size and operations of your Company and is compliant with Regulation 17 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("the **Listing Regulations**") and Sections 149 and 152 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the **Act**"). The Board is headed by Non-Executive Non-Independent Chairman, Dr Pramod Chaudhari, who is also the promoter Director. The Board comprised of ten (10) Directors as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025. The composition of the Board was as under :

| Category of Directors                                                                   | No. of Directors |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| Executive Directors                                                                     | 3                |
| Non-Executive and Non-Independent Directors (including Promoter Non-Executive Chairman) | 2                |
| Non-Executive and Independent Directors (including 1 Woman Director)                    | 5                |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                            | <b>10</b>        |

The detailed profile of all the Directors of the Company is available on website of the Company at <https://www.praj.net/board-of-directors/>.

As on the date of this report, all Directors of the Company meet the criteria of maximum number of Directorship as laid down in Section 165 of the Act and the Listing Regulations.

**(ii) Details of Skills / Expertise / Competence of Board of Directors :**

Pursuant to the requirement of the Listing Regulations, as amended, the Board has identified the following core skills, expertise and competencies of the Directors in the context of Company's business. While all the Board Members possess the skills identified, their areas of core expertise are given below :

| Director                                | Key Skills/Expertise/Competencies |                    |                                      |                    |                                 |                |                                          |                 |                      |                                                 |                                                             |                          |
|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|----------------|------------------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|
|                                         | Global Outlook                    | Business knowledge | Policy Shaping and Industry Advocacy | Strategic Planning | Corporate Social Responsibility | Sustainability | Environment, Social and Governance (ESG) | Risk Management | Corporate Governance | Expertise in Finance, Banking and allied fields | Information Technology, Digital and Artificial Intelligence | Human Capital Management |
| Dr Pramod Chaudhari                     | ✓                                 | ✓                  | ✓                                    | ✓                  | ✓                               | ✓              | ✓                                        | ✓               | ✓                    | ✓                                               | ✓                                                           | ✓                        |
| Mr. Shishir Joshipura                   | ✓                                 | ✓                  | ✓                                    | ✓                  | -                               | ✓              | ✓                                        | ✓               | ✓                    | ✓                                               | -                                                           | ✓                        |
| Mr. Ashish Gaikwad*                     | ✓                                 | ✓                  | ✓                                    | ✓                  | ✓                               | ✓              | ✓                                        | ✓               | ✓                    | ✓                                               | ✓                                                           | ✓                        |
| Mr. Sachin Raole                        | ✓                                 | ✓                  | ✓                                    | ✓                  | ✓                               | ✓              | ✓                                        | ✓               | ✓                    | ✓                                               | ✓                                                           | ✓                        |
| Mr. Utkarsh Palnitkar                   | ✓                                 | ✓                  | ✓                                    | ✓                  | -                               | ✓              | ✓                                        | ✓               | ✓                    | ✓                                               | -                                                           | ✓                        |
| Mr. Vinayak Deshpande                   | ✓                                 | ✓                  | ✓                                    | ✓                  | -                               | ✓              | ✓                                        | ✓               | ✓                    | -                                               | -                                                           | ✓                        |
| Ms. Parimal Chaudhari                   | ✓                                 | ✓                  | -                                    | ✓                  | ✓                               | ✓              | ✓                                        | -               | ✓                    | -                                               | -                                                           | ✓                        |
| Dr Shridhar Shukla                      | ✓                                 | ✓                  | ✓                                    | ✓                  | -                               | ✓              | ✓                                        | ✓               | ✓                    | -                                               | ✓                                                           | -                        |
| Mr. Suhas Baxi <sup>§</sup>             | ✓                                 | ✓                  | -                                    | ✓                  | -                               | ✓              | ✓                                        | -               | -                    | -                                               | -                                                           | ✓                        |
| Ms. Rujuta Jagtap                       | ✓                                 | ✓                  | ✓                                    | ✓                  | ✓                               | ✓              | ✓                                        | -               | -                    | -                                               | -                                                           | ✓                        |
| Mr. Ajay Narayan Deshpande <sup>#</sup> | ✓                                 | ✓                  | ✓                                    | ✓                  | -                               | ✓              | ✓                                        | -               | -                    | -                                               | -                                                           | -                        |

\* appointed as the Managing Director-Designate of the Company w.e.f. 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 2025

§ ceased to be the Independent Director of the Company w.e.f. 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2024

# appointed as an Independent Director of the Company w.e.f. 25<sup>th</sup> October, 2024

**(iii) Details of Board Meetings, Attendance of Directors at Board Meetings, last Annual General Meeting (AGM) and number of other Directorships and Chairmanships / Memberships of Committees of each Director :**

During the financial year 2024-25, the Board of the Company met five (5) times on 10<sup>th</sup> April, 2024, 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2024, 25<sup>th</sup> July, 2024, 25<sup>th</sup> October, 2024 and 30<sup>th</sup> January, 2025.

The following table gives the names of the Directors, the nature of Directorships, number of shares held and their attendance at the meetings of the Board of Directors held during the year 2024-25 and at the last Annual General Meeting held on 25<sup>th</sup> July, 2024.

| Name of Director                                     | Nature of Directorship                 | Number of shares held in the Company | Particulars of Attendance |          |                           |
|------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|----------|---------------------------|
|                                                      |                                        |                                      | Number of Board Meetings  |          | Whether attended Last AGM |
|                                                      |                                        |                                      | Entitled to attend        | Attended |                           |
| Dr Pramod Chaudhari <sup>1</sup><br>(DIN : 00196415) | Non-Executive Chairman <sup>2</sup>    | 3,87,00,000                          | 5                         | 5        | Yes                       |
| Mr. Shishir Joshipura<br>(DIN : 00574970)            | CEO & Managing Director                | 1,25,000                             | 5                         | 5        | Yes                       |
| Mr. Ashish Gaikwad <sup>3</sup><br>(DIN : 07585079)  | Managing Director-Designate            | Nil                                  | N.A.                      | N.A.     | N.A.                      |
| Mr. Sachin Raole<br>(DIN : 00431438)                 | CFO & Director-Resources               | 1,00,000                             | 5                         | 5        | Yes                       |
| Mr. Utkarsh Palnitkar<br>(DIN : 00170004)            | Non-Executive and Independent Director | Nil                                  | 5                         | 5        | Yes                       |

| Name of Director                                         | Nature of Directorship                 | Number of shares held in the Company | Particulars of Attendance |          |                           |
|----------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|----------|---------------------------|
|                                                          |                                        |                                      | Number of Board Meetings  |          | Whether attended Last AGM |
|                                                          |                                        |                                      | Entitled to attend        | Attended |                           |
| Mr. Vinayak Deshpande (DIN : 00036827)                   | Non-Executive and Independent Director | Nil                                  | 5                         | 5        | Yes                       |
| Ms. Parimal Chaudhari <sup>1</sup> (DIN : 00724911)      | Non-Executive Director                 | 1,44,00,000                          | 5                         | 5        | Yes                       |
| Dr Shridhar Shukla (DIN : 00007607)                      | Non-Executive and Independent Director | Nil                                  | 5                         | 5        | Yes                       |
| Mr. Suhas Baxi <sup>4</sup> (DIN : 00649689)             | Non-Executive and Independent Director | Nil                                  | 3                         | 3        | Yes                       |
| Ms. Rujuta Jagtap (DIN : 00861890)                       | Non-Executive and Independent Director | Nil                                  | 5                         | 4        | Yes                       |
| Mr. Ajay Narayan Deshpande <sup>5</sup> (DIN : 03435179) | Non-Executive and Independent Director | Nil                                  | 1                         | 1        | N.A.                      |

<sup>1</sup>Dr Pramod Chaudhari and Ms. Parimal Chaudhari are spouse. None of the other Directors is related to any other Director.

<sup>2</sup>appointed as Non-Executive Chairman w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2025.

<sup>3</sup>appointed as Managing Director-Designate w.e.f. 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 2025.

<sup>4</sup>ceased to be an Independent Director of the Company w.e.f. 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2024.

<sup>5</sup>appointed as the Independent Director of the Company w.e.f. 25<sup>th</sup> October, 2024.

Information as required under the Listing Regulations is furnished to the Board from time to time.

**The following table gives the number of Directorships held and Committee Memberships / Chairmanships held in Indian Public Limited Companies, whether listed or not, as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 and details of Directorships held in other Listed Companies :**

| Name of the Director       | In Indian Public Limited Companies, whether listed or not, excluding Praj Industries Limited* |                                    |                                      | Directorships held in Listed Companies |                                        |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
|                            | Director-ships                                                                                | Committee Memberships <sup>#</sup> | Committee Chairmanships <sup>#</sup> | Name of the Company                    | Nature of Directorship                 |
| Dr Pramod Chaudhari        | 2                                                                                             | Nil                                | Nil                                  | Praj Industries Ltd.                   | Non-Executive Chairman                 |
| Mr. Shishir Joshipura      | 3                                                                                             | Nil                                | Nil                                  | Praj Industries Ltd.                   | CEO & Managing Director                |
| Mr. Ashish Gaikwad         | Nil                                                                                           | NA                                 | NA                                   | Praj Industries Ltd.                   | Managing Director -Designate           |
| Mr. Sachin Raole           | 3                                                                                             | Nil                                | Nil                                  | Praj Industries Ltd.                   | CFO & Director-Resources               |
| Mr. Utkarsh Palnitkar      | Nil                                                                                           | NA                                 | NA                                   | Praj Industries Ltd.                   | Independent Director                   |
| Mr. Vinayak Deshpande      | 4                                                                                             | 2                                  | 2                                    | Praj Industries Ltd.                   | Independent Director                   |
|                            |                                                                                               |                                    |                                      | Kirloskar Brothers Ltd.                | Independent Director                   |
|                            |                                                                                               |                                    |                                      | Voltas Ltd.                            | Non-Executive Non-Independent Director |
| Ms. Parimal Chaudhari      | Nil                                                                                           | NA                                 | NA                                   | Praj Industries Ltd.                   | Non-Executive Woman Director           |
| Dr Shridhar Shukla         | 1                                                                                             | 1                                  | Nil                                  | Praj Industries Ltd.                   | Independent Director                   |
| Ms. Rujuta Jagtap          | 1                                                                                             | Nil                                | Nil                                  | Praj Industries Ltd.                   | Independent Director                   |
| Mr. Ajay Narayan Deshpande | 1                                                                                             | Nil                                | Nil                                  | Praj Industries Ltd.                   | Independent Director                   |

\* Excludes Private Companies (which are not holding or subsidiary of Public Companies), Foreign Companies & Section 8 Companies.

<sup>#</sup> Memberships / Chairmanship of Audit Committee and Stakeholders' Relationship Committee of Public Companies.

**(iv) Familiarization programmes for Independent Directors :**

The Board of Directors of the Company has adopted a familiarization programme for Independent Directors. The details of such programme are posted on the Company's website and link for the same is given in "**Annexure 1**". This programme aims to provide insights into the Company's business to enable the Independent Directors to understand its business in depth and contribute significantly to the Company.

**(v) Independent Directors :**

The Independent Directors have submitted their annual declaration for the financial year 2024-25 to the Board that they fulfill all the requirements as stipulated in Section 149(6) of the Act read with rules framed thereunder.

Based on the declarations received from the Independent Directors, the Board of Directors has confirmed that the Independent Directors on the Board of the Company fulfill the conditions of independence specified in Section 149(6) of the Act and Regulation 16(1)(b) of the Listing Regulations and are independent of the Company's management.

**(vi) Separate Meeting of the Independent Directors :**

Pursuant to Schedule IV to the Act and Regulation 25 of the Listing Regulations, separate meeting of the Independent Directors of the Company was held on 20<sup>th</sup> March, 2025, through online mode which was attended by all the Independent Directors.

**3. COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD :**

| Sr. No. | Committees of the Board                   |
|---------|-------------------------------------------|
| A.      | Audit Committee                           |
| B.      | Nomination and Remuneration Committee     |
| C.      | Stakeholders' Relationship Committee      |
| D.      | Risk Management Committee                 |
| E.      | Corporate Social Responsibility Committee |
| F.      | Share Transfer Committee                  |
| G.      | Compensation & Share Allotment Committee  |

**A. Audit Committee :****i. Terms of Reference :**

The broad terms of reference of Audit Committee include :

- overseeing the Company's financial reporting process and disclosure of financial information;
- reviewing with the management, the quarterly and annual financial statements before submission to the Board for approval;
- reviewing with the management, the performance of Statutory and Internal Auditors and adequacy of internal control systems.

In addition, the powers and role of the Audit Committee are as laid down under Regulation 18 read with Part C of Schedule II to the Listing Regulations and as per Section 177 of the Act read with rules framed thereunder.

**ii. Composition, Meetings and Attendance :**

The Audit Committee of the Company comprises of three (3) Independent Non-Executive Directors as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025. The Composition of the Audit Committee meets the requirements of Section 177 of the Act and Regulation 18 of the Listing Regulations as amended.

The Committee met four (4) times during the financial year 2024-25 i.e. on 29<sup>th</sup> May 2024, 24<sup>th</sup> July, 2024, 25<sup>th</sup> October, 2024 and 29<sup>th</sup> January, 2025. The time gap between any two meetings was not more than one hundred twenty days.

The composition of the Committee and attendance at its meetings as at 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 are given below :

| Sr. No. | Name of Director       | Designation/ Nature of Directorship          | No. of meetings entitled to attend | No. of meetings attended |
|---------|------------------------|----------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1.      | Mr. Utkarsh Palnitkar* | Chairman, Non-Executive Independent Director | 4                                  | 4                        |
| 2.      | Mr. Vinayak Deshpande* | Member, Non-Executive Independent Director   | 4                                  | 4                        |
| 3.      | Dr Shridhar Shukla     | Member, Non-Executive Independent Director   | 4                                  | 4                        |
| 4.      | Mr. Sachin Raole#      | Member, CFO & Director-Resources             | 2                                  | 2                        |

\*inducted as a Member w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2024

# ceased to be the Member w.e.f. 25<sup>th</sup> July, 2024

Mr. Sachin Raole, CFO & Director-Resources of the Company attended the Meetings of Audit Committee as an Invitee after 25<sup>th</sup> July, 2024.

In addition to the members of Audit Committee, Executives of Accounts Department, Secretarial Department and Representatives of the Statutory, Cost and Internal Auditors attended the Audit Committee Meetings. The Company Secretary acts as the Secretary of the Audit Committee.

The Chairman of the Audit Committee attended the AGM of the Company held on 25<sup>th</sup> July, 2024 to respond to members' queries.

## **B. Nomination & Remuneration Committee ("NRC") :**

### **i. Terms of Reference :**

The broad terms of reference of NRC include :

- to recommend / review the remuneration of Executive Directors of the Company;
- to identify persons who are qualified to become Directors and who may be appointed in Senior Management;
- to carry out such other duties and functions as stipulated in Section 178 of the Act read with rules framed thereunder and Regulation 19 read with Part D of Schedule II to the Listing Regulations and further amendments thereto.

### **ii. Composition, Meeting & Attendance :**

The NRC of the Company comprises of four (4) Non-Executive Directors out of which three (3) are Independent Directors as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025.

This Committee met four (4) times during the financial year 2024-25 i.e. on 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2024, 24<sup>th</sup> July, 2024, 25<sup>th</sup> October, 2024 and 30<sup>th</sup> January, 2025.

The composition of the Committee and attendance at its meetings as at 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 are given below :

| Sr. No. | Name of Director       | Designation/ Nature of Directorship          | No. of meetings entitled to attend | No. of meetings attended |
|---------|------------------------|----------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1.      | Mr. Vinayak Deshpande* | Chairman, Non-Executive Independent Director | 4                                  | 4                        |
| 2.      | Dr Pramod Chaudhari    | Member, Non-Executive Director               | 4                                  | 3                        |
| 3.      | Mr. Utkarsh Palnitkar* | Member, Non-Executive Independent Director   | 4                                  | 3                        |
| 4.      | Dr Shridhar Shukla     | Member, Non-Executive Independent Director   | 4                                  | 4                        |

\* inducted as a Member w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2024

The Company Secretary acts as the Secretary to the NRC. The Chairman of the NRC attended the AGM of the Company held on 25<sup>th</sup> July, 2024.

### **iii. Performance Evaluation Criteria for Independent Directors :**

Necessary information in this regard has been included in Directors' Report on page no. 38, which forms part of this Annual Report.

### **iv. Remuneration Policy :**

The Remuneration Policy of the Company takes into account the individual performance and contribution of the Director, the profitability of the Company, prevalent industry standards and government policy in this regard.

The Policy is displayed on Company's website and link for the same is given in "Annexure 1".

**(a) Remuneration of Executive Directors :**

The aggregate value of Salary & Perquisites including commission to the Executive Directors for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 is as follows :

(₹ in Mn.)

| Particulars               | Dr Pramod Chaudhari, Executive Chairman <sup>1</sup> | Mr. Shishir Joshipura, CEO & Managing Director | Mr. Ashish Gaikwad, Managing Director-Designate <sup>2</sup> | Mr. Sachin Raole, CFO & Director-Resources |
|---------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|
| Salary                    | 65.205*                                              | 50.818                                         | 17.321                                                       | 20.927                                     |
| Commission & Variable pay | 25.839                                               | 18.603                                         | -                                                            | 11.863                                     |
| Total                     | 91.044                                               | 69.421                                         | 17.321                                                       | 32.790                                     |
| Notice Period             | NA                                                   | 6 months                                       | 6 months                                                     | 6 months                                   |
| Tenure                    | 2.5 years                                            | 2.3 years                                      | 5 years                                                      | 5 years                                    |
| Severance Fees            | 36 months' salary                                    | NA                                             | NA                                                           | NA                                         |

<sup>1</sup>The tenure of Dr Pramod Chaudhari as Executive Chairman completed on 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2024 and he was then appointed as Non-Executive Chairman w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2025.

<sup>2</sup>Mr. Ashish Gaikwad appointed as Managing Director-Designate w.e.f. 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 2025.

\*Excludes leave encashment of ₹37.777 Mn.

In addition to this, the Executive Directors are also entitled to gratuity and encashment of leave, as per the rules of the Company.

**(b) Compensation to Non-Executive Directors :**

As per the policy, the Company does not pay any sitting fees to the Directors for attending the Meetings. The commission on profit is payable to Non-Executive Directors on the basis of their time and contribution. The criteria of making payments to Non-Executive Directors are disclosed in the Nomination & Remuneration Policy which forms part of this report.

The shareholders of the Company had, in the 28<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting held on 28<sup>th</sup> July, 2014, approved payment of commission on profits to Non-Executive Directors up to a limit of 3% of the net profit of the Company calculated in accordance with the provisions of the Act. The Board of Directors is authorized, within this limit, to decide the quantum and the recipients for such payment.

The Commission to Non-Executive Directors for 2024-25 is ₹13.500 Mn. The details are as follows :

(₹ in Mn.)

| Sr. No. | Name of the Non-Executive Director | Commission    |
|---------|------------------------------------|---------------|
| 1.      | Mr. Utkarsh Palnitkar              | 2.250         |
| 2.      | Mr. Vinayak Deshpande              | 4.000         |
| 3.      | Ms. Parimal Chaudhari              | 3.500         |
| 4.      | Dr Shridhar Shukla                 | 1.750         |
| 5.      | Mr. Suhas Baxi                     | 0.500         |
| 6.      | Ms. Rujuta Jagtap                  | 0.750         |
| 7.      | Mr. Ajay Narayan Deshpande         | 0.750         |
|         | <b>Total</b>                       | <b>13.500</b> |

The Non-Executive Directors have no pecuniary relationship or transaction with the Company other than commission paid to them.

**C. Stakeholders' Relationship Committee ("SRC") :****i. Composition, Meeting & Attendance :**

The SRC of the Company comprises of three (3) Directors as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025.

The SRC held one (1) meeting during the financial year ended on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 on 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2024.

The composition of the Committee and attendance at its meeting as at 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 are given below :

| Sr. No. | Name of Director       | Designation/ Nature of Directorship            | No. of meetings entitled to attend | No. of Meetings attended |
|---------|------------------------|------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1.      | Mr. Vinayak Deshpande* | Chairman, Non-Executive Independent Director   | 1                                  | 1                        |
| 2.      | Ms. Parimal Chaudhari  | Member, Non-Executive Non-Independent Director | 1                                  | 1                        |
| 3.      | Mr. Sachin Raole       | Member, CFO & Director-Resources               | 1                                  | 1                        |

\* inducted as a Member w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2024

The Company Secretary acts as the Secretary to the SRC.

**ii. Name and Designation of Compliance Officer :**

Mr. Anant Bavare, Company Secretary acts as a Compliance Officer of the Company.

**iii. Number of Complaints from Investors :**

During the financial year ended on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025, the Company received two (2) complaints which were resolved expeditiously. No investors' complaint is pending as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025.

**D. Risk Management Committee ("RMC") :**

**i. Terms of Reference :**

- To review and approve the Enterprise Risk Management Framework (ERMF) of the Company;
- To evaluate risks related to cyber security and ensure that appropriate procedures are in place to mitigate these risks in timely manner.

In addition, the powers and role of the RMC are as laid down under Regulation 21 read with Para C Part D of Schedule II to the Listing Regulations.

**ii. Composition, Meetings & Attendance :**

Pursuant to and in compliance with the provisions of Regulation 21 of the Listing Regulations, the Company has constituted the RMC. The RMC comprises of four (4) Directors as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025.

This Committee met three (3) times during the financial year 2024-25 i.e. on 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2024, 13<sup>th</sup> November, 2024 and 20<sup>th</sup> January, 2025.

The composition of the Committee and attendance at its meetings as at 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 are given below :

| Sr. No. | Name of Director            | Designation/ Nature of Directorship          | No. of meetings entitled to attend | No. of Meetings attended |
|---------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1.      | Dr Shridhar Shukla          | Chairman, Non-Executive Independent Director | 3                                  | 3                        |
| 2.      | Mr. Shishir Joshipura       | Member, CEO & Managing Director              | 3                                  | 3                        |
| 3.      | Mr. Sachin Raole            | Member, CFO & Director-Resources             | 3                                  | 3                        |
| 4.      | Mr. Utkarsh Palnitkar*      | Member, Non-Executive Independent Director   | 3                                  | 3                        |
| 5.      | Mr. Suhas Baxi <sup>#</sup> | Member, Non-Executive Independent Director   | 1                                  | 1                        |

\* inducted as a Member w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2024.

<sup>#</sup> ceased to be the Member w.e.f. 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2024.

The Company Secretary acts as the secretary of the RMC.

**E. Corporate Social Responsibility Committee ("CSR committee") :**

**i. Terms of Reference :**

- Formulate and recommend to the Board, a Corporate Social Responsibility Policy indicating the activities to be undertaken by the Company as specified in Schedule VII to the Act.
- Recommend the amount of expenditure to be incurred on the activities referred to in Section 135(3) of the Act.
- Monitor the Corporate Social Responsibility Policy of the Company from time to time.

**ii. Composition, Meetings & Attendance :**

The CSR Committee comprises of three (3) Directors as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025.

The Committee met three (3) times during the financial year 2024-25 i.e. on 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2024, 25<sup>th</sup> October, 2024 and 30<sup>th</sup> January, 2025.

The composition of the Committee and attendance at its meetings as at 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 are given below :

| Sr. No. | Name of Director      | Designation/ Nature of Directorship                 | No. of meetings entitled to attend | No. of Meetings attended |
|---------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1.      | Ms. Parimal Chaudhari | Chairperson, Non-Executive Non-Independent Director | 3                                  | 3                        |
| 2.      | Mr. Sachin Raole*     | Member, CFO & Director-Resources                    | 3                                  | 3                        |
| 3.      | Ms. Rujuta Jagtap     | Member, Non-Executive Independent Director          | 3                                  | 2                        |

\* inducted as a Member w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2024

The Company Secretary acts as the Secretary to the CSR Committee.

#### F. Share Transfer Committee :

##### Composition, Meeting & Attendance :

The Share Transfer Committee comprises of three (3) Directors as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025.

This Committee met four (4) times during the financial year 2024-25 i.e. on 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2024, 10<sup>th</sup> September, 2024, 6<sup>th</sup> November, 2024 and 24<sup>th</sup> March, 2025.

The composition of the Committee and attendance at its meetings as at 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 are given below :

| Sr. No. | Name of Director       | Designation/Nature of Directorship             | No. of meetings entitled to attend | No. of Meetings attended |
|---------|------------------------|------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1.      | Mr. Sachin Raole       | Chairman, CFO & Director-Resources             | 4                                  | 4                        |
| 2.      | Ms. Parimal Chaudhari  | Member, Non-Executive Non-Independent Director | 4                                  | 4                        |
| 3.      | Mr. Shishir Joshipura* | Member, CEO & Managing Director                | 4                                  | 4                        |

\* inducted as a Member w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2024

The Company Secretary acts as the Secretary to the Share Transfer Committee.

#### G. Compensation and Share Allotment Committee :

##### Composition, Meetings & Attendance :

The Compensation & Share Allotment Committee comprises of five (5) Directors as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025.

The Committee met two times during the financial year 2024-25 i.e. on 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2024 and 30<sup>th</sup> January, 2025.

The composition of the Committee and attendance at its meetings as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025, are given below :

| Sr. No. | Name of Director       | Designation/Nature of Directorship           | No. of meetings entitled to attend | No. of Meetings attended |
|---------|------------------------|----------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1.      | Mr. Vinayak Deshpande* | Chairman, Non-Executive Independent Director | 2                                  | 2                        |
| 2.      | Dr Pramod Chaudhari    | Member, Non-Executive Director               | 2                                  | 2                        |
| 3.      | Mr. Sachin Raole       | Member, CFO & Director-Resources             | 2                                  | 2                        |
| 4.      | Mr. Suhas Baxi#        | Member, Non-Executive Independent Director   | 1                                  | 1                        |
| 5.      | Ms. Rujuta Jagtap      | Member, Non-Executive Independent Director   | 2                                  | 1                        |
| 6.      | Dr Shridhar Shukla\$   | Member, Non-Executive Independent Director   | 1                                  | 1                        |

\* inducted as a Member w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2024

# ceased to be the Member w.e.f. 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2024

\$ inducted as a Member w.e.f. 25<sup>th</sup> October, 2024

The Company Secretary acts as the Secretary to the Compensation and Share Allotment Committee.

#### 4. GENERAL BODY MEETINGS :

##### i. Details of last three Annual General Meetings (AGMs) are given in table below :

| Year    | Venue                      | Date & Time                                                        | Special Resolutions passed                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|---------|----------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 2023-24 | Through video conferencing | 38 <sup>th</sup> AGM on 25 <sup>th</sup> July, 2024 at 10:00 a.m.  | Nil                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| 2022-23 | Through video conferencing | 37 <sup>th</sup> AGM on 26 <sup>th</sup> July, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.  | i) To consider and approve re-appointment of Dr Shridhar Shukla (DIN : 00007607) as an Independent Director of the Company.<br>ii) To approve amendments in Articles of Association of the Company.                                                             |
| 2021-22 | Through video conferencing | 36 <sup>th</sup> AGM on 4 <sup>th</sup> August, 2022 at 10:00 a.m. | i) To consider and approve extension of appointment of Dr Pramod Chaudhari (DIN : 00196415) as Executive Chairman of the Company, and to fix his remuneration.<br>ii) To accord approval to Board to borrow money in excess of Paid-up-capital & Free reserves. |

##### ii. Postal Ballot :

During the financial year 2024-25, the Company sought the approval of the shareholders by way of Postal Ballot on the following Special Resolutions :

| Sr. No. | Date of Postal Ballot Notice   | Special Resolution passed                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Voting Period                                                                                                                                                   |
|---------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1.      | 10 <sup>th</sup> April, 2024   | Appointment of Mr. Vinayak Deshpande (DIN : 00036827) as an Independent Director of the Company to hold office for a period of Three (3) years from 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2024 to 30 <sup>th</sup> March, 2027.<br>Appointment of Mr. Utkarsh Palnitkar (DIN : 00170004) as an Independent Director of the Company to hold office for a period of Three (3) years from 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2024 to 30 <sup>th</sup> March, 2027                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | The e-voting commenced on Friday, 19 <sup>th</sup> April, 2024 at 9:00 a.m. (IST) and ended on Saturday, 18 <sup>th</sup> May, 2024 at 5:00 p.m. (IST).         |
| 2.      | 25 <sup>th</sup> October, 2024 | Appointment of Dr Pramod Chaudhari (DIN : 00196415) as Non-Executive Chairman (in the category of Non-Executive Non-Independent Director) of the Company, not liable to retire by rotation, beyond the age of seventy-five years, for a period of five (5) years with effect from 1 <sup>st</sup> January, 2025 to 31 <sup>st</sup> December, 2029<br>Appointment of Mr. Ajay Narayan Deshpande (DIN : 03435179) as a Non-Executive Director, not liable to retire by rotation and as an Independent Director of the Company to hold office for a period of three (3) years with effect from 25 <sup>th</sup> October, 2024 to 24 <sup>th</sup> October, 2027 | The e-voting commenced on Thursday, 21 <sup>st</sup> November, 2024 at 9:00 a.m. (IST) and ended on Friday, 20 <sup>th</sup> December, 2024 at 5:00 p.m. (IST). |

The Board of Directors had appointed Mr. Vikas Khare (Membership No. : 3541, COP : 2107), partner of KANJ & CO. LLP, Practicing Company Secretaries, as the Scrutinizer for conducting the above Postal Ballots in a fair and transparent manner. The Scrutinizer submitted his report on 21<sup>st</sup> May, 2024 and 23<sup>rd</sup> December, 2024. The details of e-voting on the aforementioned resolutions are provided hereunder :

| Sr. No. | Special Resolution passed                                                                                                                                                                                         | Voted in favour of the resolution |                                       | Voted against the resolution |                                       |
|---------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
|         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | No. of votes cast                 | % of total number of valid votes cast | No. of votes cast            | % of total number of valid votes cast |
| 1.      | Appointment of Mr. Vinayak Deshpande (DIN : 00036827) as an Independent Director of the Company to hold office for a period of Three (3) years from 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2024 to 30 <sup>th</sup> March, 2027. | 9,81,57,319                       | 92.79                                 | 76,25,312                    | 7.21                                  |
| 2.      | Appointment of Mr. Utkarsh Palnitkar (DIN : 00170004) as an Independent Director of the Company to hold office for a period of Three (3) years from 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2024 to 30 <sup>th</sup> March, 2027. | 9,81,56,524                       | 92.79                                 | 76,25,851                    | 7.21                                  |

| Sr. No. | Special Resolution passed                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | Voted in favour of the resolution |                                       | Voted against the resolution |                                       |
|---------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
|         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | No. of votes cast                 | % of total number of valid votes cast | No. of votes cast            | % of total number of valid votes cast |
| 3.      | Appointment of Dr Pramod Chaudhari (DIN : 00196415) as Non-Executive Chairman (in the category of Non-Executive Non-Independent Director) of the Company, not liable to retire by rotation, beyond the age of seventy-five years, for a period of five (5) years with effect from 1 <sup>st</sup> January, 2025 to 31 <sup>st</sup> December, 2029. | 11,00,21,450                      | 95.73                                 | 49,07,046                    | 4.27                                  |
| 4.      | Appointment of Mr. Ajay Narayan Deshpande (DIN : 03435179) as a Non-Executive Director, not liable to retire by rotation and as an Independent Director of the Company to hold office for a period of three (3) years with effect from 25 <sup>th</sup> October, 2024 to 24 <sup>th</sup> October, 2027.                                            | 11,31,44,966                      | 98.45                                 | 17,81,405                    | 1.55                                  |

The Special Resolutions were passed with requisite majority.

#### Procedure for Postal Ballot

The Postal Ballot was carried out as per the provisions of Sections 108 and 110 and other applicable provisions of the Act, read with the Rules framed thereunder and General Circular No. 09/2024 dated 19<sup>th</sup> September, 2024 and other relevant Circulars issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs.

#### 5. MEANS OF COMMUNICATION :

- Financial Results** : The quarterly/half yearly/annual financial results of the Company are communicated to the Stock Exchanges immediately after they are considered and approved by the Board of Directors and are published in widely circulating dailies such as Financial Express in English and in Loksatta in Marathi. These results are also made available on the Company's website on <https://www.praj.net/investors-type/quarterly-results/>.
- News Release, Presentations etc.** : Official news release and detailed presentations made to media, analysts etc. are submitted to the Stock Exchanges and hosted on the Company's website [www.praj.net](http://www.praj.net).
- Annual Report** : Annual Report containing, inter alia, the Directors' Report, Management Discussion and Analysis Report, Corporate Governance Report, Business Responsibility and Sustainability Report, Auditors' Report and Audited Financial Statements and other important information is circulated to members and others entitled thereto. The Annual Reports of the Company are also available on the website of the Company at <https://www.praj.net/investors-type/annual-reports/>.
- Website** : The Company's website [www.praj.net](http://www.praj.net) contains a dedicated section "Investor Lounge" where information for shareholders is available.

#### 6. SENIOR MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL :

The particulars of Senior Management including the changes therein during the financial year 2024-25 is provided below :

| Sr. No. | Name                    | Designation                          | Changes if any                                 |
|---------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| 1.      | Mr. Ghanshyam Deshpande | President & Chief Innovation Officer | -                                              |
| 2.      | Mr. Atul Mulay          | President                            | -                                              |
| 3.      | Mr. Shrikant Wale       | President                            | -                                              |
| 4.      | Dr. Pramod Kumbhar      | President & Chief Technology Officer | -                                              |
| 5.      | Mr. Prakash Ranjan      | President & Group CHRO               | -                                              |
| 6.      | Mr. Venkatesh Rao       | Executive Vice President             | -                                              |
| 7.      | Mr. Sanjay Sapru        | Executive Vice President             | Ceased w.e.f. 30 <sup>th</sup> September, 2024 |
| 8.      | Mr. Ravindra Utgikar    | Vice President                       | Ceased w.e.f. 8 <sup>th</sup> November, 2024   |
| 9.      | Mr. Ajay Pratap Singh   | Vice President & Business Head       | Inducted w.e.f. 17 <sup>th</sup> January, 2025 |
| 10.     | Mr. Gaurav Goyal        | Joint Vice President                 | -                                              |
| 11.     | Mr. Anant Bavare        | Company Secretary                    | -                                              |

## 7. GENERAL SHAREHOLDER INFORMATION :

### (i) General information :

|                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
|--------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Day, Date and Time of 39 <sup>th</sup> AGM | Monday, the 11 <sup>th</sup> August, 2025 at 10:00 a.m.                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| Venue of 39 <sup>th</sup> AGM              | As the AGM is to be held through VC / OAVM, the deemed venue shall be considered as the Registered Office of the Company                                                                                                                          |
| Financial Year                             | 1 <sup>st</sup> April, 2024 to 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2025                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Dividend Payment Date                      | By 10 <sup>th</sup> September, 2025, subject to approval of the shareholders                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Corporate Identification Number (CIN)      | L27101PN1985PLC038031                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| ISIN                                       | INE074A01025                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| Registered Office Address                  | "Praj Tower", S. No. 274 & 275/2, Bhumkar Chowk-Hinjewadi Road, Hinjewadi, Pune-411057.                                                                                                                                                           |
| Name and Address of the Stock Exchange     | 1. <b>National Stock Exchange Ltd. (NSE)</b><br>Exchange Plaza, C-1, Block G, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400 051<br>2. <b>BSE Ltd. (BSE)</b><br>Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, 25 <sup>th</sup> Floor, Dalal Street, Mumbai – 400 001 |
| Listing fees                               | The Annual Listing Fees for 2024-2025 have been paid to NSE and BSE.                                                                                                                                                                              |

### (ii) Financial Calendar :

**For the year ending on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2026, the tentative announcement of financial results are :**

|                                               |                                              |
|-----------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|
| Results for the quarter ending June 2025      | On or before 14 <sup>th</sup> August, 2025   |
| Results for the quarter ending September 2025 | On or before 14 <sup>th</sup> November, 2025 |
| Results for the quarter ending December 2025  | On or before 14 <sup>th</sup> February, 2026 |
| Results for last quarter ending March 2026    | On or before 30 <sup>th</sup> May, 2026      |

### (iii) Registrar and Share Transfer Agent (RTA) :

**MUFG Intime India Private Limited**

(Formerly known as Link Intime India Private Limited)

(Unit : Praj Industries Limited)

Block No. 202, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Akshay Complex, Off Dhole Patil Road, Pune – 411 001

Tel. : 020-26160084, 26161629, Telefax : 020-26163503, Email : [pune@in.mpms.mufig.com](mailto:pune@in.mpms.mufig.com)

### (iv) Share Transfer system :

The Board has delegated the authority for approving transfer, transmission of shares etc. to the Share Transfer Committee.

In terms of amended Regulation 40 of the Listing Regulations w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2019, transfer of securities in physical form are not processed unless the securities are held in the dematerialised mode with a Depository Participant. Further, with effect from 24<sup>th</sup> January, 2022, SEBI has made it mandatory for listed companies to issue securities in dematerialised mode only while processing any investor service request viz. issue of duplicate securities certificates, claim from unclaimed suspense account, renewal/ exchange of securities certificate, endorsement, sub-division/ splitting of securities certificate, consolidation of securities certificates/ folios, transmission and transposition.

Further, SEBI vide its Circular dated 25<sup>th</sup> January, 2022, clarified that the RTA/ listed Company shall verify and process the service requests and thereafter issue a 'Letter of Confirmation' in lieu of physical securities certificate(s), to the securities holder/ claimant within 30 days of its receipt of such request after removing objections, if any. The 'Letter of Confirmation' shall be valid for a period of 120 days from the date of its issuance, within which the securities holder/ claimant shall make a request to the Depository Participant for dematerializing the said securities.

The members holding shares in electronic mode should address their correspondence to their respective Depository Participant regarding change of address, change of bank account mandate and nomination.

#### Investor Helpdesk :

Share transfers and all other investor related activities are attended to and processed at the office of MUFG Intime India Private Limited, RTA.

In order to facilitate investor servicing, the Company has designated e-mail id [investorsfeedback@praj.net](mailto:investorsfeedback@praj.net) mainly for registering complaints by investors. Shareholders are requested to address their complaints, if any, on this designated email id only, for quick redressal thereof.

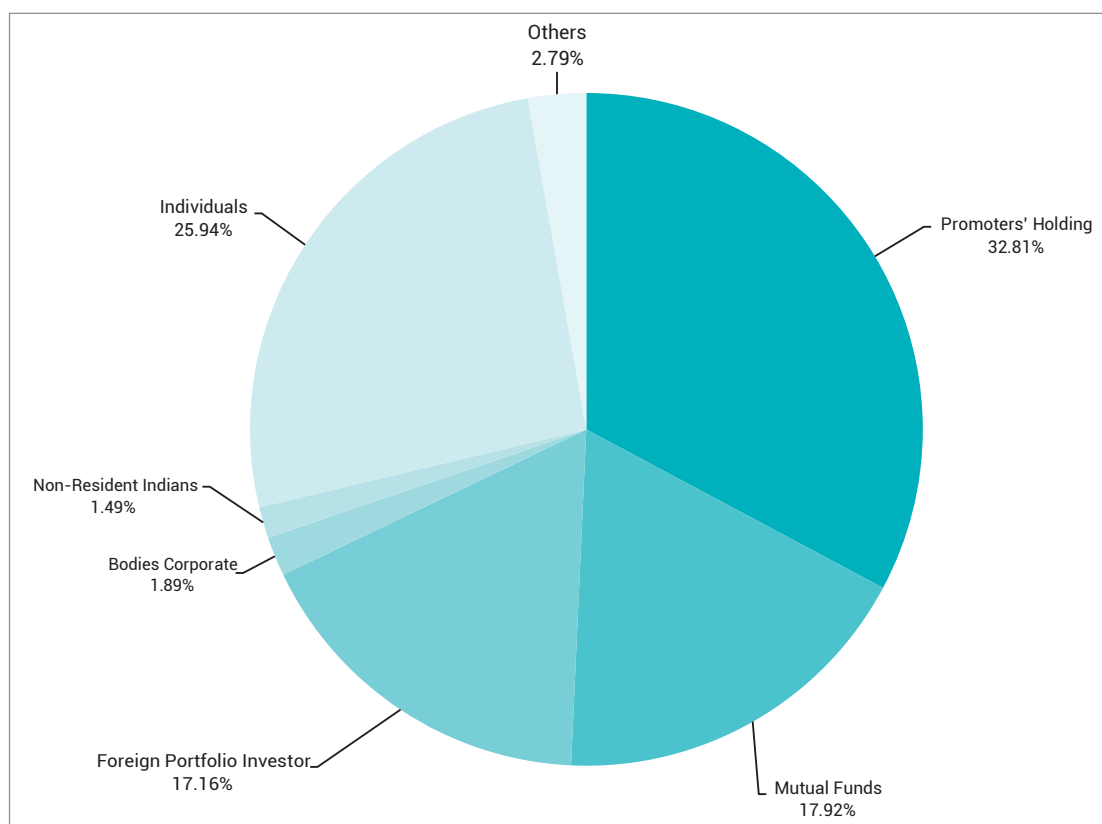
(v) Distribution of shareholding as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 :

| Shares range    | Shareholders    | Percentage    | Total shares for the range | Percentage    |
|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|----------------------------|---------------|
| 1 - 500         | 3,44,760        | 96.12         | 1,99,37,420                | 10.84         |
| 501 - 1000      | 7,398           | 2.06          | 57,09,192                  | 3.11          |
| 1001 - 2000     | 3,538           | 0.99          | 52,92,437                  | 2.88          |
| 2001 - 3000     | 1,014           | 0.28          | 25,59,186                  | 1.39          |
| 3001 - 4000     | 502             | 0.14          | 17,88,607                  | 0.97          |
| 4001 - 5000     | 336             | 0.09          | 15,57,223                  | 0.85          |
| 5001 - 10000    | 579             | 0.16          | 41,45,077                  | 2.26          |
| 10001 and above | 555             | 0.16          | 14,28,23,946               | 77.70         |
| <b>Total</b>    | <b>3,58,682</b> | <b>100.00</b> | <b>18,38,13,088</b>        | <b>100.00</b> |

(vi) Shareholding Pattern as on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 :

| Category                   | 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2025 |               | 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2024 |               |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------|------------------------------|---------------|
|                            | No. of shares of ₹2/- each   | % of holding  | No. of shares of ₹2/- each   | % of holding  |
| Promoters' Holding         | 6,03,00,000                  | 32.81         | 6,03,00,000                  | 32.81         |
| Non-Promoters' holding :   |                              |               |                              |               |
| Mutual Funds               | 3,29,37,944                  | 17.92         | 2,39,08,070                  | 13.01         |
| Foreign Portfolio Investor | 3,15,43,930                  | 17.16         | 3,46,91,345                  | 18.87         |
| Bodies Corporate           | 34,72,234                    | 1.89          | 50,51,602                    | 2.75          |
| Non-Resident Indians       | 27,37,807                    | 1.49          | 31,96,815                    | 1.74          |
| Individuals                | 4,76,86,036                  | 25.94         | 5,30,93,104                  | 28.88         |
| Others                     | 51,35,137                    | 2.79          | 35,72,152                    | 1.94          |
| <b>Total</b>               | <b>18,38,13,088</b>          | <b>100.00</b> | <b>18,38,13,088</b>          | <b>100.00</b> |

## (vii) Pie chart regarding shareholding pattern :



**(viii) Dematerialisation of Shares and Liquidity :**

As on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025, 99.94% of shareholding was held in dematerialized form with National Securities Depository Ltd. (NSDL) and Central Depository Services (India) Ltd. (CDSL).

**(ix) Physical and Demat Shares :**

| Particulars                | As on 31 <sup>st</sup> March, 2025 | Percentage of holding |
|----------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| No. of Shares held by NSDL | 10,03,39,990                       | 54.59                 |
| No. of Shares held by CDSL | 8,33,66,395                        | 45.35                 |
| Physical Shares            | 1,06,703                           | 0.06                  |
| <b>Total</b>               | <b>18,38,13,088</b>                | <b>100.00</b>         |

**(x) Other useful Information for Shareholders :**

**Mandatory furnishing of PAN, KYC details by holders of physical securities**

Pursuant to SEBI mandate, it is mandatory for all holders of physical securities in listed Companies to furnish PAN, Contact details, Bank A/c details and Specimen signature for their corresponding folio numbers.

In case of non-updation of PAN, Contact Details including Mobile Number, Bank Account Details and Specimen Signatures in respect of the physical folios, no dividend shall be paid to the investor until all of the aforesaid KYC details are updated by the investor.

Once updated, all the unclaimed dividend previously declared by the Company, except which has been transferred to IEPF, shall be paid to the shareholder electronically.

**Choice of Nomination**

In terms of the SEBI circular dated 10<sup>th</sup> June, 2024, all investors are encouraged in their own interest, to provide choice of nomination by contacting the RTA, if shares are held in physical form or their respective Depository Participant(s), if shares are held in dematerialised form. Further, as mandated in the above mentioned SEBI circular, all new investors are mandatorily required to provide the choice of nomination for their demat accounts (except for jointly held demat accounts).

**Forms for availing various Investor services**

Investors holding securities in physical mode interface with the RTAs, inter-alia, for registering/ updating the KYC details and for the processing of various service requests. The service requests along with requisite forms, as prescribed by SEBI are available on the website of the Company at <https://www.praj.net/investors-type/shareholders-information/>.

**(xi) Transfer of unpaid / unclaimed amounts and shares to Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF) :**

Pursuant to Section 124 and 125 of the Act read with Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (Accounting, Auditing, Transfer and Refund) Rules, 2016 (IEPF Rules), the dividend amount that remains unclaimed for a period of seven consecutive years from the date of transfer to Unpaid Dividend Account of the Company will be transferred to IEPF set up by Government of India along with the corresponding shares to the demat account of IEPF Authority.

**Given below are the dates of declaration of dividend and corresponding dates when unclaimed dividends are due for transfer to the IEPF.**

| Financial Year | Type of Dividend | Date of Declaration | Due date of transfer to IEPF |
|----------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|
| 2017-18        | Final Dividend   | 06/08/2018          | 10/09/2025                   |
| 2018-19        | Interim Dividend | 28/01/2019          | 04/03/2026                   |
|                | Final Dividend   | 22/07/2019          | 27/08/2026                   |
| 2019-20        | Interim Dividend | 05/03/2020          | 10/04/2027                   |
| 2020-21        | Final Dividend   | 11/08/2021          | 15/09/2028                   |
| 2021-22        | Final Dividend   | 04/08/2022          | 08/09/2029                   |
| 2022-23        | Final Dividend   | 26/07/2023          | 30/08/2030                   |
| 2023-24        | Final Dividend   | 25/07/2024          | 30/08/2031                   |

The shareholders may note that both the unclaimed dividend and corresponding shares transferred to the IEPF Authority including all benefits accruing on such shares, if any, can be claimed back by them from IEPF Authority after following the procedure (i.e. an application in webform IEPF-5) prescribed in the IEPF Rules. Shareholders may refer Rule 7 of the said IEPF Rules for refund of shares / dividend etc.

**Procedure for claiming unclaimed dividends and underlying equity shares from the IEPF Authority :**

1. Register and Login : Register yourself on the MCA website and log in.
2. Access Investor Services : After logging in, click on the 'IEPF related Services' tab under the 'MCA Services' section to file the web-based Form IEPF-5. Attach scanned copies of the required documents as mentioned in the help kit of the form.
3. File Form IEPF-5 : Complete and file Form IEPF-5 on the MCA website. Send self-attested copies of the IEPF-5 form, along with the acknowledgement (SRN), indemnity bond and other submitted documents to the Company or Registrar and Share Transfer Agent.
4. Processing : Upon receiving the physical documents, the Company will submit an e-Verification report for further processing by the IEPF Authority.

Please note that once the dividend/shares are transferred to the IEPF, the Company will not be liable for any claims regarding them.

Further, in accordance with the IEPF Rules, the Board of Directors have appointed Mr. Anant Bavare as Nodal Officer of the Company and Ms. Nima Johare as Deputy Nodal Officer of the Company for the purposes of verification of claims of shareholders pertaining to shares transferred to IEPF and / or refund of dividend from IEPF Authority and for coordination with IEPF Authority. The details of the Nodal Officer and Deputy Nodal Officer are available on the website of the Company.

**(xii) Plant Locations/R&D Units :**

The Company has its manufacturing facilities/R&D Units at the following places;

1. S.No.748, Gat No. 745, Sanaswadi, Pune 412 208, Maharashtra, India.
2. Kandla SEZ Unit I, Plot No. 307 to 314, Kandla SEZ Unit II, Plot No. 282 to 286 and 294 to 298, Gandhidham, Kutch 370 230, Gujarat, India.
3. Kandla SEZ Unit III, Warehouse No. 1 to 3, Himalaya Complex, Phase I, Sector IV, Gandhidham, Kutch 370 230, Gujarat, India.
4. Yard I Plot No. 35, Behind Act Warehouse, Kandla, Gandhidham, Kutch 370 230, Gujarat, India.
5. Yard II Warehouse No 7 & 8, Plot No. 38 & 39, West Gate, Kandla, Gandhidham, Kutch 370 210, Gujarat, India.
6. R & D Unit I  
Praj Matrix – The Innovation Center  
Gat No. 402, 403, 1098, Village Urawade, Tal. Mulshi, Pune- 412 115, Maharashtra, India

7. R & D Unit II  
Shreenathnagar, Patethan, P.O. Rahu, Tal. Daund, Dist. Pune 412 207, Maharashtra, India
8. R & D Unit III  
Plot No. E-20 & E-21 additional MIDC Area, Jejuri, Tal. Purandar, Pune – 412 303, Maharashtra, India

**(xiii) Address for correspondence :**

Members are requested to contact MUFG Intime India Pvt. Ltd., Block No. 202, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, Akshay Complex, Near Ganesh Temple, Off Dhole Patil Road, Pune - 411 001 for queries and share related matters.

**(xiv) Credit Ratings :**

Necessary information in this regard has been included in Directors' Report on page no. 34, which forms part of this Annual Report.

**8. OTHER DISCLOSURES :**

**(i) Materially significant Related Party Transactions :**

There were no materially significant related party transactions which could have had potential conflict with the interests of the Company. Transactions with related parties are entered into by the Company in the normal course of business and at arm's length. The details of transactions are periodically placed before the Audit Committee for review and approval. Members may refer to the notes to the accounts for details of related party transactions. (Please refer Note No. 30 to the Standalone Financial Statements).

The Board of Directors of the Company has, on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, adopted a policy to regulate transactions between the Company and its Related Parties, in compliance with the applicable provisions of the Act read with the Rules framed there under including the Listing Regulations. The policy has been placed on the website of the Company and link for the same is given in "Annexure 1".

**(ii) Statutory compliance, Penalties and Strictures :**

There has not been any non – compliance, penalties or strictures imposed on the Company by the Stock Exchanges, or any other statutory authority on any matter relating to the Capital Market during the last three years, except fine of ₹10,000/- each paid to BSE Ltd. and National Stock Exchange of India Ltd. regarding non-compliance of Regulation 44(3) of the Listing Regulations during the financial year 2023-24. The Company has filed the waiver application, as the non-compliance was due to interpretation of the Rule 22(9) of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014.

**(iii) Vigil Mechanism/ Whistle Blower Policy :**

In accordance with requirement of the Act as well as the Listing Regulations and amendments made thereto a Vigil Mechanism/Whistle Blower Policy has been adopted by the Board and accordingly a Whistle Blower Policy has been formulated with a view to provide a mechanism for employees of the Company to approach the Audit Committee of the Company to report any grievance. No person has been denied access to the Audit Committee.

**(iv) Discretionary requirements as specified in part E of the schedule II of the Listing Regulations :**

**a. Shareholders' Rights :**

The financial results are published in the Loksatta and Financial Express and are also displayed on the Company's website as well as the websites of the Stock Exchanges on which the Company's shares are listed and therefore, have not been separately circulated to the shareholders.

**b. Modified Opinion(s) in Audit Report :**

During the year under review, there was no audit qualification in the Auditors' Report on the Company's Financial Statements.

There was no modified audit opinion in the Auditors' Report on the Company's financial statements. The Company continues to adopt best practices to ensure a regime of unmodified audit opinions in its financial statements.

**c. Separate posts of Chairperson and Chief Executive Officer :**

Dr Pramod Chaudhari is Chairman and Mr. Shishir Joshipura is a Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director of the Company.

**d. Reporting of Internal Auditor :**

Internal Auditor directly reports to the Audit Committee.

**e. Retirement Guidelines :**

Executive Directors will retire at the age of 65 years and Non - Executive Directors at the age of 70 years.

However, the Board is at liberty to grant extensions according to which, the term of office of Dr Pramod Chaudhari, Chairman is extended despite his crossing the age of 65 years which is well within the maximum age limit prescribed under Section 196(3)(a) of the Act.

**(v) Web link where policy for determining 'material' subsidiaries is disclosed :**

The policy for determining 'material' subsidiaries is disclosed on the website of the Company and link for the same is given in "Annexure 1".

**(vi) Disclosure of Commodity price risks and commodity hedging activities :**

The principal raw material of the Company is steel. It is procured from the domestic as well as overseas suppliers. Some of the other raw materials are also procured from the overseas markets. The Company has got appropriate mechanism to deal with fluctuation in material prices.

**(vii) Disclosure in relation to the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013 :**

The disclosure in this regard is given in the Directors' Report on page no. 40, which forms part of this Annual Report.

**(viii) Loans and Advances in the nature of loans to Firms/ Companies in which Directors are interested :**

The Company and its subsidiaries have not given loans and advances in the nature of loan to companies in which the Directors of the Company are interested during the financial year ended on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025, except those disclosed in the Audited Financial Statements.

**(ix) Details of fees paid to P.G. BHAGWAT LLP, Statutory Auditors of the Company for the financial year 2024-25 on a consolidated basis are as follows :**

|                   |                   |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| Audit Fees        | ₹5.685 Mn.        |
| Taxation Services | ₹0.782 Mn.        |
| <b>Total</b>      | <b>₹6.467 Mn.</b> |

**(x) The Company has complied with all the requirements of Corporate Governance Report as per the Listing Regulations.**

**9. CODE OF CONDUCT :**

The Company has laid down a Code of Conduct for all the Board Members and Senior Management. The Code of Conduct is available on the website of the Company and and link for the same is given in "Annexure 1".

The Board Members and Senior Management Personnel have affirmed compliance with the Code. A declaration to that effect signed by Mr. Shishir Joshipura, CEO & Managing Director and Mr. Sachin Raole, CFO & Director-Resources forms part of this Report.

**10. COMPANY'S CODE OF CONDUCT TO REGULATE, MONITOR, REPORT TRADING BY DESIGNATED PERSONS :**

The Company has formulated a Code of Conduct to Regulate, Monitor, Report Trading by Designated Persons to deter the insider trading in the securities of the Company based on the unpublished price sensitive information. The Code envisages procedures to be followed and disclosures

to be made while dealing in the securities of the Company. The code is hosted on the website of the Company and link for the same is given in "Annexure 1".

The Company uses software to monitor the trading in the equity shares of the Company mainly during the trading window closure and the contra trade transactions, by the Designated Persons. The Company also maintains the Structured Digital Database as mandated by SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015.

#### 11. CERTIFICATION BY CEO AND MD AND CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER (CFO) :

As per the requirement of Regulation 17(8) of the Listing Regulations, a Certificate, duly signed by CEO and CFO of the Company, was placed at the Board Meeting of the Company held on 29<sup>th</sup> April, 2025 and the same forms part of this report.

#### 12. COMPLIANCE STATUS OF CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REQUIREMENTS AS PRESCRIBED IN THE LISTING REGULATIONS :

The compliance status of corporate governance requirements as prescribed under regulation 17 to 27 and 46(2)(b) to (i) of the Listing Regulations is provided below :

| Regulation      | Details of Regulation                                                                                                | Compliance Status (Yes/No) |
|-----------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 17              | Board of Directors                                                                                                   | Yes                        |
| 18              | Audit Committee                                                                                                      | Yes                        |
| 19              | Nomination and Remuneration Committee                                                                                | Yes                        |
| 20              | Stakeholders Relationship Committee                                                                                  | Yes                        |
| 21              | Risk Management Committee                                                                                            | Yes                        |
| 22              | Vigil Mechanism                                                                                                      | Yes                        |
| 23              | Related Party Transactions                                                                                           | Yes                        |
| 24              | Corporate Governance requirements with respect to subsidiary of the listed Company                                   | Yes                        |
| 24A             | Secretarial Audit Report and Secretarial Compliance Report                                                           | Yes                        |
| 25              | Obligations of Independent Directors                                                                                 | Yes                        |
| 26              | Obligations with respect to employees including Senior Management, Key Managerial Personnel, Directors and Promoters | Yes                        |
| 26A             | Vacancies in respect of certain Key Managerial Personnel                                                             | Yes                        |
| 27              | Other corporate governance requirements                                                                              | Yes                        |
| 46(2)(b) to (i) | Website                                                                                                              | Yes                        |

#### 13. CERTIFICATE ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE :

The Company has obtained a Certificate from Mr. Vikas Khare, Partner, KANJ & Co. LLP, regarding Compliance of conditions of Corporate Governance as stipulated in Regulation 15(2) read with Clause C of Schedule V to the Listing Regulations and the same forms part of this Report.

## CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REQUIREMENTS

To,  
The Board of Directors  
**Praj Industries Limited**  
Pune

Dear Sir/Madam,

This is to certify that;

- A. We have reviewed financial statements and the cash flow statement for the year ended on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 and that to the best of our knowledge and belief :
- (1) these statements do not contain any materially untrue statement or omit any material fact or contain statements that might be misleading.
  - (2) these statements together present a true and fair view of the Company's affairs and are in compliance with existing accounting standards, applicable laws and regulations.
- B. There are, to the best of our knowledge and belief, no transactions entered into by the listed entity during the year which are fraudulent, illegal or violative of the Company's Code of Conduct.
- C. We accept responsibility for establishing and maintaining internal controls for financial reporting and that we have evaluated the effectiveness of internal control systems of the listed entity pertaining to financial reporting and we have disclosed to the auditors and the audit committee, that there were no deficiencies in the design or operation of such internal controls of which we are aware.
- D. We have indicated to the auditors and the Audit Committee;
- (1) that there were no significant changes in internal control over financial reporting during the year;
  - (2) that there were no significant changes in accounting policies during the year and that the same have been disclosed in the notes to the financial statements; and
  - (3) that there were no instances of significant fraud of which we have become aware and the involvement therein, of the management or an employee having a significant role in Company's internal control system over financial reporting.

**For Praj Industries Limited**

Place : Pune  
Date : 29<sup>th</sup> April, 2025

**Shishir Joshipura**  
CEO & Managing Director  
DIN : 00574970

**Sachin Raole**  
CFO & Director – Resources  
DIN : 00431438

## DECLARATION FOR COMPLIANCE WITH CODE OF CONDUCT

To the Members of  
**Praj Industries Limited**

Pursuant to Regulation 17(5) and Regulation 26(3) read with Schedule V to the SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, we hereby declare that all Board Members and Senior Management Personnel are aware of the provisions of the Code of Conduct laid down by the Board (as amended from time to time) and made effective from 28<sup>th</sup> January, 2006. All Board Members and Senior Management Personnel have affirmed compliance with the Code of Conduct.

**For Praj Industries Limited**

Place : Pune  
Date : 29<sup>th</sup> April, 2025

**Shishir Joshipura**  
CEO & Managing Director  
DIN : 00574970

**Sachin Raole**  
CFO & Director – Resources  
DIN : 00431438

## **CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REQUIREMENTS**

(As per clause C of Schedule V of the Securities Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, read with regulation 34(3) of the said Listing Regulations).

The Members,  
**Praj Industries Limited**  
"Praj Tower",  
S. No. 274 and 275/2, Bhumkar Chowk-Hinjewadi Road  
Hinjewadi, Pune 411 057

We have examined the compliance of conditions of Corporate Governance by **Praj Industries Limited** ("the **Company**") for the year ended on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 as referred to in regulation 15(2) read with clause C of Schedule V read with regulation 34(3) of the said Listing Regulations of the Securities Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 as amended (Hereinafter, collectively referred to as the Listing Regulations).

I have examined the Company's compliance with the requirements under Listing Regulations for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025.

The compliance of conditions of Corporate Governance is the responsibility of the Management. Our examination was limited to the procedures and implementation thereof adopted by the Company for ensuring compliance of the conditions of Corporate Governance.

In our opinion, to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the Company has complied with the conditions of Corporate Governance stipulated in the Listing Regulations.

We state that such compliance is neither an assurance as to the future viability of the Company nor the efficiency or effectiveness with which the Management has conducted its affairs.

**For KANJ & CO LLP**  
Company Secretaries

**Vikas Y. Khare**  
**Partner**  
Membership No : FCS- 3541  
CP No : 2107  
Pune, dated 26<sup>th</sup> June 2025  
Firm Unique Code : P2000MH005900  
Peer Review Number : PR 6309/2024  
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**CERTIFICATE OF NON-DISQUALIFICATION OF DIRECTORS**

The Members,

**Praj Industries Limited**

"Praj Tower"

S. No. 274 and 275/2, Bhumkar Chowk-Hinjewadi Road

Hinjewadi, Pune 411 057

We have examined the relevant registers, records, forms, returns and disclosures received from the Directors of Praj Industries Limited having CIN L27101PN1985PLC038031 and having registered office at S. No. 274 and 275/2, Bhumkar Chowk-Hinjewadi Road, Hinjewadi, Pune 411 057 (hereinafter referred to as 'the Company'), produced before us by the Company to issue this Certificate, under Regulation 34(3) read with Schedule V Para-C Sub clause 10(i) of the Securities Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the verifications (including Directors Identification Number (DIN) status at the portal [www.mca.gov.in](http://www.mca.gov.in)) as considered necessary and explanations furnished to us by the Company & its officers, We hereby certify that none of the Directors on the Board of the Company as stated below for the Financial Year ending on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 have been debarred or disqualified from being appointed or continuing as Directors of companies by the Securities and Exchange Board of India, Ministry of Corporate Affairs, or any such other Statutory Authority.

| Sr. No | DIN      | Name                                                                | Begin date |
|--------|----------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|
| 1      | 00196415 | Mr. Pramod Madhukar Chaudhari                                       | 08-11-1985 |
| 2      | 00724911 | Mrs. Parimal Pramod Chaudhari                                       | 05-06-2007 |
| 3      | 00431438 | Mr. Sachin Vinayak Raole                                            | 16-01-2017 |
| 4      | 00574970 | Mr. Shishir Joshipura                                               | 02-04-2018 |
| 5      | 00007607 | Mr. Shridhar Bhalchandra Shukla                                     | 12-04-2018 |
| 6      | 00649689 | Mr. Suhas Gangadhar Baxi (Ceased to be Director on 7th August 2024) | 08-08-2019 |
| 7      | 00861890 | Ms. Rujuta Prakash Jagtap                                           | 21-08-2023 |
| 8      | 00036827 | Mr. Vinayak Kashinath Deshpande                                     | 31-03-2024 |
| 9      | 00170004 | Mr. Utkarsh Palnitkar                                               | 31-03-2024 |
| 10     | 03435179 | Mr. Ajay Narayan Deshpande                                          | 25-10-2024 |
| 11     | 07585079 | Mr. Ashish Gaikwad                                                  | 03-02-2025 |

The company's management is responsible for ensuring the eligibility for the appointment/continuity of every Director on the Board. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these based on our verification. This certificate is neither an assurance as to the Company's future viability nor of the efficiency or effectiveness with which the management has conducted the Company's affairs.

**For KANJ & CO LLP**

Company Secretaries

**Vikas Y. Khare**

**Partner**

Membership No : FCS- 3541

CP No : 2107

Pune, dated 26<sup>th</sup> June 2025

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## ANNEXURE 5

### BUSINESS RESPONSIBILITY & SUSTAINABILITY REPORT

#### SECTION A : GENERAL DISCLOSURES

##### I. Details of the listed entity

1. **Corporate Identification Number (CIN) of the Listed Entity** : L27101PN1985PLC038031
2. **Name of the Listed Entity** : Praj Industries Ltd.
3. **Year of incorporation** : 1985
4. **Registered Office address** : "Praj Tower", S. No. 274 & 275/2, Bhumkar Chowk - Hinjewadi Road, Hinjewadi, Pune – 411 057.
5. **Corporate address** : "Praj Tower", S. No. 274 & 275/2, Bhumkar Chowk- Hinjewadi Road, Hinjewadi, Pune – 411 057.
6. **E-mail** : [info@praj.net](mailto:info@praj.net)
7. **Telephone** : +91-20-71802000 / 22941000
8. **Website** : <https://www.praj.net>
9. **Financial year for which reporting is being done** : 01.04.2024 to 31.03.2025
10. **Name of the Stock Exchange(s) where shares are listed** : National Stock Exchange of India Limited (NSE) / BSE Limited (BSE)
11. **Paid-up Capital** : ₹ 367.626 Mn.
12. **Name and contact details (telephone, email address) of the person who may be contacted in case of any queries on the BRSR report** :  
**Mr. Mandar Kulkarni, Lead - Sustainability**  
 Telephone No. +91-20-71802000 / 22941000  
 Email address – [mandarkulkarni@praj.net](mailto:mandarkulkarni@praj.net)
13. **Reporting boundary** : Are the disclosures under this report made on a standalone basis (i.e., only for the entity) or on a consolidated basis (i.e., for the entity and all the entities which form a part of its consolidated financial statements, taken together).  
 The disclosures under this report are made on Consolidated basis.
14. **Name of assurance provider** : N/A
15. **Type of assurance obtained** : N/A

##### II. Products/services

##### 16. Details of business activities (accounting for 90% of the turnover) :

| S. No. | Description of Main Activity | Description of Business Activity                | % of Turnover of the entity |
|--------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1.     | Manufacturing                | Manufacture of other Special- Purpose Machinery | 100%                        |

##### 17. Products/Services sold by the entity (accounting for 90% of the entity's Turnover) :

| S. No. | Product/Service                                                                                                                                                                                                            | NIC Code | % of total Turnover contributed |
|--------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|---------------------------------|
| 1.     | Bioenergy Plants - 1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> Generation ethanol and renewable bio-gas that can substitute fossil fuels and promote Sustainable Decarbonization through Circular Bio-Economy                      | 28299    | 71%                             |
| 2.     | Engineering Businesses - Critical Process Equipment & Skids, Processes & Systems, Brewery Beverages Plants Water and Wastewater Plants and Water systems, modular process systems and value added services related thereto | 28299    | 29%                             |

**III. Operations****18. Number of locations where plants and/or operations/offices of the entity are situated :**

| Location      | Number of plants | Number of offices | Total |
|---------------|------------------|-------------------|-------|
| National      | 7                | 5                 | 12    |
| International | 0                | 4                 | 4     |

- Notes** – i. Two research centres (Urawade & Daund) in India are considered under office locations.  
ii. Project sites are not considered above.

**19. Markets served by the entity :****a. Number of locations :**

| Locations                        | Number |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| National (No. of States)         | 17     |
| International (No. of Countries) | 6      |

**b. What is the contribution of exports as a percentage of the total turnover of the entity? : 24%****c. A brief on types of customers :**

Company offers customized plants, equipment & technology solutions majorly to industrial customers. Some of our customers include PSU Companies and large conglomerates.

**IV. Employees****20. Details as at the end of Financial Year :****a. Employees and workers (including differently abled) :**

| S. No.    | Particulars                    | Total (A)   | Male        |              | Female     |             |
|-----------|--------------------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|------------|-------------|
|           |                                |             | No. (B)     | % (B / A)    | No. (C)    | % (C / A)   |
| Employees |                                |             |             |              |            |             |
| 1.        | Permanent (D)                  | 1806        | 1639        | 90%          | 167        | 10%         |
| 2.        | Other than Permanent (E)       | 480         | 451         | 93%          | 29         | 7%          |
| 3.        | <b>Total employees (D + E)</b> | <b>2286</b> | <b>2090</b> | <b>92%</b>   | <b>196</b> | <b>8%</b>   |
| Workers   |                                |             |             |              |            |             |
| 4.        | Permanent (F)                  | 38          | 38          | 100%         | -          | N/A         |
| 5.        | Other than Permanent (G)       | 7350        | 7332        | 99.7%        | 18         | 0.3%        |
| 6.        | <b>Total workers (F + G)</b>   | <b>7388</b> | <b>7370</b> | <b>99.7%</b> | <b>18</b>  | <b>0.3%</b> |

**b. Differently abled Employees and workers :**

| S. No                       | Particulars                               | Total (A) | Male    |           | Female  |           |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-----------|---------|-----------|---------|-----------|
|                             |                                           |           | No. (B) | % (B / A) | No. (C) | % (C / A) |
| Differently Abled Employees |                                           |           |         |           |         |           |
| 1.                          | Permanent (D)                             | 4         | 3       | 75%       | 1       | 25%       |
| 2.                          | Other than Permanent (E)                  | -         | -       | N/A       | -       | N/A       |
| 3.                          | Total differently abled employees (D + E) | 4         | 3       | 75%       | 1       | 25%       |
| Differently Abled Workers   |                                           |           |         |           |         |           |
| 4.                          | Permanent (F)                             | -         | -       | N/A       | -       | N/A       |
| 5.                          | Other than permanent (G)                  | -         | -       | N/A       | -       | N/A       |
| 6.                          | Total differently abled workers (F + G)   | -         | -       | N/A       | -       | N/A       |

**21. Participation/Inclusion/Representation of women :**

|                           | Total (A) | No. and percentage of Females |           |
|---------------------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-----------|
|                           |           | No. (B)                       | % (B / A) |
| Board of Directors        | 10        | 2                             | 20%       |
| Key Management Personnel* | 1         | 0                             | N/A       |

\*Excluding Board of Directors

## 22. Turnover rate for permanent employees and workers (Disclose trends for the past 3 years) :

|                     | FY 2024-25<br>(Turnover rate in current FY) |        |       | FY 2023-24<br>(Turnover rate in previous FY) |        |       | FY 2022-23<br>(Turnover rate in the year prior to the previous FY) |        |       |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------------|--------|-------|----------------------------------------------|--------|-------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|-------|
|                     | Male                                        | Female | Total | Male                                         | Female | Total | Male                                                               | Female | Total |
| Permanent Employees | 10.8%                                       | 0.8%   | 11.6% | 12%                                          | 25%    | 15%   | 14%                                                                | 22%    | 15%   |
| Permanent Workers   | N/A*                                        | N/A    | N/A   | N/A                                          | N/A    | N/A   | N/A                                                                | N/A    | N/A   |

\*Refer NA as Not Applicable hereinafter.

## V. Holding, Subsidiary and Associate Companies (including joint ventures)

### 23. (a) Names of holding / subsidiary / associate companies / joint ventures :

| S. No. | Name of the Holding / Subsidiary / Associate Companies / Joint Ventures (A) | Indicate whether Holding/ Subsidiary/ Associate/ Joint Venture | % of shares held by listed entity | Does the entity indicated at column A, participate in the Business Responsibility initiatives of the listed entity? (Yes/No)                                                                  |
|--------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1.     | Praj Engineering & Infra Ltd.                                               | Subsidiary                                                     | 99.65%                            | Praj Industries' policies and codes of conduct, Vision, Mission and Values are applicable to all its six subsidiaries who participate in its group –wide Business Responsibility initiatives. |
| 2.     | Praj HiPurity Systems Ltd.                                                  | Subsidiary                                                     | 100%                              |                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| 3.     | Praj Far East Co. Ltd., Thailand                                            | Subsidiary                                                     | 100%                              |                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| 4.     | Praj Americas Inc., U.S.A.                                                  | Subsidiary                                                     | 100%                              |                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| 5.     | Praj Far East Philippines Ltd. Inc., The Philippines                        | Subsidiary                                                     | 100%                              |                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| 6.     | Praj GenX Ltd.                                                              | Subsidiary                                                     | 100%                              |                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| 7.     | Praj Projects (Tanzania) Ltd.                                               | Subsidiary                                                     | 100%                              |                                                                                                                                                                                               |

## VI. CSR Details

### 24. (i) Whether CSR is applicable as per section 135 of Companies Act, 2013 : Yes

(ii) Turnover : ₹32,280.422 Mn.

(iii) Net worth : ₹13,818.897 Mn.

## VII. Transparency and Disclosures Compliances

### 25. Complaints/Grievances on any of the principles (Principles 1 to 9) under the National Guidelines on Responsible Business Conduct :

| Stakeholder group from whom complaint is received | Grievance Redressal Mechanism in Place (Yes/No)<br>(If Yes, then provide web-link for grievance redress policy) | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year       |                                                              |                              | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year      |                                                              |                              |
|---------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|
|                                                   |                                                                                                                 | Number of complaints filed during the year | Number of complaints pending resolution at close of the year | Remarks                      | Number of complaints filed during the year | Number of complaints pending resolution at close of the year | Remarks                      |
| Communities                                       | Yes                                                                                                             | -                                          | -                                                            | Nil complaints               | -                                          | -                                                            | Nil complaints               |
| Investors (other than shareholders)               | Yes                                                                                                             | -                                          | -                                                            | Nil complaints               | -                                          | -                                                            | Nil complaints               |
| Shareholders                                      | Yes                                                                                                             | 2                                          | -                                                            | All complaints were resolved | 2                                          | -                                                            | All complaints were resolved |
| Employees and workers                             | Yes                                                                                                             | -                                          | -                                                            | Nil complaints               | -                                          | -                                                            | Nil complaints               |

| Stakeholder group from whom complaint is received | Grievance Redressal Mechanism in Place (Yes/No)<br>(If Yes, then provide web-link for grievance redress policy) | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year       |                                                              |                                         | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year      |                                                              |                              |
|---------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|
|                                                   |                                                                                                                 | Number of complaints filed during the year | Number of complaints pending resolution at close of the year | Remarks                                 | Number of complaints filed during the year | Number of complaints pending resolution at close of the year | Remarks                      |
|                                                   |                                                                                                                 |                                            |                                                              |                                         |                                            |                                                              |                              |
| Customers                                         | Yes                                                                                                             | 28                                         | 16                                                           | Resolution of 16 complaints in progress | 24                                         | 2                                                            | All complaints were resolved |
| Value Chain Partners                              | Yes                                                                                                             | -                                          | -                                                            | Nil complaints                          | -                                          | -                                                            | Nil complaints               |
| Other (please specify)                            | N/A                                                                                                             | N/A                                        | N/A                                                          | N/A                                     | N/A                                        | N/A                                                          | N/A                          |

The policies governing Company's responsible business conduct are available on the Company's website. These policies cover all the stakeholders and the policies also cover grievance redressal mechanism. Refer link below :-

<https://www.praj.net/investors-type/policies/>

## 26. Overview of the entity's material responsible business conduct issues :

Please indicate material responsible business conduct and sustainability issues pertaining to environmental and social matters that present a risk or an opportunity to your business, rationale for identifying the same, approach to adapt or mitigate the risk along with its financial implications, as per the following format :

| Sr. No. | Material issue identified          | Indicate whether risk or opportunity (R/O) | Rationale for identifying the risk /opportunity                                                             | In case of risk, approach to adapt or mitigate                                                                                                              | Financial implications of the risk or opportunity (Indicate positive or negative implications) |
|---------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1.      | Corporate Governance               | Risk                                       | Governance policies when not in place can lead to major impact on sustainability of the organization        | Strong policy-oriented governance structure & implementation structure in place                                                                             | Negative                                                                                       |
| 2.      | Ethical Behaviour                  | Risk                                       | Ethical behaviour is an integrated part of Praj's culture and form core part of most of the policies.       | Whistle Blower Policy and its deployment. The policy is applicable for its employees, vendors, and channel partners                                         | Negative                                                                                       |
| 3.      | Employee & Workforce               | Opportunity                                | Employee and workforce wellbeing remains crucial for achieving sustainability & success of the organization | HR Policies conducive to welfare promotion. Management strategy to move away from Labor Relations to Human Capital Development                              | Positive                                                                                       |
| 4.      | Human Rights and Labour Conditions | Risk                                       | Challenges integrity of the organization. Has legal implications                                            | The culture of care and trust has been embedded in the organization. It has been made part of various policies. Trainings on the same is taken periodically | Negative                                                                                       |

| Sr. No. | Material issue identified | Indicate whether risk or opportunity (R/O) | Rationale for identifying the risk /opportunity                                                                                                                                         | In case of risk, approach to adapt or mitigate                     | Financial implications of the risk or opportunity (Indicate positive or negative implications) |
|---------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 5.      | Sustainable Supply Chain  | Opportunity                                | For us sustainability in supply chain provides opportunity to enhance operations' sustainability and in-turn increase opportunities to achieve lower TAT with quality for our customers | Procurement from Green Certified vendors and MSME is preferred.    | Positive                                                                                       |
| 6.      | Cyber Security            | Risk                                       | Data and IT infra being the backbone of the business, Cyber Security if not strengthened, will impact business's confidential information and sustainability                            | Policy and deployment including Cyber Security Assurance Framework | Negative                                                                                       |
| 7.      | Climate Change            | Opportunity                                | Climate Action is prime importance for Praj. Through its business offerings Praj is creating opportunities for its customer to reduce impacts of Climate Change                         | -                                                                  | Positive                                                                                       |

## SECTION B : MANAGEMENT AND PROCESS DISCLOSURES

This section is aimed at helping businesses demonstrate the structures, policies and processes put in place towards adopting the NGRBC Principles and Core Elements.

| Disclosure Questions                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | P 1                                                                                                       | P 2 | P 3       | P 4 | P 5 | P 6       | P 7 | P 8 | P 9      |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|-----------|-----|-----|-----------|-----|-----|----------|
| <b>Policy and management processes</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                                                                           |     |           |     |     |           |     |     |          |
| 1. a. Whether your entity's policy/policies cover each principle and its core elements of the NGRBCs. (Yes/No)                                                                                                                                                    | Y                                                                                                         | Y   | Y         | Y   | Y   | Y         | Y   | Y   | Y        |
| b. Has the policy been approved by the Board? (Yes/No)                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Y                                                                                                         | Y   | Y         | Y   | Y   | Y         | Y   | Y   | Y        |
| c. Web Link of the Policies, if available                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | <a href="https://www.praj.net/investors-type/policies/">https://www.praj.net/investors-type/policies/</a> |     |           |     |     |           |     |     |          |
| 2. Whether the entity has translated the policy into procedures. (Yes / No)                                                                                                                                                                                       | There are no separate procedures available, policies include the procedures.                              |     |           |     |     |           |     |     |          |
| 3. Do the enlisted policies extend to your value chain partners? (Yes/No)                                                                                                                                                                                         | Y                                                                                                         | Y   | Y         | Y   | Y   | Y         | N   | N   | N        |
| 4. Name of the national and international codes / certifications / labels / standards (e.g., Forest Stewardship Council, Fairtrade, Rainforest Alliance, Trustea) standards (e.g., SA 8000, OHSAS, ISO, BIS) adopted by your entity and mapped to each principle. | -                                                                                                         | -   | ISO 45001 | -   | -   | ISO 14001 | -   | -   | ISO 9001 |

| Disclosure Questions                                                                                                              | P 1                                                                                                                                                           | P 2                                                                                        | P 3                                                                                                                                                               | P 4 | P 5 | P 6 | P 7 | P 8 | P 9 |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 5. Specific commitments, goals and targets set by the entity with defined timelines, if any.                                      | 1. Reduce its Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions intensity to 50% of base year 2021 by 2035.                                                                       | 2. Achieve 60% increase training hours per individual per year from base year 2020 by 2030 | 3. Achieve 5000 hrs per year as employee contribution to social cause through internal mechanism of Personal Social Responsibility of doing activities on ground. |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| 6. Performance of the entity against the specific commitments, goals and targets along with reasons in case the same are not met. | 1. Measures such as open access solar for all offices and factories in Maharashtra state is under process. This will substantially reduce emission intensity. | 2. Increased yearly training to cover maximum number of employees.                         | 3. Facilitation through partner NGOs to increase voluntary activities                                                                                             |     |     |     |     |     |     |

#### Governance, leadership and oversight

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 7. Statement by Director responsible for the business responsibility report, highlighting ESG related challenges, targets and achievements (listed entity has flexibility regarding the placement of this disclosure) :<br>For detail statement of our Director (Resources) please refer below link :<br><a href="https://www.praj.net/wp-content/uploads/2023/11/sustainability-management-system1.pdf">https://www.praj.net/wp-content/uploads/2023/11/sustainability-management-system1.pdf</a> |                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 8. Details of the highest authority responsible for implementation and oversight of the Business Responsibility policy (ies).                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Mr. Sachin Raole<br>CFO and Director – Resources<br>Phone No. 020-71802000                                                                                                     |
| 9. Does the entity have a specified Committee of the Board/ Director responsible for decision making on sustainability related issues? (Yes / No). If yes, provide details.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Yes.<br>A working Committees consist of members from all functions at each location with their HOD as champion of Sustainability. They work under the overall guidance of CFO. |

#### 10. Details of Review of NGRBCs by the Company :

| Subject for Review                                                                                               | Indicate whether review was undertake by Director / Committee of the Board / Any other Committee                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Frequency<br>(Annually/ Half yearly/ Quarterly/ Any other – please specify) |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |          |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|----------|
|                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | P 1                                                                         | P 2 | P 3 | P 4 | P 5 | P 6 | P 7 | P 8 | P 9      |
| Performance against above policies and follow up action                                                          | Praj has established a system for improvement of significant aspects of Business Responsibility Principles. CEO & MD and Members of the Board undertake broad planning for improvement of these significant aspects and release documented targets. Heads of all locations carry out detailed planning and initiate improvement as per the directions. Quarterly reports are received from all its locations in India and abroad. |                                                                             |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | Annually |
| Compliance with statutory requirements of relevance to the principles, and, rectification of any non-compliances | These are reviewed quarterly by the Head of the Divisions. CEO & MD / Board undertake annual review and give feedback and encouragement. CEO/Board take care of any budgetary or policy needs that are necessary for the improvements planned.                                                                                                                                                                                    |                                                                             |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | Annually |

|                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                    |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| 11. Has the entity carried out independent assessment/ evaluation of the working of its policies by an external agency? (Yes/No). If yes, provide name of the agency. | P<br>1                                                                                                                                                                             | P<br>2 | P<br>3 | P<br>4 | P<br>5 | P<br>6 | P<br>7 | P<br>8 | P<br>9 |
|                                                                                                                                                                       | Yes, independent assessments are conducted by certifying agencies while conducting ISO certification audits. Company has ISO certifications such as ISO 9001, ISO 45001, ISO 14001 |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |

12. If answer to question (1) above is "No" i.e., not all Principles are covered by a policy, reasons to be stated :

| Questions                                                                                                                       | P1             | P2 | P3 | P4 | P5 | P6 | P7 | P8 | P9 |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| The entity does not consider the Principles material to its business (Yes/No)                                                   | Not applicable |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| The entity is not at a stage where it is in a position to formulate and implement the policies on specified principles (Yes/No) |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| The entity does not have the financial or/human and technical resources available for the task (Yes/No)                         |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| It is planned to be done in the next financial year (Yes/No)                                                                    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| Any other reason (please specify)                                                                                               |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |

## SECTION C : PRINCIPLE WISE PERFORMANCE DISCLOSURE

This section is aimed at helping entities demonstrate their performance in integrating the Principles and Core Elements with key processes and decisions. The information sought is categorized as "Essential" and "Leadership". While the essential indicators are expected to be disclosed by every entity that is mandated to file this report, the leadership indicators may be voluntarily disclosed by entities which aspire to progress to a higher level in their quest to be socially, environmentally and ethically responsible.

**PRINCIPLE 1 Businesses should conduct and govern themselves with integrity, and in a manner that is Ethical, Transparent and Accountable.**

### Essential Indicators

1. Percentage coverage by training and awareness programmes on any of the Principles during the financial year :

| Segment                           | Total number of training and awareness programmes held | Topics / principles covered under the training and its impact                  | % of persons in respective category covered by the awareness programmes |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Board of Directors                | 5                                                      | Bioeconomy, Business strategy, Sustainability                                  | 100%                                                                    |
| Key Managerial Personnel          | 5                                                      | Bioeconomy, Business strategy, Sustainability                                  | 100%                                                                    |
| Employees other than BoD and KMPs | 41                                                     | Environment Sustainability, Cyber security, Health and Safety, Code of Conduct | 37%                                                                     |
| Workers                           | 288                                                    | Environment, Health and Safety                                                 | 100%                                                                    |

2. Details of fines / penalties /punishment / award / compounding fees/ settlement amount paid in proceedings (by the entity or by Directors / KMPs) with regulators/ law enforcement agencies/ judicial institutions, in the financial year, in the following format (Note : the entity shall make disclosures on the basis of materiality as specified in Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and as disclosed on the entity's website) :

| NGRBC Principle     | Name of the regulatory/ enforcement agencies/ judicial institutions | Amount (In ₹) | Brief of the Case | Has an appeal been preferred? (Yes/No) |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------------------------------|
| <b>Monetary</b>     |                                                                     |               |                   |                                        |
| Penalty/ Fine       | Nil                                                                 | -             | -                 | -                                      |
| Settlement          | Nil                                                                 | -             | -                 | -                                      |
| Compounding fee     | Nil                                                                 | -             | -                 | -                                      |
| <b>Non-Monetary</b> |                                                                     |               |                   |                                        |
| Imprisonment        | Nil                                                                 | -             | -                 | -                                      |
| Punishment          | Nil                                                                 | -             | -                 | -                                      |

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

| Case Details | Name of the regulatory/ enforcement agencies/ judicial institutions |
|--------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Nil          | -                                                                   |

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

Yes, Company's Code of Conduct policy covers anti-corruption and anti-bribery clause. The policies are applicable to Board & Senior Management, Employees and Suppliers are strictly complied, with.

Refer link : <https://www.praj.net/investors-type/policies/>

5. Number of Directors/KMPs/employees/workers against whom disciplinary action was taken by any law enforcement agency for the charges of bribery/ corruption :

|           | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |
|-----------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Directors | Nil                                  | Nil                                   |
| KMPs      | Nil                                  | Nil                                   |
| Employees | Nil                                  | Nil                                   |
| Workers   | Nil                                  | Nil                                   |

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

|                                                                                              | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year |         | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |         |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------|---------------------------------------|---------|
|                                                                                              | Number                               | Remarks | Number                                | Remarks |
| Number of complaints received in relation to issues of Conflict of Interest of the Directors | Nil                                  |         | Nil                                   |         |
| Number of complaints received in relation to issues of Conflict of Interest of the KMPs      | Nil                                  |         | Nil                                   |         |

7. Provide details of any corrective action taken or underway on issues related to fines / penalties / action taken by regulators/ law enforcement agencies/ judicial institutions, on cases of corruption and conflicts of interest.

N/A

8. Number of days of accounts payables (Accounts payable \*365 / Cost of goods / services procured) in the following format :

|                                     | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Number of days of accounts payables | 62                                   | 62                                    |

9. Open-ness of business :

Provide details of concentration of purchases and sales with trading houses, dealers, and related parties along with loans and advances & investments, with related parties, in the following format :

| Parameter                  | Metrics                                                                                 | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Concentration of Purchases | a. Purchases from trading houses as % of total purchases                                | 0                                    | 0*                                    |
|                            | b. Number of trading houses where purchases are made from                               | 0                                    | 0*                                    |
|                            | c. Purchases from top 10 trading houses as % of total purchases from trading houses     | 0                                    | 0*                                    |
| Concentration of Sales     | a. Sales to dealers / distributors as % of total sales                                  | 0                                    | -                                     |
|                            | b. Number of dealers / distributors to whom sales are made                              | 0                                    | -                                     |
|                            | c. Sales to top 10 dealers / distributors as % of total sales to dealers / distributors | 0                                    | -                                     |

| Parameter        | Metrics                                                                                  | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |
|------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Share of RPTs in | a. Purchases (Purchases with related parties / Total Purchases)                          | <1%                                  | <1%                                   |
|                  | b. Sales (Sales to related parties / Total Sales)                                        | <1%                                  | <1%                                   |
|                  | c. Loans & advances (Loans & advances given to related parties / Total loans & advances) | <1%                                  | <1%                                   |
|                  | d. Investments (Investments in related parties / Total Investments made)                 | <1%                                  | <1%                                   |

\* Previous year's figures revised based on change in calculation method.

## PRINCIPLE 2 Businesses should provide goods and services in a manner that is sustainable and safe

### Essential Indicators

1. Percentage of R&D and capital expenditure (capex) investments in specific technologies to improve the environmental and social impacts of product and processes to total R&D and capex investments made by the entity, respectively.

|       | FY 2024-25<br>Current<br>Financial Year | FY 2023-24<br>Previous<br>Financial Year* | Details of improvements in environmental and social impacts                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
|-------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| R&D   | 100%                                    | 100%                                      | <p><b>Sustainable Aviation Fuel</b><br/>Praj brings to the table proven expertise in modularized solutions, integration services for complete projects and technology for production of low carbon isobutanol and ethanol from conventional bio- sourced feedstock.</p> <p><b>Renewable Natural Gas</b><br/>Developed advanced bio methanation technology based on proprietary microbiological pre-treatment for production of compressed biogas from Agri residues and press mud. Developed and commercialized a proprietary renewable gas technology – RenGas™ and has commissioned over 40 plants in India of the same. Highest yielding BioGas with 30% lower operating costs due to its unique microbial culture. The process creates value-added manure with organic soil as a byproduct while advanced biogas cleaning techniques give pure methane</p> <p><b>Development of biodegradable plastics</b> (poly lactic acid and poly hydroxy alkenoate) pilot plant is being commissioned to demonstrate the technology at 100 MTA scale. This development will address the issue of single use plastic menace polluting the environment.</p> <p><b>Research Assignment for others</b> – Research work related to specific technologies improving the environmental and impacts of product and processes</p> |
| Capex | 16%                                     | 26%                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |

\*Previous year's figures revised based on change in calculation method.

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

Suppliers are evaluated on social, ethical and environmental performance parameters. Sustainable sourcing is the key element in the process of selecting and retaining Business Partners. 'Suppliers Code of Conduct' policy is strictly implemented for all the suppliers. This policy also covers aspects such as human & labour rights, Occupational health & safety. All the suppliers have to mandatorily accept this Code of Conduct. Further to this, business critical suppliers are monitored on levels/grades from A to D. Level D suppliers are audited to ensure their performance against these sustainability parameters.

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

100% of inputs are sourced sustainably in ethical and environmentally conscious manner with zero hazardous material maximizing local and Indian content.

**3. Describe the processes in place to safely reclaim your products for reusing, recycling and disposing at the end of life, for (a) Plastics (including packaging) (b) E-waste (c) Hazardous waste and (d) other waste.**

Company's products are sold to industrial customers and as such there aren't any products those we have to reclaim at the end of life. Waste generated through Company's operations is reused, recycled and disposed of in line with the extant regulations as per following details :

|                                        |                                                                                                        |
|----------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| (a) For Plastics (including packaging) | Disposed through scrap merchant by authorised recycler. Annual Undertaking is taken from the recycler. |
| (b) For E-waste                        | Disposed through scrap merchant by authorised recycler. Annual Undertaking is taken from the recycler. |
| (c) For Hazardous waste                | Disposed through scrap merchant by authorised recycler. Annual Undertaking is taken from the recycler. |
| (d) For Other waste                    | Reuse of packing material such as wood for repacking                                                   |

**4. Whether Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) is applicable to the entity's activities (Yes / No). If yes, whether the waste collection plan is in line with the Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR) plan submitted to Pollution Control Boards? If not, provide steps taken to address the same.**

Yes. The collection plan is in line with the EPR which is submitted to Maharashtra State Pollution Control Board.

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

**Essential Indicators**

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

| Category                       | % of employees covered by |                  |              |                    |              |                    |              |                    |              |                     |              |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|
|                                | Total<br>(A)              | Health insurance |              | Accident insurance |              | Maternity benefits |              | Paternity Benefits |              | Day Care facilities |              |
|                                |                           | Number<br>(B)    | %<br>(B / A) | Number<br>(C)      | %<br>(C / A) | Number<br>(D)      | %<br>(D / A) | Number<br>(E)      | %<br>(E / A) | Number<br>(F)       | %<br>(F / A) |
| Permanent employees            |                           |                  |              |                    |              |                    |              |                    |              |                     |              |
| Male                           | 1639                      | 1639             | 100          | 1639               | 100          | -                  | -            | 1639               | 100          | -                   | -            |
| Female                         | 167                       | 167              | 100          | 167                | 100          | 167                | 100          | -                  | -            | -                   | -            |
| Any other                      | N/A                       | N/A              | N/A          | N/A                | N/A          | N/A                | N/A          | N/A                | N/A          | N/A                 | N/A          |
| Total                          | 1806                      | 1806             | 100          | 1806               | 100          | 167                | 10*          | 1693               | 96**         | -                   | -            |
| Other than Permanent employees |                           |                  |              |                    |              |                    |              |                    |              |                     |              |
| Male                           | 451                       | 451              | 100          | 451                | 100          | -                  | -            | 451                | 100          | -                   | -            |
| Female                         | 29                        | 29               | 100          | 29                 | 100          | 29                 | 100          | -                  | -            | -                   | -            |
| Any other                      | N/A                       | N/A              | N/A          | N/A                | N/A          | N/A                | N/A          | N/A                | N/A          | N/A                 | N/A          |
| Total                          | 480                       | 480              | 100          | 480                | 100          | 29                 | 3*           | 451                | 97**         | -                   | -            |

\* only female employees are considered for maternity benefits

\*\* only male employees are considered for paternity benefits

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

| Category                     | % of workers covered by |                  |              |                    |              |                    |              |                    |              |                     |              |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|
|                              | Total<br>(A)            | Health insurance |              | Accident insurance |              | Maternity benefits |              | Paternity Benefits |              | Day Care facilities |              |
|                              |                         | Number<br>(B)    | %<br>(B / A) | Number<br>(C)      | %<br>(C / A) | Number<br>(D)      | %<br>(D / A) | Number<br>(E)      | %<br>(E / A) | Number<br>(F)       | %<br>(F / A) |
| Permanent workers            |                         |                  |              |                    |              |                    |              |                    |              |                     |              |
| Male                         | 38                      | 38               | 100          | 38                 | 100          | N/A                | N/A          | 38                 | 100          | N/A                 | N/A          |
| Female                       | N/A                     | N/A              | N/A          | N/A                | N/A          | N/A                | N/A          | N/A                | N/A          | N/A                 | N/A          |
| Any other                    | N/A                     | N/A              | N/A          | N/A                | N/A          | N/A                | N/A          | N/A                | N/A          | N/A                 | N/A          |
| Total                        | 38                      | 38               | 100          | 38                 | 100          | N/A                | N/A          | 38                 | 100          | N/A                 | N/A          |
| Other than Permanent workers |                         |                  |              |                    |              |                    |              |                    |              |                     |              |
| Male                         | 7332                    | 1261             | 17           | 7332               | 100          | -                  | -            | 1261**             | 17           | -                   | -            |
| Female                       | 18                      | 18               | 100          | 18                 | 100          | 18*                | 100          | -                  | -            | -                   | -            |
| Any other                    | N/A                     | N/A              | N/A          | N/A                | N/A          | N/A                | N/A          | N/A                | N/A          | N/A                 | N/A          |
| Total                        | 7350                    | 1317             | 17           | 7350               | 100          | 18*                | 0.3          | 1261**             | 17           | -                   | -            |

\* only female employees are considered for maternity benefits

\*\* only male employees are considered for paternity benefits

**c. Spending on measures towards well-being of employees and workers (including permanent and other than permanent) in the following format :**

|                                                                             | <b>FY 2024-25<br/>Current Financial Year</b> | <b>FY 2023-24<br/>Previous Financial Year</b> |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| Cost incurred on well-being measures as a % of total revenue of the Company | 0.53%                                        | 0.55%                                         |

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

| Benefits | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year               |                                                |                                                      | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year              |                                                |                                                      |
|----------|----------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|
|          | No. of employees covered as a % of total employees | No. of workers covered as a % of total workers | Deducted and deposited with the authority (Y/N/N.A.) | No. of employees covered as a % of total employees | No. of workers covered as a % of total workers | Deducted and deposited with the authority (Y/N/N.A.) |
| PF       | 100%                                               | 100%                                           | Y                                                    | 100%                                               | 100%                                           | Y                                                    |
| Gratuity | 100%                                               | 100%                                           | Y                                                    | 100%                                               | 100%                                           | Y                                                    |
| ESI      | 100%*                                              | 100%*                                          | Y                                                    | 100%*                                              | 100%*                                          | Y                                                    |
| Others   | N/A                                                | N/A                                            | N/A                                                  | N/A                                                | N/A                                            | N/A                                                  |

\*only employees & workers falling under ESIC salary slab are considered above.

**3. Accessibility of workplaces**

Are the premises / offices of the entity accessible to differently abled employees and workers, as per the requirements of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016? If not, whether any steps are being taken by the entity in this regard.

Yes, most of our owned premises are accessible to differently abled employees & workers.

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

Yes.

Weblink : <https://www.praj.net/wp-content/uploads/2025/03/Principles-and-Policies-Business-Responsibility-30-01-2025.pdf>

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

| Gender       | Permanent employees |                | Permanent workers   |                |
|--------------|---------------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|
|              | Return to work rate | Retention rate | Return to work rate | Retention rate |
| Male         | 100%                | 100%           | 100%                | 100%           |
| Female       | 100%                | 100%           | N/A                 | N/A            |
| Any other    | N/A                 | N/A            | N/A                 | N/A            |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>100%</b>         | <b>100%</b>    | <b>100%</b>         | <b>100%</b>    |

## 6. Is there a mechanism available to receive and redress grievances for the following categories of employees and worker? If yes, give details of the mechanism in brief :

|                                | Yes/No (If Yes, then give details of the mechanism in brief)                                                                                                             |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Permanent Workers              | Yes. We have a complaint box available for any grievances. Additionally, they can approach the HR team member at any time if they need to discuss any concerns or issues |
| Other than Permanent Workers   | Yes, grievances are raised through verbal or phone communication with HR team members. Grievances are addressed through internal procedures.                             |
| Permanent Employees            | Yes, employees can connect through phone or email with the BU Human Resource team or Corporate HC team                                                                   |
| Other than Permanent Employees | Yes, grievances are raised through verbal or phone or email communication with dedicated officer. Grievances are addressed through internal procedures.                  |

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

| Category                         | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year                 |                                                                                               |           | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year               |                                                                                               |            |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|
|                                  | Total employees / workers in respective category (A) | No. of employees /workers in respective category, who are part of association(s) or Union (B) | % (B / A) | Total employees/ workers in respective category (C) | No. of employees /workers in respective category, who are part of association(s) or Union (D) | % (D / C)  |
| <b>Total Permanent Employees</b> | <b>1806</b>                                          | <b>0%</b>                                                                                     | <b>0%</b> | <b>1400</b>                                         | -                                                                                             | <b>0%</b>  |
| Male                             | 1639                                                 | 0%                                                                                            | 0%        | 1247                                                | -                                                                                             | 0%         |
| Female                           | 167                                                  | 0%                                                                                            | 0%        | 153                                                 | -                                                                                             | 0%         |
| Any other                        | 0                                                    | N/A                                                                                           | N/A       | N/A                                                 | N/A                                                                                           | N/A        |
| <b>Total Permanent Workers</b>   | <b>38</b>                                            | <b>0%</b>                                                                                     | <b>0%</b> | <b>N/A</b>                                          | <b>N/A</b>                                                                                    | <b>N/A</b> |
| Male                             | 38                                                   | 0%                                                                                            | 0%        | N/A                                                 | N/A                                                                                           | N/A        |
| Female                           | 0                                                    | N/A                                                                                           | N/A       | N/A                                                 | N/A                                                                                           | N/A        |
| Any other                        | 0                                                    | N/A                                                                                           | N/A       | N/A                                                 | N/A                                                                                           | N/A        |

Note – Only permanent employees are considered above.

## 8. Details of training given to employees and workers :

| Category  | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year |                                  |           |                         |           | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |                                  |           |                         |           |
|-----------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------|-------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------|-------------------------|-----------|
|           | Total (A)                            | On Health and<br>safety measures |           | On Skill<br>upgradation |           | Total (D)                             | On Health and<br>safety measures |           | On Skill<br>upgradation |           |
|           |                                      | No. (B)                          | % (B / A) | No. (C)                 | % (C / A) |                                       | No. (E)                          | % (E / D) | No. (F)                 | % (F / D) |
| Employees |                                      |                                  |           |                         |           |                                       |                                  |           |                         |           |
| Male      | 2090                                 | 2090                             | 100%      | 2090                    | 100%      | 1600                                  | 1600                             | 100%      | 1192                    | 75%       |
| Female    | 196                                  | 196                              | 100%      | 196                     | 100%      | 200                                   | 200                              | 100%      | 129                     | 75%       |
| Any other | N/A                                  | N/A                              | N/A       | N/A                     | N/A       | N/A                                   | N/A                              | N/A       | N/A                     | N/A       |
| Total*    | 2286                                 | 2286                             | 100%      | 2286                    | 100%      | 1800                                  | 1800                             | 100%      | 1321                    | 73%       |
| Workers   |                                      |                                  |           |                         |           |                                       |                                  |           |                         |           |
| Male      | 7332                                 | 7332                             | 100%      | **                      |           | 6516                                  | 6516                             | 100%      | **                      |           |
| Female    | 18                                   | 18                               | 0%        |                         |           | 20                                    | 20                               | 100%      |                         |           |
| Any other | N/A                                  | N/A                              | N/A       |                         |           | N/A                                   | N/A                              | N/A       |                         |           |
| Total     | 7350                                 | 7350                             | 100%      |                         |           | 6536                                  | 6536                             | 100%      |                         |           |

\* On job skilling considered for employees above

\*\* Company regularly conducts skill upgradation trainings for workers (all categories)

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

| Category         | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year |             |            | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |             |             |
|------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------|------------|---------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                  | Total (A)                            | No. (B)     | % (B / A)  | Total (C)                             | No. (D)     | % (D / C)   |
| <b>Employees</b> |                                      |             |            |                                       |             |             |
| Male             | 1639                                 | 1392        | 84%        | 1247                                  | 1247        | 100%        |
| Female           | 167                                  | 139         | 83%        | 153                                   | 153         | 100%        |
| Any other        | N/A                                  | N/A         | N/A        | N/A                                   | N/A         | N/A         |
| <b>Total</b>     | <b>1806</b>                          | <b>1531</b> | <b>84%</b> | <b>1400</b>                           | <b>1400</b> | <b>100%</b> |
| <b>Workers</b>   |                                      |             |            |                                       |             |             |
| Male             | N/A                                  | N/A         | N/A        | N/A                                   | N/A         | N/A         |
| Female           | N/A                                  | N/A         | N/A        | N/A                                   | N/A         | N/A         |
| Any other        | N/A                                  | N/A         | N/A        | N/A                                   | N/A         | N/A         |
| <b>Total</b>     | <b>N/A</b>                           | <b>N/A</b>  | <b>N/A</b> | <b>N/A</b>                            | <b>N/A</b>  | <b>N/A</b>  |

Note – Only permanent employees are considered above.

## 10. Health and safety management system :

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

Yes, Company is ISO 14001 & ISO 45001 compliant. A well-documented EOHS (Environmental, Occupational, Health & Safety) policy is in place. One of the objectives of this policy is to provide safe & healthy working conditions for the prevention of work-related injury and ill health.

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

Company follows procedures for recording of unsafe acts, unsafe conditions & near misses. Audits are conducted at regular intervals.

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

Yes

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

Yes

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

| Safety Incident/Number                                                        | Category                       | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Lost Time Injury Frequency Rate (LTIFR) (per one million-person hours worked) | Employees                      | Nil                                  | Nil                                   |
|                                                                               | Workers (Other than permanent) | 0.13                                 | 0.05                                  |
| Total recordable work-related injuries                                        | Employees                      | Nil                                  | Nil                                   |
|                                                                               | Workers (Other than permanent) | 3                                    | 1                                     |
| No. of fatalities                                                             | Employees                      | Nil                                  | Nil                                   |
|                                                                               | Workers (Other than permanent) | Nil                                  | Nil                                   |
| High consequence work-related injury or ill-health (excluding fatalities)     | Employees                      | Nil                                  | Nil                                   |
|                                                                               | Workers (Other than permanent) | Nil                                  | 1                                     |

**12. Describe the measures taken by the entity to ensure a safe and healthy work place :**

Company's policy on EOHS (Environmental, Occupational, Health & Safety) strengthens the objective of providing safe & healthy working conditions for the prevention of work-related injury and ill health. Strict adherence to the objectives of this policy along with adoption of ISO 14001 :2015 and ISO 45001 ensure a safe and healthy work place. Necessary trainings are imparted to employees, business associates and interested parties to further strengthen the EOHS policy.

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

|                    | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year |                                       |         | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |                                       |         |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------|
|                    | Filed during the year                | Pending resolution at the end of year | Remarks | Filed during the year                 | Pending resolution at the end of year | Remarks |
| Working Conditions | Nil                                  |                                       |         | Nil                                   |                                       |         |
| Health & Safety    | Nil                                  |                                       |         | Nil                                   |                                       |         |

**14. Assessments for the year :**

|                             | % of your plants and offices that were assessed<br>(by entity or statutory authorities or third parties) |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Health and safety practices | 100%                                                                                                     |
| Working Conditions          | 100%                                                                                                     |

Note – Audits happen in line with the requirements of complying with ISO 45001

**15. Provide details of any corrective action taken or underway to address safety-related incidents (if any) and on significant risks / concerns arising from assessments of health & safety practices and working conditions :**

- Implementation of Operational Control Procedures at sites
- Implementation of Monthly Safety Motivational Programs
- Uniform safety systems implemented at sites
- Adherence to compliance and statutory requirements
- Monitoring and control through audits from external certifying agencies

**PRINCIPLE 4 : Businesses should respect the interests of and be responsive to all its stakeholders****Essential Indicators****1. Describe the processes for identifying key stakeholder groups of the entity :**

Key stakeholders are identified on the basis of direct or indirect impact, they have, on the business performance or financial health of the organization. They can also be directly or indirectly influenced by the corporate decisions made by the organization. These stakeholders play very crucial role in the growth of the organization.

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

| Stakeholder Group | Whether identified as Vulnerable & Marginalized Group (Yes/No) | Channels of communication (Email, SMS, Newspaper, Pamphlets, Advertisement, Community Meetings, Notice Board, Website), Other                                                                                            | Frequency of engagement (Annually/ Half yearly/ Quarterly / others – please specify) | Purpose and scope of engagement including key topics and concerns raised during such engagement                                                                |
|-------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Employees         | No                                                             | 1. Internal communication through email platforms- Praj Connect, Corporate Communication<br>2. Quarterly Interactions by CEO                                                                                             | Quarterly                                                                            | Keep employees abreast with happenings in economy, business environment, Company specific achievements including business performance of organization          |
| Investors         | No                                                             | 1. Annual Report, Press Releases<br>2. Investor presentations<br>3. Corporate website<br>4. Quarterly & Annual results<br>5. Analysts/Investors' call, Transcripts/Recordings<br>6. Participation in investor conference | Periodically                                                                         | Investors prefer to invest in the organizations that deliver consistent performance, that are socially and environmentally responsible, follow good governance |
| Customers         | No                                                             | Face to Face meetings- plant visits, Trade Shows/conferences<br>Electronic communication- Emails, messages<br>Social Media- LinkedIn, Facebook, Twitter                                                                  | Periodically                                                                         | Keep customers updated on latest developments, new technologies etc.                                                                                           |

## PRINCIPLE 5 Businesses should respect and promote human rights

### Essential Indicators

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

| Category               | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year |                                        |             | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |                                        |             |
|------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|-------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|-------------|
|                        | Total (A)                            | No. of employees / workers covered (B) | % (B / A)   | Total (C)                             | No. of employees / workers covered (D) | % (D / C)   |
| <b>Employees</b>       |                                      |                                        |             |                                       |                                        |             |
| Permanent              | 1806                                 | 1806                                   | 100%        | 1400                                  | 1400                                   | 100%        |
| Other than permanent   | 480                                  | 480                                    | 100%        | 400                                   | 400                                    | 100%        |
| <b>Total Employees</b> | <b>2286</b>                          | <b>2286</b>                            | <b>100%</b> | <b>1800</b>                           | <b>1800</b>                            | <b>100%</b> |
| <b>Workers</b>         |                                      |                                        |             |                                       |                                        |             |
| Permanent              | 38                                   | 38                                     | 100%        | 0                                     | 0                                      | N/A         |
| Other than permanent   | 7350                                 | 7350                                   | 100%        | 6536                                  | 6536                                   | 100%        |
| <b>Total Workers</b>   | <b>7388</b>                          | <b>7388</b>                            | <b>100%</b> | <b>6536</b>                           | <b>6536</b>                            | <b>100%</b> |

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

| Category             | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year |                          |           |                           |           | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |                          |           |                           |           |
|----------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------|---------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------|---------------------------|-----------|
|                      | Total<br>(A)                         | Equal to Minimum<br>Wage |           | More than Minimum<br>Wage |           | Total<br>(D)                          | Equal to Minimum<br>Wage |           | More than<br>Minimum Wage |           |
|                      |                                      | No. (B)                  | % (B / A) | No. (C)                   | % (C / A) |                                       | No. (E)                  | % (E / D) | No. (F)                   | % (F / D) |
| Employees            |                                      |                          |           |                           |           |                                       |                          |           |                           |           |
| Permanent            |                                      |                          |           |                           |           |                                       |                          |           |                           |           |
| Male                 | 1639                                 | -                        | -         | 1639                      | 100%      | 1247                                  | -                        | -         | 1247                      | 100%      |
| Female               | 167                                  | -                        | -         | 167                       | 100%      | 153                                   | -                        | -         | 153                       | 100%      |
| Any other            | N/A                                  | N/A                      | N/A       | N/A                       | N/A       | N/A                                   | N/A                      | N/A       | N/A                       | N/A       |
| Other than Permanent |                                      |                          |           |                           |           |                                       |                          |           |                           |           |
| Male                 | 451                                  | -                        | -         | 451                       | 100%      | 353                                   |                          | 100%      | 353                       | 100%      |
| Female               | 29                                   | -                        | -         | 29                        | 100%      | 47                                    |                          | 100%      | 47                        | 100%      |
| Any other            | N/A                                  | N/A                      | N/A       | N/A                       | N/A       | N/A                                   | N/A                      | N/A       | N/A                       | N/A       |
| Workers              |                                      |                          |           |                           |           |                                       |                          |           |                           |           |
| Permanent            |                                      |                          |           |                           |           |                                       |                          |           |                           |           |
| Male                 | 38                                   | -                        | 100%      | 38                        | 100%      | N/A                                   | N/A                      | N/A       | N/A                       | N/A       |
| Female               | N/A                                  | N/A                      | N/A       | N/A                       | N/A       | N/A                                   | N/A                      | N/A       | N/A                       | N/A       |
| Any other            | N/A                                  | N/A                      | N/A       | N/A                       | N/A       | N/A                                   | N/A                      | N/A       | N/A                       | N/A       |
| Other than Permanent |                                      |                          |           |                           |           |                                       |                          |           |                           |           |
| Male                 | 7332                                 | 4840                     | 66%       | 2492                      | 33%       | 6516                                  | 4431                     | 68%       | 2085                      | 32%       |
| Female               | 18                                   | -                        | -         | 18                        | 100%      | 20                                    | 2                        | 10%       | 18                        | 90%       |
| Any other            | N/A                                  | N/A                      | N/A       | N/A                       | N/A       | N/A                                   | N/A                      | N/A       | N/A                       | N/A       |

## 3. Details of remuneration/salary/wages :

## a. Median remuneration / wages :

|                                  | Male   |                                                                 | Female |                                                                 | Any other |                                                                 |
|----------------------------------|--------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|--------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                  | Number | Median remuneration/<br>salary/ wages of<br>respective category | Number | Median remuneration/<br>salary/ wages of<br>respective category | Number    | Median remuneration/<br>salary/ wages of<br>respective category |
| Board of Directors (BoD)         | 3      | -                                                               | -      | -                                                               | -         | -                                                               |
| Key Managerial Personnel         | 1      | -                                                               | -      | -                                                               | -         | -                                                               |
| Employees other than BoD and KMP | 1639   | -                                                               | 167    | -                                                               | -         | -                                                               |
| Workers                          | 38     | -                                                               | N/A    | N/A                                                             | N/A       | N/A                                                             |

\* Please refer point no. 19 of the Directors' Report on page no. 37.

Notes – 1. Executive Chairman, CEO & MD and CFO are included in Board of Directors, they are also Key Managerial Personnel.

2. Only permanent employees are considered above.

## b. Gross wages paid to females as % of total wages paid by the entity, in the following format :

|                                                 | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |
|-------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Gross wages paid to females as % of total wages | 4.47%                                | 6.5%                                  |

## 4. Do you have a focal point (Individual/ Committee) responsible for addressing human rights impacts or issues caused or contributed to by the business? (Yes/No)

Responsibility : Human Capital department

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

Grievances are registered with Human Resource department which in turn resolves the grievance in line with set internal procedures. In addition, grievances can also be raised through 'Vigil Mechanism and Whistle Blower Policy'. The Audit Committee then appropriately and expeditiously investigates all such grievances in line with the policy for a quick resolution.

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

|                                   | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year |                                       |         | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |                                       |         |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------|
|                                   | Filed during the year                | Pending resolution at the end of year | Remarks | Filed during the year                 | Pending resolution at the end of year | Remarks |
| Sexual Harassment                 | Nil                                  | Nil                                   | N/A     | Nil                                   | Nil                                   | N/A     |
| Discrimination at workplace       | Nil                                  | Nil                                   | N/A     | Nil                                   | Nil                                   | N/A     |
| Child Labour                      | Nil                                  | Nil                                   | N/A     | Nil                                   | Nil                                   | N/A     |
| Forced Labour/Involuntary Labour  | Nil                                  | Nil                                   | N/A     | Nil                                   | Nil                                   | N/A     |
| Wages                             | Nil                                  | Nil                                   | N/A     | Nil                                   | Nil                                   | N/A     |
| Other human rights related issues | Nil                                  | Nil                                   | N/A     | Nil                                   | Nil                                   | N/A     |

**7. Complaints filed under the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013, in the following format :**

|                                                                                                                                  | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Total Complaints reported under Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013 (POSH) | Nil                                  | Nil                                   |
| Complaints on POSH as a % of female employees / workers                                                                          | Nil                                  | Nil                                   |
| Complaints on POSH upheld                                                                                                        | Nil                                  | Nil                                   |

**8. Mechanisms to prevent adverse consequences to the complainant in discrimination and harassment cases :**

Protective measures designed to shield individuals who file complaints from retaliation, further harm, or negative repercussions. These include, confidentiality protections, interim safety measures, anonymous reporting options, independent investigation processes, witness protection protocols, and legal safeguards that prohibit punitive actions against those who report misconduct in good faith.

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

Efforts are extended to implement the relevant policies with Company's Suppliers, Contractors, Company's own and associated Foundations and others within the sphere of influence. Company's Supplier's Code of Conduct covers all aspects related to protection of human rights.

**10. Assessments for the year :**

|                             | % of your plants and offices* that were assessed<br>(by entity or statutory authorities or third parties) |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Child labour                | 100%                                                                                                      |
| Forced/involuntary labour   | 100%                                                                                                      |
| Sexual harassment           | 100%                                                                                                      |
| Discrimination at workplace | 100%                                                                                                      |
| Wages                       | 100%                                                                                                      |
| Others – please specify     | N/A                                                                                                       |

\* only offices and factory premises are considered above

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

No major risks or concerns reported.

**PRINCIPLE 6 : Businesses should respect and make efforts to protect and restore the environment****Essential Indicators****1. Details of total energy consumption (in Joules or multiples) and energy intensity, in the following format :**

| Parameter                                                                                                                                                      | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| <b>From renewable sources</b>                                                                                                                                  |                                      |                                       |
| Total electricity consumption (A)                                                                                                                              | 810 GJ                               | 787 GJ                                |
| Total fuel consumption (B)                                                                                                                                     | -                                    | -                                     |
| Energy consumption through other sources (C)                                                                                                                   | -                                    | -                                     |
| <b>Total energy consumed from renewable sources (A+B+C)</b>                                                                                                    | <b>810 GJ</b>                        | <b>787 GJ</b>                         |
| <b>From non-renewable sources</b>                                                                                                                              |                                      |                                       |
| Total electricity consumption (D)                                                                                                                              | 30,353 GJ                            | 24,363 GJ                             |
| Total fuel consumption (E)                                                                                                                                     | 1,407 GJ                             | 5,045 GJ                              |
| Energy consumption through other sources (F)                                                                                                                   | -                                    | -                                     |
| <b>Total energy consumed from non-renewable sources (D+E+F)</b>                                                                                                | <b>31,760 GJ</b>                     | <b>29,408 GJ</b>                      |
| <b>Total energy consumed (A+B+C+D+E+F)</b>                                                                                                                     | <b>32,570 GJ</b>                     | <b>30,195 GJ</b>                      |
| <b>Energy intensity per rupee of turnover</b><br>(Total energy consumed / Revenue from operations)                                                             | 1008 GJ/Billion ₹                    | 860 GJ/Billion ₹                      |
| <b>Energy intensity per rupee of turnover adjusted for Purchasing Power Parity (PPP)</b><br>(Total energy consumed / Revenue from operations adjusted for PPP) | -                                    | -                                     |
| <b>Energy intensity in terms of physical output</b>                                                                                                            | -                                    | -                                     |

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

No

**2. Does the entity have any sites / facilities identified as designated consumers (DCs) under the Performance, Achieve and Trade (PAT) Scheme of the Government of India? (Y/N) If yes, disclose whether targets set under the PAT scheme have been achieved. In case targets have not been achieved, provide the remedial action taken, if any.**

No

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

| Parameter                                                                                                                                                       | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| <b>Water withdrawal by source (in kilolitres)</b>                                                                                                               |                                      |                                       |
| (i) Surface water                                                                                                                                               | -                                    | -                                     |
| (ii) Groundwater                                                                                                                                                | 27,388                               | 22,146                                |
| (iii) Third party water                                                                                                                                         | 49,143                               | 69,473                                |
| (iv) Seawater / desalinated water                                                                                                                               | -                                    | -                                     |
| (v) Others                                                                                                                                                      | -                                    | -                                     |
| <b>Total volume of water withdrawal (in kilolitres) (i + ii + iii + iv + v)</b>                                                                                 | <b>76,531</b>                        | <b>91,619</b>                         |
| <b>Total volume of water consumption (in kilolitres)</b>                                                                                                        | <b>49,904</b>                        | <b>89,787</b>                         |
| <b>Water intensity per rupee of turnover (Water consumed / turnover)</b>                                                                                        | 1545 kilolitres/Billion ₹            | 2,558 kilolitres/Billion ₹            |
| <b>Water intensity per rupee of turnover adjusted for Purchasing Power Parity (PPP)</b><br>(Total water consumption / Revenue from operations adjusted for PPP) | -                                    | -                                     |
| <b>Water intensity in terms of physical output</b>                                                                                                              | -                                    | -                                     |

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

No

4. Provide the following details related to water discharged :

| Parameter                                                                    | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| <b>Water discharge by destination and level of treatment (in kilolitres)</b> |                                      |                                       |
| (i) To Surface water                                                         |                                      |                                       |
| No treatment                                                                 | -                                    | -                                     |
| With treatment – please specify level of treatment                           | -                                    | -                                     |
| (ii) To Groundwater                                                          |                                      |                                       |
| No treatment                                                                 | -                                    | -                                     |
| With treatment – please specify level of treatment : Tertiary Treatment      | 26,627                               | 18,416                                |
| (iii) To Seawater                                                            |                                      |                                       |
| No treatment                                                                 | -                                    | -                                     |
| With treatment – please specify level of treatment                           | -                                    | -                                     |
| (iv) Sent to third-parties                                                   |                                      |                                       |
| No treatment                                                                 | -                                    | -                                     |
| With treatment – please specify level of treatment                           | -                                    | -                                     |
| (v) Others                                                                   |                                      |                                       |
| No treatment                                                                 | -                                    | -                                     |
| With treatment – please specify level of treatment                           | -                                    | -                                     |
| <b>Total water discharged (in kilolitres)</b>                                | <b>26,627</b>                        | <b>18,416</b>                         |

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

No

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

Yes, water from STP & ETP is used for gardening & flushing purposes.

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

| Parameter                           | Please specify unit | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| NOx                                 | mg/m3               | 165                                  | 261.15                                |
| SOx                                 | mg/m3               | 106                                  | 46.89                                 |
| Particulate matter (PM)             | mg/m3               | 465                                  | 211.64                                |
| Persistent organic pollutants (POP) |                     | -                                    | -                                     |
| Volatile organic compounds (VOC)    | mg/m3               | -                                    | 0.38                                  |
| Hazardous air pollutants (HAP)      |                     | -                                    | -                                     |
| Others – please specify             |                     | -                                    | -                                     |

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

No

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

| Parameter                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Unit                                        | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| <b>Total Scope 1 emissions</b> (Break-up of the GHG into CO <sub>2</sub> , CH <sub>4</sub> , N <sub>2</sub> O, HFCs, PFCs, SF <sub>6</sub> , NF <sub>3</sub> , if available)                                 | Metric tonnes of CO <sub>2</sub> equivalent | 1,610                                | 1,590                                 |
| <b>Total Scope 2 emissions</b> (Break-up of the GHG into CO <sub>2</sub> , CH <sub>4</sub> , N <sub>2</sub> O, HFCs, PFCs, SF <sub>6</sub> , NF <sub>3</sub> , if available)                                 | Metric tonnes of CO <sub>2</sub> equivalent | 5,986                                | 5,800                                 |
| <b>Total Scope 1 and Scope 2 emission intensity per rupee of turnover</b><br>(Total Scope 1 and Scope 2 GHG emissions / Revenue from operations)                                                             | Grams CO <sub>2</sub> per Rupee             | 0.23                                 | 0.08                                  |
| <b>Total Scope 1 and Scope 2 emission intensity per rupee of turnover adjusted for Purchasing Power Parity (PPP)</b><br>(Total Scope 1 and Scope 2 GHG emissions / Revenue from operations adjusted for PPP) |                                             | -                                    | -                                     |
| <b>Total Scope 1 and Scope 2 emission intensity in terms of physical output</b>                                                                                                                              |                                             | -                                    | -                                     |

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

No

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

- Solar Open Access for all locations of Praj in Maharashtra state is being explored. This will substantially reduce the Scope 2 emissions of Praj.
- Biogas unit is installed at some of the manufacturing facilities of the Company to process waste.

9. Provide details related to waste management by the entity, in the following format :

| Parameter                                                                                                                                                     | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| <b>Total Waste generated (in metric tonnes)</b>                                                                                                               |                                      |                                       |
| Plastic waste (A)                                                                                                                                             | 20.12                                | 17.91                                 |
| E-waste (B)                                                                                                                                                   | 2                                    | 2.43                                  |
| Bio-medical waste (C)                                                                                                                                         | 0.0011                               | 0.0014                                |
| Construction and demolition waste (D)                                                                                                                         | -                                    | 18                                    |
| Battery waste (E)                                                                                                                                             | -                                    | 0.66                                  |
| Radioactive waste (F)                                                                                                                                         | -                                    | -                                     |
| Other Hazardous waste. Please specify, if any. (G)<br>Empty Paint drums, Used lubricant oil & Coolant oil, ETP Sludge                                         | 45.71                                | 46.015                                |
| Other Non-hazardous waste generated (H). Please specify, if any.<br>Paper, wood & plastics                                                                    | 224.75                               | 381.54                                |
| <b>Total (A + B + C + D + E + F + G + H)</b>                                                                                                                  | <b>292.58</b>                        | <b>466.56</b>                         |
| <b>Waste intensity per rupee of turnover</b><br>(Total waste generated / Revenue from operations)                                                             | 9.06 MT/Billion ₹                    | 24.16 MT/Billion ₹                    |
| <b>Waste intensity per rupee of turnover adjusted for Purchasing Power Parity (PPP)</b><br>(Total waste generated / Revenue from operations adjusted for PPP) | -                                    | -                                     |
| <b>Waste intensity in terms of physical output</b>                                                                                                            | -                                    | -                                     |

| Parameter                                                                                                                                      | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year                                                                         | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year                                                                        |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>For each category of waste generated, total waste recovered through recycling, re-using or other recovery operations (in metric tonnes)</b> |                                                                                                              |                                                                                                              |
| <b>Category of waste</b>                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                              |                                                                                                              |
| (i) Recycled                                                                                                                                   | -                                                                                                            | -                                                                                                            |
| (ii) Re-used                                                                                                                                   | -                                                                                                            | -                                                                                                            |
| (iii) Other recovery operations                                                                                                                | -                                                                                                            | -                                                                                                            |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                                                                                   | -                                                                                                            | -                                                                                                            |
| <b>For each category of waste generated, total waste disposed by nature of disposal method (in metric tonnes)</b>                              |                                                                                                              |                                                                                                              |
| <b>Category of waste</b>                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                              |                                                                                                              |
| (i) Incineration                                                                                                                               | 4.42 KL (Used oil), 0.8 MT Containers, Waste residue containing oil 0.02 MT                                  | 2.28 KL (Used oil), 1150 nos. DP containers, Waste residue containing oil 0.01 MT                            |
| (ii) Landfilling                                                                                                                               | 4.42                                                                                                         | 20.515                                                                                                       |
| (iii) Other disposal operations                                                                                                                | Generated waste is disposed through Maharashtra Enviro Power Limited for Manufacturing location in Sanaswadi | Generated waste is disposed through Maharashtra Enviro Power Limited for Manufacturing location in Sanaswadi |

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

No

10. Briefly describe the waste management practices adopted in your establishments. Describe the strategy adopted by your Company to reduce usage of hazardous and toxic chemicals in your products and processes and the practices adopted to manage such wastes :

The Company is into the business of manufacturing plants and machinery for industrial use. Metals are used in majority of the manufacturing process with a very small proportion of non-recyclable material.

Scrap generated through Company's operations is sold to recycling vendors. The percentage of recycling of scrap is 100%. No major use of hazardous and toxic chemicals. Generated waste is disposed through agencies which are duly approved by the respective local authorities.

11. If the entity has operations/offices in/around ecologically sensitive areas (such as national parks, wildlife sanctuaries, biosphere reserves, wetlands, biodiversity hotspots, forests, coastal regulation zones etc.) where environmental approvals / clearances are required, please specify details in the following format :

| S. No. | Location of operations/offices | Type of operations | Whether the conditions of environmental approval / clearance are being complied with? (Y/N)<br>If no, the reasons thereof and corrective action taken, if any. |
|--------|--------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Nil    |                                |                    |                                                                                                                                                                |

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

| Name and brief details of project | EIA Notification No. | Date | Whether conducted by independent external agency (Yes / No) | Results communicated in public domain (Yes / No) | Relevant Web link |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------|------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|-------------------|
|-----------------------------------|----------------------|------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|-------------------|

Based on applicable laws, this is not applicable to the Company

The Company caters to the requirements of the industries. Environmental Impact Assessments (EIA) falls under the scope of the occupier of such industries. Before commencement of any such project work, Company makes sure that all the relevant approvals and permits are in place by the occupier of the premises. All the applicable EIAs are carried out by the occupier of the premises.

13. Is the entity compliant with the applicable environmental law/ regulations/ guidelines in India; such as the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, Air (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, Environment Protection Act and rules thereunder (Y/N). If not, provide details of all such non-compliances, in the following format :

Yes - the emissions/waste getting generated through the operations of the Company are within the permissible limits as set out by Central / State Pollution Control Boards.

| S. No. | Specify the law / regulation / guidelines which was not complied with | Provide details of the non-compliance | Any fines / penalties / action taken by regulatory agencies such as pollution control boards or by courts | Corrective action taken, if any |
|--------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Nil    |                                                                       |                                       |                                                                                                           |                                 |

## PRINCIPLE 7 Businesses, when engaging in influencing public and regulatory policy, should do so in a manner that is responsible and transparent

### Essential Indicators

1. a. Number of affiliations with trade and industry chambers/ associations : 14
- b. List the top 10 trade and industry chambers/ associations (determined based on the total members of such body) the entity is a member of/ affiliated to :

| S. No. | Name of the trade and industry chambers/ associations                              | Reach of trade and industry chambers/ associations (State/National) |
|--------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1      | Confederation of Indian Industries (CII)                                           | National                                                            |
| 2      | The Sugar Technologists' Association of India                                      | National                                                            |
| 3      | Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce And Industry (FICCI)                     | National                                                            |
| 4      | Association of Biotechnology Led Enterprises (ABLE)                                | National                                                            |
| 5      | Process Plant & Machinery Association of India (PPMA)                              | National                                                            |
| 6      | Council of EU Chambers of Commerce in India                                        | National                                                            |
| 7      | E-PURE : An association of stakeholders of fuel ethanol industry in European Union | International                                                       |
| 8      | Bombay Chambers of Commerce                                                        | State                                                               |
| 9      | Indo-American Chamber of Commerce                                                  | International                                                       |
| 10     | World Circular Bioeconomy Forum                                                    | International                                                       |

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

| Name of authority | Brief of the case | Corrective action taken |
|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|
| Nil               |                   |                         |

## PRINCIPLE 8 Businesses should promote inclusive growth and equitable development

### Essential Indicators

1. Details of Social Impact Assessments (SIA) of projects undertaken by the entity based on applicable laws, in the current financial year :

| Name and brief details of project | SIA Notification No. | Date of notification | Whether conducted by independent external agency (Yes / No) | Results communicated in public domain (Yes / No) | Relevant Web link |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|-------------------|
|-----------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|-------------------|

Based on applicable laws, this is not applicable to the Company

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

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

Nil

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

So far there is no such case. In order to prevent such things we follow below mentioned practices :

- Before starting any project, we interact with the beneficiaries, we understand their needs, we don't force them to be a part of the project, their participation is totally voluntary
- We ensure community ownership
- We also ensure necessary due diligence of the NGO with whom we work

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

|                                              | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |
|----------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Directly sourced from MSMEs/ small producers | 29%                                  | 33%                                   |
| Directly from within India                   | 88%                                  | 93%                                   |

### 5. Job creation in smaller towns – Disclose wages paid to persons employed (including employees or workers employed on a permanent or non-permanent / on contract basis) in the following locations, as % of total wage cost :

| Location     | FY 2024-25 (%)<br>Current Financial Year | FY 2023-24 (%)<br>Previous Financial Year |
|--------------|------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| Rural        | 26.13                                    | 25.56                                     |
| Semi-urban   | 16.04                                    | 14.27                                     |
| Urban        | 0.78                                     | 0.7                                       |
| Metropolitan | 57.05                                    | 59.47                                     |

(Place to be categorized as per RBI Classification System - rural / semi-urban / urban / metropolitan)

## PRINCIPLE 9 Businesses should engage with and provide value to their consumers in a responsible manner

### Essential Indicators

#### 1. Describe the mechanisms in place to receive and respond to consumer complaints and feedback :

Majority of our customers are industries. There are dedicated project managers for such industrial customers and proper escalation matrix is in place. Respective project manager or customer executive can log consumer / customer complaint online through customer portal. Complaints are then tracked for timely and satisfactory resolution.

Apart from this, Company carries out the Customer Satisfaction Survey periodically in order to understand overall customer feedback and to take suitable corrective actions.

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

|                                                             | As a % to total turnover                                                                                                                                                                               |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Environmental and social parameters relevant to the product | Majority of Company's products are customised and hence, it is not applicable. However, for Bio products, Company displays product information on the product label in compliance with the local laws. |
| Safe and responsible usage                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| Recycling and/or safe disposal                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                        |

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

|                                | FY 2024-25<br>Current Financial Year |                                   | Remarks                                 | FY 2023-24<br>Previous Financial Year |                                   | Remarks                      |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|
|                                | Received during the year             | Pending resolution at end of year |                                         | Received during the year              | Pending resolution at end of year |                              |
| Data Privacy                   | -                                    | -                                 | Nil                                     | -                                     | -                                 | Nil                          |
| Advertising                    | -                                    | -                                 | Nil                                     | -                                     | -                                 | Nil                          |
| Cyber-security                 | -                                    | -                                 | Nil                                     | -                                     | -                                 | Nil                          |
| Delivery of essential services | N/A                                  | N/A                               | N/A                                     | N/A                                   | N/A                               | N/A                          |
| Restrictive Trade Practices    | -                                    | -                                 | Nil                                     | -                                     | -                                 | Nil                          |
| Unfair Trade Practices         | -                                    | -                                 | Nil                                     | -                                     | -                                 | Nil                          |
| Other (Customer Complaints)    | 28                                   | 16                                | Pending complaints are under resolution | 24                                    | 2                                 | All complaints were resolved |

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

|                   | Number | Reasons for recall |
|-------------------|--------|--------------------|
| Voluntary recalls | -      | -                  |
| Forced recalls    | -      | -                  |

**5. Does the entity have a framework/ policy on cyber security and risks related to data privacy? (Yes/No) If available, provide a web-link of the policy.**

Yes

[Information-Security-Policy-2024.pdf \(praj.net\)](#)**6. Provide details of any corrective actions taken or underway on issues relating to advertising, and delivery of essential services; cyber security and data privacy of customers; re-occurrence of instances of product recalls; penalty / action taken by regulatory authorities on safety of products / services.**

Nil

**7. Provide the following information relating to data breaches :****a. Number of instances of data breaches :**

We did not have data breach during the year.

**b. Percentage of data breaches involving personally identifiable information of customers :**

0%

**c. Impact, if any, of the data breaches :**

Data breaches have demonstrated no significant impact on operations.

## ANNEXURE 6

Form No. MR-3

### SECRETARIAL AUDIT REPORT

FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31<sup>st</sup> MARCH 2025

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

The Members,  
**Praj Industries Limited,**  
"Praj Tower", S. No. 274 and 275/2,  
Bhumkar Chowk-Hinjewadi Road  
Hinjewadi, Pune 411 057

We have conducted the Secretarial Audit of the compliance of applicable statutory provisions and the adherence to good corporate practices by Praj Industries Limited (CIN : L27101PN1985PLC038031) (hereinafter called the company). The Secretarial Audit was conducted in a manner that provided us with a reasonable basis for evaluating the corporate conducts/statutory compliances and expressing our opinion thereon.

Based on our verification of the company's books, papers, minute books, forms and returns filed and other records maintained by the company and also the information, including copies of the scanned documents or soft documents in digital/ electronic mode 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 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025, subject to our specific observations, if any, substantially complied with the statutory provisions listed hereunder and also that the company has proper board-processes and compliance mechanism in place to the extent, in the manner and subject to the reporting made hereinafter :

We have examined the books, papers, minute books, forms and returns filed, and other records maintained by the Company for the financial year ended on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025, according to the provisions of :

- i. The Companies Act, 2013 (the Act) and the rules made thereunder.
- ii. The Securities Contracts (Regulation) Act, 1956 and the rules made thereunder.
- iii. The Depositories Act, 1996 and the Regulations and byelaws framed thereunder.
- iv. Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999, and the rules and regulations made thereunder to the extent of foreign direct investment.

v. The following Regulations and Guidelines prescribed under the Securities and Exchange Board of India Act, 1992 ('SEBI Act') :

- i. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Substantial Acquisition of Shares and Takeovers) Regulations, 2011.
- ii. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015.
- iii. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue of Capital and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2018; *(Not Applicable during the audit period)*
- iv. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Share Based Employee Benefits and Sweat Equity) Regulations, 2021.
- v. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Issue and Listing of Debt Securities) Regulations, 2008; *(Not Applicable during the audit period)*
- vi. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Registrars to an Issue and Share Transfer Agents) Regulations, 1993, regarding the Companies Act and dealing with clients.
- vii. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Delisting of Equity Shares) Regulations, 2021; *(Not Applicable during the audit period)*
- viii. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (Buyback of Securities) Regulations, 2018; *(Not Applicable during the audit period);*
- ix. The following other laws as applicable specifically to the company, include the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985 and the Atomic Energy Act, 1962 (limited application) as and to the extent applicable specifically to the company.

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

- i. Secretarial Standards issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India as are applicable to the company,
- ii. The Listing Agreements entered by the Company with BSE Limited / National Stock Exchange of India Limited read with SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosures Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (LODR).

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

**We further report that :**

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

In the 38<sup>th</sup> Annual General meeting held on 25<sup>th</sup> July 2024, Mrs. Parimal Chaudhari (DIN :00724911), representing Woman Director in the category of Non-Executive Director, retired by rotation and was reappointed in the same class and category. The tenure of one Independent Director, Mr. Suhas Gangadhar Baxi (DIN-00649689), ended on 7<sup>th</sup> August 2024. The Company appointed Dr. Pramod Chaudhari (DIN :00196415) as Non-Executive Chairman in the category of Non-Executive Director of the Company, on his attaining the age of seventy-five years on 26<sup>th</sup> November 2024, in a category of Director not liable to retire by rotation, for five (5) years with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2025 to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2029. One new Independent Director, Mr. Ajay Narayan Deshpande (DIN :03435179), appointed on 25<sup>th</sup> October 2024, for three (3) consecutive years till 24<sup>th</sup> October 2027. Mr. Ashish Gaikwad (DIN : 07585079) is appointed as an Additional Director of the Company with effect from 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2025, and Mr. Ashish Gaikwad is also appointed as a Managing Director-Designate with effect from 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2025 till 30<sup>th</sup> June 2025 and thereafter he will be designated as a Managing Director from 1<sup>st</sup> July 2025 till 31<sup>st</sup> January 2030.

**For KANJ & Co LLP**

Company Secretaries

**Vikas Y. Khare**

**Designated Partner**

FCS No. 3541

C P No. : 2107

Place : Pune

Date : 26<sup>th</sup> June 2025

UDIN : F003541G000645820

Firm Unique Code : P2000MH005900

Peer Review Number : PR 6309/2024

Adequate notice is given to all directors to schedule the Board Meetings and Committee Meetings, the agenda and detailed notes on the agenda were sent at least seven days in advance and as explained to us, 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.

As per the minutes of the meeting, all the decisions were taken by the requisite majority and there were no dissenting views appearing in the minutes of the meetings.

We further report that the company has adequate systems and processes commensurate with its size and operations to monitor and ensure compliance with applicable laws, rules, regulations, and guidelines.

We further report that compliances under the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, are not covered in Form MR-3. The Securities and Exchange Board of India has prescribed a separate audit report under Regulation 24A of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. The company has been provided with the Report for filing with the NSE and BSE.

We further report that during the audit period, as per the information provided and to the best of our knowledge, there were no events that may have a major bearing on the company's affairs in pursuance of the above-referred laws, rules, regulations, guidelines, and the Secretarial Standards.

## 'Annexure A'

The Members,  
**Praj Industries Limited,**  
"Praj Tower", S. No. 274 and 275/2,  
Bhumkar Chowk-Hinjewadi Road  
Hinjewadi, Pune 411 057

Our report of even date provided in Form MR-3 to Praj Industries Limited (the company) for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025 is to be read along with this letter.

1. The company's management is responsible for maintaining Secretarial records and complying with the provisions of various laws as applicable, including the laws specifically applicable to the company. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these secretarial records and legal compliances based on our audit.
2. We have followed the appropriate audit practices and processes to obtain responsible assurance about the correctness of the contents of secretarial records and legal compliance records. The verification was done on a test basis to ensure that the correct facts are reflected in secretarial and other relevant records. We believe that the processes and practices we follow provide a responsible basis for our opinion.
3. We are not required to verify the correctness and appropriateness of the company's financial records and books of accounts, as it is part of the financial audit as per the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, and we have relied upon audited accounts.
4. Wherever required, we have obtained management representation about the practices followed, compliance with laws, rules and regulations and the happening of events, etc.
5. Management is responsible for complying with corporate and other applicable laws, rules, regulations, and secretarial standards. Our examination was limited to verifying procedures on a test basis.
6. The secretarial audit report does not assure as to the company's future viability or the efficacy or effectiveness with which management has conducted its affairs.

**For KANJ & Co LLP**  
Company Secretaries

**Vikas Y. Khare**  
**Designated Partner**  
FCS No. 3541  
C P No. : 2107  
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## ANNEXURE 7

### NOMINATION & REMUNERATION POLICY

#### 1. PHILOSOPHY :

The Company strongly believes that the system of Corporate Governance protects the interest of all the stakeholders by inculcating transparent business operations and accountability from management towards fulfilling the consistently high standard of Corporate Governance in all facets of the Company's operations.

The Company is committed to provide employment to all eligible applicants on the principles of equality without any discrimination.

#### 2. OBJECTIVE :

- Transparent process of determining remuneration at Board and Senior Management level of the Company would strengthen confidence of stakeholders in the Company and its management and help in creation of long term value for them.
- Appropriate balance between the elements comprising the remuneration so as to attract potential high performing candidates for critical position in the Company for attaining continual growth in business.
- The Nomination and Remuneration Committee and this Policy shall be in compliance with Section 178 of the Companies Act, 2013 read along with the applicable rules thereto and Regulation 19(4) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (as may be amended from time to time).

#### 3. COVERAGE :

The policy is applicable to determining remuneration of :

Executive Directors

Non- Executive Directors

Key Managerial Personnel

Senior Management Personnel

In the backdrop of the above, the Board of Directors in its meeting held on 25<sup>th</sup> May, 2023, has suitably amended this Policy with immediate effect.

#### 4. DEFINITIONS :

- Board means Board of Directors of the Company.
- Key Managerial Personnel shall have the same meaning as given in Section 2(13) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with rules there under.

- "Senior Management" shall mean personnel of the Company (which include persons engaged as retainer or on contractual basis) who are members of its core management team excluding Board of Directors, comprising all members of management one level below the executive directors i.e. Level L4. Also any appointment or cessation of the functional head, shall be placed for noting by the Nomination & Remuneration Committee."

Explanation 1 : - In case of any dispute whether a person is member of Senior Management or not, decision of concerned Executive Director shall be final.

Explanation 2 : Considering the criticality of a particular function, even if a person is not covered in the above definition, the Chairman will have discretion to treat him/ her as member of Senior Management for the purpose of this Policy.

Explanation 3 : The term "Functional Head" shall mean the person, other than those in Level L4 and includes a person who is in an independent charge of any function.

The words and definitions not described herein above shall have the respective meanings under the Acts and legislations governing the same.

#### 5. TERMS OF REFERENCE/ROLE OF COMMITTEE :

The Terms of Reference of the Committee shall be :

- To identify persons who are qualified to become Directors and who may be appointed in Senior Management in accordance with the criteria laid down, recommend to the Board their appointment and removal and to carry out evaluation of every Director's performance.
- To ensure that the level and composition of remuneration is reasonable and is sufficient to attract, retain and motivate Directors of the quality required to run the Company successfully.
- To ensure that relationship of remuneration to performance in respect of Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and employees of Senior Management is clear and meets appropriate performance benchmarks; and
- To ensure that remuneration to Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and Senior Management involves a balance between fixed and variable

pay reflecting short and long-term performance objectives appropriate to the working of the Company and its goals :

- To formulate the criteria for determining qualifications of Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and employees of Senior Management, and also to determine criteria for positive attributes and independence of Directors.
- To formulate criteria for evaluation of every Director including Independent Director and the Board.
- To evaluate the performance of the members of the Board and provide necessary report to the Board for further evaluation by the Board.
- To recommend to the Board on Remuneration payable to the Directors, Key Managerial Personnel and employees of Senior Management.
- To provide to Key Managerial Personnel and Senior Management, reward linked directly to their efforts, performance, dedication and achievement relating to the Company's operations.
- To devise a policy on Board diversity from time to time.
- To develop a succession plan for the Board and to regularly review the plan.

## **6. RETIREMENT AGE OF DIRECTORS, KMP AND SENIOR MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL :**

The KMP and Senior Management Personnel shall retire as per the prevailing HR policy of the Company.

As decided by the Board of Directors in its meeting held on 24.05.2011 the retirement age for Executive Directors shall be 65 years and for Non-Executive Directors shall be 70 years. The Board of Directors shall be at liberty to grant any extension as and when required on case to case basis.

## **7. STATUTORY POWERS OF THE COMMITTEE :**

- The committee shall have a power to express opinion whether the Director possesses the requisite qualification for the practice of the profession, when remuneration is proposed to be paid for the services

to be rendered in any other capacity and such services to be rendered are of a professional nature.

- Where in any financial year during the currency of tenure of a managerial person, a Company has no profits or its profits are inadequate, the Committee may approve the payment of remuneration as per Section II of Part II of Schedule V to the Companies Act, 2013.

## **8. COMPOSITION OF COMMITTEE :**

The Committee shall comprise of at least three Non-Executive Directors, at least half of whom shall be independent Directors. The Board may appoint the Chairperson of the Company whether executive or non-executive as member of this committee.

## **9. CHAIRPERSON :**

- The Chairperson of the Committee shall be an Independent Director.
- In the absence of the Chairperson, the members of the Committee present at the meeting shall choose one of the Independent Directors amongst them to act as Chairperson.
- The Chairperson of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee shall endeavor to be present at the Annual General Meeting.

## **10. MISCELLANEOUS :**

- A member of the Committee is not entitled to be present when his or her own or his or her relative(s) remuneration is discussed at a meeting or when his or her or his or her relative(s) performance is being evaluated.
- The Committee may invite Executive Directors, functional heads and outside experts, as it considers appropriate, to be present at the meetings of the Committee.

The Company Secretary of the Company shall act as Secretary of the Committee.

# INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Members of **Praj Industries Limited**

## Report on the Audit of the Standalone Financial Statements

### Opinion

We have audited the Standalone Financial Statements of Praj Industries Limited ("the **Company**"), which comprise the Standalone Balance Sheet as at March 31, 2025, the Standalone Statement of Profit and Loss (including Other Comprehensive Income), the Standalone Statement of Changes in Equity and the Standalone Statement of Cash Flows for the year then ended, and notes to the Standalone Financial Statements, including a summary of material accounting policies and other explanatory information (hereinafter referred to as "the **Standalone Financial Statements**").

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, 2025, its profit and other comprehensive income, its changes in equity and its cash flows for the year ended on that date.

### Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing ("**SAs**") specified under section 143(10) of the Act. Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Standalone Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the Code of Ethics issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the Standalone Financial Statements under the provisions of the Act and the Rules thereunder, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the Code of Ethics.

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

### Key Audit Matters

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

| Significant accounting judgement - Revenue Recognition in respect of Engineering, Procurement and Commissioning (EPC) contracts                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | Principle Audit Procedures                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <p>The Company is engaged in the business of process and project engineering. The Company recognises revenue from contracts on satisfaction of performance obligations over a period of time in majority of the EPC contracts. Refer note 2.13 and 28 to the Standalone Financial Statements. The revenue recognition process involves significant accounting judgements including estimation of costs to complete, determining the stage of completion and the timing of revenue recognition.</p> <p>The Company recognises revenue and profit/loss as per the stage of completion, based on the proportion of contract costs incurred at the balance sheet date, relative to the total estimated costs of the contract at completion.</p> | <div><div>i.</div><div>Testing of the design and implementation of controls involved in the determination of the estimates used and recording of actual cost as well as their operating effectiveness;</div></div> <div><div>ii.</div><div>Testing a sample of contracts for appropriate identification of performance obligations and verification of contract value;</div></div> <div><div>iii.</div><div>For the sample selected, matched the contract revenue, actual invoices recorded and actual cost incurred against each project on the basis of which revenue is recognised;</div></div> <div><div>iv.</div><div>Reviewed on a test check basis significant changes in cost to complete estimates, its approval mechanism and understood the reasons for such revisions in estimates;</div></div> |

| Significant accounting judgement - Revenue Recognition in respect of Engineering, Procurement and Commissioning (EPC) contracts                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Principle Audit Procedures                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <p>The recognition of revenue and profit/loss therefore rely on estimates in relation to total estimated costs of each contract. Cost contingencies are included in these estimates to take into account specific uncertain risks, or disputed claims against the Company, arising within each contract. These contingencies are reviewed by the Management on a regular basis throughout the contract life and remeasured as appropriate.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>v. Understood the process, nature of expense heads and overheads adopted by the Company's management to estimate costs for sample contracts and checked accuracy of arithmetic formulae used in calculating the revenue w.r.t. costs incurred and total estimated costs;</li> <li>vi. Performed analytical procedures for reasonableness of revenues disclosed by type and service offerings;</li> <li>vii. We have ensured that the disclosures provided in notes are in accordance with the Ind AS 115 and Companies Act, 2013.</li> </ul> |

### Other Information

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises of the Management Discussion and Analysis; Board of Directors' Report along with its Annexures and Corporate Governance Report included in the Annual Report 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 in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information; we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

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

The Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the matters stated in section 134(5) of the Act with respect to the preparation of these Standalone Financial Statements that give a true and fair view of the financial position, financial performance (including other comprehensive income), changes in equity and cash flows of the Company in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in India, including the Indian Accounting Standards ("Ind AS") specified under section 133 of the Act read with the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015, as amended.

This responsibility also includes maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding of the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and

design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls, that were operating effectively for ensuring the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the Standalone Financial Statements that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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

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

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

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Standalone Financial Statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these Standalone 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 Standalone 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 controls relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances. Under section 143(3)(i) of the Act we are also responsible for expressing our opinion on whether the Company has adequate internal financial controls with reference to the Standalone Financial Statements 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 Standalone Financial Statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the Standalone Financial Statements, including the disclosures, and whether the Standalone 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 controls that we identify during our audit.

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

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the Standalone Financial Statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or

regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

### Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

1. As required by the Companies (Auditor's Report) Order, 2020 ("the Order"), issued by the Central Government of India in terms of sub-section (11) of section 143 of the Act, we give in the Annexure A; a statement on the matters specified in paragraphs 3 and 4 of the Order, to the extent applicable.
2. As required by Section 143(3) of the Act, we report that :
  - a) We have sought and obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit.
  - b) In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Company so far as it appears from our examination of those books except for the matters stated in the paragraph 2 i) (vi) below on reporting under Rule 11(g).
  - c) The Balance Sheet, the Statement of Profit and Loss (including other comprehensive income), the Statement of Changes in Equity and the Statement of Cash Flows 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 Indian Accounting Standards specified under Section 133 of the Act, read with Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015, as amended.
  - e) On the basis of the written representations received from the directors as on March 31, 2025 taken on record by the Board of Directors, none of the directors is disqualified as on March 31, 2025 from being appointed as a director in terms of Section 164 (2) of the Act.
  - f) With reference to the maintenance of accounts and other matters connected therewith, refer to our comment in paragraph 2 (b) above and refer to our comment in paragraph 2(i)(vi) below, on reporting under rule 11 (g).
  - g) With respect to the adequacy of the internal financial controls with reference to the Standalone Financial Statements of the Company and the operating effectiveness of such controls, refer to our separate Report in Annexure B.
  - h) As required by section 197 (16) of the Act; in our opinion and according to information and explanation

provided to us, the remuneration paid/provided by the Company to its directors for the current year is in accordance with the provisions of section 197 of the Act and remuneration paid/provided to directors is not in excess of the limit laid down under this section.

- i) With respect to the other matters to be included in the Auditor's Report in accordance with Rule 11 of the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, in our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us :
  - (i) The Company has disclosed the impact of pending litigations on its financial position in the Standalone Financial Statements – Refer Note 27.
  - (ii) The Company has made provision, as required under any law or accounting standards, for material foreseeable losses on long term revenue contracts. The Company did not have material foreseeable losses on any derivative contracts.
  - (iii) There is no delay in amount required to be transferred, to the Investor Education and Protection Fund by the Company during the year ended March 31, 2025.
  - (iv) (a) The management has represented to us that, to the best of its knowledge and belief, no funds have been advanced or loaned or invested (either from borrowed funds or share premium or any other sources or kind of funds) by the Company to or in any other person or entity, including foreign 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. Refer note 40(vii) to the Standalone Financial Statements.
  - (b) The management has represented to us, that, to the best of its knowledge and belief

no funds have been received by the Company from any person or entity, 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. Refer note 40(vii) to the Standalone Financial Statements.

- (c) Based on the information and explanation given to us and audit procedures performed as considered reasonable and appropriate in the circumstances, nothing has come to our notice that has caused us to believe that the representations made by the Management under sub-clause i) (iv)(a) and (iv)(b) above contain any material misstatement.
- (v) The dividend declared and paid during the year by the Company is in compliance with Section 123 of the Act.
- (vi) Based on our examination which included test checks, the Company, has used an accounting software, for maintaining its books of account which has a feature of recording audit trail (edit log) facility and the same has operated throughout the year for all relevant transactions recorded in the software except that no audit trail (edit log) facility/feature was enabled at the database level to log any direct changes. During our audit, so far it relates to audit trail in respect of transactions, we did not come across any instance of audit trail feature being tampered with.

Additionally, the audit trail has been preserved by the company as per the statutory requirements for record retention.

For **P G BHAGWAT LLP**  
Chartered Accountants  
Firm Registration Number : 101118W/W100682

**Abhijeet Bhagwat**  
Partner  
Membership Number : 136835  
UDIN :25136835BMLYRU1302  
Pune  
April 29, 2025

## Annexure A to the Independent Auditors' Report

Referred to in paragraph 1 under the heading, "Report on Other legal and Regulatory Requirements" of our report on even date :

- i. (a) (A) The Company is maintaining proper records showing full particulars, including quantitative details and situation of property, plant and equipment including right to use assets.  
(B) The Company is maintaining proper records showing full particulars of intangible assets.
  - (b) The Company has a policy for physical verification of its property, plant and equipment including right to use assets in a phased manner over a period of four years. In our opinion, the periodicity of physical verification is reasonable having regard to the size of the Company and the nature of its assets. In accordance with this program portion of the property, plant and equipment were verified during the year and according to the information and explanation provided to us by the Management no material discrepancies were noticed on such verification.
  - (c) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records of the Company, title deeds of immovable properties as disclosed in the Standalone Financial Statements (refer note 3) are held in the name of the Company.
  - (d) The Company has chosen cost model for its property, plant and equipment (including Right to Use Assets) and intangible assets. Consequently, the question of our commenting on whether the revaluation is based on the valuation by a Registered Valuer, or specifying the amount of change, if the change is 10% or more in the aggregate of the net carrying value of each class of property, plant and equipment (including Right to Use Assets) or intangible assets does not arise.
  - (e) According to the information and explanations provided to us, there are no proceedings that have been initiated or are pending against the Company for holding any benami property under the Prohibition of Benami Property Transactions Act, 1988 (as amended in 2016) and rules made thereunder.
- ii. (a) The inventory has been physically verified by the management during the year. For inventory lying with third parties as on the balance sheet date a confirmation statement has been obtained from such parties covering a significant portion. In our opinion, the frequency, coverage and procedure of such verification is reasonable and appropriate. The discrepancies noticed on verification between the physical stocks and the book records were not 10% or more in the aggregate for each class of inventory and have been properly dealt with in the books of account.  
(b) According to the information and explanations provided to us, the Company has been sanctioned working capital limits in excess of five crore rupees, in aggregate, from banks or financial institutions on the basis of security of current assets.

The Management of the Company has provided us with the quarterly returns or statements, which they have represented to us have been filed by the Company with their banks or financial institutions based on the sanction terms. We have compared such quarterly returns or statements with the unaudited books of account at the respective quarter end. As informed to us, the Company files quarterly return for the quarter ending on March 31, 2025, post approval of financials by the Board of Directors. Based on our procedures and in our opinion, the quarterly returns or statements filed by the Company with such banks or financial institutions are in agreement/reconciled with the books of account of the Company.

- iii. According to the information and explanations provided to us, the Company has made investments in its wholly owned subsidiary company and mutual funds/ bonds during the year. Further, the Company has provided guarantees and has granted unsecured loan to its wholly owned subsidiary companies during the year.  
(a) According to the information and explanations provided to us, during the year, the Company has provided loan and stood guarantee for its subsidiary company.

(A) & (B)

| Aggregate amount given during the year<br>(₹ Million) | Balance outstanding at the balance sheet date<br>(₹ Million) | Subsidiaries, joint ventures, associates and others | Nature of transaction |
|-------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1500.191                                              | 1902.596 (includes interest accrued)                         | Wholly owned subsidiary companies                   | Unsecured Loan        |
| 3610.345                                              | 4709.773                                                     | Wholly owned subsidiary companies                   | Corporate Guarantees  |

- (b) According to information and explanation provided to us and in our opinion, the investments made, guarantees provided and terms/conditions of the grant of all loans by the Company during the year to its wholly owned subsidiary companies are, prima facie; not prejudicial to the interest of the Company.
- (c) According to the information and explanations provided to us, in respect of loans, the schedule of repayment of principal and payment of interest have been stipulated. Repayments or receipts are as per the schedule stipulated.
- (d) According to the information and explanations provided to us and based on the terms and conditions of the loans, no amount is overdue.
- (e) According to the information and explanations provided to us, a loan granted to a wholly owned subsidiary company had fallen due during the year and fresh loan was granted to settle the dues of existing loan and meet the subsidiary's further fund requirements.

| Name of the parties | Aggregate amount of dues of existing loans settled by fresh loans<br>(₹ Millions) | Percentage of the aggregate to the total loans or advances in the nature of loans granted during the year |
|---------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Praj GenX Limited   | 42.500                                                                            | 2.83%                                                                                                     |

- (f) According to the information and explanations provided to us, the Company has not granted loans repayable on demand or without specifying any terms or period of repayment during the current year.
- iv. In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the Company has complied with the provisions of Sections 185 and 186 of the Act with respect to loans, investments, guarantees and security, as applicable.
- v. According to the information and explanations given to us, the Company has not accepted any deposits from the public within the meaning of Sections 73 to 76 of the Act and the Rules made thereunder or amounts which are deemed to be deposits. Accordingly, reporting on clause 3 (v) of the Order is not applicable.
- vi. We have broadly reviewed the cost records maintained by the Company pursuant to the Companies (Cost Records and Audit) Rules, 2014 prescribed by the Central Government under Section 148(1) of the Act, and are of the opinion that, prima facie, the prescribed records have been made and maintained. We have not, however, made a detailed examination of the records with a view to determine whether they are accurate or complete.
- vii. (a) According to the information and explanations given to us and on the basis of our examination of the records of the Company, amounts deducted/ accrued in the books of account in respect of undisputed statutory dues including Goods and Services Tax, Provident Fund, Employees' State Insurance, Income-Tax, Sales-Tax, Service Tax, Duty of Customs, Duty of Excise, Value Added Tax, Cess and any other material statutory dues have been generally regularly deposited during the year by the Company with the appropriate authorities. As explained to us, during the year, the Company did not have any dues on account of Cess.
- According to the information and explanations given to us, no undisputed amounts payable in respect of statutory dues referred in sub clause (a) above were in arrears as at March 31, 2025, for a period of more than six months from the date they became payable except for the following :

| Name of Statute                                                      | Nature of Dues              | Amount (₹) Million | Period to which amount relates | Due Date         | Date of Payment |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| The Employees' Provident Fund and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952 | Employee and Employer share | 0.043              | April 2024 to August 2024      | 15 of next month | Not Paid        |

As informed to us, late payment of Provident Fund contribution was due to pendency of linkage between employee Universal Account Number (UAN) and Aadhar Number of an employees which is a prerequisite for depositing Provident Fund contribution.

- vii. (b) According to the information and explanations given to us, there are no statutory dues referred in sub clause vii (a) above as at March 31, 2025, which have not been deposited by the Company on account of disputes, except for the following :

| Name of Statute                       | Nature of Dues                  | Amount<br>(₹ Million)     | Paid<br>under protest<br>(₹ Million) | Period to<br>which the<br>amount relates | Forum where<br>the dispute is pending                           |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
| The Maharashtra Value Added Tax, 2002 | Disallowances on set off claims | 2.785                     | 0.520                                | FY 2017-18                               | Maharashtra Sales Tax Tribunal                                  |
| The Income Tax Act, 1961              | Various disallowances           | 14.174<br>18.335<br>1.691 | Nil<br>Nil<br>Nil                    | AY 2019-20<br>AY 2020-2021<br>AY 2021-22 | CIT Appeals<br>Assistant Commissioner<br>Assistant Commissioner |

- viii. According to the information and explanations given to us and records examined by us, there are no transactions which were not recorded in the books of account and have been surrendered or disclosed as income during the year in the tax assessments under the Income Tax Act, 1961 (43 of 1961).

- ix. (a) The Company does not have any loans or borrowings. Accordingly, reporting on clause 3 (ix) (a) of the Order is not applicable.
- (b) According to the information and explanations given to us, our audit procedures and as represented to us by the management, we report that the Company has not been declared wilful defaulter by any bank or financial institution or government or any government authority.
- (c) According to the information and explanations given to us, no term loans were availed by the Company in the current year. Accordingly reporting on clause 3 (ix) (c) is not applicable.
- (d) According to the information and explanations given to us, the procedures performed by us, and on an overall examination of the Standalone Financial Statements of the Company, we report that no funds raised on short-term basis have been used for long-term purposes by the Company.
- (e) According to the information and explanations given to us and on an overall examination of the Standalone Financial Statements of the Company, we report that the Company has not taken any funds (borrowings) from any entity or person on account of or to meet the obligations of its subsidiaries. The Company does not have any associates or joint ventures.
- (f) According to the information and explanations given to us and procedures performed by us, we report that the Company has not raised loans during the year on the pledge of securities held in its subsidiaries.

The Company does not have any joint ventures or associate companies.

- x. (a) The Company has not raised moneys by way of initial public offer or further public offer (including debt instruments) during the year. Accordingly, reporting on clause 3 (x) (a) of the Order is not applicable.
- (b) According to the information and explanations given to us, the Company has not made any preferential allotment or private placement of shares or convertible debentures (fully, partially or optionally convertible) during the year. Accordingly, reporting on clause x(b) is not applicable.
- xi. (a) Based upon the audit procedures performed by us and according to the information and explanation provided to us by the management, no fraud by the Company or no fraud on the Company has been noticed or reported to us during the year.
- (b) No report under sub-section (12) of section 143 of the Companies Act has been filed in Form ADT-4 as prescribed under rule 13 of Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 with the Central Government during the year and up to the date of this report.
- (c) According to information and explanation provided to us and based on our audit procedures and enquiry with the vigil mechanism committee, there were no whistle-blower complaints received by the Company during the year and up to the date of this report.
- xii. In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the Company is not a Nidhi Company and the Nidhi Rules, 2014 are not applicable to it. Accordingly, reporting on clause 3 (xii) (a), (b) & (c) of the Order is not applicable.
- xiii. According to the information and explanations given to us and based on our examination of the records of the Company, transactions with related parties are in

compliance with Sections 177 and 188 of the Act, where applicable, and the details of transactions have been disclosed in the Standalone Financial Statements as required by Ind AS 24 'Related Party Disclosures'. Refer note 30 to the Standalone Financial Statements.

- xiv. (a) According to the information and explanations given to us and in our opinion, the Company has an internal audit system commensurate with the size and nature of its business.
- (b) We have taken into consideration the reports made available to us by the management of the Internal Auditors for the period under audit.
- xv. According to the information and explanations given to us and based on our examination of the records of the Company, the Company has not entered into any non-cash transactions with the directors or persons connected with them during the year. Accordingly, reporting on clause 3(xv) of the Order is not applicable.
- xvi. (a) In our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us, the Company is not required to be registered under Section 45-IA of the Reserve Bank of India, 1934. Accordingly, reporting on clause 3(xvi) (b) & (c) of the Order is not applicable.
- (d) According to the information and explanations given to us, there is no Core Investment Company within the Group.
- xvii. The Company has not incurred cash losses in the current financial year and in the immediately preceding financial year.
- xviii. There has been no resignation of the statutory auditors during the year. Accordingly, reporting on clause 3 (xviii) of the Order is not applicable.

- xix. 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.

- xx. (a) There are no unspent amounts towards Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) on other than ongoing projects requiring a transfer to a Fund specified in Schedule VII to the Companies Act in compliance with second proviso to sub-section (5) of Section 135 of the said Act. Accordingly, reporting under clause 3(xx)(a) of the Order is not applicable for the year.
- (b) According to the information and explanations given to us, there is no amount remaining unspent towards Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) under sub-section (6) of section 135 of the Act, pursuant to any ongoing project. Accordingly, reporting on clause 3 (xx) (b) is not applicable.

For **P G BHAGWAT LLP**  
Chartered Accountants  
Firm Registration Number : 101118W/W100682

**Abhijeet Bhagwat**  
Partner  
Membership Number : 136835  
UDIN : 25136835BMLYRU1302  
Pune  
April 29, 2025

## Annexure B to the Independent Auditors' Report

Referred to in paragraph 2 (g) under the heading, "Report on Other legal and Regulatory Requirements" of our report on even date :

### Report on the Internal Financial Controls with reference to Standalone Financial Statements under Clause (i) of Sub-section 3 of Section 143 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act")

We have audited the internal financial controls with reference to the Standalone Financial Statements of **Praj Industries Limited** ("the **Company**") as of March 31, 2025 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 controls over financial reporting criteria established by the Company considering the essential components of internal controls stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. These responsibilities include the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls that were operating effectively for ensuring the orderly and efficient conduct of its business, including adherence to Company's policies, the safeguarding of its assets, the prevention and detection of frauds and errors, the accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, and the timely preparation of reliable financial information, as required under the Act.

### Auditors' Responsibility

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

Our audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the adequacy of the internal financial controls with reference to the Standalone Financial Statements and their operating effectiveness. Our audit of internal financial controls

with reference to the Standalone Financial Statements included obtaining an understanding of internal financial controls with reference to the Standalone Financial Statements, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, and testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of internal controls based on the assessed risk. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the Standalone 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 with reference to the Standalone Financial Statements.

### Meaning of Internal Financial controls with reference to the Standalone Financial Statements

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

### Inherent Limitations of Internal Financial Controls with reference to the Standalone Financial Statements

Because of the inherent limitations of internal financial controls with reference to the Standalone Financial Statements, including the possibility of collusion or improper management override of controls, material misstatements due to error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projections of any evaluation of the internal financial controls with reference to the Standalone Financial Statements to future periods are subject to the risk that the internal financial controls with reference to

the Standalone Financial Statements 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, adequate internal financial controls with reference to the Standalone Financial Statements and such internal financial

controls with reference to the Standalone Financial Statements were operating effectively as at March 31, 2025, based on the internal controls over financial reporting criteria established by the Company considering the essential components of internal controls stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal Financial Controls Over Financial Reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.

For **P G BHAGWAT LLP**

Chartered Accountants

Firm Registration Number : 101118W/W100682

**Abhijeet Bhagwat**

Partner

Membership Number : 136835

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Pune

April 29, 2025

# Standalone Balance Sheet as at 31 March 2025

(All amounts are in Indian rupees million unless otherwise stated)

| Particulars                                                                                 | Note no. | 31 March 2025    | 31 March 2024    |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|------------------|------------------|
| <b>ASSETS</b>                                                                               |          |                  |                  |
| <b>Non-current assets</b>                                                                   |          |                  |                  |
| Property, plant and equipment                                                               | 3        | 2360.627         | 2358.739         |
| Capital work-in-progress                                                                    | 3        | 134.140          | 22.222           |
| Intangible assets                                                                           | 3        | 573.779          | 38.937           |
| Intangible assets under development                                                         | 3        | 4.601            | 401.546          |
| Financial assets                                                                            |          |                  |                  |
| Investments                                                                                 | 4        | 2167.688         | 2514.567         |
| Loans                                                                                       | 11       | 1567.500         | -                |
| Others                                                                                      | 5        | 253.788          | 261.392          |
| Other assets                                                                                | 6        | 28.340           | 3.333            |
|                                                                                             |          | <b>7090.463</b>  | <b>5600.736</b>  |
| <b>Current assets</b>                                                                       |          |                  |                  |
| Inventories                                                                                 | 7        | 2206.023         | 1704.820         |
| Financial assets                                                                            |          |                  |                  |
| Investments                                                                                 | 4        | 3464.241         | 3851.333         |
| Trade receivables                                                                           | 8        | 4299.321         | 4948.000         |
| Cash and cash equivalents                                                                   | 9        | 650.972          | 1071.602         |
| Other bank balances                                                                         | 10       | 473.381          | 302.900          |
| Loans                                                                                       | 11       | 220.691          | 798.500          |
| Others                                                                                      | 5        | 153.236          | 170.385          |
| Current tax asset (net)                                                                     | 25E      | 98.219           | 74.310           |
| Other assets                                                                                | 6        | 9183.375         | 6705.710         |
| Asset classified as held for sale                                                           | 3        | -                | 136.928          |
|                                                                                             |          | <b>20749.459</b> | <b>19764.488</b> |
| <b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>                                                                         |          | <b>27839.922</b> | <b>25365.224</b> |
| <b>EQUITY AND LIABILITIES</b>                                                               |          |                  |                  |
| <b>EQUITY</b>                                                                               |          |                  |                  |
| Equity share capital                                                                        | 12       | 367.626          | 367.626          |
| Other equity                                                                                | 13       | 13771.422        | 12243.302        |
| <b>TOTAL EQUITY</b>                                                                         |          | <b>14139.048</b> | <b>12610.928</b> |
| <b>LIABILITIES</b>                                                                          |          |                  |                  |
| <b>Non-current liabilities</b>                                                              |          |                  |                  |
| Financial liabilities                                                                       |          |                  |                  |
| Lease Liabilities                                                                           | 31       | 290.888          | 213.891          |
| Other financial liabilities                                                                 | 16       | 14.296           | -                |
| Provisions                                                                                  | 14       | 170.671          | 160.986          |
| Deferred tax liabilities (net)                                                              | 25D      | 30.102           | 13.032           |
|                                                                                             |          | <b>505.957</b>   | <b>387.909</b>   |
| <b>Current liabilities</b>                                                                  |          |                  |                  |
| Financial liabilities                                                                       |          |                  |                  |
| Trade payables                                                                              | 15       |                  |                  |
| (i) Total outstanding dues of micro enterprises and small enterprises                       |          | 653.698          | 711.504          |
| (ii) Total outstanding dues of creditors other than micro enterprises and small enterprises |          | 3082.079         | 3184.793         |
| Lease Liabilities                                                                           | 31       | 135.080          | 189.165          |
| Other financial liabilities                                                                 | 16       | 393.772          | 562.070          |
| Other current liabilities                                                                   | 17       | 8605.931         | 6995.712         |
| Provisions                                                                                  | 14       | 189.670          | 543.719          |
| Current tax liabilities (net)                                                               | 25E      | 134.687          | 179.424          |
|                                                                                             |          | <b>13194.917</b> | <b>12366.387</b> |
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>                                                                    |          | <b>13700.874</b> | <b>12754.296</b> |
| <b>TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES</b>                                                         |          | <b>27839.922</b> | <b>25365.224</b> |
| Corporate Information                                                                       | 1        |                  |                  |
| Summary of material accounting policies                                                     | 2        |                  |                  |
| The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.                    |          |                  |                  |

As per our report of even date.

**For P G BHAGWAT LLP**  
Chartered Accountants  
Firm Regn. No : 101118W/W100682

**Abhijeet Bhagwat**  
Partner  
Membership No. : 136835

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors of Praj Industries Limited

**Dr. Pramod Chaudhari**  
Chairman  
(DIN : 00196415)

**Shishir Joshipura**  
CEO and Managing Director  
(DIN : 00574970)

**Sachin Raole**  
CFO and Director- Resources  
(DIN : 00431438)

**Anant Bavare**  
Company Secretary  
(M.No. : ACS21405)

Place : Pune  
Date : 29 April 2025

# Standalone Statement of Profit and Loss for the year ended 31 March 2025

(All amounts are in Indian rupees million unless otherwise stated)

| Particulars                                                              | Note no. | 31 March 2025    | 31 March 2024    |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|------------------|------------------|
| <b>INCOME</b>                                                            |          |                  |                  |
| Revenue from operations                                                  | 18       | 27446.636        | 29895.643        |
| Other income                                                             | 19       | 609.403          | 684.637          |
| <b>Total income</b>                                                      |          | <b>28056.039</b> | <b>30580.280</b> |
| <b>EXPENSES</b>                                                          |          |                  |                  |
| Cost of materials consumed                                               | 20       | 14545.889        | 17294.886        |
| Changes in inventories of finished goods and work-in-progress            | 21       | (0.706)          | 566.580          |
| Employee benefits expense                                                | 22       | 2884.690         | 2749.045         |
| Finance costs                                                            | 23       | 40.289           | 40.304           |
| Depreciation and amortisation expense                                    | 3        | 451.867          | 360.245          |
| Exchange (gain) / loss                                                   |          | (113.220)        | (154.597)        |
| Other expenses                                                           | 24       | 7031.959         | 6076.324         |
| <b>Total expenses</b>                                                    |          | <b>24840.768</b> | <b>26932.787</b> |
| <b>Profit before exceptional items and tax</b>                           |          | <b>3215.271</b>  | <b>3647.493</b>  |
| Exceptional items                                                        | 43       | 281.572          | -                |
| <b>Profit before tax</b>                                                 |          | <b>3496.843</b>  | <b>3647.493</b>  |
| <b>Tax expense</b>                                                       | 25       |                  |                  |
| Current tax                                                              |          | 836.377          | 803.564          |
| Deferred tax                                                             |          | 24.359           | 64.530           |
| Adjustments of tax relating to earlier periods                           |          | (8.173)          | (24.826)         |
| <b>Total tax expense</b>                                                 |          | <b>852.563</b>   | <b>843.268</b>   |
| <b>Profit for the year</b>                                               |          | <b>2644.280</b>  | <b>2804.225</b>  |
| <b>Other comprehensive income</b>                                        |          |                  |                  |
| <b>Items that will not be reclassified to profit and loss :</b>          |          |                  |                  |
| Re-measurement of defined benefit plans                                  |          | (31.973)         | (48.661)         |
| Income tax effect                                                        |          | 8.047            | 12.247           |
| <b>Items that will be reclassified to profit and loss</b>                |          |                  |                  |
| Debt instruments through other comprehensive income                      |          | 3.011            | 0.249            |
| Income tax effect                                                        |          | (0.758)          | (0.063)          |
| <b>Other comprehensive income</b>                                        |          | <b>(21.673)</b>  | <b>(36.228)</b>  |
| <b>Total comprehensive income for the year</b>                           |          | <b>2622.607</b>  | <b>2767.997</b>  |
| <b>Earnings per equity share (Nominal value per share ₹ 2 each)</b>      | 26       |                  |                  |
| Basic                                                                    |          | 14.39            | 15.26            |
| Diluted                                                                  |          | 14.39            | 15.26            |
| Corporate Information                                                    | 1        |                  |                  |
| Summary of material accounting policies                                  | 2        |                  |                  |
| The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements. |          |                  |                  |

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# Standalone Statement of Cash Flows for the year ended 31 March 2025

(All amounts are in Indian rupees million unless otherwise stated)

| Particulars                                                            | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>A. Cash flow from operating activities</b>                          |                 |                 |
| Net profit before tax                                                  | 3496.843        | 3647.493        |
| <b>Adjustments for :</b>                                               |                 |                 |
| Loss / (profit) on sale of property, plant and equipment               | (282.417)       | (2.071)         |
| Gain on redemption of mutual fund investments                          | (185.178)       | (116.120)       |
| Bad debts / provision for doubtful debts and advances                  | 216.901         | 192.322         |
| Excess provision / creditors written back (including advances)         | (26.323)        | (1.857)         |
| Unrealised foreign exchange (gain) / loss (net)                        | (78.060)        | (109.517)       |
| Depreciation and amortisation                                          | 451.867         | 360.245         |
| Interest earned                                                        | (271.200)       | (155.281)       |
| Unrealised gain on mutual fund investments                             | (92.600)        | (148.502)       |
| Dividend from mutual fund / Subsidiary                                 | -               | (250.000)       |
| Interest on Lease Liability                                            | 34.414          | 37.436          |
| Equity-settled share-based payment transactions                        | 8.392           | -               |
| <b>Operating profit before working capital changes</b>                 | <b>3272.639</b> | <b>3454.148</b> |
| <b>Changes in working capital</b>                                      |                 |                 |
| Decrease/ (increase) in trade receivables                              | 479.573         | 188.610         |
| (Increase)/decrease in inventories (including contracts in progress)   | (2669.521)      | 433.591         |
| (Increase)/decrease in other non-current financial assets              | (31.582)        | (175.166)       |
| Decrease/(increase) in other non-current assets                        | (24.774)        | 8.748           |
| (Increase)/decrease in current financial assets-others                 | (4.713)         | 56.037          |
| Decrease/(increase) in other current assets                            | (310.033)       | (350.602)       |
| (Decrease)/increase in trade payables                                  | (133.681)       | (545.583)       |
| (Decrease) in other non-current financial liabilities                  | 14.296          | -               |
| (Decrease) in other current financial liabilities                      | (184.068)       | 202.337         |
| (Decrease)/increase in other current liabilities                       | 1610.218        | (720.096)       |
| (Decrease)/Increase in long term provisions                            | (22.288)        | (3.893)         |
| (Decrease)/Increase in short term provisions                           | (354.049)       | 145.892         |
| <b>Cash generated from operations</b>                                  | <b>1642.017</b> | <b>2694.024</b> |
| Direct taxes paid (including taxes deducted at source), net of refunds | (896.850)       | (916.025)       |
| <b>NET CASH FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>                              | <b>745.167</b>  | <b>1777.999</b> |

# Standalone Statement of Cash Flows for the year ended 31 March 2025

(All amounts are in Indian rupees million unless otherwise stated)

| Particulars                                                                                                                | 31 March 2025     | 31 March 2024     |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| <b>B. Cash flow from investing activities</b>                                                                              |                   |                   |
| Purchase of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets                                                            | (460.780)         | (671.871)         |
| <b>Purchase of Investments</b>                                                                                             |                   |                   |
| - in subsidiaries                                                                                                          | (0.720)           | (0.500)           |
| - in mutual funds                                                                                                          | (6656.420)        | (4003.210)        |
| - in debentures & bonds                                                                                                    | -                 | (347.079)         |
| <b>Sale of investments</b>                                                                                                 |                   |                   |
| - in mutual funds                                                                                                          | 7421.388          | 5111.577          |
| - in debentures and bonds                                                                                                  | 250.512           | 285.801           |
| Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment                                                                        | 431.928           | 5.937             |
| Interest received on investments                                                                                           | 161.452           | 133.148           |
| Dividend received on investments/ from subsidiary                                                                          | 8.994             | 250.000           |
| Loans Given to Subsidiary                                                                                                  | (989.691)         | (798.500)         |
| (Investment) /redemption in fixed deposits                                                                                 | (19.689)          | (266.536)         |
| <b>NET CASH FROM / (USED) IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                                      | <b>146.974</b>    | <b>(301.233)</b>  |
| <b>C. Cash flow from financing activities</b>                                                                              |                   |                   |
| Proceeds from exercise of employee stock options                                                                           | -                 | 9.000             |
| Dividend paid                                                                                                              | (1102.192)        | (826.601)         |
| Interest on Lease Liability                                                                                                | (34.414)          | (37.436)          |
| Principal payment on Leases                                                                                                | (217.611)         | (185.490)         |
| <b>NET CASH FROM / (USED) IN FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                                      | <b>(1354.217)</b> | <b>(1040.527)</b> |
| <b>Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents (A+B+C)</b>                                                        | <b>(462.076)</b>  | <b>436.239</b>    |
| <b>Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year (Refer Note 9)</b>                                               | <b>1071.602</b>   | <b>590.807</b>    |
| Add : effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents                                                         | 41.446            | 44.556            |
| <b>Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year (Refer Note 9)</b>                                                     | <b>650.972</b>    | <b>1071.602</b>   |
| <b>Notes :</b>                                                                                                             |                   |                   |
| Cash outflow related to Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activities disclosed in Note No. 35                          |                   |                   |
| The statement of cash flows has been prepared under the 'Indirect method' as set out in Ind AS 7 - Statement of Cash Flows |                   |                   |

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# Standalone Statement of Changes in Equity for the year ended 31 March 2025

(All amounts are in Indian rupees million unless otherwise stated)

## A. Equity share capital

|  | Balance as on 1 April 2023 | Changes in equity share capital during the year | Balance as on 31 March 2024 |
|--|----------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
|  | 367.426                    | 0.200                                           | 367.626                     |
|  |                            |                                                 |                             |
|  | Balance as on 1 April 2024 | Changes in equity share capital during the year | Balance as on 31 March 2025 |
|  | 367.626                    | -                                               | 367.626                     |

## B. Other equity

| Particulars                                                               | Reserves and Surplus |                                  |                                  |                                        |                                                          |                    | Debt instru-<br>ments<br>through<br>Other<br>Compre-<br>hensive<br>Income | Total     |                      |                              |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|------------------------------|
|                                                                           | Other Reserves       |                                  |                                  | Share option<br>outstanding<br>account | Special<br>Economic<br>Zone Re-<br>investment<br>Reserve | General<br>reserve |                                                                           |           | Retained<br>earnings |                              |
|                                                                           | Capital<br>Reserve   | Securities<br>Premium<br>Reserve | Capital<br>redemption<br>reserve |                                        |                                                          |                    |                                                                           |           |                      | Amalga-<br>mation<br>reserve |
|                                                                           |                      |                                  |                                  |                                        |                                                          |                    |                                                                           |           |                      |                              |
| Balance at the beginning of<br>the reporting period as at 1<br>April 2023 | 0.033                | 1040.147                         | 14.627                           | 3.063                                  | 26.571                                                   | 163.000            | 956.511                                                                   | 8094.412  | 10294.427            |                              |
| Profit for the year                                                       | -                    | -                                | -                                | -                                      | -                                                        | -                  | -                                                                         | 2804.225  | 2804.225             |                              |
| Other comprehensive income                                                | -                    | -                                | -                                | -                                      | -                                                        | -                  | -                                                                         | (36.414)  | (36.226)             |                              |
| Dividends                                                                 | -                    | -                                | -                                | -                                      | -                                                        | -                  | -                                                                         | (827.924) | (827.924)            |                              |
| Employee stock options<br>exercised during the year                       | -                    | 35.371                           | -                                | -                                      | -                                                        | -                  | -                                                                         | -         | 35.371               |                              |
| Equity settled share based<br>payment to employees                        | -                    | -                                | -                                | -                                      | (26.571)                                                 | -                  | -                                                                         | -         | (26.571)             |                              |
| Transfer to/from Special<br>Economic Zone Re-<br>investment Reserve       | -                    | -                                | -                                | -                                      | -                                                        | (163.000)          | -                                                                         | 163.000   | -                    |                              |
| Balance as at 31 March 2024                                               | 0.033                | 1075.518                         | 14.627                           | 3.063                                  | -                                                        | -                  | 956.511                                                                   | 10197.301 | 12243.302            |                              |

# Standalone Statement of Changes in Equity for the year ended 31 March 2025

(All amounts are in Indian rupees million unless otherwise stated)

| Particulars                                                         | Reserves and Surplus |                            |                            |                      |                                  |                                             | Debt instruments through Other Comprehensive Income | Total             |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|-------------------|
|                                                                     | Capital Reserve      | Securities Premium Reserve | Capital redemption reserve | Amalgamation reserve | Share option outstanding account | Special Economic Zone Re-investment Reserve | General reserve                                     | Retained earnings |
| Balance at the beginning of the reporting period as at 1 April 2024 | 0.033                | 1075.518                   | 14.627                     | 3.063                | -                                | -                                           | 956.511                                             | 10197.301         |
| Profit for the year                                                 | -                    | -                          | -                          | -                    | -                                | -                                           | -                                                   | 2644.280          |
| Other comprehensive income                                          | -                    | -                          | -                          | -                    | -                                | -                                           | -                                                   | (23.926)          |
| Dividends                                                           | -                    | -                          | -                          | -                    | -                                | -                                           | -                                                   | (1102.879)        |
| Employee stock options exercised during the year                    | -                    | -                          | -                          | -                    | 8.392                            | -                                           | -                                                   | -                 |
| Balance as at 31 March 2025                                         | 0.033                | 1075.518                   | 14.627                     | 3.063                | 8.392                            | -                                           | 956.511                                             | 11714.776         |
|                                                                     |                      |                            |                            |                      |                                  |                                             | (1.498)                                             | 13771.422         |

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# Notes to the Standalone Financial Statements for the year ended 31 March 2025

## 1 The corporate overview

Praj Industries Limited ('PIL' or 'the Company') is a public company domiciled in India and incorporated under the provisions of Indian Companies Act. The Company's registered office is at "Praj Tower", S. No. 274 and 275/2, Bhumkar Chowk-Hinjewadi Road, Hinjewadi, Pune – 411057, Maharashtra, India. The Company's Equity Shares are listed on BSE Ltd. and National Stock Exchange of India Ltd.

The Company is engaged in the business of process and project engineering. The Company caters to both domestic and international markets. Further, the Company also provides design and engineering services.

## 2 Material accounting policies

This note provides a list of the material accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these financial statements. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

### 2.1 Basis of preparation

The financial statements of the Company comply in all material aspects with Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) notified under Section 133 of Companies Act, 2013 (the Act), [Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015] and other relevant provisions of the Act. The Company has elected to present gains and losses arising from foreign exchange differences in a separate line item "Exchange (gain)/ loss" on the face of the statement of profit and loss.

The financial statements were authorised for issue by the Board of Directors on 29 April 2025.

### 2.2 Basis of measurement

The financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis, except for the following items, which are measured on an alternative basis on each reporting date.

| Items                                                                                                                                | Measurement basis     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Derivative financial instruments at fair value through profit and loss                                                               | Fair value            |
| Certain non-derivative financial instruments at fair value through profit and loss and fair value through other comprehensive income | Fair value            |
| Equity-settled share-based payment transactions                                                                                      | Grant date fair value |
| Defined benefit plan assets                                                                                                          | Fair value            |

### 2.3 Functional and presentation currency

These financial statements are presented in Indian Rupees (₹), which is the Company's functional currency. All amounts are presented in millions and are rounded off to three decimal places, as per the requirements of Schedule III to the Act, unless otherwise stated.

### 2.4 Significant accounting judgments, estimates and assumptions

The preparation of the standalone financial statements in conformity with Ind AS requires the management to make certain judgments, estimates and assumptions. These judgments, estimates and assumptions affect the reported amounts of revenue, expenses, current assets, non-current assets, current liabilities, non-current liabilities and disclosure of the contingent liabilities at the end of each reporting period. Uncertainty about these assumptions and estimates could result in outcomes that require a material adjustment to the carrying amount of assets or liabilities effected in future periods.

Detailed information about each of these estimates and judgements is included in relevant notes.

**The areas involving critical estimates and judgements are :**

- **Estimation of defined benefit obligation – Note 32**

The cost of the defined benefit gratuity, and the present value of the gratuity obligation are determined using actuarial valuations. An actuarial valuation involves making various assumptions that may differ from actual developments in the future. Information about the various estimates and assumptions made in determining the present value of defined benefit obligations are disclosed in note 32.

# Notes to the Standalone Financial Statements for the year ended 31 March 2025

- **Recognition of revenue – Note 28**

The Company uses the percentage-of-completion method in accounting for fixed-price contracts for projects. Use of the percentage-of-completion method requires the Company to determine the actual efforts or costs expended to date as a proportion of the estimated total efforts or costs to be incurred. Efforts or costs expended are used to measure progress towards completion as there is a direct relationship between input and productivity. The estimation of total efforts or costs involves significant judgment and is assessed throughout the period of the contract to reflect any changes based on the latest available information.

- **Recognition of deferred tax assets – Note 25**

The Company uses judgement based on the relevant rulings in the areas of allocation of revenue, costs, allowances and disallowances in determining the provision for income tax. The Company exercises its judgement to reassess the carrying amount of deferred tax assets at the end of each reporting period.

- **Impairment of trade receivables – Note 37**

The Company uses a simplified approach for recognising expected credit loss. The amount of provision depends on certain parameters set by the Company in its provisioning policy. The setting up of parameters requires significant judgement and estimation. The same is reviewed by the management at a regular frequency.

Estimation and underlying assumptions are reviewed on ongoing basis. Revisions to estimates are recognised prospectively.

## 2.5 Current versus non-current classification

Any asset or liability is classified as current if it satisfies any of the following conditions :

- the asset/liability is expected to be realised/ settled in the Company's normal operating cycle;
- the asset is intended for sale or consumption;
- the asset/liability is held primarily for the purpose of trading;
- the asset/liability is expected to be realised/ settled within twelve months after the reporting period;
- the asset is cash or cash equivalent unless it is restricted from being exchanged or used to settle a liability for at least twelve months after the reporting date;
- in the case of a liability, the Company does not have an unconditional right to defer settlement of the liability for at least twelve months after the reporting date.

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

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

For the purpose of current/non-current classification of assets and liabilities, the Company has ascertained its normal operating cycle as twelve months. This is based on the nature of services and the time between the acquisition of assets or inventories for processing and their realisation in cash and cash equivalents.

## 2.6 Property, plant and equipment

- **Recognition and measurement**

An item of property, plant and equipment (PPE) that qualifies as an asset is measured at cost of acquisition or construction less accumulated depreciation and/or accumulated impairment loss, if any.

The cost of an item of PPE comprises of its purchase price net of discounts, if any including import duties and other non-refundable taxes or levies and directly attributable cost of bringing the asset to its working condition for its intended use. Borrowing costs directly attributable to the construction of a qualifying asset are capitalised as part of the cost.

PPE under construction is disclosed as capital work-in-progress.

Advances paid towards the acquisition of PPE outstanding at each reporting date are disclosed under 'Other non-current assets'.

# Notes to the Standalone Financial Statements for the year ended 31 March 2025

- **Subsequent costs**

Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognised as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Company and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of any component accounted for as a separate asset is derecognised when replaced. The costs of the day-to-day servicing of PPE are recognised in the statement of profit and loss as incurred.

- **Disposal**

An item of PPE is derecognised upon disposal or when no future benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Net gains and losses on disposal of an item of PPE are determined by comparing the proceeds from disposal with the carrying amount of PPE, and are recognised within other income/ expenses in the statement of profit and loss.

- **Depreciation**

Depreciation is calculated over the depreciable amount, which is the cost of an asset, or other amount substituted for cost, less its residual value. Depreciation is recognised in the statement of profit and loss on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of each part of an item of PPE as prescribed in Schedule II of the Companies Act, 2013, or as assessed by the management of the Company based on technical evaluation. Freehold land is not depreciated.

PPE acquired under leases is depreciated over the shorter of the lease term and their useful lives unless it is reasonably certain that the Company will obtain ownership by the end of the lease term.

The estimated useful lives of items of PPE is mentioned below :

| Asset                          | Useful life (in years) |
|--------------------------------|------------------------|
| Buildings                      | 30-60                  |
| Plant and machinery            | 7.5-15                 |
| Computers and office equipment | 3-5                    |
| Vehicles                       | 8                      |
| Furniture and fixtures         | 10                     |

## 2.7 Intangible assets

- **Recognition and measurement**

Intangible assets are recognised when the asset is identifiable, is within the control of the Company, it is probable that the future economic benefits that are attributable to the asset will flow to the Company and cost of the asset can be reliably measured.

Intangible assets are stated at original cost net of tax/duty credits availed, if any, less accumulated amortisation and cumulative impairment. All directly attributable costs and other administrative and other general overhead expenses that are specifically attributable to acquisition of intangible assets are allocated and capitalised as a part of the cost of the intangible assets.

### Internally generated intangible asset

- Research costs are charged to the statement of profit and loss in the year in which they are incurred.
- Development costs incurred on new products including pilot plants are recognised as intangible assets, when :
  - a. feasibility has been established,
  - b. the Company has committed technical, financial and other resources to complete the development, and
  - c. it is probable that the asset will generate future economic benefits.
- Development expenditure that does not meet the above criteria is expensed in the period in which it is incurred.
- Intangible assets not ready for the intended use on the date of the Balance Sheet are disclosed as "Intangible assets under development" and amortisation is not charged on until development is complete.

# Notes to the Standalone Financial Statements for the year ended 31 March 2025

- The cost of an internally generated intangible asset is the sum of directly attributable expenditure incurred from the date when the intangible asset first meets the recognition criteria to the completion of its development.
- Interest costs incurred on qualifying assets are capitalized until the date the asset is ready for its intended use. If the borrowings are specifically for financing the asset, interest on these borrowings is capitalized. If the borrowings are general, the cost computed on the weighted average rate is capitalized.
- Internally generated intangible asset is measured at cost less accumulated amortisation and impairment, if any.
- Amortisation is not recorded on product engineering in progress until development is complete.

## • Subsequent measurement

Subsequent expenditure is capitalised only when it increases the future economic benefits embodied in the specific asset to which it relates.

## • Amortisation

Intangible Assets with finite lives are amortised on a Straight-Line basis over the estimated useful economic life. Amortisation is calculated on the cost of the asset, or other amount substituted for cost, less its residual value. The amortisation expense on intangible assets with finite lives is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss. The estimated useful life of intangible assets is mentioned below :

| Asset                                  | Useful life  |
|----------------------------------------|--------------|
| Technical know-how                     | 5 - 10 years |
| Software                               | 5 years      |
| Demo / Pilot Plants for new technology | 5 - 10 years |

Intangible assets with indefinite useful lives are not amortised, but are tested for impairment annually, either individually or at the cash-generating unit level.

## 2.8 Investment property

Property that is held for long-term rental yields or for capital appreciation or both, and that is not occupied by the Company, is classified as investment property.

Investment property is initially measured and reported at cost, including transaction costs and borrowing cost capitalised for qualifying assets, in accordance with the Company's accounting policy. The cost of investment property includes its purchase price and directly attributable expenditure, if any.

Policies with respect to subsequent depreciation, useful life and disposal are followed on the same basis as stated for Property, Plant and Equipment vide 2.6 above.

## 2.9 Non-current asset held for sale

Non-current assets are classified as held for sale if their carrying amount is intended to be recovered principally through a sale (rather than through continuing use) when the asset is available for immediate sale in its present condition subject only to terms that are usual and customary for sale of such asset and the sale is highly probable and is expected to qualify for recognition as a completed sale within one year from the date of classification.

Non-current assets classified as held for sale are measured at lower of their carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell.

## 2.10 Impairment of non-financial assets

The Company assesses at each balance sheet date whether there is any indication that an asset or cash generating unit (CGU) may be impaired. If any such indication exists, the Company estimates the recoverable amount of the asset. The recoverable amount is the higher of an assets or CGU's fair value less costs of disposal or its value in use. Where the carrying amount of an asset or CGU exceeds its recoverable amount, the asset is considered impaired and is written down to its recoverable amount.

In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. In determining fair value less costs of disposal, recent market transactions are considered.

# Notes to the Standalone Financial Statements for the year ended 31 March 2025

Impairment losses are recognised in the statement of profit and loss. They are allocated first to reduce the carrying amount of any goodwill allocated to the CGU, and then to reduce the carrying amounts of other assets in the CGU on a pro rata basis.

An impairment loss in respect of goodwill is not reversed. For other assets, an impairment loss is reversed only to the extent that the asset's carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation or amortisation, if no impairment loss had been recognised.

## 2.11 Inventories

Raw materials, components, stores and spares, work-in-progress and finished goods are valued at lower of cost and net realisable value. However, materials and other items held for use in the production of inventories are not written down below cost if the finished products in which they will be incorporated are expected to be sold at or above cost.

Cost of raw materials, components, stores and spares comprises cost of purchases. Cost of work-in-progress and finished goods comprises direct materials, direct labour and an appropriate proportion of variable and fixed overhead expenditure, the latter being allocated based on normal operating capacity. Cost of inventories also includes all other costs incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition. Costs are assigned to individual items of inventory based on weighted average basis.

Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business, less estimated costs of completion and the estimated costs necessary to make the sale.

## 2.12 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents in the balance sheet comprise cash at banks and on hand and short-term deposits with an original maturity of three months or less, which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

## 2.13 Revenue recognition

Revenue is recognised when performance obligation is satisfied by transferring control of promised goods or services and to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Company and the revenue can be reliably measured, regardless of when the payment is being made.

Revenue is measured at the transaction price (consideration) allocated to performance obligation adjusted for returns, trade allowances, rebates, and excludes taxes collected from customer on behalf of government and amounts collected on behalf of third parties.

- **Contract revenue**

Revenue from fixed price contracts is recognised over time, when the outcome of the contract can be estimated reliably by reference to the percentage of completion of the contract on the reporting date under input method. Percentage of completion is determined as a proportion of costs incurred-to-date to the total estimated contract costs. In respect of process technology and design and engineering contracts, percentage of completion is measured with reference to the milestones specified in the contract, which in the view of the management reflects the work performed and to the extent it is reasonably certain of recovery.

Maintenance revenue is recognised rateably over the term of the underlying maintenance arrangement.

Contract costs include costs that relate directly to the specific contract and costs that are attributable to the contract activity and allocable to the contract. Costs that cannot be attributed to contract activity are expensed when incurred.

When the final outcome of a contract cannot be reliably estimated, contract revenue is recognised only to the extent of costs incurred that are expected to be recoverable. The provision for expected loss is recognised immediately when it is probable that the total estimated contract costs will exceed total contract revenue.

Variations, claims and incentives are recognised as a part of contract revenue to the extent it is probable that they will result in revenue and are capable of being reliably measured.

Determination of revenues under the percentage of completion method necessarily involves making estimates by the Company, some of which are of a technical nature, concerning, where relevant, the percentage of completion, costs to completion, the expected revenues from the project / activity and the foreseeable losses to completion.

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Execution of contracts generally extends beyond accounting periods, the revision in costs and revenues estimated during the course of the contract are reflected in the accounting period in which the facts requiring the revision become known.

- **Sale of goods and rendering of services**

Revenue from sale of goods in the course of ordinary activities is recognised when control of goods is transferred to the customer and no significant uncertainty exists regarding the amount of the consideration that will be derived from the sale of the goods and regarding its collection.

Revenue from services is recognised as and when the related services are performed.

## 2.14 Other income

- **Interest income**

Interest income from debt instruments is recognized using effective interest rate method (EIR). EIR is the rate that discounts the estimated future cash receipts over the life of the financial instrument or a shorter period, where appropriate, to the carrying amount of the financial asset.

- **Dividends**

Dividends are recognised in the statement of profit and loss only when the right to receive the payment is established, it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the dividend will flow to the Company, and when the amount can be measured reliably.

- **Export benefits**

Export benefits in the form of Duty Draw Back / Merchandise Exports Incentive Scheme (MEIS) / Service Exports Incentive Scheme (SEIS) claims are recognised in the statement of profit and loss on receipt basis.

## 2.15 Foreign currency transactions and balances

Transactions in foreign currency are recorded at exchange rates prevailing at the date of the transactions. Exchange differences arising on foreign exchange transactions settled during the year are recognised in the statement of profit and loss of the year.

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies which are outstanding, as at the reporting period are translated at the closing exchange rates and the resultant exchange differences are recognised in the statement of profit and loss.

Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies that are measured in terms of historical cost are translated using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction.

## 2.16 Employee benefits

- **Short-term employee benefits**

Employee benefits payable wholly within twelve months of rendering the service are classified as short-term employee benefits and are recognised in the period in which the employee renders the related service.

- **Post-employment benefits**

**Defined contribution plans**

Contributions to the provident fund, pension scheme, employee state insurance scheme and superannuation fund, which are defined contribution schemes, are recognised as an employee benefit expense in the statement of profit and loss in the period in which the contribution is due.

**Defined benefit plans**

The employees' gratuity scheme is a defined benefit plan. The present value of the obligation under such defined benefit plans is determined based on actuarial valuation using the projected unit credit method.

The obligation is measured at the present value of the estimated future cash flows. The discount rates used for determining the present value of the obligation under defined benefit plans, is based on the market yields on government securities as at the reporting date, having maturity periods approximating to the terms of related obligations.

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Re-measurement, comprising actuarial gains and losses, the return on plan assets (excluding amounts included in net interest on the net defined benefit liability or asset) and any change in the effect of asset ceiling (if applicable) is recognised in other comprehensive income and is reflected in retained earnings and the same is not eligible to be reclassified to the statement of profit or loss.

Defined benefit costs comprising current service cost, past service cost and gains or losses on settlements are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss as employee benefits expense. Interest cost implicit in defined benefit employee cost is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss under finance costs. Gains or losses on settlement of any defined benefit plan are recognised when the settlement occurs. Past service cost is recognised as expense at the earlier of the plan amendment or curtailment and when the Company recognises related restructuring costs or termination benefits.

In case of funded plans, the fair value of the plan assets is reduced from the gross obligation under the defined benefit plans, to recognise the obligation on net basis.

### **Other long-term employee benefits**

The liabilities for earned leave are not expected to be settled wholly within twelve months after the end of the reporting period in which the employees render the related service. They are therefore measured at present value of estimated future cash flows expected to be made by the Company and is recognised in a similar manner as in the case of defined benefit plans above.

Long-term employee benefit costs comprising current service cost and gains or losses on curtailments and settlements, re-measurements including actuarial gains and losses are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss as employee benefits expenses. Interest cost implicit in long-term employee benefit cost is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss under finance costs.

### **Termination benefits**

Termination benefits are expensed at the earlier of when the Company can no longer withdraw the offer of those benefits and when the Company recognises costs for a restructuring. If benefits are not expected to be settled wholly within 12 months of the reporting date, then they are stated at their present fair value.

### **2.17 Share-based payments**

The fair value of equity-settled share-based payments (such as employee stock options) is measured at the grant date and recognized as an employee benefit expense over the vesting period, with a corresponding increase in equity (employee stock option reserve).

The vesting period is the time during which the employee must meet specific conditions to receive the award. At each reporting date, the Company reviews and updates its estimate of the number of options expected to vest, based on service and non-vesting conditions. Any changes in these estimates are reflected in the statement of profit and loss, with a corresponding adjustment to equity.

### **2.18 Leases**

Assets taken on lease are accounted as right-of-use assets and the corresponding lease liability is recognised at the lease commencement date.

Initially the right-of-use asset is measured at cost which comprises the initial amount of the lease liability adjusted for any lease payments made at or before the commencement date, plus any initial direct costs incurred and an estimate of costs to dismantle and remove the underlying asset or to restore the underlying asset or the site on which it is located, as reduced by any lease incentives received.

The lease liability is initially measured at the present value of the lease payments, discounted using the Company's incremental borrowing rate. It is remeasured when there is a change in future lease payments arising from a change in an index or a rate, or a change in the estimate of the guaranteed residual value, or a change in the assessment of purchase, extension or termination option. When the lease liability is remeasured in this way, a corresponding adjustment is made to the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset or is recorded in the statement of profit or loss if the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset has been reduced to zero

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The right-of-use asset is measured by applying cost model i.e. right-of-use asset at cost less accumulated depreciation and cumulative impairment, if any. The right-of-use asset is depreciated using the straight-line method from the commencement date to the end of the lease term or useful life of the underlying asset whichever is earlier. Carrying amount of lease liability is increased by interest on lease liability and reduced by lease payments made.

Lease payments associated with following leases are recognised as expense on straight-line basis :

- (i) Low value leases; and
- (ii) Leases which are short-term.

Assets given on lease are classified either as operating lease or as finance lease. A lease is classified as a finance lease if it transfers substantially all the risks and rewards incidental to ownership of an underlying asset. Asset held under finance lease is initially recognised in balance sheet and presented as a receivable at an amount equal to the net investment in the lease. Finance income is recognised over the lease term. A lease which is not classified as a finance lease is an operating lease. The Company recognises lease payments in case of assets given on operating leases as income on a straight-line basis. The Company presents underlying assets subject to operating lease in its balance sheet under the respective class of asset.

## 2.19 Borrowing costs

Borrowing costs consist of interest and other costs that an entity incurs in connection with the borrowing of funds. Borrowing cost also includes exchange differences to the extent regarded as an adjustment to the borrowing costs.

Borrowing costs directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of a qualifying asset that necessarily takes a substantial period of time to get ready for its intended use or sale are capitalised during the period of time that is required to complete and prepare the asset for its intended use or sale. All other borrowing costs are expensed in the period in which they are incurred.

## 2.20 Income tax

Income tax expense comprises current and deferred tax. It is recognised in the statement of profit and loss except to the extent that it relates to a business combination, or items recognised directly in equity or in OCI.

- **Current tax**

Current tax comprises the expected tax payable or receivable on the taxable income or loss for the year and any adjustment to the tax payable or receivable in respect of previous years.

Current tax assets and liabilities are measured at the amount expected to be recovered from or paid to the taxation authorities. The tax rates and tax laws used to compute the amount are those that were enacted at the reporting date in India under the Income Tax Act, 1961. Current tax assets and liabilities are offset only if certain criteria are met, and such offsetting is legally enforceable

- **Deferred tax**

Deferred tax is provided using the balance sheet method on temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the Financial Statements and the corresponding tax bases used in the computation of taxable profit under Income tax Act, 1961.

Deferred tax is recognized on all deductible and taxable temporary differences between the accounting income and the taxable income for the year. The tax effect is calculated on the accumulated deductible temporary differences at the end of the accounting period based on prevailing enacted or subsequently enacted regulations.

Deferred tax liabilities are recognized for all taxable temporary differences. Deferred tax assets are recognized for deductible temporary differences only to the extent there is reasonable certainty that sufficient future taxable income will be available against which such deferred tax assets can be realized.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each reporting date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred tax asset to be utilized. Unrecognized deferred tax assets are re-assessed at each reporting date and are recognised to the extent that it has become probable that future taxable profits will allow the deferred tax asset to be recovered.

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Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the year when the asset is realised or the liability is settled, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date.

Deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities are offset if a legally enforceable right exists to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and the deferred taxes relate to the same taxable entity and the same taxation authority.

## 2.21 Provisions and contingencies

Provisions are recognised only when :

- the Company has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event; and
- it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation; and
- a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

Provision is measured using the cash flows estimated to settle the present obligation and when the effect of time value of money is material, the carrying amount of the provision is the present value of those cash flows. Reimbursement expected in respect of expenditure required to settle a provision is recognised only when it is virtually certain that the reimbursement will be received.

Contingent liability is disclosed in case of :

- a present obligation arising from past events, when it is not probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation.
- present obligation arising from past events, when no reliable estimate is possible
- a possible obligation arising from past events where the probability of outflow of resources is not remote.

Contingent asset is not recognised in the financial statements. A contingent asset is disclosed, where an inflow of economic benefits is probable.

Provisions, contingent liabilities and contingent assets are reviewed at each balance sheet date.

## 2.22 Earnings per share (EPS)

Basic EPS is calculated by dividing the profit for the year attributable to equity holders of the Company by the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the financial year.

Diluted Earnings per share is calculated by dividing net profit attributable to the equity shareholders of the Company with the weighted average number of shares outstanding during the financial year, adjusted for effects of diluting potential equity shares towards ESOP plan.

## 2.23 Fair value measurement

Fair value is the price at which an asset could be sold, or a liability transferred, in an orderly transaction between market participants on the measurement date.

The fair value measurement is based on the presumption that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability takes place either :

In the principal market for the asset or liability, or

In the absence of a principal market, in the most advantageous market for the asset or liability.

The principal or the most advantageous market must be accessible by the Company. The fair value of an asset or a liability is measured using those assumptions that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability, assuming that market participants act in their economic best interest.

A fair value measurement of a non-financial asset considers a market participant's ability to generate economic benefits by using the asset in its highest and best use or by selling it to another.

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The Company uses valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value, maximizing the use of relevant observable inputs and minimizing the use of unobservable inputs.

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

For assets and liabilities that are recognised in the financial statements on a recurring basis, the Company determines whether transfers have occurred between levels in the hierarchy by re-assessing categorisation (based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole) at the end of each reporting period.

For the purpose of fair value disclosures, the Company has determined classes of assets and liabilities based on the nature, characteristics and risks of the asset or liability and the level of the fair value hierarchy as explained above.

## 2.24 Financial instruments

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

### 1 Financial assets

#### I. Initial recognition and measurement :

All financial assets are initially measured at fair value. However, trade receivables that do not contain a significant financing component are measured at transaction price. In case of financial assets not recorded at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL), transaction cost is attributed to the acquisition value of the financial asset. Transaction cost of financial assets carried at FVTPL is expensed in the statement of profit and loss.

#### II. Subsequent measurement :

**For subsequent measurement, the Company classifies its financial assets in the following measurement categories :**

Financial assets measured at amortised cost.

Financial assets measured at fair value (either through OCI, or through profit or loss);

The classification depends on the Company's business model for managing the financial assets and the contractual terms of cash flows.

##### i. Financial assets measured at amortised cost

A financial asset is measured at the amortised cost if both the following conditions are met :

- a. The Company's business model objective for managing the financial asset is to hold financial assets to collect contractual cash flows, and
- b. The contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

This category applies to cash and bank balances, trade receivables, loans and other financial assets of the Company (Refer note 36 for further details). Such financial assets are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. The effect of the amortisation under effective interest method is recognised as interest income over the relevant period of the financial asset under other income in the Statement of Profit and Loss. The amortised cost of a financial asset is also adjusted for loss allowance, if any.

##### ii. Financial assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVTOCI)

A financial asset is measured at FVTOCI if both of the following conditions are met :

- a. The Company's business model objective for managing the financial asset is achieved both by collecting contractual cash flows and selling the financial assets, and

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- b. The contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

This category applies to certain investments in debt instruments (Refer note 36 for further details). Such financial assets are subsequently measured at fair value at each reporting date. Fair value changes are recognised in the Other Comprehensive Income (OCI). However, the Company recognises interest income and impairment losses and its reversals in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

On derecognition of such financial assets, cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in OCI is reclassified from equity to Statement of Profit and Loss.

Further, the Company, through an irrevocable election at initial recognition, may measure certain investments in equity instruments at FVTOCI (Refer note 36 for further details). The Company has made such election on an instrument-by-instrument basis. These equity instruments are neither held for trading nor are contingent consideration recognised under a business combination. Pursuant to such irrevocable election, subsequent changes in the fair value of such equity instruments are recognised in OCI. However, the Company recognises dividend income from such instruments in the Statement of Profit and Loss when the right to receive payment is established, it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Company and the amount can be measured reliably. On derecognition of such financial assets, cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in OCI is not reclassified from the equity to Statement of Profit and Loss. However, the Company may transfer such cumulative gain or loss into retained earnings within equity.

### iii. Financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL)

A financial asset is measured at FVTPL unless it is measured at amortised cost or at FVTOCI as explained above. This is a residual category applied to all other investments of the Company excluding investments in subsidiary and associate companies (Refer note 36 for further details).

Such financial assets are subsequently measured at fair value at each reporting date. Fair value changes are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

## II. Derecognition

A financial asset is derecognised when the right to receive cash flows from the assets has expired, or has been transferred, and the Company has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership.

In cases where Company has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the financial asset, but retains control of the financial asset, the Company continues to recognise such financial asset to the extent of its continuing involvement in the financial asset. In that case, the Company also recognises an associated liability. The financial asset and the associated liability are measured on a basis that reflects the rights and obligations that the Company has retained.

## IV. Impairment of financial assets

The Company applies expected credit loss (ECL) model for measurement and recognition of impairment loss on the assets carried at amortised cost and FVTOCI debt instruments. The impairment methodology applied depends on whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk. Note 37 details how the Company determines whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk.

For trade receivables alone, the Company applies the simplified approach permitted by 'Ind AS 109 - Financial instruments', which requires expected lifetime losses to be recognised from initial recognition of the receivables.

## 2. Non-derivative financial liabilities

### I. Initial recognition and measurement

All non-derivative financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value. In case of non-derivative financial liabilities not recorded at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL), transaction cost is attributed to the acquisition of the financial liability. Transaction cost of non-derivative financial liabilities carried at FVTPL is expensed in the statement of profit and loss.

### II. Subsequent measurement

All financial liabilities of the Company are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method (Refer note 36 for further details). The cumulative amortisation using the effective interest method of the difference between the initial recognition amount and the maturity amount is added to the initial recognition value

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(net of principal repayments, if any) of the financial liability over the relevant period of the financial liability to arrive at the amortised cost at each reporting date. The corresponding effect of the amortisation under effective interest method is recognised as interest expense under finance cost in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

## III. Derecognition

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

## 3. Offsetting of financial assets and financial liabilities

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

## 4. Financial guarantee contracts

Financial guarantee contracts are recognised as a financial liability at the time the guarantee is issued. The liability is initially measured at fair value and subsequently at the higher of the amount determined in accordance with 'Ind AS 37 - Provisions, contingent liabilities and contingent assets' and the amount initially recognised less cumulative amortisation, where appropriate.

The fair value of financial guarantees is determined as the present value of the difference in net cash flows between the contractual payments under the debt instrument and the payments that would be required without the guarantee, or the estimated amount that would be payable to a third party for assuming the obligations.

## 2.25 Cash dividend to equity holders

The Company recognises a liability to make cash distributions to equity holders when the distribution is authorised, and the distribution is no longer at the discretion of the Company. As per the Companies Act, 2013, a distribution is authorised when it is approved by the shareholders. A corresponding amount is recognised directly in equity.

## 2.26 Government grant

Government grants are recognised at their fair value when there is a reasonable assurance that the grant will be received, and Company will comply with all attached conditions.

Government grants relating to income, are deferred and are recognised as other income in profit or loss in the period in which such costs that these grant intends to compensate, are incurred.

Government grants relating to purchase of property, plant and equipment are initially recognised as deferred income at fair value. Subsequently, the grant is recognised as income in profit and loss on a systematic basis over the useful life of the asset.

## 2.27 New and amended standards

The Ministry of Corporate Affairs vide notification dated 9 September 2024 and 28 September 2024 notified the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Second Amendment Rules, 2024 and Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Third Amendment Rules, 2024, respectively, which amended/ notified certain accounting standards, and are effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 April 2024 :

- Insurance contracts - Ind AS 117; and
- Lease Liability in Sale and Leaseback – Amendments to Ind AS 116

These amendments did not have any impact on the amounts recognised in current or prior periods and are not expected to significantly affect the future periods.

## 2.28 Standards issued but not effective

The Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") notifies new standards or amendments to the existing standards under Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules. For the year ended March 31, 2025, MCA has not notified any new standards or amendments to existing standards that significantly impact the Company.

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## 3 Property, plant and equipment, intangible assets, investment property, capital work-in-progress and intangible asset under development

|                                           | Property, plant and equipment |              |               |           |              |                     |              |                                |              |          |              |                        |              |          |                   | Intangible Assets |                   |         |                 | Investment property | Grand total |
|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------|---------------|-----------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|--------------------------------|--------------|----------|--------------|------------------------|--------------|----------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------|-----------------|---------------------|-------------|
|                                           | Land                          |              | Land Freehold | Buildings |              | Plant and machinery |              | Computers and office equipment |              | Vehicles |              | Furniture and fixtures |              | Total    | Technical knowhow | Software          | Demo/ Pilot Plant | Total   | Land (Freehold) |                     |             |
|                                           | Leasehold                     | Right-of-Use |               | Owned     | Right-of-Use | Owned               | Right-of-Use | Owned                          | Right-of-Use | Owned    | Right-of-Use | Owned                  | Right-of-Use |          |                   |                   |                   |         |                 |                     |             |
|                                           |                               |              |               |           |              |                     |              |                                |              |          |              |                        |              |          |                   |                   |                   |         |                 |                     |             |
| Gross block                               |                               |              |               |           |              |                     |              |                                |              |          |              |                        |              |          |                   |                   |                   |         |                 |                     |             |
| As at 1 April 2024                        | 11.000                        | 243.955      | 363.850       | 1374.369  | 172.147      | 2080.924            | 104.547      | 336.828                        | 138.741      | 28.646   | 123.232      | 258.356                | 57.964       | 5294.558 | 93.753            | 152.096           | -                 | 245.849 | -               | 5540.407            |             |
| Additions during the year                 | -                             | -            | -             | 22.145    | -            | 70.354              | 139.082      | 32.914                         | 48.151       | 30.831   | 53.292       | 17.764                 | -            | 414.533  | -                 | 6.642             | 580.003           | 586.645 | -               | 1001.178            |             |
| Deletions during the year                 | -                             | -            | -             | -         | 83.586       | 28.565              | -            | -                              | 72.079       | 1.908    | 6.397        | -                      | -            | 192.535  | -                 | -                 | -                 | -       | -               | 192.535             |             |
| As at 31 March 2025                       | 11.000                        | 243.955      | 363.850       | 1396.514  | 88.561       | 2122.713            | 243.629      | 369.742                        | 114.813      | 57.569   | 170.127      | 276.120                | 57.964       | 5516.556 | 93.753            | 158.738           | 580.003           | 832.494 | -               | 6349.050            |             |
| Accumulated depreciation and amortisation |                               |              |               |           |              |                     |              |                                |              |          |              |                        |              |          |                   |                   |                   |         |                 |                     |             |
| As at 1 April 2024                        | 1.372                         | 225.457      | -             | 497.838   | 88.386       | 1422.754            | 11.417       | 305.529                        | 94.581       | 21.549   | 31.321       | 224.036                | 11.578       | 2935.819 | 93.753            | 113.159           | -                 | 206.912 | -               | 3142.731            |             |
| Charge for the year                       | 0.122                         | 11.616       | -             | 40.632    | 66.899       | 122.212             | 29.169       | 23.651                         | 45.735       | 5.594    | 36.725       | 6.116                  | 11.593       | 400.064  | -                 | 12.193            | 39.610            | 51.803  | -               | 451.867             |             |
| Depreciation on deletions                 | -                             | -            | -             | -         | 81.634       | 22.275              | -            | -                              | 72.079       | 1.908    | 2.058        | -                      | -            | 179.954  | -                 | -                 | -                 | -       | -               | 179.954             |             |
| As at 31 March 2025                       | 1.494                         | 237.073      | -             | 538.470   | 73.651       | 1522.691            | 40.586       | 329.180                        | 68.237       | 25.235   | 65.988       | 230.152                | 23.171       | 3155.929 | 93.753            | 125.352           | 39.610            | 258.715 | -               | 3414.644            |             |
| Net carrying value                        |                               |              |               |           |              |                     |              |                                |              |          |              |                        |              |          |                   |                   |                   |         |                 |                     |             |
| As at 31 March 2025                       | 9.506                         | 6.882        | 363.850       | 858.044   | 14.910       | 600.022             | 203.043      | 40.562                         | 46.576       | 32.334   | 104.139      | 45.968                 | 34.793       | 2360.627 | -                 | 33.386            | 540.393           | 573.779 | -               | 2934.406            |             |
| As at 31 March 2024                       | 9.628                         | 18.498       | 363.850       | 876.531   | 83.761       | 658.170             | 93.130       | 31.298                         | 44.159       | 7.097    | 91.911       | 34.320                 | 46.386       | 2358.739 | -                 | 38.937            | -                 | 38.937  | -               | 2397.676            |             |

### Note :

1. The land has been taken on a long term lease i.e. for 99 years.
2. Refer Note 27 for capital commitments for the acquisition of property plant and equipment.
3. The title deeds of immovable properties are held in the name of the Company

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## 3 Property, plant and equipment, intangible assets, investment property, capital work-in-progress and intangible asset under development (Contd....)

|                                                | Property, plant and equipment |              |               |           |              |                     |              |                                |              |          |              |                        |              | Intangible Assets |                   |          |                   | Investment property | Grand total |                 |
|------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------|---------------|-----------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|--------------------------------|--------------|----------|--------------|------------------------|--------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------|-----------------|
|                                                | Land                          |              | Land Freehold | Buildings |              | Plant and machinery |              | Computers and office equipment |              | Vehicles |              | Furniture and fixtures |              | Total             | Technical knowhow | Software | Demo/ Pilot Plant | Total               |             | Land (Freehold) |
|                                                | Lease-hold                    | Right-of-Use |               | Owned     | Right-of-Use | Owned               | Right-of-Use | Owned                          | Right-of-Use | Owned    | Right-of-Use | Owned                  | Right-of-Use |                   |                   |          |                   |                     |             |                 |
| Gross block                                    |                               |              |               |           |              |                     |              |                                |              |          |              |                        |              |                   |                   |          |                   |                     |             |                 |
| As at 1 April 2023                             | 11,000                        | 243,955      | 363,850       | 1305,614  | 129,553      | 1840,300            | 39,823       | 320,398                        | 131,639      | 46,274   | 56,659       | 246,949                | 57,100       | 4793,114          | 93,753            | 140,558  | -                 | 234,311             | 136,928     | 5164,353        |
| Additions during the year                      | -                             | -            | -             | 68,755    | 42,594       | 242,528             | 64,724       | 17,387                         | 18,863       | 0,619    | 69,923       | 11,407                 | 0,864        | 537,663           | -                 | 11,538   | -                 | 11,538              | -           | 549,200         |
| Deletions during the year                      | -                             | -            | -             | -         | -            | 1,904               | -            | 0,957                          | 11,761       | 18,247   | 3,350        | -                      | -            | 36,219            | -                 | -        | -                 | -                   | -           | 36,219          |
| Classified as asset held for sale <sup>3</sup> | -                             | -            | -             | -         | -            | -                   | -            | -                              | -            | -        | -            | -                      | -            | -                 | -                 | -        | -                 | -                   | 136,928     | 136,928         |
| As at 31 March 2024                            | 11,000                        | 243,955      | 363,850       | 1374,369  | 172,147      | 2080,924            | 104,547      | 336,828                        | 138,741      | 28,646   | 123,232      | 258,356                | 57,964       | 5294,558          | 93,753            | 152,096  | -                 | 245,849             | -           | 5540,407        |
| Accumulated depreciation and amortisation      |                               |              |               |           |              |                     |              |                                |              |          |              |                        |              |                   |                   |          |                   |                     |             |                 |
| As at 1 April 2023                             | 1,249                         | 203,970      | -             | 449,558   | 28,499       | 1318,979            | 0,111        | 292,277                        | 63,078       | 34,644   | 8,712        | 217,699                | 0,156        | 2618,932          | 93,386            | 102,521  | -                 | 195,907             | -           | 2814,839        |
| Charge for the year                            | 0,123                         | 21,487       | -             | 48,280    | 59,887       | 105,679             | 11,306       | 14,209                         | 43,264       | 3,364    | 23,882       | 6,337                  | 11,422       | 349,240           | 0,367             | 10,638   | -                 | 11,005              | -           | 360,245         |
| Depreciation on deletions                      | -                             | -            | -             | -         | -            | 1,904               | -            | 0,957                          | 11,761       | 16,459   | 1,271        | -                      | -            | 32,353            | -                 | -        | -                 | -                   | -           | 32,353          |
| As at 31 March 2024                            | 1,372                         | 225,457      | -             | 497,838   | 88,386       | 1422,754            | 11,417       | 305,529                        | 94,581       | 21,549   | 31,321       | 224,036                | 11,578       | 2935,819          | 93,753            | 113,159  | -                 | 206,912             | -           | 3142,731        |
| Net carrying value                             |                               |              |               |           |              |                     |              |                                |              |          |              |                        |              |                   |                   |          |                   |                     |             |                 |
| As at 31 March 2024                            | 9,628                         | 18,498       | 363,850       | 876,531   | 83,761       | 658,170             | 93,130       | 31,298                         | 44,159       | 7,097    | 91,911       | 34,320                 | 46,386       | 2358,739          | -                 | 38,937   | -                 | 38,937              | -           | 2397,676        |
| As at 31 March 2023                            | 9,751                         | 39,985       | 363,850       | 856,056   | 101,054      | 521,321             | 39,712       | 28,121                         | 68,561       | 11,630   | 47,947       | 29,250                 | 56,944       | 2174,182          | 0,367             | 38,037   | -                 | 38,404              | 136,928     | 2349,514        |

### Note :

1. The land has been taken on a long term lease i.e. for 99 years.
2. Refer Note 27 for capital commitments for the acquisition of property plant and equipment.
3. During the previous year, the management had confirmed its intention to sell the land located at Nasrapur, Pune. Accordingly, the said investment property was classified as an asset held for sale and was measured at the lower of its carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell.
4. The title deeds of immovable properties are held in the name of the Company

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## 3 Property, plant and equipment, intangible assets, investment property, capital work-in-progress and intangible asset under development (Contd...)

### Details of capital work-in-progress and intangible assets under development

| Particulars                                    | 31 March 2025            |                                     | 31 March 2024            |                                     |
|------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|
|                                                | Capital work-in-progress | Intangible assets under development | Capital work-in-progress | Intangible assets under development |
| Balance at start of the year                   | 22.222                   | 401.546                             | 65.956                   | 0.763                               |
| Add : Additions during the year                | 162.312                  | 171.232                             | 218.404                  | 400.783                             |
| Less : Capitalised/expense out during the year | 50.394                   | 568.177                             | 262.138                  | -                                   |
| <b>Balance at the end of the year</b>          | <b>134.140</b>           | <b>4.601</b>                        | <b>22.222</b>            | <b>401.546</b>                      |

i. **Capital work-in-progress are assets not ready for use. Capital work-in-progress (CWIP) mainly comprises of :**

- Building under construction ₹ 17.746 (31 March 2024 : 14.371)
- Computer & office equipment ₹ 3.671 (31 March 2024 : ₹ NIL)
- Plant & Machinery not ready to use ₹ 111.221 (31 March 2024 : ₹ 2.300)
- Furniture & Fixture under construction ₹ 1.502 (31 March 2024 : 5.551)

ii. **Intangible asset under development are assets not ready for use. Intangible asset under development comprises of :**

- 100 TPD Lactic Acid pilot plant for new technology under development at Jejuri location of ₹ NIL (31 March 2024 : 398.496). (Refer Note 2.7 for internally generated intangible assets)
- software under development of ₹ 4.601 (31 March 2024 : 3.050)

Refer Note 38C for ageing

## 4 Investments

|                                                                                                                                                                    | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>Non-current investments</b>                                                                                                                                     |                 |                 |
| (i) <b>Investments in subsidiaries (valued at cost)</b>                                                                                                            |                 |                 |
| <b>Unquoted equity investments</b>                                                                                                                                 |                 |                 |
| Praj Engineering & Infra Limited                                                                                                                                   | 5.359           | 5.359           |
| 308,810 (31 March 2024 : 308,810) equity shares of ₹ 10 each fully paid                                                                                            |                 |                 |
| Praj Far East Co., Limited, Thailand                                                                                                                               | 6.125           | 6.125           |
| 19,598 (31 March 2024 : 19,598) equity shares of Thai Baht 100 each fully paid and 78,400 (31 March 2024 : 78,400) equity shares of Thai Baht 100 each partly paid |                 |                 |
| Praj Americas Inc.                                                                                                                                                 | 9.281           | 9.281           |
| 40,000 (31 March 2024 : 40,000) equity shares of US Dollar 5 each fully paid                                                                                       |                 |                 |
| Praj HiPurity Systems Limited                                                                                                                                      | 1536.743        | 1536.743        |
| 5,000,000 (31 March 2024 : 5,000,000) equity shares of ₹ 10 each fully paid                                                                                        |                 |                 |
| Praj Far East Philippines Ltd Inc.                                                                                                                                 | 11.167          | 11.167          |
| 8,313,281 equity shares of 1PHP each (31 March 2024 : 8,313,281)                                                                                                   |                 |                 |
| Praj GenX Limited                                                                                                                                                  |                 |                 |
| 250,000 (31 March 2024 : 250,000) equity shares of ₹ 2 each fully paid                                                                                             | 0.500           | 0.500           |
| Praj Projects (Tanzania) Limited                                                                                                                                   |                 |                 |
| 200 (31 March 2024 : NIL) equity shares of 100,000 each fully paid                                                                                                 | 0.719           | -               |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                                                                                                       | <b>1569.894</b> | <b>1569.175</b> |

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## 4 Investments (Contd.)

|                                                                                                                                     | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>(ii) Investments at amortised cost</b>                                                                                           |                 |                 |
| <b>Quoted investments in non-convertible debentures / bonds :</b>                                                                   |                 |                 |
| 10 Bonds issued by HDFC Bank Limited Unsecured Non-Convertible Bonds Basel III Tier 2, Coupon 7.84% (31 March 2024 : 10 bonds)      | 100.084         | 102.267         |
| NIL Bonds issued by HDB Financial Services Limited Unsecured Non-Convertible Bonds Coupon 7.99% (31 March 2024 : 2,500 bonds)       | -               | 250.000         |
| NIL Bonds issued by HDB Financial Services Limited Unsecured Non-Convertible Bonds Coupon 6% (31 March 2024 : 100)                  | -               | 98.425          |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                                                                        | <b>100.084</b>  | <b>450.692</b>  |
| <b>(iii) Investments at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI)</b>                                                   |                 |                 |
| <b>Quoted investments in non-convertible debentures / bonds :</b>                                                                   |                 |                 |
| 250 Bonds issued by SBI Bank Unsecured Non-Convertible Perpetual Bonds Series IV, Coupon 7.73% (31 March 2024 : 250 bonds)          | 248.925         | 247.292         |
| 50 Bonds issued by State Bank of India Unsecured Non-Convertible Perpetual Bonds Series II, Coupon 7.73% (31 March 2024 : 50 bonds) | 49.785          | 49.458          |
| 90 Bonds issued by State Bank of India Unsecured Non-Convertible Perpetual Bonds Series I, Coupon 7.74% (31 March 2024 : 90 bonds)  | 89.577          | 89.140          |
| 30 Bonds issued by State Bank of India Unsecured Non-Convertible Perpetual Bonds Series I, Coupon 7.74% (31 March 2024 : 30 bonds)  | 29.859          | 29.715          |
| 50 Bonds issued by State Bank of India Unsecured Non-Convertible Perpetual Bonds Series I, Coupon 7.74% (31 March 2024 : 50 bonds)  | 49.765          | 49.522          |
| 3 Bonds issued by State Bank of India Unsecured Non-Convertible Perpetual Bonds (31 March 2024 : 3 bonds)                           | 29.799          | 29.573          |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                                                                        | <b>497.710</b>  | <b>494.700</b>  |
| <b>Total non-current</b>                                                                                                            | <b>2167.688</b> | <b>2514.567</b> |
| <b>Current investments</b>                                                                                                          |                 |                 |
| <b>(i) Investments at fair value through profit and loss (FVTPL)</b>                                                                |                 |                 |
| <b>Quoted mutual funds</b>                                                                                                          |                 |                 |
| HDFC MONEY MARKET FUND - DIRECT PLAN - 9087.17 Units ( 31 March 2024 : NIL Units )                                                  | 51.922          | -               |
| IDFC FLOATING RATE FUND DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 9,999,500.025 Units)                                        | -               | 117.984         |
| UTI FLOATER FUND-DIRECT GROWTH PLAN - 81,739.196 Units (31 March 2024 : 81,739.196 Units )                                          | 125.314         | 116.511         |
| ADITYA BIRLA SUN LIFE FLOATING RATE FUND-GROWTH-DIRECT PLAN- NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 710,730.268 Units)                          | -               | 226.966         |
| ICICI PRUDENTIAL SAVING FUND - GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 116,649.927 Units )                                              | -               | 57.569          |
| HSBC ULTRA SHORT DURATION FUND DIRECT GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 4,393.345 Units )                                         | -               | 5.494           |
| UTI ARBITRAGE FUND -DIRECT GROWTH PLAN - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 1,707,133.447 Units )                                           | -               | 57.924          |
| SBI ARBITRAGE OPPORTUNITIES FUND - DIRECT PLAN -GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 1,559,108.773 Units)                            | -               | 51.036          |
| NIPPON INDIA ARBITRAGE FUND -DIRECT GROWTH PLAN - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 1,921,089.240 Units )                                  | -               | 50.210          |

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## 4 Investments (Contd.)

|                                                                                                                        | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| KOTAK MONEY MARKET FUND-DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 23,365.87 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units )                              | 103.871       | -             |
| AXIS MONEY MARKET FUND DIRECT GROWTH PLAN - 127,677.2 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units )                               | 180.786       | -             |
| NIPPON MONEY MARKET FUND-DIRECT GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 13,091.087 Units )                                 | -             | 50.025        |
| FRANKLIN INDIA SAVING FUND RETAIL OPTION-DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 6,700,425.676 Units )         | -             | 315.618       |
| FRANKLIN INDIA SAVING FUND SUPER INSTITUTIONAL PLAN-DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 31,266.548 Units ) | -             | 113.400       |
| HDFC ULTRA SHORT TERM FUND-DIRECT GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 3,558,591.590 Units )                            | -             | 50.136        |
| ICICI PRUDENTIAL MONEY MARKET FUND - GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 155,690.751 Units )                           | -             | 53.792        |
| HSBC ULTRA SHORT DURATION FUND DIRECT GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 45,036.922 Units )                           | -             | 56.322        |
| INVESCO INDIA ARBITRAGE FUND-DIRECT PLAN - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 6,596,354.934 Units )                            | -             | 206.935       |
| NIPPON INDIA ULTRA SHORT DURATION FUND-DIRECT GROWTH PLAN - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 12,435.826 Units)               | -             | 50.143        |
| HSBC ULTRA SHORT DURATION FUND -DIRECT GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 44,996.263 Units )                          | -             | 56.271        |
| NIPPON INDIA FLOATING RATE FUND-GROWTH PLAN OPTION - 2,667,301.523 Units (31 March 2024 : 2,667,301.523 Units )        | 117.710       | 108.688       |
| SBI FLOATING RATE DEBT FUND DIRECT PLAN GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 9,015,706.168 Units )                      | -             | 109.442       |
| HDFC FLOATING RATE DEBT FUND REGULAR PLAN GROWTH - NIL Units ( March 2024 : 4,786,864.830 Units )                      | -             | 215.810       |
| INVESCO INDIA MONEY MARKET FUND-DIRECT PLAN GROWTH - NIL Units ( March 2024 : 56,471.741 Units)                        | -             | 162.074       |
| ADITYA BIRLA SUN LIFE ARBITRAGE FUND-GROWTH-DIRECT PLAN - NIL Units ( March 2024 : 3,897,613.536 Units)                | -             | 101.459       |
| DSP ARBITRAGE FUND-DIRECT GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 3,608,885.529 Units)                                     | -             | 51.448        |
| DSP LIQUIDITY FUND-DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 14,605.219 Units)                                   | -             | 50.408        |
| HDFC MONEY MARKET FUND-DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 30,110.680 Units)                               | -             | 159.588       |
| HDFC ARBITRAGE FUND-WHOLSALE PLAN-GROWTH-DIRECT PLAN - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 5,596,009.332 Units)                 | -             | 102.776       |
| ICICI PRUDENTIAL EQUITY ARBITRAGE FUND DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 1,533,816.206 Units)            | -             | 51.359        |
| INVESCO INDIA ARBITRAGE FUND REGULAR GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 1,723,136.683 Units)                          | -             | 50.407        |
| KOTAK EQUITY ARBITRAGE FUND-GROWTH (REGULAR PLAN) - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 2,939,844.835 Units)                    | -             | 100.850       |

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|                                                                                                                                                        | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| KOTAK FLEXI DEBT REGULAR PLAN - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 2,759,183.027 Units)                                                                        | -             | 100.396       |
| NIPPON INDIA LIQUID FUND DIRECT PLAN -GROWTH PLAN - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 58.303 Units)                                                           | -             | 0.345         |
| AXIS ARBITRAGE FUND-REGULAR GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 2,914,252.580 Units)                                                                   | -             | 50.003        |
| BANDHAN ARBITRAGE FUND-GROWTH-(REGULAR PLAN) (ERSTWHILE IDFC ARBITRAGE FUND GROWTH-REGULAR PLAN) - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 1,679,442.267 Units)     | -             | 50.001        |
| HSBC ARBITRAGE FUND-DIRECT GROWTH (FORMERLY KNOWN AS L&T ARBITRAGE OPPORTUNITIES FUND-DIRECT GROWTH) - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 5,548,126.873 Units) | -             | 102.842       |
| MIRAE ASSETS ARBITRAGE FUND-REGULAR PLAN GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 4,209,252.409 Units)                                                      | -             | 50.410        |
| MIRAE ASSETS ARBITRAGE FUND-DIRECT GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 8,146,599.194 Units)                                                            | -             | 100.219       |
| ADITYA BIRLA SUN LIFE LIQUID FUND-GROWTH-DIRECT PLAN - 120,155.075 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                                                   | 50.303        | -             |
| ADITYA BIRLA SUN LIFE MONEY MANAGER FUND - DIRECT PLAN - 81,635.08 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                                                   | 29.998        | -             |
| DSP LOW DURATION FUND - DIRECT PLAN - 10,360,369.746 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                                                                 | 207.885       | -             |
| DSP LIQUIDITY FUND- DIRECT PLAN - 13,566.585 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                                                                         | 50.309        | -             |
| DSP SAVING FUND-DIRECT PLAN - 375,805.204 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                                                                            | 20.010        | -             |
| BAJAJ FINSERV LIQUID FUND - DIRECT PLAN - GROWTH - 89426.96 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                                                          | 101.236       | -             |
| BAJAJ FINSERV MONEY MARKET FUND - DIRECT PLAN - 26374.742 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                                                            | 30.016        | -             |
| HDFC LIQUID FUND - DIRECT PLAN - GROWTH - 9878.266 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                                                                   | 50.305        | -             |
| MIRAE ASSET MONEY MARKET FUND - DIRECT PLAN - GROWTH - 82957.985 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                                                     | 103.914       | -             |
| MIRAE ASSET LIQUID FUND - DIRECT PLAN - GROWTH - 36956.691 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                                                           | 101.243       | -             |
| ICICI PRUDENTIAL EQUITY ARBITRAGE FUND - DIRECT PLAN - GROWTH - 1,449,450.779 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                                        | 52.389        | -             |
| ICICI PRUDENTIAL MONEY MARKET FUND- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 275,862.051 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                                                 | 103.853       | -             |
| ICICI PRUDENTIAL LIQUID FUND- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 131,031.382 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                                                       | 50.274        | -             |
| INVESCO INDIA LOW DURATION FUND- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 40,438.606 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                                                     | 156.088       | -             |
| INVESCO INDIA MONEY MARKET FUND- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 6,474.501 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                                                      | 20.010        | -             |

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## 4 Investments (Contd.)

|                                                                                                                         | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| KOTAK LIQUID FUND - DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 9602.78 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                                      | 50.313          | -               |
| NIPPON INDIA LIQUID FUND - DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 15,952.854 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                            | 101.251         | -               |
| HSBC LIQUID FUND - DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 19,464.61 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                                     | 50.303          | -               |
| FRANKLIN INDIA LIQUID FUND- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 39,059.003 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                           | 152.201         | -               |
| FRANKLIN INDIA MONEY MARKET FUND- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 9,84,193.071 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                   | 50.025          | -               |
| UTI LOW DURATION FUND - DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 29,438.498 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                               | 103.911         | -               |
| AXIS TREASURY ADVANTAGE FUND - DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 65,697.592 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                        | 208.604         | -               |
| BANDHAN LIQUID FUND - DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 16,058.404 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                                 | 50.303          | -               |
| BANDHAN LOW DURATION FUND- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 4,037,576.365 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                         | 156.311         | -               |
| BANDHAN ULTRA SHORT TERM FUND- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 1,985,643.087 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                     | 30.015          | -               |
| BARODA BNP PARIBAS MONEY MARKET FUND- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 77,741.057 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                 | 106.641         | -               |
| BARODA BNP PARIBAS ULTRA SHORT DURATION FUND- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 13,053.519 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)         | 20.010          | -               |
| BARODA BNP PARIBAS LIQUID FUND-DIRECT GROWTH- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 16,822.004 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)         | 50.309          | -               |
| PARAG PARIKH LIQUID FUND REGULAR PLAN - GROWTH - 21,064.784 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                           | 30.038          | -               |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                                                            | <b>2867.671</b> | <b>3354.862</b> |
| <b>(ii) Investments at amortised cost</b>                                                                               |                 |                 |
| <b>Quoted investments in non-convertible debentures / bonds :</b>                                                       |                 |                 |
| Nil bonds issued by GOI Unsecured Non-Convertible Perpetual Bonds                                                       | -               | 246.471         |
| GOI Loan 2023 Coupon 7.16% (31 March 2024 : 2,500,000 bonds)                                                            |                 |                 |
| 2,500 Bonds issued by HDB Financial Services Limited Unsecured Non-Convertible Bonds Coupon 7.99% (31 March 2024 : NIL) | 250.000         | -               |
| 100 Bonds issued by HDB Financial Services Limited Unsecured Non-Convertible Bonds Coupon 6% (31 March 2024 : NIL)      | 96.570          | -               |
|                                                                                                                         | <b>346.570</b>  | <b>246.471</b>  |
| <b>Unquoted investments :</b>                                                                                           |                 |                 |
| Deposit with Bajaj Finance Limited                                                                                      | 250.000         | 250.000         |
| <b>Total current</b>                                                                                                    | <b>3464.241</b> | <b>3851.333</b> |
| <b>Total Investments</b>                                                                                                | <b>5631.929</b> | <b>6365.900</b> |
| Aggregate book value of quoted investments                                                                              | 3812.035        | 4546.725        |
| Aggregate market value of quoted investments                                                                            | 3817.121        | 4538.941        |
| Aggregate book value of unquoted investments                                                                            | 1819.894        | 1819.175        |

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|                                                                                                                                          | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>5 Other financial assets</b>                                                                                                          |                 |                 |
| <b>Non-current</b>                                                                                                                       |                 |                 |
| <b>(Unsecured, considered good)</b>                                                                                                      |                 |                 |
| Security deposits                                                                                                                        | 134.217         | 111.285         |
| Interest accrued on loan to wholly owned subsidiaries                                                                                    | 110.921         | -               |
| Deposits with banks with maturity of more than 12 months                                                                                 | -               | 150.107         |
| Unearned Guarantee commission                                                                                                            | 8.650           | -               |
|                                                                                                                                          | <b>253.788</b>  | <b>261.392</b>  |
| <b>Current</b>                                                                                                                           |                 |                 |
| <b>(Unsecured, considered good)</b>                                                                                                      |                 |                 |
| Foreign exchange forward contracts                                                                                                       | 8.721           | 20.417          |
| Interest accrued on fixed deposits and bonds                                                                                             | 56.787          | 57.960          |
| Security deposits                                                                                                                        | 15.798          | 0.180           |
| Interest accrued on loan to related party                                                                                                | 3.483           | -               |
| Unearned Guarantee commission                                                                                                            | 10.233          | -               |
| Other Receivable*                                                                                                                        | 58.214          | 91.828          |
|                                                                                                                                          | <b>153.236</b>  | <b>170.385</b>  |
| * mainly includes insurance claim, earnest money deposit, receivable from subsidiaries (refer note 30), and turnover discount receivable |                 |                 |
| <b>Total other financial assets</b>                                                                                                      | <b>407.024</b>  | <b>431.777</b>  |
| <b>6 Other assets</b>                                                                                                                    |                 |                 |
| <b>Non-current</b>                                                                                                                       |                 |                 |
| Capital advances                                                                                                                         | 0.234           | -               |
| Prepaid expenses                                                                                                                         | 28.106          | 1.002           |
| Others                                                                                                                                   | -               | 2.331           |
|                                                                                                                                          | <b>28.340</b>   | <b>3.333</b>    |
| <b>Current</b>                                                                                                                           |                 |                 |
| Contract Assets                                                                                                                          |                 |                 |
| - Contracts in progress (Refer Note 28)                                                                                                  | 6064.968        | 3896.651        |
| - Retention money                                                                                                                        |                 |                 |
| Unsecured, considered good                                                                                                               | 2001.129        | 1838.818        |
| Less : Allowance for expected credit loss                                                                                                | 13.199          | 28.534          |
|                                                                                                                                          | <b>1987.930</b> | <b>1810.284</b> |
| Advances to suppliers**                                                                                                                  |                 |                 |
| Unsecured, considered good                                                                                                               | 478.642         | 277.118         |
| Unsecured, considered doubtful                                                                                                           | 23.359          | -               |
|                                                                                                                                          | <b>502.001</b>  | <b>277.118</b>  |
| Less : Provision for doubtful Advances                                                                                                   | 23.359          | -               |
|                                                                                                                                          | <b>478.642</b>  | <b>277.118</b>  |
| Balances with Indirect tax authorities                                                                                                   | 389.860         | 417.532         |
| Prepaid expenses                                                                                                                         | 220.275         | 210.236         |
| Other advances                                                                                                                           | 41.700          | 93.889          |
|                                                                                                                                          | <b>9183.375</b> | <b>6705.710</b> |
| **Includes advance to suppliers paid to subsidiaries of ₹ 3.430 (31 March 2024 : NIL)                                                    |                 |                 |
| <b>Total Other assets</b>                                                                                                                | <b>9211.715</b> | <b>6709.043</b> |

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|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>7 Inventories</b> (valued at lower of cost and net realisable value)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                 |                 |
| Raw materials (Includes Goods in transit of ₹ NIL (31 March 2024 : 20.285))                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | 2032.623        | 1532.126        |
| Work in progress                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | 147.953         | 163.891         |
| Finished goods                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | 25.447          | 8.803           |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>2206.023</b> | <b>1704.820</b> |
| <b>Note :</b> Write-down of inventories to net realizable value amounted to ₹ 15.770 (31 March 2024 : ₹ 24.548). These were recognized as an expense during the year and included in 'Cost of materials consumed'.                                                                                                                                                       |                 |                 |
| <b>8 Trade Receivables</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                 |                 |
| <b>Current</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                 |                 |
| - From related parties (Unsecured, considered good)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | 13.448          | 9.849           |
| - From others (Unsecured, considered good)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 5099.758        | 5514.980        |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>5113.206</b> | <b>5524.829</b> |
| Less : Allowance for expected credit loss                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 813.885         | 576.829         |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>4299.321</b> | <b>4948.000</b> |
| i. Refer Note 38A for ageing schedule                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                 |                 |
| ii. No trade receivables are due from directors or other officers of the Company either severally or jointly with any other person. Nor any trade receivables are due from firms or private companies respectively in which any director is a partner, a director or a member. Trade receivables are non-interest bearing and generally on credit terms of 3 to 6 months |                 |                 |
| iii. Current and previous years balance of Retention has been disclosed under Other current asset as "Contract Assets". For details, refer note 6.                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                 |                 |
| <b>9 Cash and cash equivalents</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                 |                 |
| Balances with banks                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                 |                 |
| On current accounts                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | 494.510         | 799.830         |
| Deposits with original maturity of less than 3 months                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 154.946         | 270.647         |
| Cash on hand                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 1.516           | 1.125           |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>650.972</b>  | <b>1071.602</b> |
| <b>10 Other bank balances</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                 |                 |
| Unclaimed dividend account                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 11.844          | 11.159          |
| Deposits with original maturity for more than 3 months but less than 12 months                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | 461.537         | 291.741         |
| Deposits with maturity for more than 12 months                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | -               | 150.107         |
| Less : amounts disclosed under other non-current assets (Refer note 5)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | -               | (150.107)       |
| Note : Includes deposits under lien ₹ 311.537 (31 March 2024 : ₹ 291.741)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                 |                 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>473.381</b>  | <b>302.900</b>  |

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|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024  |
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| <b>11 Loans</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                 |                |
| <b>Non Current</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                 |                |
| Loans Receivables considered good - Unsecured                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                 |                |
| Loan to wholly owned subsidiary (Refer note 30)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 1567.500        | -              |
| <b>Note :</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                 |                |
| Inter Corporate Loan to its Indian wholly owned subsidiary company which carries interest of 5-year Government Bond Yield + 3.5%. Tenure of the loan is 5 years. (31 March 2024 : Repayable within 1 year; Interest at MCLR+2%)                                                                                |                 |                |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | <b>1567.500</b> | <b>-</b>       |
| <b>Current</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                 |                |
| Loans Receivables considered good - Unsecured                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                 |                |
| Loan to wholly owned subsidiary (Refer note 30)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 220.691         | 798.500        |
| <b>Note :</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                 |                |
| Inter Corporate Loan to its wholly owned foreign subsidiary company which carries interest rate at 13.40% i.e. negotiated lending interest rate as published by Bank of Tanzania, receivable within 1 year (31 March 2024 : Inter Corporate Loan to its Indian subsidiary company at Interest rate of MCLR+2%) |                 |                |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | <b>220.691</b>  | <b>798.500</b> |
| <b>Total Loans</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | <b>1788.191</b> | <b>798.500</b> |
| <b>12 Equity Share Capital</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                 |                |
| <b>Authorised shares</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                 |                |
| 450,000,000 (31 March 2024 : 450,000,000) equity shares of ₹ 2 each                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | 900.000         | 900.000        |
| <b>Issued, subscribed and fully paid-up shares</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                 |                |
| 183,813,088 (31 March 2024 : 183,813,088) equity shares of ₹ 2 each                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | 367.626         | 367.626        |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | <b>367.626</b>  | <b>367.626</b> |

**a. Reconciliation of the shares outstanding at the beginning and at the end of the reporting period :**

|                                                                                                  | 31 March 2025      |                | 31 March 2024      |                |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|
|                                                                                                  | No.                | Amount         | No.                | Amount         |
| At the beginning of the period                                                                   | 183,813,088        | 367.626        | 183,713,088        | 367.426        |
| Add : Allotted during the period pursuant to exercise of employees stock options (Refer note 33) | -                  | -              | 100,000            | 0.200          |
| <b>Outstanding at the end of the period</b>                                                      | <b>183,813,088</b> | <b>367.626</b> | <b>183,813,088</b> | <b>367.626</b> |

**b. Terms/ Rights attached to equity shares :**

The Company has only one class of equity shares having a par value of ₹ 2 per share. Each holder of the equity shares is entitled to one vote per share. The Company declares and pays dividend in Indian rupees. The dividend proposed by the Board of Directors is subject to the approval of the shareholders in the ensuing Annual General Meeting.

The Board of Directors proposed a final dividend of ₹ 6 per equity share for the financial year ended 31 March 2025 (31 March 2024 : ₹ 6 per equity share). The proposal is subject to the approval of shareholders at the Annual General Meeting to be held and if approved, will be recognised as distributions to equity shareholders during the year ended 31 March 2026. This event is considered as non-adjusting event.

In the event of liquidation of the Company, the holders of equity shares will be entitled to receive remaining assets of the company after distributing all preferential amounts.

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**c. Shares held by holding/ultimate holding company and/or their subsidiaries/associates :**

The company does not have any holding or ultimate holding company.

**d. Details of shareholders holding more than 5% shares in the company :**

|                                                                  | 31 March 2025 |              | 31 March 2024 |              |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
|                                                                  | No.           | % of holding | No.           | % of holding |
| <b>Equity shares of ₹ 2 each fully paid</b>                      |               |              |               |              |
| Dr. Pramod Chaudhari (Promoter)                                  | 38,700,000    | 21.05%       | 38,700,000    | 21.05%       |
| Parimal Chaudhari (Promoter)                                     | 14,400,000    | 7.83%        | 14,400,000    | 7.83%        |
| Canara Robeco Mutual Fund - Canara Robeco Emerging Equities Fund | 9,820,505     | 5.34%        | -             | -            |

**e. Details of shareholders holding of Promoters :**

|                                             | 31 March 2025 |              | 31 March 2024 |              |
|---------------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
|                                             | No.           | % of holding | No.           | % of holding |
| <b>Equity shares of ₹ 2 each fully paid</b> |               |              |               |              |
| Dr. Pramod Chaudhari                        | 38,700,000    | 21.05%       | 38,700,000    | 21.05%       |
| Parimal Chaudhari                           | 14,400,000    | 7.83%        | 14,400,000    | 7.83%        |
| Moriyaset Trust                             | 7,200,000     | 3.92%        | 7,200,000     | 3.92%        |

**f. Shares reserved for issue under options :**

For shares reserved for issue under the Employee Stock Option Plan (ESOP) please refer note 33.

**g. Aggregate number of bonus shares issued, shares issued for consideration other than cash and shares bought back during the period of five years immediately preceding the reporting date :**

|                                                                                                       | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Number of bonus shares issued, shares issued for consideration other than cash and shares bought back | -             | -             |

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|                                                                                                  | 31 March 2025    | 31 March 2024    |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| <b>13 Other Equity</b>                                                                           |                  |                  |
| <b>Capital Reserve</b>                                                                           | 0.033            | 0.033            |
| <b>Amalgamation Reserve</b>                                                                      | 3.063            | 3.063            |
| <b>Capital Redemption Reserve*</b>                                                               | 14.627           | 14.627           |
| <b>Securities Premium</b>                                                                        |                  |                  |
| Balance as at the beginning of the year                                                          | 1075.518         | 1040.147         |
| Add : Employee stock options exercised                                                           | -                | 8.800            |
| Add : Transfer from Share option outstanding account on exercise of options                      | -                | 26.571           |
| <b>Balance at the end of the year</b>                                                            | <b>1075.518</b>  | <b>1075.518</b>  |
| <b>Share option outstanding account**</b>                                                        |                  |                  |
| Balance as at the beginning of the year                                                          | -                | 26.571           |
| Add : Employee stock option expense                                                              | 8.392            | 0.000            |
| Less : Transfer to Securities Premium on exercise of options                                     | -                | 26.571           |
| <b>Balance at the end of the year</b>                                                            | <b>8.392</b>     | <b>-</b>         |
| <b>Special Economic Zone Re-investment Reserve***</b>                                            |                  |                  |
| Balance as at the beginning of the year                                                          | -                | 163.000          |
| Less : Transfer to Surplus in the Statement of Profit and Loss on completion of required period  | -                | 163.000          |
| <b>Balance at the end of the year</b>                                                            | <b>-</b>         | <b>-</b>         |
| <b>General Reserve</b>                                                                           |                  |                  |
| Balance as at the beginning of the year                                                          | 956.511          | 956.511          |
| Add : Amounts transferred from surplus balance in statement of profit and loss                   | -                | -                |
| <b>Balance at the end of the year</b>                                                            | <b>956.511</b>   | <b>956.511</b>   |
| <b>Debt instruments through Other Comprehensive Income</b>                                       |                  |                  |
| Balance as at the beginning of the year                                                          | (3.751)          | (3.937)          |
| Add : Fair value movement                                                                        | 2.253            | 0.186            |
| <b>Balance at the end of the year</b>                                                            | <b>(1.498)</b>   | <b>(3.751)</b>   |
| <b>Retained Earnings</b>                                                                         |                  |                  |
| Balance as at the beginning of the year                                                          | 10197.301        | 8094.412         |
| Profit as per statement of profit and loss                                                       | 2644.280         | 2804.225         |
| Other comprehensive income - Re-measurement of defined benefit plans                             | (23.926)         | (36.414)         |
| Add : Transfer from Special Economic Zone Re-investment Reserve on completion of required period | -                | 163.000          |
| Less : Appropriations                                                                            |                  |                  |
| Final equity dividend                                                                            | 1102.879         | 827.924          |
| <b>Net Surplus in Statement of profit and loss</b>                                               | <b>11714.776</b> | <b>10197.301</b> |
| <b>Total Other Equity</b>                                                                        | <b>13771.422</b> | <b>12243.302</b> |

\*Capital Redemption Reserve - The reserve is created on account of buy-back of equity shares by the Company in earlier years

\*\* Share option outstanding account - The reserve is created on account of Employee stock options

\*\*\*Special Economic Zone Re-investment Reserve - The reserve is created as per the provisions of Income Tax Act, 1961

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|                                                                                                   | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>14 Provisions</b>                                                                              |                 |                 |
| <b>Non-current</b>                                                                                |                 |                 |
| <b>Provision for employee benefits</b>                                                            |                 |                 |
| Compensated absences (Refer Note 32c)                                                             | 139.149         | 132.728         |
| Gratuity (Refer Note 32b)                                                                         | 31.522          | 28.258          |
|                                                                                                   | <b>170.671</b>  | <b>160.986</b>  |
| <b>Current</b>                                                                                    |                 |                 |
| <b>Provision for employee benefits</b>                                                            |                 |                 |
| Compensated absences (Refer Note 32c)                                                             | 69.686          | 78.423          |
| Gratuity (Refer Note 32b)                                                                         | -               | 60.000          |
| Provision for anticipated losses on revenue contracts<br>(Refer below table for details)          | 119.984         | 405.296         |
|                                                                                                   | <b>189.670</b>  | <b>543.719</b>  |
| <b>Total provisions</b>                                                                           | <b>360.341</b>  | <b>704.704</b>  |
| <b>Movement in Provision for anticipated losses on revenue contracts</b>                          |                 |                 |
| Balance of provision as at the start of the year                                                  | 405.296         | 285.977         |
| Add : Additional Provision during the year                                                        | 0.182           | 186.399         |
| Less : Provision used/ reversed during the year                                                   | 285.494         | 67.080          |
| <b>Balance of provision as at the end of the year</b>                                             | <b>119.984</b>  | <b>405.296</b>  |
| <b>15 Trade payables</b>                                                                          |                 |                 |
| <b>Current</b>                                                                                    |                 |                 |
| - <b>To related parties (a)</b>                                                                   | 35.798          | 26.632          |
| - <b>To others</b>                                                                                |                 |                 |
| Total outstanding dues of micro enterprises and small enterprises<br>(Refer note iii below)       | 653.698         | 711.504         |
| Total outstanding dues of creditors other than micro enterprises and<br>small enterprises (MSMED) | 3046.281        | 3158.161        |
| <b>To others (b)</b>                                                                              | <b>3699.979</b> | <b>3869.665</b> |
| <b>Total Trade payables (a+b)</b>                                                                 | <b>3735.777</b> | <b>3896.297</b> |

**Notes :**

- Refer Note 38B for ageing schedule
- Trade payables are non-interest bearing and are normally settled on 30-90 days terms
- The Company has amounts due to suppliers under The Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006, [MSMED Act] as at March 31, 2025. The disclosure pursuant to the said Act is as under :

| Particulars                                                                          | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Total outstanding amount in respect of micro and small enterprises                   | 653.698       | 711.504       |
| Principal amount due and remaining unpaid                                            | -             | -             |
| Interest due on above and unpaid interest                                            | -             | -             |
| Interest paid                                                                        | -             | -             |
| Payment made beyond appointment day                                                  | 169.669       | 0.202         |
| Interest due and payable for the period of delay                                     | 2.110         | 0.002         |
| Interest accrued and remaining unpaid (excluding interest accrued for earlier years) | 2.110         | 0.002         |
| Amount of further interest remaining due and payable in succeeding years             | 2.120         | 0.010         |

The identification of suppliers as micro, small and medium enterprise as defined under the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act 2006, was done on the basis of information to the extent provided by the suppliers of company.

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|                                                                               | 31 March 2025    | 31 March 2024    |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| <b>16 Other financial liabilities</b>                                         |                  |                  |
| <b>Non-current</b>                                                            |                  |                  |
| Financial guarantee contracts **                                              | 14.296           | -                |
|                                                                               | <b>14.296</b>    | <b>-</b>         |
| <b>Current</b>                                                                |                  |                  |
| Unclaimed dividends                                                           | 11.841           | 11.155           |
| Financial guarantee contracts **                                              | 7.111            | -                |
| Employee benefits payable                                                     | 349.640          | 539.861          |
| Payable for capital goods                                                     |                  |                  |
| - To Micro enterprises and small enterprises                                  | 0.863            | -                |
| - To others                                                                   | 14.220           | -                |
| Other payables                                                                | 10.097           | 11.054           |
|                                                                               | <b>393.772</b>   | <b>562.070</b>   |
| ** Financial guarantee contracts are issued to wholly owned Indian subsidiary |                  |                  |
| <b>Total Other financial liabilities</b>                                      | <b>408.068</b>   | <b>562.070</b>   |
| <b>17 Other liabilities</b>                                                   |                  |                  |
| <b>Current</b>                                                                |                  |                  |
| Advances received from customers                                              | 7702.596         | 5274.545         |
| Dues to customers relating to contracts in progress (Refer Note 28)           | 833.219          | 1472.940         |
| Statutory dues payable                                                        | 70.116           | 248.227          |
|                                                                               | <b>8605.931</b>  | <b>6995.712</b>  |
| <b>18 Revenue from operations (Refer note 28)</b>                             |                  |                  |
| Revenue from Products and Projects                                            | 22921.369        | 27910.842        |
| Add : Closing Contracts in progress                                           | 5231.749         | 2423.711         |
| Less : Opening Contracts in progress                                          | 2423.711         | 1657.238         |
| (a)                                                                           | <b>25729.407</b> | <b>28677.315</b> |
| <b>Sale of services</b>                                                       | (b)              | <b>1335.503</b>  |
| Other Operating Revenue                                                       |                  |                  |
| Scrap Sales                                                                   | 280.942          | 317.579          |
| Sale of Export Licenses                                                       | 28.074           | 33.054           |
| Other Operating Revenue                                                       | 72.710           | 129.547          |
| (c)                                                                           | <b>381.726</b>   | <b>480.180</b>   |
| <b>Total Revenue from operations (a+b+c)</b>                                  | <b>27446.636</b> | <b>29895.643</b> |

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| <b>19 Other income</b>                                                                |                  |                  |
| Dividend from Subsidiary                                                              | -                | 250.000          |
| Gain on redemption of investments (net) (FVTPL)                                       | 185.178          | 116.120          |
| Fair Valuation Gain/(Loss) on Investment In Mutual Fund (FVTPL)                       | 92.600           | 148.502          |
| Interest                                                                              |                  |                  |
| - on fixed deposits with banks and NBFCs                                              | 58.346           | 28.627           |
| - others (includes interest on loan provided to wholly owned subsidiaries)            | 212.854          | 126.655          |
| Interest on account of unwinding of security deposits and guarantee income            | 21.537           | 8.376            |
| Profit / (loss) on sale of property, plant and equipment (net)                        | 0.845            | 2.071            |
| Excess provision / creditors written back (including advances)                        | 26.323           | 1.857            |
| Other non-operating income                                                            | 11.720           | 2.429            |
|                                                                                       | <b>609.403</b>   | <b>684.637</b>   |
| <b>20 Cost of materials consumed</b>                                                  |                  |                  |
| Raw material consumed                                                                 | 14545.889        | 17294.886        |
|                                                                                       | <b>14545.889</b> | <b>17294.886</b> |
| <b>21 (Increase) / Decrease in inventories of Finished Goods and Work in Progress</b> |                  |                  |
| <b>Inventories at the end of the year</b>                                             |                  |                  |
| Work in progress                                                                      | 147.953          | 163.891          |
| Finished goods                                                                        | 25.447           | 8.803            |
|                                                                                       | <b>173.400</b>   | <b>172.694</b>   |
| <b>Inventories at the beginning of the year</b>                                       |                  |                  |
| Work in progress                                                                      | 163.891          | 715.517          |
| Finished goods                                                                        | 8.803            | 23.757           |
|                                                                                       | <b>172.694</b>   | <b>739.274</b>   |
| <b>(Increase) / Decrease in inventories</b>                                           | <b>(0.706)</b>   | <b>566.580</b>   |
| <b>22 Employee Benefit Expenses</b>                                                   |                  |                  |
| Salaries, wages and bonus                                                             | 2577.807         | 2475.209         |
| Contributions to provident and other funds (Refer note 32a)                           | 112.936          | 95.620           |
| Gratuity expense (Refer note 32b)                                                     | 34.261           | 26.006           |
| Employee stock option expense                                                         | 8.392            | -                |
| Staff welfare                                                                         | 151.294          | 152.210          |
|                                                                                       | <b>2884.690</b>  | <b>2749.045</b>  |
| <b>23 Finance costs</b>                                                               |                  |                  |
| Interest expense - others                                                             | 4.024            | 0.465            |
| Net interest on defined benefit plan                                                  | 1.851            | 2.403            |
| Interest on Lease Liability                                                           | 34.414           | 37.436           |
|                                                                                       | <b>40.289</b>    | <b>40.304</b>    |

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|                                                                                                        | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>24 Other Expenses</b>                                                                               |                 |                 |
| Consumption of stores and spares                                                                       | 261.658         | 308.996         |
| Site expenses and labour charges*                                                                      | 3159.625        | 2476.356        |
| Freight and transport                                                                                  | 690.749         | 667.962         |
| Bad debts written off (₹ : NIL ; 31 March 2024 : ₹ 26.049) / Provision for doubtful debts and advances | 216.901         | 192.322         |
| Sales commission                                                                                       | 273.116         | 367.905         |
| Travel and conveyance                                                                                  | 340.953         | 259.574         |
| Professional consultancy charges                                                                       | 521.935         | 536.115         |
| Software License fees                                                                                  | 185.236         | 114.400         |
| Insurance                                                                                              | 135.597         | 161.840         |
| Rent (Refer note 31)                                                                                   | 60.130          | 25.452          |
| Power and fuel                                                                                         | 152.570         | 109.588         |
| Advertising and exhibition expenses                                                                    | 50.494          | 39.265          |
| Communication expenses                                                                                 | 26.877          | 24.918          |
| Testing charges                                                                                        | 95.389          | 72.150          |
| Repairs and maintenance :                                                                              |                 |                 |
| Building                                                                                               | 45.321          | 19.604          |
| Plant and Machinery                                                                                    | 38.859          | 33.950          |
| Others                                                                                                 | 46.050          | 32.671          |
| Auditors' remuneration                                                                                 |                 |                 |
| for audit services                                                                                     | 4.088           | 4.088           |
| for taxation services                                                                                  | 0.690           | 0.690           |
| for certification charges                                                                              | 0.063           | 0.030           |
| out of pocket expenses                                                                                 | 0.128           | 0.107           |
| Non-Executive Directors' commission                                                                    | 13.500          | 13.500          |
| Rates and taxes                                                                                        | 7.663           | 9.978           |
| Reimbursement of Marketing Support Expenses                                                            | 83.146          | 74.819          |
| Miscellaneous expenses**                                                                               | 621.221         | 530.044         |
|                                                                                                        | <b>7031.959</b> | <b>6076.324</b> |

\*Includes travelling expenses, Job work charges and other site related expenses

\*\*Mainly includes R&D expenses, security expenses, & housekeeping expenses. Additionally, it includes expenses on CSR (refer note 35). Furthermore, it includes political contributions amounting to ₹ 30.000 (Previous Years Nil) in compliance with Section 182 of the Companies Act, 2013 made during the year.

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| Particulars                                                                       | 31 March 2025  | 31 March 2024   |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| <b>25 Income tax</b>                                                              |                |                 |
| <b>A Statement of profit and loss :</b>                                           |                |                 |
| <b>Current income tax :</b>                                                       |                |                 |
| Current income tax charge                                                         | 836.377        | 803.564         |
| Tax relating to earlier periods                                                   | (8.173)        | (24.826)        |
| <b>Deferred tax :</b>                                                             |                |                 |
| Relating to origination and reversal of temporary differences                     | 24.359         | 64.530          |
| <b>Income tax expense reported in the statement of profit and loss</b>            | <b>852.563</b> | <b>843.268</b>  |
| <b>B Statement of other comprehensive income :</b>                                |                |                 |
| <b>Deferred tax :</b>                                                             |                |                 |
| Remeasurements gains and losses on post employment benefits                       | (8.047)        | (12.247)        |
| Debt instruments through other comprehensive income                               | 0.758          | 0.063           |
| <b>Income tax expense reported in the statement of other comprehensive income</b> | <b>(7.289)</b> | <b>(12.184)</b> |
| <b>C Reconciliation of effective tax rate</b>                                     |                |                 |
| Accounting profit before tax                                                      | 3496.843       | 3647.493        |
| Tax using the Company's domestic tax rate 25.168% (31 March 2024 : 25.168%)       | 880.086        | 918.001         |
| Adjustments in respect of current income tax of previous years                    | (8.173)        | (24.826)        |
| Less : Tax effect of :                                                            |                |                 |
| i Income chargeable at lower rate / capital gain                                  | (63.272)       | (1.996)         |
| ii Dividend from Subsidiary eligible for deduction u/s 80M                        | -              | (62.920)        |
| iii Others including rounding off                                                 | (2.560)        | -               |
| Add : Tax effect of                                                               |                |                 |
| i Donations ineligible under Income tax                                           | 24.397         | 13.409          |
| ii SEZ Investment Allowance-taxable                                               | 22.086         | -               |
| iii Others including rounding off                                                 | -              | 1.600           |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                      | <b>852.563</b> | <b>843.268</b>  |
| <b>Income tax expense reported in the statement of profit and loss</b>            | <b>852.563</b> | <b>843.268</b>  |

## D Deferred tax

| Deferred tax relates to the following :                  | Balance sheet    |                  | Statement of profit and loss/<br>other comprehensive income &<br>other equity |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
|                                                          | 31 March 2025    | 31 March 2024    | 31 March 2025                                                                 | 31 March 2024   |
| <b>Deferred tax asset</b>                                |                  |                  |                                                                               |                 |
| Provision for doubtful debts and advances                | 215.982          | 154.300          | (61.682)                                                                      | (42.186)        |
| Provision for Anticipated Losses                         | 30.197           | 102.005          | 71.807                                                                        | (30.031)        |
| Gratuity                                                 | 27.732           | 22.213           | (5.520)                                                                       | (8.614)         |
| Compensated absences                                     | 53.971           | 53.142           | (0.829)                                                                       | (9.341)         |
| Other disallowances under Income Tax                     | 13.431           | 17.587           | 4.158                                                                         | (3.986)         |
| Lease Liability                                          | 107.208          | 101.441          | (5.766)                                                                       | (2.889)         |
| Deposits                                                 | 0.261            | 1.162            | 0.901                                                                         | 1.193           |
| <b>Total</b>                                             | <b>448.782</b>   | <b>451.850</b>   | <b>3.069</b>                                                                  | <b>(95.854)</b> |
| <b>Deferred tax liability</b>                            |                  |                  |                                                                               |                 |
| Property, plant & equipment and intangible assets        | (461.569)        | (413.457)        | 48.112                                                                        | 139.949         |
| Conditional exemptions claimed under Income tax / others | (17.315)         | (51.425)         | (34.111)                                                                      | 8.251           |
| <b>Total</b>                                             | <b>(478.884)</b> | <b>(464.882)</b> | <b>14.001</b>                                                                 | <b>148.200</b>  |
| <b>Net deferred tax asset / (liability)</b>              | <b>(30.102)</b>  | <b>(13.032)</b>  |                                                                               |                 |

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| Deferred tax relates to the following :                     | Balance sheet |               | Statement of profit and loss/<br>other comprehensive income &<br>other equity |               |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
|                                                             | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 | 31 March 2025                                                                 | 31 March 2024 |
| <b>Deferred tax expense/(income)</b>                        |               |               | <b>17.070</b>                                                                 | <b>52.346</b> |
| - Recognised in the statement of profit and loss            |               |               | 24.359                                                                        | 64.530        |
| - Recognised in the statement of other comprehensive income |               |               | (7.289)                                                                       | (12.184)      |
| - Recognised in retained earnings                           |               |               | -                                                                             | -             |

## E Movement in Current tax

| Particulars                                                                                                                              | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024  |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Current tax (asset)/ liability as at beginning of year (Net)                                                                             | 105.114       | 242.402        |
| Add : Additional provision during the year - Statement of Profit and loss account                                                        | 828.204       | 778.738        |
| Less : Current tax paid during the year (Net of refund received for previous year and adjustment for TDS receivable for previous years ) | (896.850)     | (916.025)      |
| <b>Current tax (asset)/ liability as at end of year (Net)</b>                                                                            | <b>36.468</b> | <b>105.114</b> |

## 26 Earnings per share

| Particulars                                                                            | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>Reconciliation of basic and diluted shares used in computing earnings per share</b> |               |               |
| Weighted average number of basic equity shares                                         | 183,813,088   | 183,744,509   |
| Add : effect of dilutive potential equity shares :                                     |               |               |
| - Employee stock options*                                                              | -             | -             |
| Weighted average number of diluted equity shares                                       | 183,813,088   | 183,744,509   |
| <b>Computation of basic and diluted earnings per share</b>                             |               |               |
| Net profit after tax attributable to equity shareholders                               | 2,644.280     | 2,804.225     |
| Basic earnings per equity share of ₹ 2 each                                            | 14.39         | 15.26         |
| Diluted earnings per equity share of ₹ 2 each                                          | 14.39         | 15.26         |

\* Options granted during the current year qualify as potential equity shares. However, for the purpose of calculating diluted earnings per share, they are anti-dilutive and hence there is no impact. For details on options granted, refer Note 33.

## 27 Capital commitments and contingent liabilities

| Particulars                                                                                                            | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>Capital commitments</b>                                                                                             |               |               |
| Estimated amount of contracts remaining to be executed on capital account and not provided for (net of advances)       | 60.899        | 72.912        |
| <b>Other commitments</b>                                                                                               |               |               |
| Partly paid shares-Praj Far East Co. Ltd                                                                               | 14.812        | 13.491        |
| <b>Contingent liabilities</b>                                                                                          |               |               |
| Claims against Company not acknowledged as debts (primarily relating to performance related claims filed by customers) | 21.845        | 21.845        |
| <b>Disputed demands in appeal towards :</b>                                                                            |               |               |
| - Income tax                                                                                                           | 37.337        | 37.338        |
| - Sales Tax                                                                                                            | 2.785         | 2.785         |

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## 28 Disclosures pursuant to Ind AS 115-Revenue from Contracts with Customers

| Particulars                                                                                                        | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Contract revenue recognised over a period of time during the year (excluding taxes)                                | 23816.198     | 27189.673     |
| Aggregate amount of contract costs incurred and recognised profits (less recognised losses)                        | 42520.023     | 53248.594     |
| Customer advances outstanding for contracts in progress                                                            | 6849.382      | 4572.702      |
| Retention money due from customers for contracts in progress                                                       | 1204.564      | 1415.689      |
| Gross amount due from customers for contract work (presented as contracts in progress)                             | 6064.968      | 3896.651      |
| Gross amount due to customers for contract work (presented as dues to customers relating to contracts in progress) | (833.219)     | (1472.940)    |

### I) Revenue by category of contracts :

| Particulars                                        | 31 March 2025    | 31 March 2024    |
|----------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Over a period of time basis                        | 23816.198        | 27189.673        |
| At a point-in-time basis                           | 3630.439         | 2705.970         |
| <b>Total revenue from contracts with customers</b> | <b>27446.636</b> | <b>29895.643</b> |

### II) Revenue by geographical market :

| Particulars                                        | 31 March 2025    | 31 March 2024    |
|----------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Within India                                       | 20914.515        | 23691.647        |
| Outside India                                      | 6532.121         | 6203.996         |
| <b>Total revenue from contracts with customers</b> | <b>27446.636</b> | <b>29895.643</b> |

### III) Transaction price allocated to the remaining performance obligations

| Particulars                       | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Remaining performance obligations | 25586.105     | 30955.099     |

**Note :** The above information is given in respect of contracts under execution as on period end date

### IV) Contract balances

| Particulars                            | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|----------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Trade receivables                      | 4299.321      | 4948.000      |
| Contract Asset                         | 8052.898      | 5706.935      |
| Contract Liability - Unearned Revenue  | 833.219       | 1472.940      |
| Contract Liability - Customer Advances | 7702.596      | 5274.545      |

- Contract assets primarily relate to the Company's rights to consideration for work completed but not billed at the reporting date. The Contract assets are transferred to Trade receivables on completion of milestones and its related invoicing.
- The Contract liabilities relate to unearned revenue and customer advances where performance obligations are yet to be fulfilled as per the contracts. The fulfilment of the performance obligations will extinguish these liabilities and revenue will be recognised.
- The payment is due from the date of invoice and payment terms are in the range of 30 days to 120 days. The Company expects that the period between when the entity transfers a promised good or service to a customer and when the customer pays for that good or service will be less than one year. Therefore, Company does not adjust the promised amount of consideration for the effects of financing component.

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## 29 Segment reporting

The business activities of the Company from which it earns revenue and incurs expenses; whose operating results are regularly reviewed by the chief operating decision maker to make decisions about resources to be allocated to the segment and assess its performance, and for which discrete financial information is available involve predominantly one operating segment i.e. process and project engineering.

Disclosures applicable to the entity having single reportable segment have been reported in Consolidated Financial Statements.

## 30 Related party transactions

### a) Parties where control exists

#### Subsidiaries

| Particulars                         | Principal place of business | Method used to account for the investments | Proportion of ownership interest and voting rights |               |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|---------------|
|                                     |                             |                                            | 31 March 2025                                      | 31 March 2024 |
| Praj Engineering & Infra Limited    | India                       | Cost                                       | 99.67%                                             | 99.67%        |
| Praj Far East Co. Limited, Thailand | Thailand                    | Cost                                       | 100%                                               | 100%          |
| Praj Americas Inc.                  | U. S. A.                    | Cost                                       | 100%                                               | 100%          |
| Praj HiPurity Systems Limited       | India                       | Cost                                       | 100%                                               | 100%          |
| Praj Far East (Philippines) Inc.    | Philippines                 | Cost                                       | 100%                                               | 100%          |
| Praj GenX Limited                   | India                       | Cost                                       | 100%                                               | 100%          |
| Praj Projects (Tanzania) Limited    | Tanzania                    | Cost                                       | 100%                                               | NA            |

### b) Key management personnel and their close members of family

|                                                                                                             |                                                  |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| Executive Chairman                                                                                          | Dr. Pramod Chaudhari (up to 31st December 2024)  |
| Non Executive Chairman                                                                                      | Dr. Pramod Chaudhari (from 1st January 2025)     |
| CEO & Managing Director                                                                                     | Shishir Joshipura                                |
| Managing Director - Designate                                                                               | Ashish Gaikwad (from 03rd February 2025)         |
| Chief Financial Officer & Director-Resources                                                                | Sachin Raole                                     |
| Chief Internal Auditor & Company Secretary                                                                  | Dattatraya Nimbolkar (up to 31st December 2023)  |
| Company Secretary                                                                                           | Anant Bavare (from 1st January 2024)             |
| Non-executive directors                                                                                     | Parimal Chaudhari                                |
|                                                                                                             | Dr. Shridhar Shukla                              |
|                                                                                                             | Rujuta Jagtap (from 21st August 2023)            |
|                                                                                                             | Vinayak Deshpande (from 31st March 2024)         |
|                                                                                                             | Utkarsh Palnitkar (from 31st March 2024)         |
|                                                                                                             | Ajay Narayan Deshpande (from 25th October 2024)  |
|                                                                                                             | Suhas Baxi (up to 7th August 2024)               |
|                                                                                                             | Berjis Desai (up to 31st March 2024)             |
|                                                                                                             | Sivaramakrishnan S. Iyer (up to 31st March 2024) |
| Close members of family of key management personnel with whom transactions were carried out during the year | Mrunalini Joshi (up to 10th August 2023)         |
|                                                                                                             | Parimal Chaudhari (Director)                     |

### c) Other related parties with whom transactions have been taken place during the year

Praj Foundation

Plutus Properties LLP

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## d) Transactions and balances with related parties have been set out below :

| Particulars                                         | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|-----------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>Praj Engineering &amp; Infra Limited</b>         |               |               |
| Sales of goods and services(without taxes)          | -             | 17.174        |
| Expenses incurred and reimbursed by the Company     | 2.909         | 0.073         |
| Expenses incurred and reimbursed by subsidiary      | 0.432         | 0.513         |
| Rent received                                       | 0.170         | 0.060         |
| Receivable                                          | 0.142         | 1.702         |
| <b>Praj Far East Co. Limited, Thailand</b>          |               |               |
| Expenses incurred and reimbursed by the Company     | 20.103        | 17.713        |
| Payable                                             | 17.919        | 7.662         |
| <b>Praj Americas Inc.</b>                           |               |               |
| Expenses incurred and reimbursed by the Company     | 58.773        | 53.353        |
| Payable                                             | 16.871        | 16.868        |
| Receivable                                          | 8.505         | 8.256         |
| <b>Praj HiPurity Systems Limited</b>                |               |               |
| Sales of goods and services (without taxes)         | 7.748         | 1.840         |
| Purchase of goods & services(without taxes)         | 1.943         | 12.593        |
| Purchase of capital goods & services(without taxes) | -             | 71.160        |
| Expenses incurred and reimbursed by the Company     | 21.322        | 16.298        |
| Dividend income                                     | -             | 250.000       |
| Expenses incurred and reimbursed by subsidiary      | 2.597         | 2.484         |
| Financial guarantee charges charged                 | 3.630         | 3.090         |
| Inter company loan given                            | 70.000        | 70.000        |
| Inter company loan received back                    | 70.000        | 70.000        |
| ICD Interest Received                               | 1.154         | 1.154         |
| Corporate Guarantee given                           | -             | 240.000       |
| Receivable                                          | -             | 0.920         |
| Advance Paid outstanding                            | 3.430         | -             |
| Corporate Guarantee given outstanding               | 940.000       | 940.000       |
| <b>Praj Far East (Philippines) Inc.</b>             |               |               |
| Financial guarantee charges charged                 | 0.078         | 0.309         |
| Expenses incurred and reimbursed by the Company     | 8.809         | 2.069         |
| Payable                                             | 1.007         | 2.102         |
| Receivable                                          | 0.080         | 0.232         |
| Dividend receivable                                 | -             | 8.782         |
| Corporate Guarantee given outstanding               | 129.330       | 125.835       |
| <b>Praj GenX Limited</b>                            |               |               |
| Issue of Equity Shares                              | -             | 0.500         |
| Interest Income on ICD                              | 121.421       | 33.038        |
| Inter company loan given                            | 1209.500      | 798.500       |
| Inter company loan repayment received               | 440.500       | -             |
| Rent Received                                       | 1.783         | 1.496         |
| Expenses incurred and reimbursed by the Subsidiary  | 0.180         | 0.172         |
| Financial Gurantee charges charged                  | 16.388        | -             |
| Corporate Guarantee given                           | 2914.466      | 324.591       |
| Security Deposit Received outstanding               | 0.408         | 0.408         |

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| Particulars                                        | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|----------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Receivable                                         | -             | 1.026         |
| Interest receivable on ICD                         | 110.921       | 29.734        |
| Inter company loan receivable                      | 1567.500      | 798.500       |
| Corporate Guarantee given outstanding              | 2944.564      | 324.591       |
| <b>Praj Projects (Tanzania) Limited</b>            |               |               |
| Issue of Equity Shares                             | 0.719         | -             |
| Expenses incurred and reimbursed by the Subsidiary | 5.722         | -             |
| Interest income on loan                            | 3.870         | -             |
| Inter company loans Given                          | 220.691       | -             |
| ICD Balance Receivable                             | 220.691       | -             |
| Interest Receivable on ICD                         | 3.483         | -             |
| Receivable                                         | 4.864         | -             |
| Corporate Guarantee given                          | 695.878       | -             |
| Corporate Guarantee given outstanding              | 695.878       | -             |
| <b>Praj Foundation</b>                             |               |               |
| Donation paid                                      | 48.405        | 29.948        |
| Rent Received                                      | 0.087         | 0.060         |
| <b>Plutus Properties LLP</b>                       |               |               |
| Rent paid                                          | 4.375         | 4.166         |
| Security Deposit Received outstanding              | 1.500         | 1.500         |
| <b>Dr. Pramod Chaudhari</b>                        |               |               |
| Short term employee benefits                       | 90.894        | 114.654       |
| Post employment benefits                           | 21.892        | 15.359        |
| Other long term employee benefits                  | 16.215        | 2.813         |
| Dividend                                           | 232.200       | 174.150       |
| Payable                                            | 150.815       | 44.415        |
| <b>Shishir Joshipura</b>                           |               |               |
| Short term employee benefits                       | 64.723        | 65.719        |
| Post employment benefits                           | 6.802         | 5.510         |
| Other long term employee benefit                   | 2.285         | 1.493         |
| Sale of vehicle                                    | -             | 0.300         |
| Share based payment                                | -             | 39.306        |
| Dividend                                           | 0.750         | 0.450         |
| Payable                                            | 21.704        | 26.710        |
| <b>Ashish Gaikwad</b>                              |               |               |
| Short term employee benefits                       | 16.344        | -             |
| Post employment benefits                           | 1.150         | -             |
| Other long term employee benefit                   | 0.251         | -             |
| Employee stock option expense                      | 8.392         | -             |
| Payable                                            | 0.564         | -             |
| <b>Sachin Raole</b>                                |               |               |
| Short term employee benefits                       | 30.728        | 30.274        |
| Post employment benefits                           | 3.165         | 2.427         |
| Other long term employee benefit                   | 1.268         | 0.910         |
| Share based payment                                | -             | 13.102        |
| Dividend                                           | 0.600         | 0.653         |
| Payable                                            | 13.166        | 16.093        |

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| Particulars                                                        | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>Dattatraya Nimbolkar</b>                                        |               |               |
| Short term employee benefits                                       | -             | 8.774         |
| Post employment benefits                                           | -             | 0.226         |
| Other long term employee benefit                                   | -             | 0.131         |
| Dividend                                                           | -             | 0.004         |
| Payable                                                            | -             | 3.097         |
| <b>Anant Bavare</b>                                                |               |               |
| Short term employee benefits                                       | 3.846         | 0.831         |
| Post employment benefits                                           | 0.287         | 0.083         |
| Other long term employee benefit                                   | 0.171         | 0.017         |
| Dividend                                                           | 0.000         | 0.000         |
| Payable                                                            | 0.578         | 0.926         |
| <b>Parimal Chaudhari</b>                                           |               |               |
| Commission on profit                                               | 3.500         | 3.000         |
| Dividend                                                           | 86.400        | 64.800        |
| Payable                                                            | 3.500         | 3.000         |
| Commission to Non-Executive Directors (other than disclosed above) | 10.000        | 10.500        |

## Note :

Transactions with related parties are at arms length price and the balances receivable / payable are un-secured. The terms of payment are generally similar to those of other non-related parties.

## 31 Leases

The Company classifies the lease transactions as per the requirements of IND-AS 116 "Leases"

### Nature of Leasing activity :

The Company has entered into lease arrangements for office and factory premises, office equipment, plant & machinery, vehicles, furniture & fixtures and computers.

The disclosures relating to leases are as summarised below :

| Particulars                                        | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|----------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Depreciation for right-of-use asset                | 201.859       | 171.370       |
| Interest expense on lease liabilities              | 34.414        | 37.436        |
| Expenses relating to short-term / low value leases | 60.130        | 25.452        |
| Total Cash outflow for leases                      | 312.157       | 248.377       |
| Carrying amount of right-of-use asset              | 419.849       | 387.473       |
| Maturity analysis of lease liabilities :           |               |               |
| - less than 1 year                                 | 135.080       | 189.165       |
| - between 1 to 3 years                             | 207.864       | 158.836       |
| - more than 3 years                                | 83.024        | 55.055        |

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## Changes in lease liabilities arising from financing activities

| Particulars                               | 31 March 2025  | 31 March 2024  |
|-------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Opening lease liability                   | 403.056        | 391.578        |
| Net addition / (deletion) during the year | 179.619        | 196.967        |
| Finance cost                              | 34.414         | 37.436         |
| Lease payments                            | (191.121)      | (222.926)      |
| <b>Closing lease liability</b>            | <b>425.968</b> | <b>403.056</b> |
| Non-Current                               | 290.888        | 213.891        |
| Current                                   | 135.080        | 189.165        |

## 32 Employee benefits

### a) Defined contribution plans

The Company has recognised ₹ 112.936 (31 March 2024 : ₹ 95.620) towards post-employment defined contribution plans comprising of provident fund, Employee State Insurance Scheme, National Pension Scheme and superannuation fund in the statement of profit and loss.

### b) Defined benefit plan

In accordance with the Payment of Gratuity Act, 1972, the Company is required to provide post-employment benefit to its employees in the form of gratuity. The Company has maintained a fund with the Life Insurance Corporation of India and ICICI Prudential Life Insurance to meet its gratuity obligations. In accordance with the Standard, the disclosures relating to the Company's gratuity plan are provided below :

**The changes in the present value of defined benefit obligation representing reconciliation of opening and closing balances thereof are as follows :**

| Particulars                                                          | 31 March 2025  | 31 March 2024  |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>Present value of obligation as at the beginning of the period</b> | <b>409.613</b> | <b>337.085</b> |
| Interest cost                                                        | 28.660         | 24.061         |
| Current service cost                                                 | 34.261         | 26.006         |
| Benefits paid                                                        | (23.127)       | (23.868)       |
| Remeasurements on obligation - (gain) / loss                         | 33.341         | 46.329         |
| <b>Present value of obligation as at the end of the period</b>       | <b>482.748</b> | <b>409.613</b> |

**The changes in the fair value of planned assets representing reconciliation of opening and closing balances thereof are as follows :**

| Particulars                                                                           | 31 March 2025  | 31 March 2024  |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>Fair value of plan assets at the beginning of the period</b>                       | <b>321.355</b> | <b>283.051</b> |
| Interest income                                                                       | 26.809         | 21.658         |
| Contributions                                                                         | 102.347        | 21.498         |
| Benefits Paid                                                                         | (0.369)        | (2.240)        |
| Other Charges                                                                         | (0.283)        | (0.280)        |
| Return on plan assets, excluding amount recognized in interest income - gain / (loss) | 1.368          | (2.332)        |
| <b>Fair value of plan assets as at the end of the period</b>                          | <b>451.226</b> | <b>321.355</b> |

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Amounts recognised in the balance sheet are as follows :

| Particulars                                             | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|---------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Present value of obligation as at the end of the period | 482.748         | 409.613         |
| Fair value of plan assets as at the end of the period   | 451.226         | 321.355         |
| <b>Surplus / (deficit)</b>                              | <b>(31.522)</b> | <b>(88.258)</b> |

Amounts recognised in the statement of profit and loss are as follows :

| Particulars                                                                                              | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Current service cost                                                                                     | 34.261        | 26.006        |
| Net interest (income) / expense                                                                          | 1.851         | 2.403         |
| <b>Net periodic benefit cost recognised in the statement of profit and loss at the end of the period</b> | <b>36.112</b> | <b>28.409</b> |

Amounts recognised in the statement of other comprehensive income (OCI) are as follows :

| Particulars                                              | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Remeasurement for the year - obligation (gain) / loss    | 33.341        | 46.329        |
| Remeasurement for the year - plan assets (gain) / loss   | (1.368)       | 2.332         |
| <b>Total remeasurements cost / (credit) for the year</b> | <b>31.973</b> | <b>48.661</b> |

Net interest (income) / expense recognised in statement of profit and loss are as follows :

| Particulars                                         | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|-----------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Interest (income) / expense - obligation            | 28.660        | 24.061        |
| Interest (income) / expense - plan assets           | (26.809)      | (21.658)      |
| <b>Net interest (income) / expense for the year</b> | <b>1.851</b>  | <b>2.403</b>  |

The broad categories of plan assets as a percentage of total plan assets are as follows :

| Particulars              | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Funds managed by insurer | 100%          | 100%          |
| <b>Total</b>             | <b>100%</b>   | <b>100%</b>   |

Principal actuarial assumptions used in determining gratuity benefit obligations for the Company's plans are as follows :

| Particulars                                                      | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Discount rate                                                    | 6.70%         | 7.20%         |
| Rate of increase in compensation levels                          | 9.00%         | 9.00%         |
| Expected rate of return on plan assets                           | 7.20%         | 7.40%         |
| Expected average remaining working lives of employees (in years) | 7.77          | 9.84          |
| Withdrawal rate                                                  |               |               |
| Age up to 30 years                                               | 10.00%        | 7.00%         |
| Age 31 - 40 years                                                | 10.00%        | 7.00%         |
| Age 41 - 50 years                                                | 10.00%        | 7.00%         |
| Age above 50 years                                               | 10.00%        | 7.00%         |

A quantitative sensitivity analysis for significant assumptions is shown as follows :

Sensitivity analysis indicates the influence of a reasonable change in certain significant assumptions on the outcome of the present value of obligation. Sensitivity analysis is done by varying (increasing/ decreasing) one parameter by 100 basis points (1%)

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## 1) Impact of change in discount rate when base assumption is decreased / increased by 100 basis point

| Discount rate                          | Present value of obligation |               |
|----------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|
|                                        | 31 March 2025               | 31 March 2024 |
| Decrease by 1% to 5.70% (2024 : 6.20%) | 500.880                     | 428.219       |
| Increase by 1% to 7.70% (2024 : 8.20%) | 466.524                     | 393.172       |

## 2) Impact of change in salary increase rate when base assumption is decreased / increased by 100 basis point

| Salary increment rate                    | Present value of obligation |               |
|------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|
|                                          | 31 March 2025               | 31 March 2024 |
| Decrease by 1% to 8.00% (2024 : 8.00%)   | 469.083                     | 395.367       |
| Increase by 1% to 10.00% (2024 : 10.00%) | 497.669                     | 425.361       |

## 3) Impact of change in withdrawal rate when base assumption is decreased / increased by 100 basis point

| Withdrawal rate                         | Present value of obligation |               |
|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|
|                                         | 31 March 2025               | 31 March 2024 |
| Decrease by 1% to 9.00% (2024 : 6.00%)  | 484.781                     | 411.441       |
| Increase by 1% to 11.00% (2024 : 8.00%) | 480.898                     | 407.960       |

### Expected contributions for the next year

The Company expects to fund ₹ NIL (31 March 2024 : ₹ 60.000) towards its gratuity plan during the year 2025-26.

### Average duration

Weighted average duration of the plan (based on discounted cash flows using mortality, withdrawal rate and interest rate) is 8.03 years (31 March 2024 : 8.79 years).

### Maturity analysis

The expected maturity analysis of undiscounted gratuity benefits payments is as follows :

| Particulars       | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|-------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Less than a year  | 240.376       | 194.502       |
| Between 1-3 years | 83.939        | 56.610        |
| Between 4-5 years | 72.997        | 64.774        |

The above cash flows have been arrived at based on the demographic and financial assumptions.

## Risk Exposure and Asset Liability Matching

Provision of a defined benefit scheme poses certain risks, some of which are detailed hereunder, as companies take on uncertain long term obligations to make future benefit payments.

### 1) Liability Risks

#### i. Asset-Liability Mismatch Risk

Risk which arises if there is a mismatch in the duration of the assets relative to the liabilities. By matching duration with the defined benefit liabilities, the company is successfully able to neutralize valuation swings caused by interest rate movements.

#### ii. Discount Rate Risk

Variations in the discount rate used to compute the present value of the liabilities may seem small, but in practice can have a significant impact on the defined benefit liabilities.

#### iii. Future Salary Escalation and Inflation Risk

Since price inflation and salary growth are linked economically, they are combined for disclosure purposes. Rising salaries will often result in higher future defined benefit payments resulting in a higher present value of liabilities especially unexpected salary increases provided at management's discretion may lead to uncertainties in estimating this increasing risk.

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## 2) Asset Risks

All plan assets are maintained in a trust fund managed by LIC of India and ICICI Prudential Life Insurance.

The company has opted for a traditional fund wherein all assets are invested primarily in risk averse markets. The company has no control over the management of funds but this option provides a high level of safety for the total corpus. A single account is maintained for both the investment and claim settlement and hence 100% liquidity is ensured. Also interest rate and inflation risk are taken care of.

## c) Other long-term employee benefits

### Provision for Compensated absences :

Provision for Compensated absences cover the Company's liability for earned leave which are classified as other long-term benefits.

| Particulars                                                          | 31 March 2025  | 31 March 2024  |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>Present value of obligation as at the beginning of the period</b> | <b>211.151</b> | <b>174.035</b> |
| Interest cost                                                        | 13.259         | 12.302         |
| Current service cost                                                 | 35.231         | 28.216         |
| Benefits paid                                                        | (53.990)       | (15.572)       |
| Remeasurements on obligation - (gain) / loss                         | 3.185          | 12.170         |
| <b>Present value of obligation as at the end of the period</b>       | <b>208.835</b> | <b>211.151</b> |

## 33 Employee Stock Option Plan (ESOP)

In the Annual General Meeting of the Company held on 22 July 2011, total of 9,238,936 stock options were approved under the scheme "Employee Stock Option Plan 2011". During the previous years, a total of 79,74,700 options were issued as ESOP 2011 – Grant I to XI, basis the eligibility and were exercised/ lapsed until 31 March 2024. During the current year 2024-25, 4,21,000 options are granted to Managing Director – Designate of the Company as ESOP 2011 – Grant XII. These stock options will vest in a graded manner equally over the period of vesting starting from 3 February 2026, and each vesting taking effect as per the terms of the grant.

### Amount of employee compensation expense recognised for employee services received during the year :

| Particulars                                                          | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Expense arising from equity-settled share-based payment transactions | 8.392         | -             |

### Movements during the year - ESOP 2011 Grant I to XII

| Particulars                                                                               | 31 March 2025 |                                   | 31 March 2024 |                                   |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------------|
|                                                                                           | Options       | Weighted average exercise price ₹ | Options       | Weighted average exercise price ₹ |
| Number of options outstanding at the beginning of the year                                | -             |                                   | 100,000       |                                   |
| Number of options granted during the year                                                 | 421,000       |                                   | -             |                                   |
| Number of options exercised during the year                                               | -             |                                   | (100,000)     |                                   |
| Number of options forfeited/lapsed during the year                                        | -             |                                   | -             |                                   |
| Number of options outstanding at the end of the year                                      | 421,000       |                                   | -             |                                   |
| Number of options exercisable at the end of the year                                      | NIL           |                                   | NIL           |                                   |
| Range of exercise price of options outstanding at the end of the year                     | ₹ 565.00      |                                   | NA            |                                   |
| Average share price during the year                                                       | ₹ 672.80      |                                   | ₹ 483.04      |                                   |
| Weighted average remaining contractual life of options outstanding at the end of the year | 2.35 years    |                                   | NA            |                                   |
| Weighted average fair value of option as on date of grant (granted during the year)       | 03-Feb-25     | 257.92                            | 17-Jun-21     | 265.74                            |

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## Method used for calculating fair value of option – Black Scholes Option Valuation Model

Significant assumptions used in arriving at the fair value of options under Black Scholes model are stated as follows :

| Particulars                                                                | FY 2024-25  | FY 2023-24  |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Grant date                                                                 | 03 Feb 2025 | 17 Jun 2021 |
| Risk-free interest rate                                                    | 6.62%       | 4.20%       |
| Expected life                                                              | 2 - 4 years | 1.0 year    |
| Expected volatility*                                                       | 55.15%      | 61.25%      |
| Expected dividend yield                                                    | 1.47%       | 2.11%       |
| Price of the underlying share in market at the time of grant of option (₹) | 627.15      | 359.15      |

\* Expected volatility has been determined based on closing price of the share of the Company over a period equivalent to expected life.

## 34 Expenditure on research & development activities

Revenue expenditure on research is charged under respective heads of account in the year in which it is incurred. Capital expenditure in R&D facilities (including development activities) consists of property, plant and equipment, Capital work in progress, Intangible Assets and Intangible assets under development. The property, plant and equipment and Intangible Assets as included above are depreciated / amortised on the same basis as per their respective categories. The break-up of Research and development (R&D) capital and revenue expenditure is as below :

| Particulars                              | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Capital expenditure (excluding advances) | 296.927       | 592.228       |
| Revenue expenditure                      | 402.296       | 384.703       |

## 35 Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) expenditure

During the year, the Company has incurred CSR expenses of ₹ 56.636 (2024 : ₹ 42.229) included in Miscellaneous Expenses (Refer Note 24) as follows :

| Amount spent on                                                     | Amounts paid in FY 2024-25 | Amounts paid in FY 2023-24 |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Construction/acquisition of asset                                   | Nil                        | Nil                        |
| On other purposes covered under Schedule VII to Companies Act, 2013 | 56.636                     | 42.229                     |

| Particulars                                                                                                                                                                       | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| a) Amount required to be spent by the company during the year                                                                                                                     | 56.519        | 37.961        |
| b) Amount of expenditure spent                                                                                                                                                    | 56.636        | 42.229        |
| i) Incurred through related party - Praj Foundation                                                                                                                               | 48.405        | 29.948        |
| ii) Incurred through contribution/donation to trusts / institute which are engaged in activities eligible under section 135 of Companies Act, 2013 read with Schedule VII thereto | 8.231         | 12.281        |
| c) Shortfall at the end of the year                                                                                                                                               | -             | -             |
| d) Total of previous years shortfall                                                                                                                                              | -             | -             |
| e) Cash outflow related to Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activities                                                                                                       | 56.636        | 42.229        |

## 36 Fair value measurements

As per assessments made by the management, fair values of all financial instruments carried at amortised cost (except investment in quoted non-convertible bonds) are not materially different from their carrying amounts since they are either short term in nature or the interest rates applicable are equal to the current market rate of interest.

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The Company has performed a fair valuation of its investment in mutual funds which are classified as fair value through profit and loss (FVTPL) and bonds which are classified as fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI) using quoted prices and fair valuations of foreign exchange forward contracts as per mark to market valuation from bank.

| Sr. No   | Particulars                                                             | Carrying value |               |
|----------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|---------------|
|          |                                                                         | 31 March 2025  | 31 March 2024 |
|          | <b>Financial assets</b>                                                 |                |               |
| <b>A</b> | <b>Levelled at level 1</b>                                              |                |               |
| i)       | <b>Carried at fair value through profit and loss (FVTPL)</b>            |                |               |
|          | Investments in mutual funds                                             | 2867.671       | 3354.862      |
| ii)      | <b>Carried at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI)</b> |                |               |
|          | Investment in quoted non-convertible bonds                              | 497.710        | 494.700       |
| <b>B</b> | <b>Levelled at level 2</b>                                              |                |               |
| i)       | <b>Carried at fair value through profit and loss (FVTPL)</b>            |                |               |
|          | Foreign exchange forward contracts                                      | 8.721          | 20.417        |
|          | (The fair value is as per the mark-to-market valuation from banks)      |                |               |
| <b>C</b> | <b>Carried at amortised cost</b>                                        |                |               |
|          | Investment in quoted non-convertible bonds*                             | 446.654        | 697.163       |
|          | Investment in corporate deposit                                         | 250.000        | 250.000       |
|          | Security deposits                                                       | 150.016        | 111.465       |
|          | Deposits with banks with an original maturity of more than 12 months    | -              | 150.107       |
|          | Trade receivable                                                        | 4299.321       | 4948.000      |
|          | Cash and cash equivalents and other bank balances                       | 1124.353       | 1374.501      |
|          | Interest accrued on loan to related party                               | 114.404        | -             |
|          | Inter Company Loans given to subsidiary companies                       | 1788.191       | 798.500       |
|          | Other receivables                                                       | 133.883        | 149.789       |
|          | <b>Financial liabilities</b>                                            |                |               |
| <b>A</b> | <b>Carried at amortised cost</b>                                        |                |               |
|          | Trade payables                                                          | 3735.777       | 3896.297      |
|          | Unclaimed dividends                                                     | 11.841         | 11.155        |
|          | Lease Liability                                                         | 425.968        | 403.056       |
|          | Other payables                                                          | 374.821        | 550.914       |
| <b>B</b> | <b>Financial guarantee contracts</b>                                    | 21.406         | -             |
| *        | Fair value of investment in quoted non-convertible bonds                | 451.740        | 689.379       |

Note : Investment in subsidiaries valued at cost at Rs. 1569.894 million (2024 : 1569.175)

## 37 Financial risk management policy and objectives

The Company's principal financial liabilities, comprise lease liabilities, trade and other payables and financial guarantee contracts. The main purpose of these financial liabilities is to finance company's operations and to provide guarantees to support operations of the subsidiaries. Company's principal financial assets include investments, trade and other receivables, security deposits and cash and cash equivalents, that it derives directly from its operations.

In order to minimise any adverse effects on the financial performance of the Company, it has taken various measures. This note explains the source of risk which the entity is exposed to and how the entity manages the risk and impact of the same in the financial statements.

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| Risk                                     | Exposure arising from                                                                                                                     | Measurement                                                 | Management                                                                                                                                                                               |
|------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Credit                                   | Cash and cash equivalents, trade receivables, financial assets measured at amortised cost, corporate guarantees issued to group companies | Aging analysis, external credit rating (wherever available) | Diversification of bank deposits, credit limits and letter of credit                                                                                                                     |
| Liquidity risk                           | Lease and other liabilities                                                                                                               | Rolling cash flow forecasts                                 | Availability of committed credit lines                                                                                                                                                   |
| Market risk-<br>Foreign Currency<br>Risk | Recognised financial assets and liabilities not denominated in Indian rupee (₹)                                                           | Sensitivity Analysis                                        | Management follows established risk management policies, including use of derivatives like foreign exchange forward contracts, where the economic conditions match the company's policy. |

The Company's management handles the risk management based on policies approved by the Board of Directors. Company's treasury identifies, evaluates and hedges financial risks in close co-operation with the company's operating units. The Board provides written principles for overall risk management, as well as policies covering specific areas, such as foreign exchange risk, credit risk, and investment of excess liquidity.

## (A) Credit risk

Credit risk in case of the Company arises from cash and cash equivalents, trade receivables, financial assets measured at amortised cost, corporate guarantees issued to group companies, as well as credit exposures to customers including outstanding receivables.

### Credit risk management

Credit risk arises from the possibility that counter party may not be able to settle their obligations as agreed. To manage this, the Company periodically assesses the reliability of customers, taking into account the financial condition, current economic trends, and analysis of historical bad debts and ageing of accounts receivable. Individual risk limits are set accordingly.

The company considers the probability of default upon initial recognition of asset and whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk on an ongoing basis throughout each reporting period. To assess whether there is a significant increase in credit risk, the Company compares the risk of a default occurring on the asset as at the reporting date with the risk of default as at the date of initial recognition. It considers reasonable and supportive forward looking information such as :

- Actual or expected significant adverse changes in business,
- Actual or expected significant changes in the operating results of the counterparty,
- Financial or economic conditions that are expected to cause a significant change to counterparty's ability to meet its obligations,
- Significant increases in credit risk on other financial instruments of the same counterparty,
- Significant changes in the value of collateral supporting the obligation or in the quality of third-party guarantees or credit enhancements.

The company provides for expected credit loss in case of trade receivables when there is no reasonable expectation of recovery, such as a debtor declaring bankruptcy or failing to engage in a repayment plan with the company etc.

The Company uses simplified approach for estimating the lifetime expected loss provision. The Company provides expected loss based on the overdue number of days for receivables as per the provision matrix as decided by the management which is based on the historical experience of recoverability. Where receivables have been written off, the company continues to engage in enforcement activity to attempt to recover the receivable due. Where recoveries are made, these are recognised in profit or loss.

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## Provision for expected credit loss

Financial assets for which loss allowance is measured using 180 days Expected Credit Losses (ECL)

| Exposure to risk                                                                              | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Trade receivables                                                                             | 5113.206        | 5524.829        |
| Less : Allowance for expected credit loss                                                     | 813.885         | 576.829         |
|                                                                                               | <b>4299.321</b> | <b>4948.000</b> |
| Trade receivables                                                                             | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
| Neither past due nor impaired                                                                 | 1145.620        | 1490.014        |
| Less than 180 days                                                                            | 2404.510        | 2630.869        |
| 181 - 365 days                                                                                | 257.367         | 373.885         |
| More than 365 days                                                                            | 1305.709        | 1030.061        |
| <b>Gross trade receivables</b>                                                                | <b>5113.206</b> | <b>5524.829</b> |
| Less : Allowance for expected credit loss                                                     | (813.885)       | (576.829)       |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                                  | <b>4299.321</b> | <b>4948.000</b> |
| Reconciliation of allowance for expected credit loss on trade receivables and contract assets | FY 2024-25      | FY 2023-24      |
| Opening loss allowance                                                                        | 605.363         | 437.744         |
| Less : Bad debts written off                                                                  | -               | (26.049)        |
| Add : Additional allowance                                                                    | 221.721         | 193.668         |
| <b>Closing loss allowance</b>                                                                 | <b>827.084</b>  | <b>605.363</b>  |

## B) Liquidity risk

The company follows a prudent approach to liquidity risk management by ensuring it has sufficient cash and access to committed credit facilities to meet its financial obligations as they fall due and to manage market positions effectively. Given the dynamic nature of its operations, the company maintains funding flexibility through available committed credit lines.

Management regularly monitors the company's liquidity position using rolling cash flow forecasts, which include cash and cash equivalents and undrawn borrowing facilities. This monitoring is aligned with internal policies and limits. The Company's liquidity management also includes :

- Forecasting future cash flows,
- Assessing the required level of liquid assets,
- Monitoring liquidity ratios in line with internal benchmarks and regulatory requirements, and
- Maintaining appropriate debt financing strategies.

| Exposure to risk                                                 | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>Other financial liabilities (including Lease Liabilities)</b> |                 |                 |
| On demand                                                        | 11.841          | 11.155          |
| Less than 365 days                                               | 517.011         | 740.079         |
| More than 365 days                                               | 305.183         | 213.891         |
| <b>Total</b>                                                     | <b>834.035</b>  | <b>965.125</b>  |
| <b>Trade payables</b>                                            |                 |                 |
| Not Due                                                          | 3086.828        | 3576.917        |
| Less than 365 days                                               | 648.949         | 319.380         |
| More than 365 days                                               | -               | -               |
| <b>Total</b>                                                     | <b>3735.777</b> | <b>3896.297</b> |

The company has access to following undrawn facilities at the end of the reporting period

|                          | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Expiring within one year | 180.000       | 180.000       |

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## (C) Foreign currency risk

The Company is exposed to foreign exchange risk mainly through its sales to overseas customers and purchases from overseas suppliers in various foreign currencies.

The Company evaluates exchange rate exposure arising from foreign currency transactions and the Company follows established risk management policies, including use of derivatives like foreign exchange forward contracts to hedge exposure to foreign currency risk, where the economic conditions match the Company's policy.

### Foreign currency exposure :

| Financial assets                          | Currency | Amount in foreign currency |               | Amount in ₹   |               |
|-------------------------------------------|----------|----------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
|                                           |          | 31 March 2025              | 31 March 2024 | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
| Trade receivables and Retention           | EUR      | 3.617                      | 10.569        | 331.036       | 941.471       |
|                                           | USD      | 8.925                      | 9.550         | 759.060       | 788.465       |
|                                           | GBP      | 0.180                      | 0.180         | 19.741        | 18.698        |
| Less : Foreign exchange forward contracts | EUR      | 3.617                      | 10.569        | 337.583       | 962.609       |
|                                           | USD      | 8.925                      | 9.550         | 769.502       | 801.167       |
| Bank accounts                             | EUR      | 0.263                      | 1.054         | 23.997        | 93.931        |
|                                           | USD      | 1.039                      | 0.792         | 88.252        | 65.390        |
| Other receivable                          | USD      | -                          | 0.106         | -             | 8.782         |

| Financial liabilities               | Currency | Amount in foreign currency |               | Amount in ₹   |               |
|-------------------------------------|----------|----------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
|                                     |          | 31 March 2025              | 31 March 2024 | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
| Trade payables and Capital payables | EUR      | 0.158                      | 0.254         | 14.788        | 23.165        |
|                                     | USD      | 1.605                      | 1.795         | 138.350       | 150.577       |
|                                     | GBP      | -                          | 0.000         | -             | 0.019         |
|                                     | SEK      | 0.632                      | 0.632         | 5.379         | 4.931         |

### Currency wise net exposure (assets -liabilities)

| Particulars | Amount in foreign currency |               | Amount in ₹   |               |
|-------------|----------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
|             | 31 March 2025              | 31 March 2024 | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
| EUR         | 0.104                      | 0.800         | 2.661         | 49.628        |
| USD         | (0.566)                    | (0.897)       | (60.540)      | (89.107)      |
| GBP         | 0.180                      | 0.180         | 19.741        | 18.679        |
| SEK         | (0.632)                    | (0.632)       | (5.379)       | (4.931)       |

### Sensitivity analysis

| Currency     | Amount in ₹     |                 | Sensitivity % | Impact on profit-strengthen [ Loss / (Gain) ] |              | Impact on profit -weakening [ Loss / (Gain) ] |                |
|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|-----------------------------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------------------------|----------------|
|              | 2025            | 2024            |               | 2025                                          | 2024         | 2025                                          | 2024           |
| EUR          | 2.661           | 49.628          | 5.00%         | (0.133)                                       | (2.481)      | 0.133                                         | 2.481          |
| USD          | (60.540)        | (89.107)        | 5.00%         | 3.027                                         | 4.455        | (3.027)                                       | (4.455)        |
| GBP          | 19.741          | 18.679          | 5.00%         | (0.987)                                       | (0.934)      | 0.987                                         | 0.934          |
| SEK          | (5.379)         | (4.931)         | 5.00%         | 0.269                                         | 0.247        | (0.269)                                       | (0.247)        |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>(43.517)</b> | <b>(25.730)</b> |               | <b>2.176</b>                                  | <b>1.287</b> | <b>(2.176)</b>                                | <b>(1.287)</b> |

(GBP - Great Britain Pound, EUR - Euro, USD - US Dollar, SEK- Swedish Krona)

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## 38 Ageing schedule for Trade Receivables, Trade Payables and Capital Work-in-progress

### (A) The table below provides details regarding Trade receivables ageing schedule

| Particulars                                         | 31 March 2025   |                                                            |                   |                |                |                   |                 |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|-----------------|
|                                                     | Not due         | Outstanding for following periods from due date of payment |                   |                |                |                   | Total           |
|                                                     |                 | Less than 6 months                                         | 6 months - 1 Year | 1-2 Years      | 2-3 Years      | More than 3 years |                 |
| (i) Undisputed Trade receivables – considered good  | 1145.620        | 2404.510                                                   | 257.367           | 366.312        | 356.154        | 506.802           | 5036.766        |
| (ii) Undisputed Trade Receivables – credit impaired | -               | -                                                          | -                 | -              | -              | -                 | -               |
| (iii) Disputed Trade Receivables – considered good  | -               | -                                                          | -                 | -              | -              | 76.440            | 76.440          |
| (iv) Disputed Trade Receivables – credit impaired   | -               | -                                                          | -                 | -              | -              | -                 | -               |
| <b>Gross trade receivable</b>                       | <b>1145.620</b> | <b>2404.510</b>                                            | <b>257.367</b>    | <b>366.312</b> | <b>356.154</b> | <b>583.242</b>    | <b>5113.206</b> |
| Less : Allowance for expected credit loss           |                 |                                                            |                   |                |                |                   | (813.885)       |
| <b>Total</b>                                        |                 |                                                            |                   |                |                |                   | <b>4299.321</b> |

| Particulars                                         | 31 March 2024   |                                                            |                   |                |                |                   |                 |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|-----------------|
|                                                     | Not due         | Outstanding for following periods from due date of payment |                   |                |                |                   | Total           |
|                                                     |                 | Less than 6 months                                         | 6 months - 1 Year | 1-2 Years      | 2-3 Years      | More than 3 years |                 |
| (i) Undisputed Trade receivables – considered good  | 1490.014        | 2630.869                                                   | 373.885           | 479.380        | 227.351        | 246.890           | 5448.389        |
| (ii) Undisputed Trade Receivables – credit impaired | -               | -                                                          | -                 | -              | -              | -                 | -               |
| (iii) Disputed Trade Receivables – considered good  | -               | -                                                          | -                 | -              | -              | 76.440            | 76.440          |
| (iv) Disputed Trade Receivables – credit impaired   | -               | -                                                          | -                 | -              | -              | -                 | -               |
| <b>Gross trade receivable</b>                       | <b>1490.014</b> | <b>2630.869</b>                                            | <b>373.885</b>    | <b>479.380</b> | <b>227.351</b> | <b>323.330</b>    | <b>5524.829</b> |
| Less : Allowance for expected credit loss           |                 |                                                            |                   |                |                |                   | (576.829)       |
| <b>Total</b>                                        |                 |                                                            |                   |                |                |                   | <b>4948.000</b> |

### (B) The table below provides details regarding Trade payables ageing schedule

| Particulars                                 | 31 March 2025         |                                                            |               |           |                   |                 |
|---------------------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------------|
|                                             | Unbilled dues/Not due | Outstanding for following periods from due date of payment |               |           |                   | Total           |
|                                             |                       | Less than 1 year                                           | 1-2 Years     | 2-3 Years | More than 3 years |                 |
| (i) Micro and small Enterprises- Undisputed | 653.698               | -                                                          | -             | -         | -                 | 653.698         |
| (ii) Other-Undisputed                       | 2433.130              | 629.020                                                    | 19.929        | -         | -                 | 3082.079        |
| <b>Total</b>                                | <b>3086.828</b>       | <b>629.020</b>                                             | <b>19.929</b> | <b>-</b>  | <b>-</b>          | <b>3735.777</b> |

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| Particulars |                                            | 31 March 2024               |                                                               |           |           |                      |          |
|-------------|--------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------------------|----------|
|             |                                            | Unbilled<br>dues/Not<br>due | Outstanding for following<br>periods from due date of payment |           |           |                      | Total    |
|             |                                            |                             | Less than 1<br>year                                           | 1-2 Years | 2-3 Years | More than 3<br>years |          |
| (i)         | Micro and small Enterprises-<br>Undisputed | 711.504                     | -                                                             | -         | -         | -                    | 711.504  |
| (ii)        | Other-Undisputed                           | 2865.413                    | 319.380                                                       | -         | -         | -                    | 3184.793 |
| Total       |                                            | 3576.917                    | 319.380                                                       | -         | -         | -                    | 3896.297 |

(C) The table below provides details regarding Capital Work-in-progress (CWIP) and Intangibles under Development ageing schedule

| Particulars                   | 31 March 2025    |           |           |                   |         |
|-------------------------------|------------------|-----------|-----------|-------------------|---------|
|                               | Less than 1 year | 1-2 Years | 2-3 Years | More than 3 years | Total   |
| Capital Work-in-progress      | 133.294          | -         | 0.846     | -                 | 134.140 |
| Intangibles under Development | 1.551            | -         | 3.050     | -                 | 4.601   |

| Particulars                   | 31 March 2024    |           |           |                   |         |
|-------------------------------|------------------|-----------|-----------|-------------------|---------|
|                               | Less than 1 year | 1-2 Years | 2-3 Years | More than 3 years | Total   |
| Capital Work-in-progress      | 11.690           | 10.532    | -         | -                 | 22.222  |
| Intangibles under Development | 398.496          | 3.050     | -         | -                 | 401.546 |

As on the date of balance sheet, there is no capital work-in-progress project(s) whose completion is overdue or has exceeded the cost, based on the approved plan.

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## 39 Analytical Ratios

| Sr. No. | Ratio                            | Numerator                                                                                   | Denominator                                      | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 | % Variance | Reason for Variance                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1       | Current ratio                    | Current assets                                                                              | Current liabilities                              | 1.57          | 1.60          | -1.61%     | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 2       | Debt-equity ratio                | Debt                                                                                        | Net worth                                        | NA            | NA            | NA         | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 3       | Debt service coverage ratio      | Profit after tax excluding exceptional items + Finance Cost + Depreciation and amortisation | Interest & Lease Payments + Principal Repayments | 11.33         | 14.38         | -21.20%    | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 4       | Return on equity ratio           | Profit after tax                                                                            | Average Shareholder's Equity                     | 19.77%        | 24.10%        | -17.96%    | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 5       | Inventory turnover ratio         | Cost of Materials consumed + Changes in Inventory + Consumption of stores and spares        | Average Inventory                                | 7.57          | 7.76          | -2.48%     | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 6       | Trade receivables turnover ratio | Sales (billed to customer)                                                                  | Average Accounts Receivable                      | 5.32          | 5.69          | -6.42%     | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 7       | Trade payables turnover ratio    | Net credit purchases of materials                                                           | Average Trade Payables                           | 3.94          | 4.11          | -4.14%     | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 8       | Net capital turnover ratio       | Sales                                                                                       | Average Working capital                          | 3.67          | 4.46          | -17.63%    | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 9       | Net profit ratio                 | Profit After Tax                                                                            | Sales                                            | 9.63%         | 9.38%         | 2.71%      | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 10      | Return on capital employed       | Earning Before Interest & Tax                                                               | Capital Employed                                 | 26.03%        | 30.27%        | -14.02%    | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 11      | Return on investment             | Income from Investments                                                                     | Investment                                       |               |               |            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
|         | i. Mutual Funds                  |                                                                                             |                                                  | 7.8%          | 7.48%         | 4.65%      | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
|         | ii. Bonds                        |                                                                                             |                                                  | 7.6%          | 7.37%         | 2.49%      | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
|         | iii. Fixed Deposits              |                                                                                             |                                                  | 2.10% - 8.20% | 2.10% - 8.20% | NA         | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
|         | iv. Subsidiaries                 | PAT of subsidiaries                                                                         | Investment                                       | -31.4%        | 22.74%        | -237.97%   | Praj GenX Limited (GenX) commenced operations at its Mangalore facility in March 2024 and incurred scale-up related expenditure amounting to ₹ 768.13 million (net of transactions with Group company) during FY 2024-25. As GenX is in its startup phase, these initial losses have impacted the overall return. |

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## 40 Other Notes

### i Title deeds of immovable property not held in the name of the company

The Company does not own any immovable property whose title deeds are not in the name of the Company.

### ii Details of Benami Property

The Company does not own any benami property neither any proceedings are initiated or pending against the Company under the Prohibition of Benami Property Transactions Act, 1988.

### iii Borrowings secured against current assets

Though the Company does not have any fund based borrowings from banks or financial institutions on the basis of security of current assets, it has filed quarterly returns or statements of current assets with banks or financial institutions and the same are in agreement with the books of account read with notes given in the quarterly returns or statements.

### iv Wilful Defaulter

The Company has not been declared as wilful defaulter by any bank or financial institution or other lender.

### v Relationship with Struck off Companies

As per the information available with the Company, the Company has not entered into any transactions with companies struck off under section 248 of the Companies Act, 2013 or section 560 of the Companies Act, 1956.

### vi Registration of charges with ROC

There are three charges totalling to ₹ 781.550 million (31 March 2024 : three charges totalling to ₹ 781.550 million) created in favour of banks which are pending for satisfaction. There are no outstanding dues to these banks and satisfaction of these charges are pending due to technical issues which are being sorted out by the Company.

### vii Utilisation of Borrowed funds and share premium

The Company has not advanced or loaned or invested funds (either borrowed funds or share premium or any other sources or kind of funds) to any other person or entity, including foreign entities (Intermediaries) with the understanding (whether recorded in writing or otherwise) that the Intermediary shall (i) directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Group or (ii) provide any guarantee, security or the like to or on behalf of the Company.

### viii Loans or advances to specified persons

The Company has not granted loans or advances in the nature of loans to promoters, directors, KMPs and other the related parties either severally or jointly with any other person, that are :

- (i) repayable on demand or
- (ii) without specifying any terms or period of repayment.

### ix Details of Crypto Currency or Virtual Currency

The Company has not traded or invested in Crypto currency or Virtual Currency during the financial year.

### x Valuation of PP&E, right-of-use assets, intangible asset and investment property

The Company has not revalued its property, plant and equipment (including right-of-use assets) or intangible assets or both during the current or previous year.

### xi Utilisation of borrowings availed from banks and financial institutions

The Company does not have any borrowings availed from banks and financial institutions.

### xii Compliance with number of layers of companies

The Company has complied with the requirement with respect to number of layers as prescribed under section 2(87) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Companies (Restriction on number of layers) Rules, 2017.

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## xiii Undisclosed income

There is no income surrendered or disclosed as income during the year in tax assessments under the Income Tax Act, 1961 (such as search or survey), that has not been recorded in the books of account.

## xiv Disclosure pursuant to Sec 186 (4) of the Companies Act, 2013

- A 1) Name : Praj Far East (Philippines) Inc.  
 2) Purpose : Corporate Guarantee given for working capital limit  
 3) Amount : 129.330 (31 March 2024 : 125.835)  
 4) No outstanding borrowings as on reporting date (31 March 2024 : Nil)
- B 1) Name : Praj HiPurity Systems Limited  
 2) Purpose : Corporate Guarantee given for working capital limit  
 3) Amount : ₹ 940.000 (31 March 2024 : 940.000)  
 4) No outstanding borrowings as on reporting date (31 March 2024 : Nil)
- C Name : Praj GenX Limited
- a) Nature of transaction : Corporate Guarantee given  
 i) Purpose : Corporate Guarantee given for lease payments  
 ii) Amount : ₹ 1444.564 (31 March 2024 : 324.591)  
 iii) Lease liability as on reporting date is ₹ 1388.740 (31 March 2024 : 246.595)
- b) Nature of transaction : Corporate Guarantee given  
 i) Purpose : Corporate Guarantee given for banking facilities  
 ii) Amount : ₹ 1500.000 (31 March 2024 : Nil)  
 iii) Unused banking limits as on reporting date is ₹ 1500.000 (31 March 2024 : Nil)
- c) Nature of transaction : Inter Corporate Loan given  
 i) Purpose : General corporate purpose  
 ii) Amount : ₹ 1567.500 (31 March 2024 : 798.500)  
 iii) Maximum outstanding balance is ₹ 1567.500 (31 March 2024 : 798.500)  
 iv) Rate of interest : 5-year Government Bond Yield + 3.5% (31 March 2024 : SBI MCLR+2%)
- D Name : Praj Projects (Tanzania) Limited
- a) Nature of transaction : Corporate Guarantee given  
 i) Purpose : Corporate Guarantee given for customer advance  
 ii) Amount : ₹ 695.878 (31 March 2024 : NIL)  
 iii) Customer Advance outstanding as on reporting date is ₹ 241.460 (31 March 2024 : NIL)
- b) Nature of transaction : Inter Corporate Loan given  
 i) Purpose : General corporate purpose  
 ii) Amount : ₹ 220.691 (31 March 2024 : NIL)  
 iii) Maximum outstanding balance is ₹ 220.691 (31 March 2024 : NIL)  
 iv) Rate of interest : 13.40% i.e. negotiated lending interest rate as published by Bank of Tanzania (31 March 2024 : NA)

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## 41 Capital management

### Risk management

The Company's objectives when managing capital are to

- safeguard its ability to continue as a going concern, so that it can continue to provide returns to shareholders and benefits to other stakeholders, and
- Maintain an optimal capital structure to reduce the cost of capital.

In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Company may adjust the amount of dividends paid to shareholders, return capital to shareholders, issue new shares or sell assets to reduce debt. Consistent with others in the industry, the Company monitors capital on the basis of the following gearing ratio : Net debt (total borrowings net of cash and cash equivalents) divided by total 'equity' (as shown in the balance sheet).

The Company's strategy is to maintain a gearing ratio of 0%. The gearing ratios were as follows :

|                                  | 31 March 2025    | 31 March 2024    |
|----------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Loans and borrowings             | -                | -                |
| Less : cash and cash equivalents | 650.972          | 1071.602         |
| Net debt                         | -                | -                |
| Equity                           | 14139.048        | 12610.928        |
| Capital and net debt             | <b>14139.048</b> | <b>12610.928</b> |
| Gearing ratio                    | <b>0%</b>        | <b>0%</b>        |

- 42** The Ministry of Corporate Affairs vide notification number GSR 205 (E) dated 24th March 2021 and as amended from time to time, read with proviso to Rule 3(1) of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014, for the financial year commencing April 1, 2023 has prescribed, inter-alia, certain requirements related to maintenance of an audit trail emanating from accounting software. The Company had enabled the audit trail at an application level for all the tables and fields for its books of account and relevant transactions in the accounting software used by it, in conformity with the said regulations. However, the accounting software used by the Company has not been enabled with the feature of audit trail log at the database layer to log direct transactional changes, due to the present design of the accounting software.
- 43** Exceptional item represents profit on sale of land located at Nasarapur, which was classified as "Asset held for sale" as of 31 March 2024.
- 44** On 28th March 2025, a fire broke out at R&D facility, Praj Matrix, causing a temporary disruption of R&D activities for a couple of weeks. The facility was fully insured, and a claim for the loss has already been lodged with the insurance company. The Management of the Company expects to recover the estimated losses, including damage to the property, and therefore, no provision for losses has been made in the financial statements.

As per our report of even date.

**For P G BHAGWAT LLP**  
Chartered Accountants  
Firm Regn. No : 101118W/W100682

**Abhijeet Bhagwat**  
Partner  
Membership No. : 136835

**For and on behalf of the Board of Directors of Praj Industries Limited**

**Dr. Pramod Chaudhari**  
Chairman  
(DIN : 00196415)

**Shishir Joshipura**  
CEO and Managing Director  
(DIN : 00574970)

**Sachin Raole**  
CFO and Director- Resources  
(DIN : 00431438)

**Anant Bavare**  
Company Secretary  
(M.No. : ACS21405)

Place : Pune  
Date : 29 April 2025

# INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Members of **Praj Industries Limited**

## Report on the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

### Opinion

We have audited the Consolidated Financial Statements of Praj Industries Limited (hereinafter referred to as the "**Holding Company**") and its Subsidiaries (Holding Company and its Subsidiaries together referred to as "**the Group**"), which comprise the Consolidated Balance Sheet as at March 31, 2025, the Consolidated Statement of Profit and Loss (including Other Comprehensive Income), the Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity and the Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows for the year then ended, and notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements, including a summary of material accounting policies and other explanatory information (hereinafter referred to as "**the Consolidated Financial Statements**").

In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, and based on the consideration of reports of other auditors on separate financial statements, the aforesaid Consolidated Financial Statements give the information required by the Companies Act, 2013 ("**the Act**") in the manner so required and give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India, of the consolidated state of affairs of the Group as at March 31, 2025, of the consolidated profit and other comprehensive income, consolidated changes in equity and its consolidated cash flows for the year then ended.

### Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing ("**SAs**") specified under section 143(10) of the Act. Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Group 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 Consolidated Financial Statements under the provisions of the Act and the Rules thereunder, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the Code of Ethics.

We believe that the audit evidence obtained by us and other auditors in terms of their reports referred to in the Other Matters paragraph of our report, is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

### Key Audit Matters

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

| Significant accounting judgement - Revenue Recognition in respect of Engineering, Procurement and Commissioning (EPC) contracts                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Principle Audit Procedures                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
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| <p>The Holding Company is engaged in the business of process and project engineering. The Holding Company recognises revenue from contracts on satisfaction of performance obligations over a period of time in majority of the EPC contracts. Refer note 2.15 and 27 to the Consolidated Financial Statements. The revenue recognition process involves significant accounting judgements including estimation of costs to complete, determining the stage of completion and the timing of revenue recognition.</p> <p>The Holding Company recognises revenue and profit/loss as per the stage of completion, based on the proportion of contract costs incurred at the balance sheet date, relative to the total estimated costs of the contract at completion.</p> <p>The recognition of revenue and profit/loss therefore rely on estimates in relation to total estimated costs of each contract. Cost contingencies are included in these estimates to take into account specific uncertain risks, or disputed claims against the Holding Company, arising within each contract. These contingencies are reviewed by the Management on a regular basis throughout the contract life and remeasured as appropriate.</p> | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Testing of the design and implementation of controls involved in the determination of the estimates used and recording of actual cost as well as their operating effectiveness;</li> <li>Testing a sample of contracts for appropriate identification of performance obligations and verification of contract value;</li> <li>For the sample selected, matched the contract revenue, actual invoices recorded and actual cost incurred against each project on the basis of which revenue is recognised;</li> <li>Reviewed on a test check basis significant changes in cost to complete estimates, its approval mechanism and understood the reasons for such revisions in estimates;</li> <li>Understood the process, nature of expense heads and overheads adopted by the Holding Company's management to estimate costs for sample contracts and checked accuracy of arithmetic formulae used in calculating the revenue w.r.t. costs incurred and total estimated costs;</li> <li>Performed analytical procedures for reasonableness of revenues disclosed by type and service offerings;</li> <li>We have ensured that the disclosures provided in notes are in accordance with the Ind AS 115 and Companies Act, 2013.</li> </ol> |

### Other Information

The Holding Company's Board of Directors is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises of the Management Discussion and Analysis; Board of Directors' Report along with its Annexures and Corporate Governance Report included in the Annual Report but does not include the Consolidated Financial Statements and our Auditors' Report thereon. Our opinion on the Consolidated Financial Statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon. In connection with our audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the Consolidated Financial Statements, or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information; we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

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

The Holding Company's Board of Directors are responsible for the preparation and presentation of these Consolidated Financial Statements in term of the requirements of the Act that give a true and fair view of the consolidated financial

position, consolidated financial performance (including other comprehensive income), the consolidated statement of changes in equity and consolidated cash flows of the Group in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in India, including the Indian Accounting Standards specified under section 133 of the Act read with the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015, as amended.

The respective Board of Directors of the companies included in the Group are responsible for maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of the Act for safeguarding the assets of the Group and for preventing and detecting frauds and other irregularities; selection and application of appropriate accounting policies; making judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent; and the design, implementation and maintenance of adequate internal financial controls, that were operating effectively for ensuring accuracy and completeness of the accounting records, relevant to the preparation and presentation of the Consolidated Financial Statements that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, which have been used for the purpose of preparation of the Consolidated Financial Statements by the Directors of the Holding Company, as aforesaid.

In preparing the Consolidated Financial Statements, the respective Board of Directors of the companies included in the

Group are responsible for assessing the ability of the Companies in the Group 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 companies included in the Group or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

The respective Board of Directors of the companies included in the Group are responsible for overseeing the financial reporting process of the Companies in the Group.

#### **Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Consolidated Financial Statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with SAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these Consolidated 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 Consolidated Financial Statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances. Under section 143(3)(i) of the Act, we are also responsible for expressing our opinion on whether the Group has adequate internal financial controls with reference to the Consolidated Financial Statements 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 ability of the respective companies in the Group to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the Consolidated 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 companies in the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.

- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the Consolidated Financial Statements, including the disclosures, and whether the Consolidated Financial Statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the Consolidated Financial Statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the audit of the Financial Statements of such entities included in the Consolidated Financial Statements of which we are the independent auditors. For the other entities included in the Consolidated Financial Statements, which have been audited by other auditors, such other auditors remain responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the audits carried out by them. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion. Our responsibilities in this regard are further described in section titled Other Matter in this audit report.

We communicate with those charged with governance of the Holding Company and other companies included in the Consolidated Financial Statements of which we are the independent auditors regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

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

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance and based on audit reports of other auditors, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter

should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

### Other Matters Paragraphs

We did not audit the financial statements of three subsidiaries included in the Consolidated Financial Statements, whose financial statements reflect total assets of ₹ 519.849 million as at March 31, 2025, revenues from operation of ₹ 39.808 million, total comprehensive income (comprising of profit and other comprehensive income) of ₹ (22.250) million and net cash inflow of ₹ 240.764 million, for the year ended as on that date. These financial statements have been audited by other auditors whose reports have been furnished to us by the Holding Company's management and our opinion on the Consolidated Financial Statements, in so far as it relates to the amounts and disclosures included in respect of these subsidiaries, is based solely on the reports of the other auditors and the procedures performed by us are as stated in paragraph above.

These subsidiaries are located outside India whose financial statements and other financial information have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in their respective countries and which have been audited by other auditors under generally accepted auditing standards applicable in their respective countries. The Holding Company's management has converted the financial statements and other financial information of such subsidiaries located outside India from accounting principles generally accepted in their respective countries to accounting principles generally accepted in India. We have audited these conversion adjustments, if any, made by the Holding Company's management. Our opinion in so far as it relates to the balances and affairs of such subsidiaries located outside India is based on the report of other auditors and the conversion adjustments prepared by the management of the Holding Company and audited by us.

Our opinion on the Consolidated Financial Statements, and our report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements below, is not modified in respect of the above matters with respect to our reliance on the work done and the reports of the other auditors.

### Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements

1. As required by Section 143(3) of the Act, based on our audit and based on the consideration of reports of other auditors on separate financial statements, as noted in the Other Matters paragraph, we report, to the extent applicable, that :

- a) We have sought and obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purposes of our audit of the aforesaid Consolidated Financial Statements.

- b) In our opinion, proper books of account as required by law relating to preparation of the aforesaid Consolidated Financial Statements have been kept so far as it appears from our examination of those books and the reports of the other auditors except for the matters stated in the paragraph 1 i) (vi) below on reporting under Rule 11(g).
- c) The Consolidated Balance Sheet, the Consolidated Statement of Profit and Loss (including Other Comprehensive Income), the Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity and the Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows dealt with by this Report are in agreement with the relevant books of account maintained for the purpose of preparation of the Consolidated Financial Statements.
- d) In our opinion, the aforesaid Consolidated Financial Statements comply with the Indian Accounting Standards specified under Section 133 of the Act, read with Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015, as amended.
- e) On the basis of the written representations received from the directors of the Holding Company as on March 31, 2025 taken on record by the Board of Directors of the Holding Company and companies incorporated in India included in the Group, none of the directors of the companies incorporated in India included in the Group, is disqualified as on March 31, 2025 from being appointed as a director in terms of Section 164(2) of the Act.
- f) With reference to the maintenance of accounts and other matters connected therewith, refer to our comment in Paragraph 1 (b) above and refer to our comment in paragraph 1 i)(vi) below, on reporting under rule 11 (g).
- g) For our opinion on the internal financial controls with reference to Consolidated Financial Statements of the Holding Company and its subsidiaries incorporated in India and the operating effectiveness of such controls, refer to our separate Report in Annexure I.
- h) As required by section 197 (16) of the Act; in our opinion and according to the information and explanations given to us; the remuneration paid during the current year to its Directors/Manager by the companies incorporated in India to whom section 197 applies, included in the Group is in accordance with the provisions of section 197 of the Act. The remuneration paid to any director is not in excess of the limit laid down under section 197 of the Act.

- i) 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 and on the consideration of reports of the other auditors on separate financial statements :
- (i) The Consolidated Financial Statements disclose the impact of pending litigations as at March 31, 2025 on the consolidated financial position of the Group - Refer Note 26 to the Consolidated Financial Statements.
  - (ii) The Group has made provision, as required under any law or accounting standards, for material foreseeable losses on long term contracts in the respective companies. The Group did not have material foreseeable losses on any derivative contracts.
  - (iii) There is no delay in amounts, required to be transferred, to the Investor Education and Protection Fund by the companies incorporated in India in the Group during the year ended March 31, 2025.
  - (iv) (a) The respective Managements of the Holding Company and its subsidiaries which are companies incorporated in India, whose financial statements have been audited under the Act, have represented to us that, to the best of their knowledge and belief, no funds (which are material either individually or in the aggregate) have been advanced or loaned or invested (either from borrowed funds or share premium or any other sources or kind of funds) by the Holding Company or any of such subsidiaries to or in any other person or entity, including foreign entity ("Intermediaries"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Intermediary shall, directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Holding Company or any of such subsidiaries ("Ultimate Beneficiaries") or provide any guarantee, security or the like on behalf of the Ultimate Beneficiaries. Refer Note 39 (vii) to the Consolidated Financial Statements.
  - (b) The respective Managements of the Holding Company and its subsidiaries which are companies incorporated in India, whose financial statements have been audited under the Act, have represented to us that, to the best of their knowledge and belief, no funds (which are material either individually or in the aggregate) have been received by the Holding Company or any of such subsidiaries from any person or entity, including foreign entity ("Funding Parties"), with the understanding, whether recorded in writing or otherwise, that the Holding Company or any of such subsidiaries shall, 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. Refer Note 39 (vii) to the Consolidated Financial Statements.
  - (c) Based on the audit procedures that have been considered reasonable and appropriate in the circumstances performed by us on the Holding Company and its subsidiaries which are companies incorporated in India whose financial statements have been audited under the Act, nothing has come to our notice that has caused us to believe that the representations as provided under vi (a) and (b) above, contain any material misstatement.
  - (v) The dividend declared and paid during the year by the Holding Company is in compliance with Section 123 of the Act.
  - (vi) Based on our examination which included test, the Holding Company and Indian subsidiary companies have used an accounting software for maintaining its books of account which has a feature of recording audit trail (edit log) facility and the same has operated throughout the year for all relevant transactions recorded in the software except that in the Holding Company and three subsidiary companies' accounting software had no audit trail (edit log) facility/ feature enabled at the database level to log any direct changes. Refer note 44 to the Consolidated Financial Statements.

Further, during the course of our audit so far it relates to audit trail in respect of transactions, we did not come across any instance of audit trail feature being tampered with.

Additionally, the audit trail has been preserved by the Holding Company and its Indian subsidiaries as per the statutory requirements for record retention.

2. With respect to the matters specified in paragraphs 3(xxi) and 4 of the Companies (Auditor's Report) Order, 2020 (the "Order"/ "CARO") issued by the Central Government in terms of Section 143(11) of the Act, to be included in the Auditor's report, according to the information and explanations given to us, and based on the CARO report issued by us for the Holding Company and other Indian subsidiary companies included in the Consolidated Financial Statements of the Company, to which reporting under CARO is applicable, we report that there are no qualifications or adverse remarks in these CARO reports except as specified below :

| Company name            | CIN                   | CARO clause               |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| Praj Industries Limited | L27101PN1985PLC038031 | 3 (iii) (e), (vii) (a)    |
| Praj GenX Limited       | U28299PN2023PLC218651 | 3 (ix) (d), (xvii), (xix) |

For **P G BHAGWAT LLP**

Chartered Accountants

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**Abhijeet Bhagwat**

Partner

Membership Number : 136835

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Pune

April 29, 2025

## Annexure I to the Independent Auditors' Report

Referred to in paragraph 1 (g) under the heading, "Report on Other legal and Regulatory Requirements" of our report on even date :

### Report on the Internal Financial Controls with reference to Consolidated Financial Statements under Clause (i) of Sub-section 3 of Section 143 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act")

In conjunction with our audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements of the Company as of and for the year ended 31 March 2025, we have audited the internal financial controls with reference to the Consolidated Financial Statements of **Praj Limited** (hereinafter referred to as the "Holding Company") and its Subsidiaries incorporated in India (Holding Company and its Subsidiaries together referred to as "the Group") as of that date.

### Management's Responsibility for Internal Financial Controls

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

### Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the internal financial controls with reference to the Consolidated Financial Statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal financial controls over financial reporting (the "Guidance Note") and the Standards on Auditing, to the extent applicable to an audit of internal financial controls, both issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. Those Standards and the Guidance Note require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether adequate internal financial controls with reference to Consolidated Financial Statements 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 internal financial controls with reference

to Consolidated Financial Statements and their operating effectiveness. Our audit of internal financial controls with reference to Consolidated Financial Statements included obtaining an understanding of internal financial with reference to Consolidated Financial Statements, assessing the risk that a material weakness exists, and testing and evaluating the design and operating effectiveness of internal control based on the assessed risk. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the Consolidated 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 Holding Company and subsidiary companies incorporated in India's internal financial controls with reference to Consolidated Financial Statements.

### Meaning of Internal Financial Controls with reference to the Consolidated Financial Statements

A Company's internal financial control with reference to the Consolidated Financial Statements is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of Consolidated Financial Statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. A Company's internal financial control with reference to the Consolidated Financial Statements 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 Consolidated Financial Statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and that receipts and expenditures of the Company are being made only in accordance with authorisations of management and directors of the Company; and (3) provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorised acquisition, use, or disposition of the Company's assets that could have a material effect on the Consolidated Financial Statements.

### Inherent Limitations of Internal Financial Controls with reference to the Consolidated Financial Statements

Because of the inherent limitations of internal financial controls with reference to the Consolidated Financial Statements, including the possibility of collusion or improper management override of controls, material misstatements due to error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projections of any evaluation of the internal financial controls with reference to the Consolidated Financial Statements to future periods are subject to the risk that the internal financial control with

reference to the Consolidated Financial Statements 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 Holding Company and subsidiaries incorporated in India have, in all material respects, adequate internal financial controls with reference to Consolidated

Financial Statements and such internal financial controls with reference to Consolidated Financial Statements were operating effectively as at March 31, 2025, based on the internal control over financial reporting criteria established by the respective companies considering the essential components of internal control stated in the Guidance Note on Audit of Internal financial controls over financial reporting issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.

For **P G BHAGWAT LLP**

Chartered Accountants

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**Abhijeet Bhagwat**

Partner

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# Consolidated Balance Sheet as at 31 March 2025

(All amounts are in Indian rupees million unless otherwise stated)

| Particulars                                                                                 | Note no. | 31 March 2025    | 31 March 2024    |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|------------------|------------------|
| <b>ASSETS</b>                                                                               |          |                  |                  |
| <b>Non-current assets</b>                                                                   |          |                  |                  |
| Property, plant and equipment                                                               | 3        | 4464.911         | 4071.858         |
| Capital work-in-progress                                                                    | 3        | 173.283          | 31.991           |
| Goodwill                                                                                    | 3        | 626.150          | 626.150          |
| Intangible assets                                                                           | 3        | 579.677          | 46.009           |
| Intangible assets under development                                                         | 3        | 4.601            | 401.546          |
| Financial assets                                                                            |          |                  |                  |
| Investments                                                                                 | 4        | 697.794          | 945.390          |
| Others                                                                                      | 5        | 406.077          | 421.435          |
| Deferred tax assets (net)                                                                   | 24       | 262.420          | 90.704           |
| Other assets                                                                                | 6        | 87.636           | 79.800           |
|                                                                                             |          | <b>7302.549</b>  | <b>6714.883</b>  |
| <b>Current assets</b>                                                                       |          |                  |                  |
| Inventories                                                                                 | 7        | 2533.110         | 2208.522         |
| Financial assets                                                                            |          |                  |                  |
| Investments                                                                                 | 4        | 3584.241         | 4021.333         |
| Trade receivables                                                                           | 8        | 5559.864         | 6432.249         |
| Cash and cash equivalents                                                                   | 9        | 1259.191         | 1684.158         |
| Other bank balances                                                                         | 10       | 552.514          | 442.900          |
| Others                                                                                      | 5        | 151.808          | 153.027          |
| Current tax asset (net)                                                                     |          | 112.761          | 84.798           |
| Other assets                                                                                | 6        | 10547.689        | 7075.617         |
| Asset classified as held for sale                                                           | 3        | -                | 136.928          |
|                                                                                             |          | <b>24301.178</b> | <b>22239.532</b> |
| <b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>                                                                         |          | <b>31603.727</b> | <b>28954.415</b> |
| <b>EQUITY AND LIABILITIES</b>                                                               |          |                  |                  |
| <b>EQUITY</b>                                                                               |          |                  |                  |
| Equity share capital                                                                        | 11       | 367.626          | 367.626          |
| Other equity                                                                                | 12       | 13450.045        | 12377.073        |
| <b>Sub-total - total equity attributable to parent</b>                                      |          | <b>13817.671</b> | <b>12744.699</b> |
| Non-controlling interests                                                                   |          | 1.226            | 0.999            |
| <b>Total equity</b>                                                                         |          | <b>13818.897</b> | <b>12745.698</b> |
| <b>LIABILITIES</b>                                                                          |          |                  |                  |
| <b>Non-current liabilities</b>                                                              |          |                  |                  |
| Financial liabilities                                                                       |          |                  |                  |
| Lease Liabilities                                                                           | 30       | 1503.112         | 1417.185         |
| Other financial liabilities                                                                 |          | 6.393            | 6.393            |
| Provisions                                                                                  | 13       | 195.724          | 180.915          |
| Deferred tax liabilities (net)                                                              | 24       | 30.102           | 13.032           |
|                                                                                             |          | <b>1735.331</b>  | <b>1617.525</b>  |
| <b>Current liabilities</b>                                                                  |          |                  |                  |
| Financial liabilities                                                                       |          |                  |                  |
| Trade payables                                                                              | 14       |                  |                  |
| (i) Total outstanding dues of micro enterprises and small enterprises                       |          | 940.014          | 890.872          |
| (ii) Total outstanding dues of creditors other than micro enterprises and small enterprises |          | 3882.849         | 4076.696         |
| Lease Liabilities                                                                           | 30       | 445.696          | 276.138          |
| Other financial liabilities                                                                 | 15       | 491.726          | 631.132          |
| Other current liabilities                                                                   | 16       | 9903.240         | 7929.017         |
| Provisions                                                                                  | 13       | 234.447          | 579.225          |
| Current tax liabilities (net)                                                               |          | 151.527          | 208.112          |
|                                                                                             |          | <b>16049.499</b> | <b>14591.192</b> |
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>                                                                    |          | <b>17784.830</b> | <b>16208.717</b> |
| <b>TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES</b>                                                         |          | <b>31603.727</b> | <b>28954.415</b> |
| Corporate Information                                                                       | 1        |                  |                  |
| Summary of material accounting policies                                                     | 2        |                  |                  |
| The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.                    |          |                  |                  |

As per our report of even date.

For P G BHAGWAT LLP

Chartered Accountants

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Company Secretary

(M.No. : ACS21405)

Place : Pune

Date : 29 April 2025

# Consolidated Statement of Profit and Loss for the year ended 31 March 2025

(All amounts are in Indian rupees million unless otherwise stated)

| Particulars                                                                    | Note no. | 31 March 2025    | 31 March 2024    |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|------------------|------------------|
| <b>INCOME</b>                                                                  |          |                  |                  |
| Revenue from operations                                                        | 17       | 32280.422        | 34662.784        |
| Other income                                                                   | 18       | 508.360          | 434.986          |
| <b>Total income</b>                                                            |          | <b>32788.782</b> | <b>35097.770</b> |
| <b>EXPENSES</b>                                                                |          |                  |                  |
| Cost of materials consumed                                                     | 19       | 16398.565        | 19121.693        |
| Changes in inventories of finished goods, stock-in -trade and work-in-progress | 20       | 147.399          | 499.463          |
| Employee benefits expense                                                      | 21       | 3489.015         | 3187.354         |
| Finance costs                                                                  | 22       | 188.305          | 97.883           |
| Depreciation and amortization expense                                          | 3        | 864.409          | 440.559          |
| Exchange (gain) / loss                                                         |          | (99.505)         | (159.606)        |
| Other expenses                                                                 | 23       | 9096.631         | 8135.816         |
| <b>Total expenses</b>                                                          |          | <b>30084.819</b> | <b>31323.162</b> |
| <b>Profit before exceptional items and tax</b>                                 |          | <b>2703.963</b>  | <b>3774.608</b>  |
| Exceptional items                                                              | 45       | 281.572          | -                |
| <b>Profit before tax</b>                                                       |          | <b>2985.535</b>  | <b>3774.608</b>  |
| <b>Tax expense</b>                                                             | 24       |                  |                  |
| Current tax                                                                    |          | 943.757          | 917.606          |
| Deferred tax                                                                   |          | (147.283)        | 46.130           |
| Adjustments of tax relating to earlier periods                                 |          | (0.269)          | (23.037)         |
| <b>Total tax expense</b>                                                       |          | <b>796.205</b>   | <b>940.699</b>   |
| <b>Profit for the year</b>                                                     |          | <b>2189.330</b>  | <b>2833.909</b>  |
| <b>Attributable to :</b>                                                       |          |                  |                  |
| Non-controlling interests                                                      |          | 0.229            | 0.349            |
| Owners of the company                                                          |          | 2189.101         | 2833.560         |
| <b>Profit for the year</b>                                                     |          | <b>2189.330</b>  | <b>2833.909</b>  |
| <b>Other comprehensive income</b>                                              |          |                  |                  |
| <b>Items that will not be reclassified to profit and loss :</b>                |          |                  |                  |
| Re-measurement of defined benefit plans                                        |          | (36.967)         | (59.815)         |
| Income tax effect                                                              |          | 8.112            | 12.388           |
|                                                                                |          | <b>(28.855)</b>  | <b>(47.427)</b>  |
| <b>Items that will be reclassified to profit and loss</b>                      |          |                  |                  |
| Debt instruments through other comprehensive income                            |          | 3.011            | 0.249            |
| Income tax effect                                                              |          | (0.758)          | (0.063)          |
|                                                                                |          | <b>2.253</b>     | <b>0.186</b>     |
| <b>Items that will be reclassified to profit and loss :</b>                    |          |                  |                  |
| Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations                      |          | 4.960            | (2.720)          |
|                                                                                |          | <b>4.960</b>     | <b>(2.720)</b>   |
| <b>Other comprehensive income</b>                                              |          | <b>(21.642)</b>  | <b>(49.961)</b>  |
| <b>Total comprehensive income for the year</b>                                 |          | <b>2167.688</b>  | <b>2783.948</b>  |
| <b>Attributable to :</b>                                                       |          |                  |                  |
| Non-controlling interests                                                      |          | 0.229            | 0.349            |
| Owners of the company                                                          |          | 2167.459         | 2783.599         |
| <b>Earnings per equity share (Nominal value per share ₹ 2 each)</b>            | 25       |                  |                  |
| (1) Basic                                                                      |          | 11.91            | 15.42            |
| (2) Diluted                                                                    |          | 11.91            | 15.42            |
| Corporate Information                                                          | 1        |                  |                  |
| Summary of material accounting policies                                        | 2        |                  |                  |
| The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.       |          |                  |                  |

As per our report of even date.

**For P G BHAGWAT LLP**  
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Place : Pune  
Date : 29 April 2025

# Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows for the year ended 31 March 2025

(All amounts are in Indian rupees million unless otherwise stated)

| Particulars                                                            | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>A. Cash flow from operating activities</b>                          |                 |                 |
| Net profit before tax                                                  | 2985.535        | 3774.608        |
| <b>Adjustments for :</b>                                               |                 |                 |
| Loss / (profit) on sale of property, plant and equipment               | (282.015)       | (1.595)         |
| Gain on redemption of mutual fund investments                          | (185.178)       | (116.120)       |
| Bad Debts / Provision for doubtful debts and advances                  | 247.623         | 231.769         |
| Excess provision / creditors written back (including advances)         | (29.975)        | (3.258)         |
| Unrealised foreign exchange (gain) / loss (net)                        | (73.100)        | (112.237)       |
| Sundry Balances Written Off                                            | 0.014           | 3.188           |
| Depreciation and amortisation                                          | 864.409         | 440.559         |
| Interest earned                                                        | (169.630)       | (152.995)       |
| Unrealised gain on mutual fund investments                             | (92.600)        | (148.502)       |
| Interest on Lease Liability                                            | 180.480         | 94.012          |
| Interest charged                                                       | 4.024           | 0.157           |
| Equity-settled share-based payment transactions                        | 8.392           | -               |
| <b>Operating profit before working capital changes</b>                 | <b>3457.979</b> | <b>4009.586</b> |
| <b>Changes in working capital</b>                                      |                 |                 |
| (Increase) /decrease in trade receivables                              | 672.542         | (187.253)       |
| (Increase)/decrease in inventories (including contracts in progress)   | (3220.679)      | 239.859         |
| (Increase)/decrease in other non-current financial assets              | (157.634)       | (246.089)       |
| (Increase)/decrease in other non-current assets                        | (33.195)        | 8.142           |
| (Increase)/decrease in current financial assets-others                 | 10.076          | 44.101          |
| (Increase)/decrease in other current assets                            | (575.981)       | (412.227)       |
| Increase/(decrease) in trade payables                                  | (114.214)       | (76.215)        |
| Increase/(decrease) in other current financial liabilities             | (188.507)       | 241.281         |
| Increase/(decrease) in other current liabilities                       | 1974.223        | (711.720)       |
| Increase/(decrease) in long term provisions                            | 14.809          | 49.325          |
| Increase/(decrease) in short term provisions                           | (381.745)       | 79.607          |
| <b>Cash generated from operations</b>                                  | <b>1457.674</b> | <b>3038.397</b> |
| Direct taxes paid (including taxes deducted at source), net of refunds | (1028.036)      | (1044.543)      |
| <b>NET CASH FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>                              | <b>429.638</b>  | <b>1993.854</b> |

# Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows for the year ended 31 March 2025

(All amounts are in Indian rupees million unless otherwise stated)

| Particulars                                                                                                                | 31 March 2025     | 31 March 2024     |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| <b>B. Cash flow from investing activities</b>                                                                              |                   |                   |
| Purchase of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets                                                            | (870.388)         | (892.738)         |
| <b>Investments :</b>                                                                                                       |                   |                   |
| - in Equity shares                                                                                                         | (100.000)         | -                 |
| - in mutual funds                                                                                                          | (6656.420)        | (4003.211)        |
| - in debentures & bonds                                                                                                    | -                 | (347.079)         |
| - in mutual funds                                                                                                          | 7421.388          | 5111.577          |
| - in debentures & bonds                                                                                                    | 250.512           | 285.801           |
| Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment                                                                        | 435.395           | 7.820             |
| Interest received on investments                                                                                           | 149.077           | 159.133           |
| Investment /(redemption) in fixed deposits                                                                                 | 82.833            | (422.480)         |
| <b>NET CASH FROM / (USED) IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                                      | <b>712.397</b>    | <b>(101.177)</b>  |
| <b>C. Cash flow from financing activities</b>                                                                              |                   |                   |
| Proceeds from exercise of employee stock options                                                                           | -                 | 9.000             |
| Dividend paid                                                                                                              | (1102.194)        | (826.601)         |
| Interest on Lease Liability                                                                                                | (180.480)         | (94.012)          |
| Principal Payment on Leases                                                                                                | (321.750)         | (327.119)         |
| Interest paid                                                                                                              | (4.024)           | (0.157)           |
| <b>NET CASH FROM / (USED) IN FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>                                                                      | <b>(1608.448)</b> | <b>(1238.889)</b> |
| <b>Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents (A+B+C)</b>                                                        | <b>(466.413)</b>  | <b>653.788</b>    |
| <b>Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year (Refer Note 9)</b>                                               | <b>1684.158</b>   | <b>985.814</b>    |
| Add : effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents                                                         | 41.446            | 44.556            |
| <b>Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year (Refer Note 9)</b>                                                     | <b>1259.191</b>   | <b>1684.158</b>   |
| <b>Notes :</b>                                                                                                             |                   |                   |
| Cash outflow related to Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activities disclosed in Note No. 35                          |                   |                   |
| The statement of cash flows has been prepared under the 'Indirect method' as set out in Ind AS 7 - Statement of Cash Flows |                   |                   |

As per our report of even date.

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Company Secretary  
(M.No. : ACS21405)

Place : Pune  
Date : 29 April 2025

# Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity for the year ended 31 March 2025

(All amounts are in Indian rupees million unless otherwise stated)

## A. Equity share capital

|  | Balance as on 1 April 2023 | Changes in equity share capital during the year | Balance as on 31 March 2024 |
|--|----------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
|  | 367.426                    | 0.200                                           | 367.626                     |
|  |                            |                                                 |                             |
|  | Balance as on 1 April 2024 | Changes in equity share capital during the year | Balance as on 31 March 2025 |
|  | 367.626                    | -                                               | 367.626                     |

## B. Other equity

| Particulars                                                         | Reserves and Surplus |                            |                            |                       |                                   |                                             |                 |                   |                                                       |                                                                                     | Total attrib-utable to owners of the company | Non controlling interest | Total     |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------|
|                                                                     | Other Reserves       |                            |                            |                       |                                   |                                             | General reserve | Retained earnings | Debt instru-ments through Other Compre-hensive Income | Exchange differences on translating the financial statements of a foreign operation |                                              |                          |           |
|                                                                     | Capital Reserve      | Securities Premium Reserve | Capital redemption reserve | Amalga-mation reserve | Share option out-standing account | Special Economic Zone Re-investment Reserve |                 |                   |                                                       |                                                                                     |                                              |                          |           |
| Balance at the beginning of the reporting period as at 1 April 2023 | 0.033                | 1040.149                   | 14.627                     | 3.063                 | 26.573                            | 163.000                                     | 958.500         | 8191.395          | (3.937)                                               | 19.155                                                                              | 10412.558                                    | 0.688                    | 10413.246 |
| Profit for the year                                                 | -                    | -                          | -                          | -                     | -                                 | -                                           | -               | 2833.560          | -                                                     | -                                                                                   | 2833.560                                     | 0.349                    | 2833.909  |
| Other comprehensive income                                          | -                    | -                          | -                          | -                     | -                                 | -                                           | -               | (47.427)          | 0.186                                                 | (2.720)                                                                             | (49.961)                                     | -                        | (49.961)  |
| Dividends                                                           | -                    | -                          | -                          | -                     | -                                 | -                                           | -               | (827.923)         | -                                                     | -                                                                                   | (827.923)                                    | -                        | (827.923) |
| Transfer to retained earnings                                       | -                    | -                          | -                          | -                     | -                                 | -                                           | -               | -                 | -                                                     | -                                                                                   | -                                            | 0.005                    | 0.005     |
| Employee stock options exercised during the year                    | -                    | 35.369                     | -                          | -                     | (26.569)                          | -                                           | -               | -                 | -                                                     | -                                                                                   | 8.800                                        | -                        | 8.800     |
| Equity settled share based payment to employees                     | -                    | -                          | -                          | -                     | (0.004)                           | -                                           | -               | -                 | -                                                     | -                                                                                   | (0.004)                                      | -                        | (0.004)   |
| Transfer to/ From Special Economic Zone Re-investment Reserve       | -                    | -                          | -                          | -                     | -                                 | (163.000)                                   | -               | 163.000           | -                                                     | -                                                                                   | -                                            | -                        | -         |
| Adjustment due to change in NCI                                     | -                    | -                          | -                          | -                     | -                                 | -                                           | -               | 0.043             | -                                                     | -                                                                                   | 0.043                                        | (0.043)                  | -         |
| Balance as on 31 March 2024                                         | 0.033                | 1075.518                   | 14.627                     | 3.063                 | -                                 | -                                           | 958.500         | 10312.648         | (3.751)                                               | 16.435                                                                              | 12377.073                                    | 0.999                    | 12378.072 |

# Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity for the year ended 31 March 2025

(All amounts are in Indian rupees million unless otherwise stated)

| Particulars                                                         | Reserves and Surplus |                            |                            |                      |                 |                   |                                                     | Total attributable to owners of the company | Non controlling interest | Total  |                                                                                     |                                  |                                             |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
|                                                                     | Other Reserves       |                            |                            |                      | General reserve | Retained earnings | Debt instruments through Other Comprehensive Income |                                             |                          |        | Exchange differences on translating the financial statements of a foreign operation |                                  |                                             |
|                                                                     | Capital Reserve      | Securities Premium Reserve | Capital redemption reserve | Amalgamation reserve |                 |                   |                                                     |                                             |                          |        |                                                                                     | Share option outstanding account | Special Economic Zone Re-investment Reserve |
| Balance at the beginning of the reporting period as at 1 April 2024 | 0.033                | 1075.518                   | 14.627                     | 3.063                | -               | -                 | 958.500                                             | 10312.648                                   | (3.751)                  | 16.435 | 12377.073                                                                           | 0.999                            | 12378.072                                   |
| Profit for the year                                                 | -                    | -                          | -                          | -                    | -               | -                 | -                                                   | 2189.101                                    | -                        | -      | 2189.101                                                                            | 0.229                            | 2189.330                                    |
| Other comprehensive income                                          | -                    | -                          | -                          | -                    | -               | -                 | -                                                   | (28.855)                                    | 2.253                    | 4.960  | (21.642)                                                                            | -                                | (21.642)                                    |
| Dividends                                                           | -                    | -                          | -                          | -                    | -               | -                 | -                                                   | (1102.879)                                  | -                        | -      | (1102.879)                                                                          | -                                | (1102.879)                                  |
| Transfer to retained earnings                                       | -                    | -                          | -                          | -                    | -               | -                 | -                                                   | -                                           | -                        | -      | -                                                                                   | (0.002)                          | (0.002)                                     |
| Employee stock options exercised during the year                    | -                    | -                          | -                          | -                    | 8.392           | -                 | -                                                   | -                                           | -                        | -      | 8.392                                                                               | -                                | 8.392                                       |
| Balance as on 31 March 2025                                         | 0.033                | 1075.518                   | 14.627                     | 3.063                | 8.392           | -                 | 958.500                                             | 11370.015                                   | (1.498)                  | 21.395 | 13450.045                                                                           | 1.226                            | 13451.271                                   |

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# Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended 31 March 2025

## 1 The corporate overview

Praj Industries Limited ('PIL' or 'the Holding Company' or 'the Company') is a public company domiciled in India and incorporated under the provisions of Indian Companies Act. The Company's registered office is at "Praj Tower", S. No. 274 and 275/2, Bhumkar Chowk-Hinjewadi Road, Hinjewadi, Pune – 411057, Maharashtra, India. The Company's ordinary shares are listed on the Bombay Stock Exchange and National Stock Exchange in India.

The consolidated financial statements comprise the financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries (together referred to as "the Group").

The Group is engaged in the business of process and project engineering. The Group caters to both domestic and international markets. Further, the Group also provides design and engineering services.

## 2 Material accounting policies

This note provides a list of the material accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these financial statements. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

### 2.1 Basis of preparation

The financial statements of the Group comply in all material aspects with Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) notified under Section 133 of Companies Act, 2013 (the Act), [Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules, 2015] and other relevant provisions of the Act. The Group has elected to present gains and losses arising from foreign exchange differences in a separate line item "Exchange (gain)/ loss" on the face of the statement of profit and loss.

The consolidated financial statements were authorised for issue by the Board of Directors on 29 April 2025.

### 2.2 Basis of measurement

The financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis, except for the following items, which are measured on an alternative basis on each reporting date.

| Items                                                                                                                                | Measurement basis     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Derivative financial instruments at fair value through profit and loss                                                               | Fair value            |
| Certain non-derivative financial instruments at fair value through profit and loss and fair value through other comprehensive income | Fair value            |
| Equity-settled share-based payment transactions                                                                                      | Grant date fair value |
| Defined benefit plan assets                                                                                                          | Fair value            |

### 2.3 Functional and presentation currency

These financial statements are presented in Indian Rupees (₹), which is the Group's functional currency. All amounts are presented in millions and are rounded off to three decimal places, as per the requirements of Schedule III to the Act, unless otherwise stated.

### 2.4 Significant accounting judgments, estimates and assumptions

The preparation of the consolidated financial statements in conformity with Ind AS requires the management to make certain judgments, estimates and assumptions. These judgments, estimates and assumptions affect the reported amounts of revenue, expenses, current assets, non-current assets, current liabilities, non-current liabilities and disclosure of the contingent liabilities at the end of each reporting period. Uncertainty about these assumptions and estimates could result in outcomes that require a material adjustment to the carrying amount of assets or liabilities effected in future periods.

Detailed information about each of these estimates and judgements is included in relevant notes.

**The areas involving critical estimates and judgements are :**

- Estimation of defined benefit obligation – Note 31**

The cost of the defined benefit gratuity, and the present value of the gratuity obligation are determined using actuarial valuations. An actuarial valuation involves making various assumptions that may differ from actual developments in the future. Information about the various estimates and assumptions made in determining the present value of defined benefit obligations are disclosed in note 31.

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- **Recognition of revenue – Note 27**

The Group uses the percentage-of-completion method in accounting for fixed-price contracts for projects. Use of the percentage-of-completion method requires the Group to determine the actual efforts or costs expended to date as a proportion of the estimated total efforts or costs to be incurred. Efforts or costs expended are used to measure progress towards completion as there is a direct relationship between input and productivity. The estimation of total efforts or costs involves significant judgment and is assessed throughout the period of the contract to reflect any changes based on the latest available information.

- **Recognition of deferred tax assets – Note 24**

The Group uses judgement based on the relevant rulings in the areas of allocation of revenue, costs, allowances and disallowances in determining the provision for income tax. The Group exercises its judgement to reassess the carrying amount of deferred tax assets at the end of each reporting period.

- **Impairment of trade receivables – Note 36**

The Group uses a simplified approach for recognising expected credit loss. The amount of provision depends on certain parameters set by the Group in its provisioning policy. The setting up of parameters requires significant judgement and estimation. The same is reviewed by the management at a regular frequency.

Estimation and underlying assumptions are reviewed on ongoing basis. Revisions to estimates are recognised prospectively.

## 2.5 Current versus non-current classification

Any asset or liability is classified as current if it satisfies any of the following conditions :

- the asset/liability is expected to be realised/ settled in the Group's normal operating cycle;
- the asset is intended for sale or consumption;
- the asset/liability is held primarily for the purpose of trading;
- the asset/liability is expected to be realised/ settled within twelve months after the reporting period;
- the asset is cash or cash equivalent unless it is restricted from being exchanged or used to settle a liability for at least twelve months after the reporting date;
- in the case of a liability, the Group does not have an unconditional right to defer settlement of the liability for at least twelve months after the reporting date.

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

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

For the purpose of current/non-current classification of assets and liabilities, the Group has ascertained its normal operating cycle as twelve months. This is based on the nature of services and the time between the acquisition of assets or inventories for processing and their realisation in cash and cash equivalents.

## 2.6 Principles of consolidation

- The consolidated financial statements incorporate the financial statements of the Holding Company and its subsidiaries. For this purpose, an entity which is, directly or indirectly, controlled by the Holding Company is treated as subsidiary. The Holding Company together with its subsidiaries constitute the Group. Control exists when the Holding Company,
  - directly or indirectly, has power over the investee,
  - is exposed to variable returns from its involvement with the investee and
  - has the ability to use its power to affect its returns.
- Consolidation of a subsidiary begins when the Holding Company, directly or indirectly, obtains control over the subsidiary and ceases when the Holding Company, directly or indirectly, loses control of the subsidiary. Income and expenses of a

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subsidiary acquired are included in the Consolidated Statement of Profit and Loss from the date the Holding Company, directly or indirectly, gains control until the date when the holding Company, directly or indirectly, ceases to control the subsidiary.

- (iii) The consolidated financial statements of the Group combine financial statements of the Holding Company and its subsidiaries line-by-line by adding together the like items of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. All intra-group assets, liabilities, income, expenses and unrealised profits/losses on intra-group transactions are eliminated on consolidation. The accounting policies of subsidiaries are harmonised to ensure the consistency with the policies adopted by the Holding Company. The consolidated financial statements are presented to the extent possible, in the same manner as Holding Company's standalone financial statements. Profit or loss and other comprehensive income are attributed to the owners of the Holding Company and to the non-controlling interests, shown separately in the consolidated financial statements.
- (iv) Non-controlling interests represent that part of the total comprehensive income and net assets of subsidiaries attributable to the interest, which is not owned, directly or indirectly, by the Holding Company.
- (v) The gains/losses in respect of part divestment/dilution of stake in subsidiary companies not resulting in ceding of control, are recognised directly in other equity attributable to the owners of the Holding Company in the consolidated financial statements of the Group.
- (vi) The gains/losses in respect of divestment of stake resulting in ceding of control in subsidiary companies are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss. The investment representing the interest retained in a former subsidiary, if any, is initially recognised at its fair value with the corresponding effect recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss as on the date the control is ceded. Such retained interest is subsequently accounted as investment in an associate or a joint venture or as a financial asset.
- (vii) The financial statements of all entities used for the purpose of consolidation are drawn up to same reporting date as that of the Holding Company, i.e., year ended on 31 March 2025. The subsidiaries considered in the consolidated financial statements are summarized below :

| Name of the subsidiary           | Country of incorporation | 31-March-25 | 31-March-24 |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Praj Engineering & Infra Limited | India                    | 99.67%      | 99.67%      |
| Praj HiPurity Systems Limited    | India                    | 100.00%     | 100.00%     |
| Praj GenX Limited                | India                    | 100.00%     | 100.00%     |
| Praj Far East Co Limited         | Thailand                 | 100.00%     | 100.00%     |
| Praj Americas Inc.               | USA                      | 100.00%     | 100.00%     |
| Praj far East Philippines Inc.   | Philippines              | 100.00%     | 100.00%     |
| Praj Projects (Tanzania) Limited | Tanzania                 | 100.00%     | N.A.        |

## 2.7 Goodwill on consolidation

Goodwill arising on consolidation, of acquisitions represents the excess of (a) consideration paid for acquiring control and (b) acquisition date fair value of previously held ownership interest, if any, in a subsidiary over the Group's share in the fair value of the net assets (including identifiable intangibles) of the subsidiary as on the date of acquisition of control. Where the fair value of the identifiable assets and liabilities exceed the cost of acquisition, the excess is recognised as Capital Reserve.

Goodwill on consolidation is allocated to cash generating units or group of cash generating units that are expected to benefit from the acquisition.

After initial recognition, goodwill arising on consolidation is tested for impairment annually and measured at cost less accumulated impairment losses, if any. In the event of cessation of operations of a subsidiary, the unimpaired goodwill is written off fully.

## 2.8 Property, plant and equipment

### • Recognition and measurement

An items of property, plant and equipment (PPE) that qualifies as an asset is measured at cost of acquisition or construction less accumulated depreciation and/or accumulated impairment loss, if any.

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The cost of an item of PPE comprises of its purchase price net of discounts, if any including import duties and other non-refundable taxes or levies and directly attributable cost of bringing the asset to its working condition for its intended use. Borrowing costs directly attributable to the construction of a qualifying asset are capitalised as part of the cost.

PPE under construction is disclosed as capital work-in-progress.

Advances paid towards the acquisition of PPE outstanding at each reporting date are disclosed under 'Other non-current assets'.

- **Subsequent costs**

Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognised as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Group and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of any component accounted for as a separate asset is derecognised when replaced. The costs of the day-to-day servicing of PPE are recognised in the statement of profit and loss as incurred.

- **Disposal**

An item of PPE is derecognised upon disposal or when no future benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Net gains and losses on disposal of an item of PPE are determined by comparing the proceeds from disposal with the carrying amount of PPE, and are recognised within other income/ expenses in the statement of profit and loss.

- **Depreciation**

Depreciation is calculated over the depreciable amount, which is the cost of an asset, or other amount substituted for cost, less its residual value. Depreciation is recognised in the statement of profit and loss on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of each part of an item of PPE as prescribed in Schedule II of the Companies Act, 2013, or as assessed by the management of the Group based on technical evaluation. Freehold land is not depreciated.

PPE acquired under leases is depreciated over the shorter of the lease term and their useful lives unless it is reasonably certain that the Group will obtain ownership by the end of the lease term.

The estimated useful lives of items of PPE is mentioned below :

| Asset                          | Useful life (in years) |
|--------------------------------|------------------------|
| Buildings                      | 30-60                  |
| Plant and machinery            | 7.5-15                 |
| Computers and office equipment | 3-5                    |
| Vehicles                       | 8                      |
| Furniture and fixtures         | 10                     |

## 2.9 Intangible assets

- **Recognition and measurement**

Intangible assets are recognised when the asset is identifiable, is within the control of the Group, it is probable that the future economic benefits that are attributable to the asset will flow to the Group and cost of the asset can be reliably measured.

Intangible assets are stated at original cost net of tax/duty credits availed, if any, less accumulated amortisation and cumulative impairment. All directly attributable costs and other administrative and other general overhead expenses that are specifically attributable to acquisition of intangible assets are allocated and capitalised as a part of the cost of the intangible assets.

### Internally generated intangible asset

- Research costs are charged to the statement of profit and loss in the year in which they are incurred.
- Development costs incurred on new products including pilot plants are recognised as intangible assets, when :
  - a. feasibility has been established,

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- b. the Company has committed technical, financial and other resources to complete the development, and
- c. it is probable that the asset will generate future economic benefits.
- Development expenditure that does not meet the above criteria is expensed in the period in which it is incurred.
- Intangible assets not ready for the intended use on the date of the Balance Sheet are disclosed as "Intangible assets under development" and amortisation is not charged on until development is complete.
- The cost of an internally generated intangible asset is the sum of directly attributable expenditure incurred from the date when the intangible asset first meets the recognition criteria to the completion of its development.
- Interest costs incurred on qualifying assets are capitalized until the date the asset is ready for its intended use. If the borrowings are specifically for financing the asset, interest on these borrowings is capitalized. If the borrowings are general, the cost computed on the weighted average rate is capitalized.
- Internally generated intangible asset is measured at cost less accumulated amortisation and impairment, if any.
- Amortisation is not recorded on product engineering in progress until development is complete.
- **Subsequent measurement**  
Subsequent expenditure is capitalised only when it increases the future economic benefits embodied in the specific asset to which it relates.
- **Amortisation**  
Intangible Assets with finite lives are amortised on a Straight-Line basis over the estimated useful economic life. Amortisation is calculated on the cost of the asset, or other amount substituted for cost, less its residual value. The amortisation expense on intangible assets with finite lives is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss. The estimated useful life of intangible assets is mentioned below :

| Asset                                  | Useful life  |
|----------------------------------------|--------------|
| Technical know-how                     | 5 - 10 years |
| Software                               | 5 years      |
| Demo / Pilot Plants for new technology | 5 - 10 years |

Intangible assets with indefinite useful lives are not amortised, but are tested for impairment annually, either individually or at the cash-generating unit level.

## 2.10 Investment property

Property that is held for long-term rental yields or for capital appreciation or both, and that is not occupied by the Group, is classified as investment property.

Investment property is initially measured and reported at cost, including transaction costs and borrowing cost capitalised for qualifying assets, in accordance with the Group's accounting policy. The cost of investment property includes its purchase price and directly attributable expenditure, if any.

Policies with respect to subsequent depreciation, useful life and disposal are followed on the same basis as stated for Property, Plant and Equipment vide 2.8 above.

## 2.11 Non-current asset held for sale

Non-current assets are classified as held for sale if their carrying amount is intended to be recovered principally through a sale (rather than through continuing use) when the asset is available for immediate sale in its present condition subject only to terms that are usual and customary for sale of such asset and the sale is highly probable and is expected to qualify for recognition as a completed sale within one year from the date of classification.

Non-current assets classified as held for sale are measured at lower of their carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell.

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## 2.12 Impairment of non-financial assets

The Group assesses at each balance sheet date whether there is any indication that an asset or cash generating unit (CGU) may be impaired. If any such indication exists, the Group estimates the recoverable amount of the asset. The recoverable amount is the higher of an assets or CGU's fair value less costs of disposal or its value in use. Where the carrying amount of an asset or CGU exceeds its recoverable amount, the asset is considered impaired and is written down to its recoverable amount.

In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. In determining fair value less costs of disposal, recent market transactions are considered.

Impairment losses are recognised in the statement of profit and loss. They are allocated first to reduce the carrying amount of any goodwill allocated to the CGU, and then to reduce the carrying amounts of other assets in the CGU on a pro rata basis.

An impairment loss in respect of goodwill is not reversed. For other assets, an impairment loss is reversed only to the extent that the asset's carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation or amortisation, if no impairment loss had been recognised.

## 2.13 Inventories

Raw materials, components, stores and spares, work-in-progress and finished goods are valued at lower of cost and net realisable value. However, materials and other items held for use in the production of inventories are not written down below cost if the finished products in which they will be incorporated are expected to be sold at or above cost.

Cost of raw materials, components, stores and spares comprises cost of purchases. Cost of work-in-progress and finished goods comprises direct materials, direct labour and an appropriate proportion of variable and fixed overhead expenditure, the latter being allocated based on normal operating capacity. Cost of inventories also includes all other costs incurred in bringing the inventories to their present location and condition. Costs are assigned to individual items of inventory based on weighted average basis.

Net realisable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business, less estimated costs of completion and the estimated costs necessary to make the sale.

## 2.14 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents in the balance sheet comprise cash at banks and on hand and short-term deposits with an original maturity of three months or less, which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

## 2.13 Revenue recognition

Revenue is recognised when performance obligation is satisfied by transferring control of promised goods or services and to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Group and the revenue can be reliably measured, regardless of when the payment is being made.

Revenue is measured at the transaction price (consideration) allocated to performance obligation adjusted for returns, trade allowances, rebates, and excludes taxes collected from customer on behalf of government and amounts collected on behalf of third parties.

- **Contract revenue**

Revenue from fixed price contracts is recognised over time, when the outcome of the contract can be estimated reliably by reference to the percentage of completion of the contract on the reporting date under input method. Percentage of completion is determined as a proportion of costs incurred-to-date to the total estimated contract costs. In respect of process technology and design and engineering contracts, percentage of completion is measured with reference to the milestones specified in the contract, which in the view of the management reflects the work performed and to the extent it is reasonably certain of recovery.

Maintenance revenue is recognised rateably over the term of the underlying maintenance arrangement.

Contract costs include costs that relate directly to the specific contract and costs that are attributable to the contract activity and allocable to the contract. Costs that cannot be attributed to contract activity are expensed when incurred.

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When the final outcome of a contract cannot be reliably estimated, contract revenue is recognised only to the extent of costs incurred that are expected to be recoverable. The provision for expected loss is recognised immediately when it is probable that the total estimated contract costs will exceed total contract revenue.

Variations, claims and incentives are recognised as a part of contract revenue to the extent it is probable that they will result in revenue and are capable of being reliably measured.

Determination of revenues under the percentage of completion method necessarily involves making estimates by the Group, some of which are of a technical nature, concerning, where relevant, the percentage of completion, costs to completion, the expected revenues from the project / activity and the foreseeable losses to completion.

Execution of contracts generally extends beyond accounting periods, the revision in costs and revenues estimated during the course of the contract are reflected in the accounting period in which the facts requiring the revision become known.

- **Sale of goods and rendering of services**

Revenue from sale of goods in the course of ordinary activities is recognised when control of goods is transferred to the customer and no significant uncertainty exists regarding the amount of the consideration that will be derived from the sale of the goods and regarding its collection.

Revenue from services is recognised as and when the related services are performed.

## 2.16 Other income

- **Interest income**

Interest income from debt instruments is recognized using effective interest rate method (EIR). EIR is the rate that discounts the estimated future cash receipts over the life of the financial instrument or a shorter period, where appropriate, to the carrying amount of the financial asset.

- **Dividends**

Dividends are recognised in the statement of profit and loss only when the right to receive the payment is established, it is probable that the economic benefits associated with the dividend will flow to the Group, and when the amount can be measured reliably.

- **Export benefits**

Export benefits in the form of Duty Draw Back / Merchandise Exports Incentive Scheme (MEIS) / Service Exports Incentive Scheme (SEIS) claims are recognised in the statement of profit and loss on receipt basis.

## 2.17 Foreign currency transactions and balances

Transactions in foreign currency are recorded at exchange rates prevailing at the date of the transactions. Exchange differences arising on foreign exchange transactions settled during the year are recognised in the statement of profit and loss of the year.

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies which are outstanding, as at the reporting period are translated at the closing exchange rates and the resultant exchange differences are recognised in the statement of profit and loss.

Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies that are measured in terms of historical cost are translated using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction.

The Group's consolidated financial statements are presented in Indian Rupees, which is also the functional currency of the holding Company. For each entity, the Group determines the functional currency and items included in the financial statements of each entity are measured using that functional currency

### Group companies

On consolidation, the assets and liabilities of the subsidiaries are translated into Indian Rupees at the rate of exchange prevailing at the reporting date and their statements of profit and loss are translated at average exchange rates. Equity items, other than retained earnings, are translated at the spot rate in effect on each related transaction date (specific identification). Retained earnings are translated at the weighted average exchange rate for the relevant year.

The exchange differences arising on translation for consolidation are recognised in other comprehensive income.

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## 2.18 Employee benefits

- **Short-term employee benefits**

Employee benefits payable wholly within twelve months of rendering the service are classified as short-term employee benefits and are recognised in the period in which the employee renders the related service.

- **Post-employment benefits**

### **Defined contribution plans**

Contributions to the provident fund, pension scheme, employee state insurance scheme and superannuation fund, which are defined contribution schemes, are recognised as an employee benefit expense in the statement of profit and loss in the period in which the contribution is due.

### **Defined benefit plans**

The employees' gratuity scheme is a defined benefit plan. The present value of the obligation under such defined benefit plans is determined based on actuarial valuation using the projected unit credit method.

The obligation is measured at the present value of the estimated future cash flows. The discount rates used for determining the present value of the obligation under defined benefit plans, is based on the market yields on government securities as at the reporting date, having maturity periods approximating to the terms of related obligations.

Re-measurement, comprising actuarial gains and losses, the return on plan assets (excluding amounts included in net interest on the net defined benefit liability or asset) and any change in the effect of asset ceiling (if applicable) is recognised in other comprehensive income and is reflected in retained earnings and the same is not eligible to be reclassified to the statement of profit or loss.

Defined benefit costs comprising current service cost, past service cost and gains or losses on settlements are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss as employee benefits expense. Interest cost implicit in defined benefit employee cost is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss under finance costs. Gains or losses on settlement of any defined benefit plan are recognised when the settlement occurs. Past service cost is recognised as expense at the earlier of the plan amendment or curtailment and when the Group recognises related restructuring costs or termination benefits.

In case of funded plans, the fair value of the plan assets is reduced from the gross obligation under the defined benefit plans, to recognise the obligation on net basis.

### **Other long-term employee benefits**

The liabilities for earned leave are not expected to be settled wholly within twelve months after the end of the reporting period in which the employees render the related service. They are therefore measured at present value of estimated future cash flows expected to be made by the Group and is recognised in a similar manner as in the case of defined benefit plans above.

Long-term employee benefit costs comprising current service cost and gains or losses on curtailments and settlements, re-measurements including actuarial gains and losses are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss as employee benefits expenses. Interest cost implicit in long-term employee benefit cost is recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss under finance costs.

### **Termination benefits**

Termination benefits are expensed at the earlier of when the Group can no longer withdraw the offer of those benefits and when the Group recognises costs for a restructuring. If benefits are not expected to be settled wholly within 12 months of the reporting date, then they are stated at their present fair value.

## 2.19 Share-based payments

The fair value of equity-settled share-based payments (such as employee stock options) is measured at the grant date and recognized as an employee benefit expense over the vesting period, with a corresponding increase in equity (employee stock option reserve).

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The vesting period is the time during which the employee must meet specific conditions to receive the award. At each reporting date, the Group reviews and updates its estimate of the number of options expected to vest, based on service and non-vesting conditions. Any changes in these estimates are reflected in the statement of profit and loss, with a corresponding adjustment to equity.

## 2.20 Leases

Assets taken on lease are accounted as right-of-use assets and the corresponding lease liability is recognised at the lease commencement date.

Initially the right-of-use asset is measured at cost which comprises the initial amount of the lease liability adjusted for any lease payments made at or before the commencement date, plus any initial direct costs incurred and an estimate of costs to dismantle and remove the underlying asset or to restore the underlying asset or the site on which it is located, as reduced by any lease incentives received.

The lease liability is initially measured at the present value of the lease payments, discounted using the Group's incremental borrowing rate. It is remeasured when there is a change in future lease payments arising from a change in an index or a rate, or a change in the estimate of the guaranteed residual value, or a change in the assessment of purchase, extension or termination option. When the lease liability is remeasured in this way, a corresponding adjustment is made to the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset or is recorded in the statement of profit or loss if the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset has been reduced to zero.

The right-of-use asset is measured by applying cost model i.e. right-of-use asset at cost less accumulated depreciation and cumulative impairment, if any. The right-of-use asset is depreciated using the straight-line method from the commencement date to the end of the lease term or useful life of the underlying asset whichever is earlier. Carrying amount of lease liability is increased by interest on lease liability and reduced by lease payments made.

Lease payments associated with following leases are recognised as expense on straight-line basis :

- (i) Low value leases; and
- (ii) Leases which are short-term.

Assets given on lease are classified either as operating lease or as finance lease. A lease is classified as a finance lease if it transfers substantially all the risks and rewards incidental to ownership of an underlying asset. Asset held under finance lease is initially recognised in balance sheet and presented as a receivable at an amount equal to the net investment in the lease. Finance income is recognised over the lease term. A lease which is not classified as a finance lease is an operating lease. The Group recognises lease payments in case of assets given on operating leases as income on a straight-line basis. The Group presents underlying assets subject to operating lease in its balance sheet under the respective class of asset.

## 2.21 Borrowing costs

Borrowing costs consist of interest and other costs that an entity incurs in connection with the borrowing of funds. Borrowing cost also includes exchange differences to the extent regarded as an adjustment to the borrowing costs.

Borrowing costs directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of a qualifying asset that necessarily takes a substantial period of time to get ready for its intended use or sale are capitalised during the period of time that is required to complete and prepare the asset for its intended use or sale. All other borrowing costs are expensed in the period in which they are incurred.

## 2.22 Income tax

Income tax expense comprises current and deferred tax. It is recognised in the statement of profit and loss except to the extent that it relates to a business combination, or items recognised directly in equity or in OCI.

- **Current tax**

Current tax comprises the expected tax payable or receivable on the taxable income or loss for the year and any adjustment to the tax payable or receivable in respect of previous years.

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Current tax assets and liabilities are measured at the amount expected to be recovered from or paid to the taxation authorities. The tax rates and tax laws used to compute the amount are those that were enacted at the reporting date. Current tax assets and liabilities are offset only if certain criteria are met, and such offsetting is legally enforceable

- **Deferred tax**

Deferred tax is provided using the balance sheet method on temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the Financial Statements and the corresponding tax bases used in the computation of taxable profit.

Deferred tax is recognized on all deductible and taxable temporary differences between the accounting income and the taxable income for the year. The tax effect is calculated on the accumulated deductible temporary differences at the end of the accounting period based on prevailing enacted or subsequently enacted regulations.

Deferred tax liabilities are recognized for all taxable temporary differences. Deferred tax assets are recognized for deductible temporary differences only to the extent there is reasonable certainty that sufficient future taxable income will be available against which such deferred tax assets can be realized.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each reporting date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred tax asset to be utilized. Unrecognized deferred tax assets are re-assessed at each reporting date and are recognised to the extent that it has become probable that future taxable profits will allow the deferred tax asset to be recovered.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the year when the asset is realised or the liability is settled, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date.

Deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities are offset if a legally enforceable right exists to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and the deferred taxes relate to the same taxable entity and the same taxation authority.

## 2.23 Provisions and contingencies

Provisions are recognised only when :

- the Group has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event; and
- it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation; and
- a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

Provision is measured using the cash flows estimated to settle the present obligation and when the effect of time value of money is material, the carrying amount of the provision is the present value of those cash flows. Reimbursement expected in respect of expenditure required to settle a provision is recognised only when it is virtually certain that the reimbursement will be received.

Contingent liability is disclosed in case of :

- a present obligation arising from past events, when it is not probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation.
- present obligation arising from past events, when no reliable estimate is possible
- a possible obligation arising from past events where the probability of outflow of resources is not remote.

Contingent asset is not recognised in the financial statements. A contingent asset is disclosed, where an inflow of economic benefits is probable.

Provisions, contingent liabilities and contingent assets are reviewed at each balance sheet date.

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## 2.24 Earnings per share (EPS)

Basic EPS is calculated by dividing the profit for the year attributable to equity holders of the Group by the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding during the financial year.

Diluted Earnings per share is calculated by dividing net profit attributable to the equity shareholders of the Group with the weighted average number of shares outstanding during the financial year, adjusted for effects of diluting potential equity shares towards ESOP plan..

## 2.25 Fair value measurement

Fair value is the price at which an asset could be sold, or a liability transferred, in an orderly transaction between market participants on the measurement date.

The fair value measurement is based on the presumption that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability takes place either :

- In the principal market for the asset or liability, or
- In the absence of a principal market, in the most advantageous market for the asset or liability.

The principal or the most advantageous market must be accessible by the Group. The fair value of an asset or a liability is measured using those assumptions that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability, assuming that market participants act in their economic best interest.

A fair value measurement of a non-financial asset considers a market participant's ability to generate economic benefits by using the asset in its highest and best use or by selling it to another.

The Group uses valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value, maximizing the use of relevant observable inputs and minimizing the use of unobservable inputs.

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

For assets and liabilities that are recognised in the financial statements on a recurring basis, the Group determines whether transfers have occurred between levels in the hierarchy by re-assessing categorisation (based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement as a whole) at the end of each reporting period.

For the purpose of fair value disclosures, the Group has determined classes of assets and liabilities based on the nature, characteristics and risks of the asset or liability and the level of the fair value hierarchy as explained above.

## 2.26 Financial instruments

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

### 1. Financial assets

#### I. Initial recognition and measurement :

All financial assets are initially measured at fair value. However, trade receivables that do not contain a significant financing component are measured at transaction price. In case of financial assets not recorded at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL), transaction cost is attributed to the acquisition value of the financial asset. Transaction cost of financial assets carried at FVTPL is expensed in the statement of profit and loss.

#### II. Subsequent measurement :

**For subsequent measurement, the Company classifies its financial assets in the following measurement categories :**

- Financial assets measured at amortised cost.
- Financial assets measured at fair value (either through OCI, or through profit or loss);

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The classification depends on the Group's business model for managing the financial assets and the contractual terms of cash flows.

## i. Financial assets measured at amortised cost

A financial asset is measured at the amortised cost if both the following conditions are met :

- The Group's business model objective for managing the financial asset is to hold financial assets to collect contractual cash flows, and
- The contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

This category applies to cash and bank balances, trade receivables, loans and other financial assets of the Group (Refer note 35 for further details). Such financial assets are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. The effect of the amortisation under effective interest method is recognised as interest income over the relevant period of the financial asset under other income in the Statement of Profit and Loss. The amortised cost of a financial asset is also adjusted for loss allowance, if any.

## ii. Financial assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVTOCI)

A financial asset is measured at FVTOCI if both of the following conditions are met :

- The Group's business model objective for managing the financial asset is achieved both by collecting contractual cash flows and selling the financial assets, and
- The contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

This category applies to certain investments in debt instruments (Refer note 35 for further details). Such financial assets are subsequently measured at fair value at each reporting date. Fair value changes are recognised in the Other Comprehensive Income (OCI). However, the Group recognises interest income and impairment losses and its reversals in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

On derecognition of such financial assets, cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in OCI is reclassified from equity to Statement of Profit and Loss.

Further, the Group, through an irrevocable election at initial recognition, may measure certain investments in equity instruments at FVTOCI (Refer note 35 for further details). The Group has made such election on an instrument-by-instrument basis. These equity instruments are neither held for trading nor are contingent consideration recognised under a business combination. Pursuant to such irrevocable election, subsequent changes in the fair value of such equity instruments are recognised in OCI. However, the Group recognises dividend income from such instruments in the Statement of Profit and Loss when the right to receive payment is established, it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Group and the amount can be measured reliably. On derecognition of such financial assets, cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in OCI is not reclassified from the equity to Statement of Profit and Loss. However, the Group may transfer such cumulative gain or loss into retained earnings within equity.

## iii. Financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL)

A financial asset is measured at FVTPL unless it is measured at amortised cost or at FVTOCI as explained above. This is a residual category applied to all other investments of the Group excluding investments in subsidiary and associate companies (Refer note 35 for further details).

Such financial assets are subsequently measured at fair value at each reporting date. Fair value changes are recognised in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

## III. Derecognition

A financial asset is derecognised when the right to receive cash flows from the assets has expired, or has been transferred, and the Group has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership..

In cases where Company has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the financial asset, but retains control of the financial asset, the Group continues to recognise such financial asset to the extent

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of its continuing involvement in the financial asset. In that case, the Group also recognises an associated liability. The financial asset and the associated liability are measured on a basis that reflects the rights and obligations that the Group has retained.

## IV. Impairment of financial assets

The Group applies expected credit loss (ECL) model for measurement and recognition of impairment loss on the assets carried at amortised cost and FVTOCI debt instruments. The impairment methodology applied depends on whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk. Note 36 details how the Group determines whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk.

For trade receivables alone, the Group applies the simplified approach permitted by 'Ind AS 109 - Financial instruments', which requires expected lifetime losses to be recognised from initial recognition of the receivables.

## 2. Non-derivative financial liabilities

### I. Initial recognition and measurement

All non-derivative financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value. In case of non-derivative financial liabilities not recorded at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL), transaction cost is attributed to the acquisition of the financial liability. Transaction cost of non-derivative financial liabilities carried at FVTPL is expensed in the statement of profit and loss.

### II. Subsequent measurement

All financial liabilities of the Group are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method (Refer note 35 for further details). The cumulative amortisation using the effective interest method of the difference between the initial recognition amount and the maturity amount is added to the initial recognition value (net of principal repayments, if any) of the financial liability over the relevant period of the financial liability to arrive at the amortised cost at each reporting date. The corresponding effect of the amortisation under effective interest method is recognised as interest expense under finance cost in the Statement of Profit and Loss.

### III. Derecognition

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

## 3. Offsetting of financial assets and financial liabilities

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

## 4. Financial guarantee contracts

Financial guarantee contracts are recognised as a financial liability at the time the guarantee is issued. The liability is initially measured at fair value and subsequently at the higher of the amount determined in accordance with 'Ind AS 37 - Provisions, contingent liabilities and contingent assets' and the amount initially recognised less cumulative amortisation, where appropriate.

The fair value of financial guarantees is determined as the present value of the difference in net cash flows between the contractual payments under the debt instrument and the payments that would be required without the guarantee, or the estimated amount that would be payable to a third party for assuming the obligations.

## 2.27 Cash dividend to equity holders

The Group recognises a liability to make cash distributions to equity holders when the distribution is authorised, and the distribution is no longer at the discretion of the Group. As per the Companies Act, 2013, a distribution is authorised when it is approved by the shareholders. A corresponding amount is recognised directly in equity.

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## 2.28 Government grant

Government grants are recognised at their fair value when there is a reasonable assurance that the grant will be received, and Company will comply with all attached conditions.

Government grants relating to income, are deferred and are recognised as other income in profit or loss in the period in which such costs that these grant intends to compensate, are incurred.

Government grants relating to purchase of property, plant and equipment are initially recognised as deferred income at fair value. Subsequently, the grant is recognised as income in profit and loss on a systematic basis over the useful life of the asset.

## 2.29 New and amended standards

The Ministry of Corporate Affairs vide notification dated 9 September 2024 and 28 September 2024 notified the Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Second Amendment Rules, 2024 and Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Third Amendment Rules, 2024, respectively, which amended/ notified certain accounting standards, and are effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after 1 April 2024 :

- Insurance contracts - Ind AS 117; and
- Lease Liability in Sale and Leaseback – Amendments to Ind AS 116

These amendments did not have any impact on the amounts recognised in current or prior periods and are not expected to significantly affect the future periods.

## 2.30 Standards issued but not effective

The Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") notifies new standards or amendments to the existing standards under Companies (Indian Accounting Standards) Rules. For the year ended March 31, 2025, MCA has not notified any new standards or amendments to existing standards that significantly impact the Group.

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## 3 Property, plant and equipment, intangible assets, investment property, capital work-in-progress and intangible asset under development

|                                           | Property, plant and equipment |               |               |           |                |                     |               |                                |               |          |               |                        |               |           | Intangible Assets    |          |                   |         | Goodwill | Investment property | Grand total |
|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-----------|----------------|---------------------|---------------|--------------------------------|---------------|----------|---------------|------------------------|---------------|-----------|----------------------|----------|-------------------|---------|----------|---------------------|-------------|
|                                           | Land                          |               | Land Freehold | Buildings |                | Plant and machinery |               | Computers and office equipment |               | Vehicles |               | Furniture and fixtures |               | Total     | Tech- nical know-how | Software | Demo/ Pilot Plant | Total   |          |                     |             |
|                                           | Lease- hold Refer note 1      | Right- of-Use |               | Owned     | Right- of- Use | Owned               | Right- of-Use | Owned                          | Right- of-Use | Owned    | Right- of-Use | Owned                  | Right- of-Use |           |                      |          |                   |         | Total    |                     |             |
|                                           |                               |               |               |           |                |                     |               |                                |               |          |               |                        |               |           |                      |          |                   |         |          |                     |             |
| Gross block                               |                               |               |               |           |                |                     |               |                                |               |          |               |                        |               |           |                      |          |                   |         |          |                     |             |
| As at 1 April 2024                        | 11,000                        | 243,954       | 370,517       | 1,624,461 | 1,391,556      | 2,483,417           | 374,971       | 355,676                        | 158,349       | 33,826   | 135,764       | 293,571                | 57,964        | 7,536,016 | 93,753               | 171,671  | -                 | 265,424 | 822,712  | -                   | 8,624,152   |
| Additions during the year                 | -                             | -             | -             | 110,924   | 96,733         | 362,101             | 389,043       | 82,760                         | 63,359        | 31,144   | 58,645        | 25,725                 | -             | 1,220,434 | -                    | 7,146    | 580,003           | 587,149 | -        | -                   | 1,807,582   |
| Deletions during the year                 | -                             | -             | -             | -         | 83,586         | 33,129              | -             | 1,620                          | 76,736        | 1,908    | 9,627         | 1,279                  | -             | 207,885   | -                    | -        | -                 | -       | -        | -                   | 207,885     |
| As at 31 March 2025                       | 11,000                        | 243,954       | 370,517       | 1,735,385 | 1,404,703      | 2,812,389           | 764,014       | 437,816                        | 144,972       | 63,062   | 184,782       | 318,007                | 57,964        | 8,548,565 | 93,753               | 178,816  | 580,003           | 852,573 | 822,712  | -                   | 10,223,849  |
| Accumulated depreciation and amortisation |                               |               |               |           |                |                     |               |                                |               |          |               |                        |               |           |                      |          |                   |         |          |                     |             |
| As at 1 April 2024                        | 1,371                         | 203,970       | -             | 657,126   | 246,200        | 1,592,582           | 18,457        | 316,578                        | 106,986       | 25,404   | 33,279        | 250,627                | 11,578        | 3,464,158 | 93,753               | 125,662  | -                 | 219,415 | 196,562  | -                   | 3,880,135   |
| Charge for the year                       | 0.122                         | 11,616        | -             | 55,790    | 328,063        | 170,238             | 97,751        | 29,836                         | 52,334        | 5,879    | 39,493        | 8,224                  | 11,593        | 810,929   | -                    | 13,870   | 39,610            | 53,480  | -        | -                   | 864,409     |
| Depreciation on deletions                 | -                             | -             | -             | -         | 81,634         | 26,115              | -             | 1,360                          | 76,736        | 1,908    | 2,401         | 1,279                  | -             | 191,433   | -                    | -        | -                 | -       | -        | -                   | 191,433     |
| As at 31 March 2025                       | 1,493                         | 215,586       | -             | 712,916   | 492,619        | 1,736,705           | 116,208       | 345,054                        | 82,584        | 29,375   | 70,371        | 257,572                | 23,171        | 4,083,654 | 93,753               | 139,532  | 39,610            | 272,895 | 196,562  | -                   | 4,553,111   |
| Net carrying value                        |                               |               |               |           |                |                     |               |                                |               |          |               |                        |               |           |                      |          |                   |         |          |                     |             |
| As at 31 March 2025                       | 9,507                         | 28,368        | 370,517       | 1,022,469 | 912,084        | 1,075,684           | 647,806       | 92,762                         | 62,388        | 33,687   | 114,411       | 60,435                 | 34,793        | 4,464,911 | -                    | 39,284   | 540,393           | 579,678 | 626,150  | -                   | 5,670,738   |
| As at 31 March 2024                       | 9,629                         | 39,984        | 370,517       | 967,335   | 1,145,36       | 890,835             | 356,514       | 40,098                         | 51,363        | 8,422    | 102,485       | 42,934                 | 46,386        | 4,071,858 | -                    | 46,009   | -                 | 46,009  | 626,150  | -                   | 4,744,017   |

### Note :

- The land has been taken on a long term lease i.e. for 99 years.
- Refer Note 26 for capital commitments for the acquisition of property plant and equipment.
- The title deeds of immovable properties are held in the name of the respective companies of the Group.

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## 3 Property, plant and equipment, intangible assets, investment property, capital work-in-progress and intangible asset under development

|                                           | Property, plant and equipment |              |               |           |              |                     |              |                                |              |          |              |                        |              |           | Intangible Assets   |          |                   |         | Goodwill | Investment property | Grand total |
|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------|---------------|-----------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|--------------------------------|--------------|----------|--------------|------------------------|--------------|-----------|---------------------|----------|-------------------|---------|----------|---------------------|-------------|
|                                           | Land                          |              | Land Freehold | Buildings |              | Plant and machinery |              | Computers and office equipment |              | Vehicles |              | Furniture and fixtures |              | Total     | Tech-nical know-how | Software | Demo/ Pilot Plant | Total   |          |                     |             |
|                                           | Lease-hold Refer note 1       | Right-of-Use |               | Owned     | Right-of-Use | Owned               | Right-of-Use | Owned                          | Right-of-Use | Owned    | Right-of-Use | Owned                  | Right-of-Use |           |                     |          |                   |         |          |                     |             |
|                                           |                               |              |               |           |              |                     |              |                                |              |          |              |                        |              |           |                     |          |                   |         |          |                     |             |
| Gross block                               | 11,000                        | 243,954      | 370,517       | 1,550,067 | 154,826      | 2,053,628           | 45,273       | 335,521                        | 149,670      | 50,783   | 57,872       | 281,286                | 57,100       | 5,361,497 | 93,753              | 152,667  | -                 | 246,420 | 822,712  | 136,928             | 6,567,557   |
| As at 1 April 2023                        | -                             | -            | -             | 74,394    | 1,236,730    | 436,240             | 329,698      | 25,414                         | 20,440       | 1,822    | 81,242       | 12,275                 | 0,864        | 2,219,119 | -                   | 19,004   | -                 | 19,004  | -        | -                   | 2,238,123   |
| Additions / adjustments                   | -                             | -            | -             | -         | -            | 6,451               | -            | 4,259                          | 11,761       | 18,779   | 3,350        | -                      | -            | 44,600    | -                   | -        | -                 | -       | -        | -                   | 44,600      |
| Deletions                                 | -                             | -            | -             | -         | -            | -                   | -            | -                              | -            | -        | -            | -                      | -            | -         | -                   | -        | -                 | -       | -        | -                   | -           |
| Classified as Asset held for sale         |                               |              |               |           |              |                     |              |                                |              |          |              |                        |              | -         |                     |          |                   |         |          | 136,928             | 136,928     |
| As at 31 March 2024                       | 11,000                        | 243,954      | 370,517       | 1,624,461 | 1,391,556    | 2,483,417           | 374,971      | 356,676                        | 158,349      | 33,826   | 135,764      | 293,561                | 57,964       | 7,536,016 | 93,753              | 171,671  | -                 | 265,424 | 822,712  | -                   | 8,624,152   |
| Accumulated depreciation and amortisation |                               |              |               |           |              |                     |              |                                |              |          |              |                        |              |           |                     |          |                   |         |          |                     |             |
| As at 1 April 2023                        | 1,248                         | 182,483      | -             | 603,335   | 61,750       | 1,476,465           | 5,564        | 305,416                        | 69,469       | 38,315   | 8,732        | 242,572                | 0,156        | 2,995,505 | 93,386              | 113,864  | -                 | 207,250 | 196,5620 | -                   | 3,399,317   |
| Charge for the year                       | 0.123                         | 21,487       | -             | 53,791    | 105,807      | 120,388             | 12,893       | 15,421                         | 49,278       | 3,909    | 25,818       | 8,055                  | 11,422       | 428,392   | 0,367               | 11,798   | -                 | 12,165  | -        | -                   | 440,557     |
| Deletions / Adjustments                   | -                             | -            | -             | -         | -            | 4,271               | -            | 4,259                          | 11,761       | 16,820   | 1,271        | -                      | -            | 38,382    | -                   | -        | -                 | -       | -        | -                   | 38,382      |
| Adjustments                               |                               |              |               |           | 78,643       |                     |              |                                |              |          |              |                        |              | 78,643    |                     |          |                   |         |          |                     | 78,643      |
| As at 31 March 2024                       | 1,371                         | 203,970      | -             | 657,126   | 246,200      | 1,592,582           | 18,457       | 316,578                        | 106,986      | 25,404   | 33,279       | 250,627                | 11,578       | 3,464,158 | 93,753              | 125,662  | -                 | 219,415 | 196,562  | -                   | 3,880,135   |
| Net carrying value                        |                               |              |               |           |              |                     |              |                                |              |          |              |                        |              |           |                     |          |                   |         |          |                     |             |
| As at 31 March 2024                       | 9,629                         | 39,984       | 370,517       | 967,335   | 1,145,356    | 890,835             | 356,514      | 40,098                         | 51,363       | 8,422    | 102,485      | 42,934                 | 46,386       | 4,071,858 | -                   | 46,009   | -                 | 46,009  | 626,150  | -                   | 4,744,017   |
| As at 31 March 2023                       | 9,752                         | 61,471       | 370,517       | 946,732   | 93,076       | 577,163             | 39,709       | 30,105                         | 80,201       | 12,468   | 49,140       | 38,714                 | 56,944       | 2,365,992 | 0,367               | 38,803   | -                 | 39,170  | 626,150  | 136,928             | 3,168,240   |

### Note :

- The land has been taken on a long term lease i.e. for 99 years.
- Refer Note 26 for capital commitments for the acquisition of property plant and equipment.
- Before the reporting date of the previous year, the management had confirmed its intention to sell the land located at Nasrapur, Pune. Accordingly, the said investment property was classified as an asset held for sale and was measured at the lower of its carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell.
- Adjustment represents depreciation capitalised in Plant and Machinery (Owned).
- The title deeds of immovable properties are held in the name of the respective companies of the Group.

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## 3 Property, plant and equipment, intangible assets, investment property, capital work-in-progress and intangible asset under development

### Details of capital work-in-progress and intangible assets under development

| Particulars                                    | 31 March 2025            |                                     | 31 March 2024            |                                     |
|------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|
|                                                | Capital work-in-progress | Intangible assets under development | Capital work-in-progress | Intangible assets under development |
| Balance at start of the year                   | 31.991                   | 401.546                             | 68.724                   | 0.763                               |
| Add : Additions during the year                | 312.446                  | 171.232                             | 225.405                  | 400.783                             |
| Less : Capitalised/expense out during the year | 171.154                  | 568.177                             | 262.138                  | -                                   |
| <b>Balance at the end of the year</b>          | <b>173.283</b>           | <b>4.601</b>                        | <b>31.991</b>            | <b>401.546</b>                      |

#### i. Capital work-in-progress are assets not ready for use. Capital work-in-progress (CWIP) mainly comprises of :

- Building under construction ₹ 33.413 (31 March 2024 22.818)
- Plant & Machinery not ready to use ₹ 123.886 (31 March 2024 ₹ NIL)
- Network Equipment ₹ 8.007 (31 March 2024 ₹ 3.622)
- Furniture & Fixture under construction ₹ 1.587 (31 March 2024 : 5.551)
- Jetty ₹ 6.390 (31 March 2024 : NIL)

#### ii. Intangible asset under development are assets not ready for use. Intangible asset under development comprises of :

- 100 TPD Lactic Acid pilot plant for new technology under development at Jejuri location of ₹ NIL ( 31 March 2024 : 398.496) ( Refer Note 2.9 for internally generated intangible assets)
- software under development of ₹ 4.601 (31 March 2024 :3.050)

Refer Note 37C for ageing

### Goodwill Impairment testing

Goodwill pertains to Praj HiPurity Systems Limited which is tested for impairment at the entity level ('CGU'). Value-in-use is determined based on discounted future cash flows. The key assumptions used for the calculations are as follows :

| Particulars           | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|-----------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Long-term growth rate | 6%            | 8%            |
| Discounting rate      | 15%           | 13%           |

The estimated recoverable amount of the CGU exceeded its carrying amount. Reasonable sensitivities in key assumptions are unlikely to cause the carrying amount to exceed the recoverable amount of the cash generating units.

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## 4 Investments

|                                                                                                                                     | 31 March 2025  | 31 March 2024  |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>Non-current investments</b>                                                                                                      |                |                |
| (i) <b>Investments at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI)</b>                                                     |                |                |
| <b>Unquoted Investment in Equity Shares</b>                                                                                         |                |                |
| Investment in TruAlt Company                                                                                                        | 100.000        | -              |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                                                                        | <b>100.000</b> | <b>-</b>       |
| (ii) <b>Investments at amortised cost</b>                                                                                           |                |                |
| <b>Quoted investments in non-convertible debentures / bonds :</b>                                                                   |                |                |
| 10 Bonds issued by HDFC Bank Limited Unsecured Non-Convertible Bonds Basel III Tier 2, Coupon 7.84% (31 March 2024 : 10 bonds)      | 100.084        | 102.267        |
| NIL Bonds issued by HDB Financial Services Limited Unsecured Non-Convertible Bonds Coupon 7.99% (31 March 2024 : 2,500 bonds)       | -              | 250.000        |
| NIL Bonds issued by HDB Financial Services Limited Unsecured Non-Convertible Bonds Coupon 6% (31 March 2024 : 100)                  | -              | 98.425         |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                                                                        | <b>100.084</b> | <b>450.692</b> |
| (iii) <b>Investments at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI)</b>                                                   |                |                |
| <b>Quoted investments in non-convertible debentures / bonds :</b>                                                                   |                |                |
| 250 Bonds issued by SBI Bank Unsecured Non-Convertible Perpetual Bonds Series IV, Coupon 7.73% (31 March 2024 : 250 bonds)          | 248.925        | 247.292        |
| 50 Bonds issued by State Bank of India Unsecured Non-Convertible Perpetual Bonds Series II, Coupon 7.73% (31 March 2024 : 50 bonds) | 49.785         | 49.458         |
| 90 Bonds issued by State Bank of India Unsecured Non-Convertible Perpetual Bonds Series I, Coupon 7.74% (31 March 2024 : 90 bonds)  | 89.577         | 89.140         |
| 30 Bonds issued by State Bank of India Unsecured Non-Convertible Perpetual Bonds Series I, Coupon 7.74% (31 March 2024 : 30 bonds)  | 29.859         | 29.713         |
| 50 Bonds issued by State Bank of India Unsecured Non-Convertible Perpetual Bonds Series I, Coupon 7.74% (31 March 2024 : 50 bonds)  | 49.765         | 49.522         |
| 3 Bonds issued by State Bank of India Unsecured Non-Convertible Perpetual Bonds (31 March 2024 : 3 bonds)                           | 29.799         | 29.573         |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                                                                        | <b>497.710</b> | <b>494.698</b> |
| <b>Total non-current</b>                                                                                                            | <b>697.794</b> | <b>945.390</b> |
| <b>Current investments</b>                                                                                                          |                |                |
| (i) <b>Investments at amortised cost</b>                                                                                            |                |                |
| <b>Quoted investments in non-convertible debentures / bonds :</b>                                                                   |                |                |
| NIL bonds issued by GOI Unsecured Non-Convertible Perpetual Bonds TBILL Zero Coupon Bonds (31 March 2024 : 2,500,000 Bonds)         | -              | 246.472        |
| 2,500 Bonds issued by HDB Financial Services Limited Unsecured Non-Convertible Bonds Coupon 7.99% (31 March 2024 : NIL bonds)       | 250.000        | -              |
| 100 Bonds issued by HDB Financial Services Limited Unsecured Non-Convertible Bonds Coupon 6% (31 March 2024 : NIL)                  | 96.570         | -              |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                                                                        | <b>346.570</b> | <b>246.472</b> |

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|                                                                                                                        | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>Current investments</b>                                                                                             |               |               |
| <b>(i) Investments at fair value through profit and loss (FVTPL)</b>                                                   |               |               |
| <b>Quoted mutual funds</b>                                                                                             |               |               |
| HDFC MONEY MARKET FUND - DIRECT PLAN - 9087.17 Units ( 31 March 2024 : NIL Units )                                     | 51.922        | -             |
| IDFC FLOATING RATE FUND DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 9,999,500.025 Units)                           | -             | 117.984       |
| UTI FLOATER FUND-DIRECT GROWTH PLAN - 81,739.196 Units (31 March 2024 : 81,739.196 Units )                             | 125.314       | 116.511       |
| ADITYA BIRLA SUN LIFE FLOATING RATE FUND-GROWTH-DIRECT PLAN- NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 710,730.268 Units )            | -             | 226.966       |
| ICICI PRUDENTIAL SAVING FUND - GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 116,649.927 Units )                                 | -             | 57.569        |
| HSBC ULTRA SHORT DURATION FUND DIRECT GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 4,393.345 Units )                            | -             | 5.494         |
| UTI ARBITRAGE FUND -DIRECT GROWTH PLAN - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 1,707,133.447 Units )                              | -             | 57.924        |
| SBI ARBITRAGE OPPORTUNITIES FUND - DIRECT PLAN -GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 1,559,108.773 Units)               | -             | 51.036        |
| NIPPON INDIA ARBITRAGE FUND -DIRECT GROWTH PLAN - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 1,921,089.240 Units )                     | -             | 50.210        |
| KOTAK MONEY MARKET FUND-DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 23,365.87 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units )                              | 103.871       | -             |
| AXIS MONEY MARKET FUND DIRECT GROWTH PLAN - 127,677.2 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units )                               | 180.786       | -             |
| NIPPON MONEY MARKET FUND-DIRECT GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 13,091.087 Units )                                 | -             | 50.025        |
| FRANKLIN INDIA SAVING FUND RETAIL OPTION-DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 6,700,425.676 Units )         | -             | 315.618       |
| FRANKLIN INDIA SAVING FUND SUPER INSTITUTIONAL PLAN-DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 31,266.548 Units ) | -             | 113.400       |
| HDFC ULTRA SHORT TERM FUND-DIRECT GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 3,558,591.590 Units )                            | -             | 50.136        |
| ICICI PRUDENTIAL MONEY MARKET FUND - GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 155,690.751 Units )                           | -             | 53.792        |
| HSBC ULTRA SHORT DURATION FUND DIRECT GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 45,036.922 Units )                           | -             | 56.322        |
| INVESCO INDIA ARBITRAGE FUND-DIRECT PLAN - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 6,596,354.934 Units )                            | -             | 206.935       |
| NIPPON INDIA ULTRA SHORT DURATION FUND-DIRECT GROWTH PLAN - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 12,435.826 Units )              | -             | 50.143        |
| HSBC ULTRA SHORT DURATION FUND -DIRECT GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 44,996.263 Units )                          | -             | 56.271        |
| NIPPON INDIA FLOATING RATE FUND-GROWTH PLAN OPTION - 2,667,301.523 Units (31 March 2024 : 2,667,301.523 Units )        | 117.710       | 108.688       |
| SBI FLOATING RATE DEBT FUND DIRECT PLAN GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 9,015,706.168 Units )                      | -             | 109.442       |

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|                                                                                                                                                         | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| HDFC FLOATING RATE DEBT FUND REGULAR PLAN GROWTH - NIL Units ( March 2024 : 4,786,864.830 Units )                                                       | -             | 215.810       |
| INVESCO INDIA MONEY MARKET FUND-DIRECT PLAN GROWTH - NIL Units ( March 2024 : 56,471.741 Units )                                                        | -             | 162.074       |
| ADITYA BIRLA SUN LIFE ARBITRAGE FUND-GROWTH-DIRECT PLAN - NIL Units ( March 2024 : 3,897,613.536 Units )                                                | -             | 101.459       |
| DSP ARBITRAGE FUND-DIRECT GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 3,608,885.529 Units )                                                                     | -             | 51.448        |
| DSP LIQUIDITY FUND-DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 14,605.219 Units )                                                                   | -             | 50.408        |
| HDFC MONEY MARKET FUND-DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 30,110.680 Units )                                                               | -             | 159.588       |
| HDFC ARBITRAGE FUND-WHOLSALE PLAN-GROWTH-DIRECT PLAN - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 5,596,009.332 Units )                                                 | -             | 102.776       |
| ICICI PRUDENTIAL EQUITY ARBITRAGE FUND DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 1,533,816.206 Units )                                            | -             | 51.359        |
| INVESCO INDIA ARBITRAGE FUND REGULAR GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 1,723,136.683 Units )                                                          | -             | 50.407        |
| KOTAK EQUITY ARBITRAGE FUND-GROWTH (REGULAR PLAN) - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 2,939,844.835 Units )                                                    | -             | 100.850       |
| KOTAK FLEXI DEBT REGULAR PLAN - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 2,759,183.027 Units )                                                                        | -             | 100.396       |
| NIPPON INDIA LIQUID FUND DIRECT PLAN -GROWTH PLAN - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 58.303 Units )                                                           | -             | 0.345         |
| AXIS ARBITRAGE FUND-REGULAR GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 2,914,252.580 Units )                                                                   | -             | 50.003        |
| BANDHAN ARBITRAGE FUND-GROWTH-(REGULAR PLAN) (ERSTWHILE IDFC ARBITRAGE FUND GROWTH-REGULAR PLAN ) - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 1,679,442.267 Units )    | -             | 50.001        |
| HSBC ARBITRAGE FUND-DIRECT GROWTH (FORMERLY KNOWN AS L&T ARBITRAGE OPPORTUNITIES FUND-DIRECT GROWTH) - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 5,548,126.873 Units ) | -             | 102.842       |
| MIRAE ASSETS ARBITRAGE FUND-REGULAR PLAN GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 4,209,252.409 Units )                                                      | -             | 50.410        |
| MIRAE ASSETS ARBITRAGE FUND-DIRECT GROWTH - NIL Units (31 March 2024 : 8,146,599.194 Units )                                                            | -             | 100.219       |
| ADITYA BIRLA SUN LIFE LIQUID FUND-GROWTH-DIRECT PLAN - 120,155.075 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units )                                                   | 50.303        | -             |
| ADITYA BIRLA SUN LIFE MONEY MANAGER FUND - DIRECT PLAN - 81,635.08 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units )                                                   | 29.998        | -             |
| DSP LOW DURATION FUND - DIRECT PLAN - 10,360,369.746 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                                                                  | 207.885       | -             |
| DSP LIQUIDITY FUND- DIRECT PLAN - 13,566.585 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units )                                                                         | 50.309        | -             |
| DSP SAVING FUND-DIRECT PLAN - 375,805.204 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                                                                             | 20.010        | -             |
| BAJAJ FINSERV LIQUID FUND - DIRECT PLAN - GROWTH - 89426.96 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units )                                                          | 101.236       | -             |

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|                                                                                                                 | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| BAJAJ FINSERV MONEY MARKET FUND - DIRECT PLAN - 26374.742 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                     | 30.016          | -               |
| HDFC LIQUID FUND - DIRECT PLAN - GROWTH - 9878.266 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                            | 50.305          | -               |
| MIRAE ASSET MONEY MARKET FUND - DIRECT PLAN - GROWTH - 82957.985 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)              | 103.914         | -               |
| MIRAE ASSET LIQUID FUND - DIRECT PLAN - GROWTH - 36956.691 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                    | 101.243         | -               |
| ICICI PRUDENTIAL EQUITY ARBITRAGE FUND - DIRECT PLAN - GROWTH - 1,449,450.779 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units) | 52.389          | -               |
| ICICI PRUDENTIAL MONEY MARKET FUND- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 275,862.051 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)          | 103.853         | -               |
| ICICI PRUDENTIAL LIQUID FUND- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 131,031.382 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                | 50.274          | -               |
| INVESCO INDIA LOW DURATION FUND- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 40,438.606 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)              | 156.088         | -               |
| INVESCO INDIA MONEY MARKET FUND- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 6,474.501 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)               | 20.010          | -               |
| KOTAK LIQUID FUND - DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 9602.78 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                              | 50.313          | -               |
| NIPPON INDIA LIQUID FUND - DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 15,952.854 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                    | 101.251         | -               |
| HSBC LIQUID FUND - DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 19,464.61 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                             | 50.303          | -               |
| FRANKLIN INDIA LIQUID FUND- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 39,059.003 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                   | 152.201         | -               |
| FRANKLIN INDIA MONEY MARKET FUND- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 9,84,193.071 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)           | 50.025          | -               |
| UTI LOW DURATION FUND - DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 29,438.498 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                       | 103.911         | -               |
| AXIS TREASURY ADVANTAGE FUND - DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 65,697.592 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                | 208.604         | -               |
| BANDHAN LIQUID FUND - DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 16,058.404 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                         | 50.303          | -               |
| BANDHAN LOW DURATION FUND- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 4,037,576.365 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                 | 156.311         | -               |
| BANDHAN ULTRA SHORT TERM FUND- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 1,985,643.087 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)             | 30.015          | -               |
| BARODA BNP PARIBAS MONEY MARKET FUND- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 77,741.057 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)         | 106.641         | -               |
| BARODA BNP PARIBAS ULTRA SHORT DURATION FUND- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 13,053.519 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units) | 20.010          | -               |
| BARODA BNP PARIBAS LIQUID FUND-DIRECT GROWTH- DIRECT PLAN-GROWTH - 16,822.004 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units) | 50.309          | -               |
| PARAG PARIKH LIQUID FUND REGULAR PLAN - GROWTH - 21,064.784 Units (31 March 2024 : NIL Units)                   | 30.039          | -               |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                                                    | <b>2867.671</b> | <b>3354.862</b> |

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|                                                                                           | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>(ii) Investments at amortised cost</b>                                                 |                 |                 |
| <b>Unquoted investments :</b>                                                             |                 |                 |
| Deposit with Bajaj Finance Limited                                                        | 370.000         | 420.000         |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                              | <b>370.000</b>  | <b>420.000</b>  |
| <b>Total current</b>                                                                      | <b>3584.241</b> | <b>4021.334</b> |
| <b>Total Investments</b>                                                                  | <b>4282.035</b> | <b>4966.724</b> |
| Aggregate book value of quoted investments                                                | 3812.035        | 4546.724        |
| Aggregate market value of quoted investments                                              | 3817.121        | 4538.940        |
| Aggregate book value of unquoted investments                                              | 470.000         | 420.000         |
| <b>5 Other financial assets</b>                                                           |                 |                 |
| <b>Non-current</b>                                                                        |                 |                 |
| <b>(Unsecured, considered good)</b>                                                       |                 |                 |
| Security deposits                                                                         | 397.688         | 270.600         |
| Deposits with banks with maturity of more than 12 months                                  | 8.389           | 150.836         |
|                                                                                           | <b>406.077</b>  | <b>421.436</b>  |
| <b>Current</b>                                                                            |                 |                 |
| <b>(Unsecured, considered good)</b>                                                       |                 |                 |
| Foreign exchange forward contracts                                                        | 8.721           | 20.417          |
| Interest accrued on fixed deposits and bonds                                              | 59.296          | 38.743          |
| Security deposits                                                                         | 15.798          | 1.645           |
| Other Receivable*                                                                         | 67.993          | 92.223          |
|                                                                                           | <b>151.808</b>  | <b>153.028</b>  |
| * mainly includes insurance claim, Earnest money deposit and turnover discount receivable |                 |                 |
| <b>Total other financial assets</b>                                                       | <b>557.885</b>  | <b>574.464</b>  |

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|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 31 March 2025    | 31 March 2024   |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| <b>6 Other assets</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                  |                 |
| <b>Non-current</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                  |                 |
| Capital advances                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | 50.235           | 75.594          |
| Balances with central excise, customs and Value added tax authorities                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | -                | 2.331           |
| Prepaid expenses                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | 37.401           | 1.875           |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>87.636</b>    | <b>79.800</b>   |
| <b>Current</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                  |                 |
| Contract Assets                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                  |                 |
| - Contracts in progress (Refer Note 27)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 6871.169         | 3975.078        |
| - Retention money                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                  |                 |
| Unsecured, considered good                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 2168.864         | 1976.178        |
| Less : Allowance for expected credit loss                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 33.256           | 48.591          |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>2135.608</b>  | <b>1927.587</b> |
| Advances to suppliers                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                  |                 |
| Unsecured, considered good                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 674.486          | 340.892         |
| Unsecured, considered doubtful                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | 28.219           | 2.804           |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>702.705</b>   | <b>343.696</b>  |
| Less : Provision for doubtful Advances                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | 28.219           | 2.804           |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>674.486</b>   | <b>340.892</b>  |
| Balances with central excise, customs and Value added tax authorities                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 552.157          | 498.102         |
| Prepaid expenses                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | 254.377          | 231.257         |
| Other advances                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | 59.892           | 102.701         |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>10547.689</b> | <b>7075.617</b> |
| <b>Total Other assets</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | <b>10635.325</b> | <b>7155.417</b> |
| <b>7 Inventories</b> (valued at lower of cost and net realisable value)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                  |                 |
| Raw materials (Includes Goods in transit of ₹ NIL (31 March 2024 : 20.285)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 2310.498         | 1838.512        |
| Work in progress                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | 196.587          | 338.416         |
| Finished goods                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | 26.025           | 31.595          |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>2533.110</b>  | <b>2208.523</b> |
| <b>Note</b> : Write-down of inventories to net realizable value amounted to ₹ 28.324 (31 March 2024 : ₹ 37.727). These were recognized as an expense during the year and included in 'Cost of materials consumed'.                                                                                                                                                       |                  |                 |
| <b>8 Trade Receivables</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                  |                 |
| <b>Current</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                  |                 |
| - From others                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                  |                 |
| Unsecured, considered good                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 6488.475         | 7103.924        |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>6488.475</b>  | <b>7103.924</b> |
| Less : Allowance for expected credit loss                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 928.611          | 671.675         |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>5559.864</b>  | <b>6432.249</b> |
| i. Refer Note 37A for ageing schedule                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                  |                 |
| ii. No trade receivables are due from directors or other officers of the Company either severally or jointly with any other person. Nor any trade receivables are due from firms or private companies respectively in which any director is a partner, a director or a member. Trade receivables are non-interest bearing and generally on credit terms of 3 to 6 months |                  |                 |
| iii. Current and previous years balance of Retention has been disclosed under Other current asset as "Contract Assets". For details, refer note 6.                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                  |                 |

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|                                                                         | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>9 Cash and cash equivalents</b>                                      |                 |                 |
| <b>Balances with banks</b>                                              |                 |                 |
| On current accounts                                                     | 898.611         | 1190.577        |
| Deposits with original maturity of less than 3 months                   | 357.429         | 491.015         |
| Cash on hand                                                            | 3.151           | 2.566           |
|                                                                         | <b>1259.191</b> | <b>1684.158</b> |
| <b>10 Other bank balances</b>                                           |                 |                 |
| Unclaimed dividend account                                              | 11.844          | 11.159          |
| Deposits with maturity for more than 3 months but less than 12 months   | 540.670         | 431.741         |
| Note : Includes deposits under lien ₹ 311.537 (31 March 2024 ₹ 291.741) |                 |                 |
|                                                                         | <b>552.514</b>  | <b>442.900</b>  |
| <b>11 Equity Share Capital</b>                                          |                 |                 |
| <b>Authorised shares</b>                                                |                 |                 |
| 450,000,000 (31 March 2024 : 450,000,000) equity shares of ₹ 2 each     | 900.000         | 900.000         |
| <b>Issued, subscribed and fully paid-up shares</b>                      |                 |                 |
| 183,813,088 (31 March 2024 : 183,813,088) equity shares of ₹ 2 each     | 367.626         | 367.626         |
| <b>Total</b>                                                            | <b>367.626</b>  | <b>367.626</b>  |

**a. Reconciliation of the shares outstanding at the beginning and at the end of the reporting period :**

|                                                                                                  | 31 March 2025      |                | 31 March 2024      |                |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|
|                                                                                                  | No.                | Amount         | No.                | Amount         |
| At the beginning of the period                                                                   | 183,813,088        | 183.813        | 183,713,088        | 367.426        |
| Add : Allotted during the period pursuant to exercise of employees stock options (Refer note 32) | -                  | -              | 100,000            | 0.200          |
| <b>Outstanding at the end of the period</b>                                                      | <b>183,813,088</b> | <b>183.813</b> | <b>183,813,088</b> | <b>367.626</b> |

**c. Shares held by holding/ultimate holding company and/or their subsidiaries/associates :**

The company does not have any holding or ultimate holding company.

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**d. Details of shareholders holding more than 5% shares in the company :**

|                                                                  | 31 March 2025 |              | 31 March 2024 |              |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
|                                                                  | No.           | % of holding | No.           | % of holding |
| <b>Equity shares of ₹ 2 each fully paid</b>                      |               |              |               |              |
| Dr. Pramod Chaudhari (Promoter)                                  | 38,700,000    | 21.05%       | 38,700,000    | 21.05%       |
| Parimal Chaudhari (Promoter)                                     | 14,400,000    | 7.83%        | 14,400,000    | 7.83%        |
| Canara Robeco Mutual Fund - Canara Robeco Emerging Equities Fund | 9,820,505     | 5.34%        | -             | -            |

**e. Details of shareholders holding of Promoters :**

|                                             | 31 March 2025 |              | 31 March 2024 |              |
|---------------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
|                                             | No.           | % of holding | No.           | % of holding |
| <b>Equity shares of ₹ 2 each fully paid</b> |               |              |               |              |
| Dr. Pramod Chaudhari                        | 38,700,000    | 21.05%       | 38,700,000    | 21.05%       |
| Parimal Chaudhari                           | 14,400,000    | 7.83%        | 14,400,000    | 7.83%        |
| Moriyaset Trust                             | 7,200,000     | 3.92%        | 7,200,000     | 3.92%        |

**f. Shares reserved for issue under options :**

Shares reserved for issue under the Employee Stock Option Plan (ESOP) please refer note 32.

**g. Aggregate number of bonus shares issued, shares issued for consideration other than cash and shares bought back during the period of five years immediately preceding the reporting date :**

|                                                                                                       | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Number of bonus shares issued, shares issued for consideration other than cash and shares bought back | -             | -             |

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|                                                                                                  | 31 March 2025    | 31 March 2024    |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| <b>12 Other Equity</b>                                                                           |                  |                  |
| <b>Capital Reserve</b>                                                                           | 0.033            | 0.033            |
| <b>Amalgamation Reserve</b>                                                                      | 3.063            | 3.063            |
| <b>Capital Redemption Reserve*</b>                                                               | 14.627           | 14.627           |
| <b>Securities Premium</b>                                                                        |                  |                  |
| Balance as at the beginning of the year                                                          | 1075.518         | 1040.149         |
| Add : Employee stock options exercised                                                           | -                | 8.800            |
| Add : Transfer from Share option outstanding account on exercise of options                      | -                | 26.569           |
| <b>Balance at the end of the year</b>                                                            | <b>1075.518</b>  | <b>1075.518</b>  |
| <b>Share option outstanding account**</b>                                                        |                  |                  |
| Balance as at the beginning of the year                                                          | -                | 26.573           |
| Add : Employee stock option expense                                                              | 8.392            | (0.004)          |
| Less : Employee stock options expired and transferred to surplus in statement of profit and loss | -                | -                |
| Less : Transfer to Securities Premium on exercise of options                                     | -                | 26.569           |
| <b>Balance at the end of the year</b>                                                            | <b>8.392</b>     | <b>-</b>         |
| <b>Special Economic Zone Re-investment Reserve***</b>                                            |                  |                  |
| Balance as at the beginning of the year                                                          | -                | 163.000          |
| Less : Transfer to Surplus in the Statement of Profit and Loss on completion of required period  | -                | 163.000          |
| <b>Balance at the end of the year</b>                                                            | <b>-</b>         | <b>-</b>         |
| <b>General Reserve</b>                                                                           |                  |                  |
| Balance as at the beginning of the year                                                          | 958.500          | 958.500          |
| Add : amounts transferred from surplus balance in statement of profit and loss                   | -                | -                |
| <b>Balance at the end of the year</b>                                                            | <b>958.500</b>   | <b>958.500</b>   |
| <b>Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations</b>                                 |                  |                  |
| Balance at the beginning of the year                                                             | 16.435           | 19.155           |
| Add : due to transactions during the year                                                        | 4.960            | (2.720)          |
| <b>Balance at the end of the year</b>                                                            | <b>21.395</b>    | <b>16.435</b>    |
| <b>Debt instruments through Other Comprehensive Income</b>                                       |                  |                  |
| Balance as at the beginning of the year                                                          | (3.751)          | (3.937)          |
| Add : Fair value movement                                                                        | 2.253            | 0.186            |
| <b>Balance at the end of the year</b>                                                            | <b>(1.498)</b>   | <b>(3.751)</b>   |
| <b>Retained Earnings</b>                                                                         |                  |                  |
| Balance as at the beginning of the year                                                          | 10312.648        | 8191.395         |
| Profit as per statement of profit and loss                                                       | 2189.101         | 2833.560         |
| Other comprehensive income - Re-measurement of defined benefit plans                             | (28.855)         | (47.427)         |
| Add : Transfer from Special Economic Zone Re-investment Reserve on completion of required period | -                | 163.000          |
| Add : Adjustment due to change in NCI                                                            | -                | 0.043            |
| Less : Appropriations                                                                            |                  |                  |
| Interim/Final equity dividend                                                                    | 1102.879         | 827.923          |
| <b>Balance at the end of the year</b>                                                            | <b>11370.015</b> | <b>10312.648</b> |
| <b>Total Other Equity</b>                                                                        | <b>13450.045</b> | <b>12377.073</b> |

\*Capital Redemption Reserve - The reserve is created on account of buy-back of equity shares by the Company in earlier years.

\*\* Share option outstanding account - The reserve is created on account of Employee stock options.

\*\*\*Special Economic Zone Re-investment Reserve - The reserve is created as per the provisions of Income Tax Act, 1961.

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|                                                                                                | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>13 Provisions</b>                                                                           |                 |                 |
| <b>Non-current</b>                                                                             |                 |                 |
| <b>Provision for employee benefits</b>                                                         |                 |                 |
| Compensated absences (Refer Note 31c)                                                          | 164.202         | 151.837         |
| Gratuity (Refer Note 31b)                                                                      | 31.522          | 29.078          |
|                                                                                                | <b>195.724</b>  | <b>180.915</b>  |
| <b>Current</b>                                                                                 |                 |                 |
| <b>Provision for employee benefits</b>                                                         |                 |                 |
| Compensated absences (Refer Note 31c)                                                          | 74.140          | 80.951          |
| Gratuity (Refer Note 31b)                                                                      | 36.488          | 89.802          |
| Provision for anticipated losses on revenue contracts                                          | 122.302         | 408.472         |
| Provision for warranty                                                                         | 1.517           | -               |
|                                                                                                | <b>234.447</b>  | <b>579.225</b>  |
| <b>Total provisions</b>                                                                        | <b>430.171</b>  | <b>760.140</b>  |
| <b>Movement in Provision for anticipated losses on revenue contracts</b>                       |                 |                 |
| Balance of provision as at the start of the year                                               | 408.472         | 306.646         |
| Add : Additional Provision during the year                                                     | 10.417          | 191.970         |
| Less : Provision used/ reversed during the year                                                | 296.587         | 90.144          |
| <b>Balance of provision as at the end of the year</b>                                          | <b>122.302</b>  | <b>408.472</b>  |
| <b>14 Trade payables</b>                                                                       |                 |                 |
| <b>Current</b>                                                                                 |                 |                 |
| - <b>To others</b>                                                                             |                 |                 |
| Total outstanding dues of micro enterprises and small enterprises (Refer note iii below)       | 940.014         | 890.872         |
| Total outstanding dues of creditors other than micro enterprises and small enterprises (MSMED) | 3882.849        | 4076.696        |
|                                                                                                | <b>4822.863</b> | <b>4967.568</b> |

## Notes :

- Refer Note 37B for ageing schedule
- Trade payables are non-interest bearing and are normally settled on 30-90 days terms
- The Company has amounts due to suppliers under The Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006, [MSMED Act] as at March 31, 2025. The disclosure pursuant to the said Act is as under :

| Particulars                                                                          | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Total outstanding amount in respect of micro, small and medium enterprises           | 940.014       | 890.872       |
| Principal amount due and remaining unpaid                                            | 0.014         | -             |
| Interest due on above and unpaid interest                                            | 0.154         | -             |
| Interest paid                                                                        | -             | -             |
| Payment made beyond appointment day                                                  | 199.686       | 6.789         |
| Interest due and payable for the period of delay                                     | 2.465         | 0.154         |
| Interest accrued and remaining unpaid (excluding interest accrued for earlier years) | 2.465         | 0.154         |
| Amount of further interest remaining due and payable in succeeding years             | 2.629         | 0.162         |

The identification of suppliers as micro, small and medium enterprise as defined under the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act 2006, was done on the basis of information to the extent provided by the suppliers of company.

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|                                                                            | 31 March 2025    | 31 March 2024    |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| <b>15 Other financial liabilities</b>                                      |                  |                  |
| <b>Current</b>                                                             |                  |                  |
| Unclaimed dividends                                                        | 11.841           | 11.156           |
| Employee benefits payable                                                  | 411.023          | 608.419          |
| Payable for capital goods                                                  |                  |                  |
| - To MSME                                                                  | 14.142           | -                |
| - To Others                                                                | 34.274           | -                |
| Other payables                                                             | 20.446           | 11.557           |
|                                                                            | <b>491.726</b>   | <b>631.132</b>   |
| <b>16 Other liabilities</b>                                                |                  |                  |
| <b>Current</b>                                                             |                  |                  |
| Advances received from customers                                           | 8662.364         | 5775.551         |
| Dues to customers relating to contracts in progress (Refer Note 27)        | 1142.898         | 1887.490         |
| Statutory dues payable                                                     | 97.978           | 265.976          |
|                                                                            | <b>9903.240</b>  | <b>7929.017</b>  |
| <b>17 Revenue from operations (Refer note 27)</b>                          |                  |                  |
| <b>Revenue from Products and Projects</b>                                  | 25142.034        | 30241.938        |
| Add : Closing contracts in progress                                        | 5872.131         | 2355.270         |
| Less : Opening contracts in progress                                       | 2355.270         | 1563.558         |
| (a)                                                                        | <b>28658.895</b> | <b>31033.650</b> |
| <b>Sale of Services</b>                                                    | 3105.332         | 3183.167         |
| Add : Closing contracts in progress                                        | (143.877)        | (267.682)        |
| Less : Opening contracts in progress                                       | (267.682)        | (225.251)        |
| (b)                                                                        | <b>3229.137</b>  | <b>3140.736</b>  |
| <b>Other Operating Revenue</b>                                             |                  |                  |
| Scrap Sales                                                                | 291.488          | 322.250          |
| Sale of Export Licenses                                                    | 28.192           | 36.601           |
| Other Operating Revenue                                                    | 72.710           | 129.547          |
| (c)                                                                        | <b>392.390</b>   | <b>488.398</b>   |
| <b>Total Revenue from operations (a+b+c)</b>                               | <b>32280.422</b> | <b>34662.784</b> |
| <b>18 Other income</b>                                                     |                  |                  |
| Gain on redemption of investments (net) (FVTPL)                            | 185.178          | 116.120          |
| Fair Valuation Gain/(Loss) on Investment In Mutual Fund (FVTPL)            | 92.600           | 148.502          |
| Interest                                                                   |                  |                  |
| - on fixed deposits with banks and NBFCs                                   | 82.044           | 60.100           |
| - Other                                                                    | 87.586           | 92.895           |
| Interest on account of unwinding of security deposits and guarantee income | 19.348           | 10.461           |
| Profit / (loss) on sale of property, plant and equipment (net)             | 0.443            | 1.595            |
| Excess provision / creditors written back (including advances)             | 29.975           | 3.258            |
| Other non-operating income                                                 | 11.186           | 2.055            |
|                                                                            | <b>508.360</b>   | <b>434.986</b>   |

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|                                                                                       | 31 March 2025    | 31 March 2024    |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| <b>19 Cost of materials consumed</b>                                                  |                  |                  |
| Raw material consumed                                                                 | 16398.565        | 19121.693        |
|                                                                                       | <b>16398.565</b> | <b>19121.693</b> |
| <b>20 (Increase) / Decrease in inventories of Finished Goods and Work in Progress</b> |                  |                  |
| <b>Inventories at the end of the year</b>                                             |                  |                  |
| Work in progress                                                                      | 196.587          | 338.416          |
| Finished goods                                                                        | 26.025           | 31.595           |
|                                                                                       | <b>222.612</b>   | <b>370.011</b>   |
| <b>Inventories at the beginning of the year</b>                                       |                  |                  |
| Work in progress                                                                      | 338.416          | 844.726          |
| Finished goods                                                                        | 31.595           | 24.748           |
|                                                                                       | <b>370.011</b>   | <b>869.474</b>   |
| <b>(Increase) / Decrease in inventories</b>                                           | <b>147.399</b>   | <b>499.463</b>   |
| <b>21 Employee Benefit Expenses</b>                                                   |                  |                  |
| Salaries, wages and bonus                                                             | 3134.583         | 2883.368         |
| Contributions to provident and other funds (Refer note 31 a)                          | 132.155          | 105.715          |
| Gratuity Expense (Refer note 31 b)                                                    | 40.254           | 28.615           |
| Employee stock option expense                                                         | 8.392            | -                |
| Staff welfare                                                                         | 173.631          | 169.656          |
|                                                                                       | <b>3489.015</b>  | <b>3187.354</b>  |
| <b>22 Finance costs</b>                                                               |                  |                  |
| Interest expense - others                                                             | 4.024            | 0.157            |
| Net interest on defined benefit plan                                                  | 3.801            | 3.714            |
| Interest on Lease Liability                                                           | 180.480          | 94.012           |
|                                                                                       | <b>188.305</b>   | <b>97.883</b>    |

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|                                                                                                       | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>23 Other Expenses</b>                                                                              |                 |                 |
| Consumption of stores and spares                                                                      | 315.301         | 359.978         |
| Site expenses and labour charges*                                                                     | 4624.070        | 4163.177        |
| Freight and transport                                                                                 | 747.629         | 707.832         |
| Bad debts written off (₹ 14.329 ; 31 March 2024 ₹ 78.910) / Provision for doubtful debts and advances | 247.623         | 231.769         |
| Sales commission                                                                                      | 270.633         | 368.639         |
| Travel and conveyance                                                                                 | 459.285         | 347.003         |
| Professional consultancy charges                                                                      | 613.929         | 598.972         |
| Software License fees                                                                                 | 191.549         | 117.259         |
| Insurance                                                                                             | 168.359         | 180.702         |
| Rent (Refer note 30)                                                                                  | 68.903          | 30.879          |
| Power and fuel                                                                                        | 173.605         | 118.423         |
| Advertising and exhibition expenses                                                                   | 58.588          | 47.216          |
| Communication expenses                                                                                | 30.213          | 28.358          |
| Testing charges                                                                                       | 103.659         | 74.971          |
| Repairs and maintenance :                                                                             |                 |                 |
| Building                                                                                              | 60.379          | 20.914          |
| Plant and Machinery                                                                                   | 52.729          | 40.695          |
| Others                                                                                                | 59.344          | 39.976          |
| Auditors' remuneration                                                                                |                 |                 |
| for audit services                                                                                    | 6.883           | 5.788           |
| for tax audit                                                                                         | 0.782           | 1.928           |
| for other services                                                                                    | 0.063           | 0.000           |
| out of pocket expenses                                                                                | 0.236           | 0.155           |
| Non Executive Directors' commission                                                                   | 13.500          | 13.500          |
| Rates and taxes                                                                                       | 17.996          | 15.126          |
| Miscellaneous expenses**                                                                              | 811.373         | 622.556         |
|                                                                                                       | <b>9096.631</b> | <b>8135.816</b> |

\*Includes travelling expenses, Job work charges and other site related expenses

\*\*Mainly includes R&D expenses, security expenses, & housekeeping expenses. Additionally, it includes expenses on CSR (refer note 34). Furthermore, it includes political contributions amounting to ₹ 30.000 (Previous Years Nil) in compliance with Section 182 of the Companies Act, 2013 made during the year.

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## 24 Income tax

| Particulars                                                                       | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>A Statement of profit and loss :</b>                                           |                 |                 |
| <b>Current income tax :</b>                                                       |                 |                 |
| Current income tax charge                                                         | 943.757         | 917.606         |
| Tax relating to earlier periods                                                   | (0.268)         | (23.037)        |
| <b>Deferred tax :</b>                                                             |                 |                 |
| Relating to origination and reversal of temporary differences                     | (147.283)       | 46.130          |
| <b>Income tax expense reported in the statement of profit and loss</b>            | <b>796.206</b>  | <b>940.699</b>  |
| <b>B Statement of other comprehensive income :</b>                                |                 |                 |
| <b>Deferred tax :</b>                                                             |                 |                 |
| Remeasurements gains and losses on post employment benefits & Other OCI items     | (8.112)         | 12.325          |
| Debt instruments through other comprehensive income                               | 0.758           | -               |
| <b>Income tax expense reported in the statement of other comprehensive income</b> | <b>(7.354)</b>  | <b>12.325</b>   |
| <b>C Reconciliation of effective tax rate</b>                                     |                 |                 |
| <b>Accounting profit before tax</b>                                               | <b>2985.535</b> | <b>3774.608</b> |
| <b>Tax using the Company's domestic tax rate 25.168% (25.168%)</b>                | <b>751.399</b>  | <b>949.993</b>  |
| i Adjustments in respect of current income tax of previous years                  | (0.268)         | (23.037)        |
| <b>Less : Tax effect of :</b>                                                     |                 |                 |
| i Income chargeable at lower rate                                                 | (63.272)        | (1.997)         |
| ii Gratuity provision reduction considered in OCI                                 | (8.660)         | -               |
| iii Reversal of Deferred Tax Liability on conditional exemption (net)             | 1.229           | -               |
| <b>Add : Tax effect of</b>                                                        |                 |                 |
| i Gratuity provision addition considered in OCI                                   | 0.000           | 12.247          |
| ii Donations ineligible under Income tax                                          | 24.397          | 13.598          |
| iii Others including rounding off                                                 | 5.487           | (13.470)        |
| iv Expenses not allowed for tax purpose (including Exceptional Item)              | 1.114           | -               |
| v SEZ Investment Allowance-taxable                                                | 22.086          | -               |
| vi Difference in tax rate of subsidiaries                                         | 62.694          | 3.365           |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                      | <b>796.206</b>  | <b>940.699</b>  |
| <b>Income tax expense reported in the statement of profit and loss</b>            | <b>796.206</b>  | <b>940.699</b>  |

## D Deferred tax

| Deferred tax relates to the following :<br>Deferred tax asset / (liability) | Balance sheet  |                | Statement of profit and loss/<br>other comprehensive income &<br>other equity |                  |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|
|                                                                             | 31 March 2025  | 31 March 2024  | 31 March 2025                                                                 | 31 March 2024    |
| <b>Deferred tax asset</b>                                                   |                |                |                                                                               |                  |
| Provision for doubtful debts and advances                                   | 250.705        | 183.925        | (66.780)                                                                      | (39.160)         |
| Provision for Project Costs                                                 | 43.431         | 105.279        | 61.848                                                                        | (28.102)         |
| Gratuity                                                                    | 36.440         | 29.833         | (6.607)                                                                       | (11.344)         |
| Carry forward business loss                                                 | 129.553        | 6.207          | (123.346)                                                                     | (6.206)          |
| Compensated absences                                                        | 62.025         | 58.793         | (3.232)                                                                       | (10.456)         |
| Percentage of completion on consolidated basis                              | 27.939         | 34.723         | 6.792                                                                         | (9.548)          |
| Others disallowances under income tax                                       | 22.779         | 22.479         | (0.300)                                                                       | (7.505)          |
| Lease Liability                                                             | 373.544        | 108.576        | (264.968)                                                                     | (2.500)          |
| Deposits                                                                    | 13.931         | 1.162          | (12.769)                                                                      | 1.193            |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                | <b>960.347</b> | <b>550.977</b> | <b>(409.362)</b>                                                              | <b>(113.628)</b> |

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| Deferred tax relates to the following :<br>Deferred tax asset / (liability) | Balance sheet    |                  | Statement of profit and loss/<br>other comprehensive income &<br>other equity |                |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
|                                                                             | 31 March 2025    | 31 March 2024    | 31 March 2025                                                                 | 31 March 2024  |
| <b>Deferred tax liability</b>                                               |                  |                  |                                                                               |                |
| Property, plant & equipment and intangible assets                           | (709.390)        | (421.880)        | 287.510                                                                       | 139.183        |
| Conditional exemptions claimed under Income tax / others                    | (18.639)         | (51.424)         | (32.785)                                                                      | 8.250          |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                | <b>(728.029)</b> | <b>(473.304)</b> | <b>254.725</b>                                                                | <b>147.433</b> |
| <b>Net deferred tax asset / (liability)</b>                                 | <b>232.318</b>   | <b>77.673</b>    |                                                                               |                |
| <b>Deferred tax expense/(income)</b>                                        |                  |                  | <b>(154.637)</b>                                                              | <b>33.805</b>  |
| - Recognised in the statement of profit and loss                            |                  |                  | (147.283)                                                                     | 46.130         |
| - Recognised in the statement of other comprehensive income                 |                  |                  | (7.354)                                                                       | (12.325)       |
| - Recognised in retained earnings                                           |                  |                  | -                                                                             | -              |

## E Movement in Current tax

| Particulars                                                                                                                              | 31 March 2025  | 31 March 2024 |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|---------------|
| Current tax (asset)/ liability as at beginning of year (Net)                                                                             | 84.798         | 54.059        |
| Add : Additional provision during the year - Statement of Profit and loss account                                                        | 1055.999       | 1075.282      |
| Less : Current tax paid during the year (Net of refund received for previous year and adjustment for TDS receivable for previous years ) | (1028.036)     | (1044.543)    |
| <b>Current tax (asset)/ liability as at end of year (Net)</b>                                                                            | <b>112.761</b> | <b>84.798</b> |

## 25 Earnings per share

| Particulars                                                                            | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>Reconciliation of basic and diluted shares used in computing earnings per share</b> |               |               |
| Weighted average number of basic equity shares                                         | 183,813,088   | 183,744,509   |
| Add : effect of dilutive potential equity shares :                                     |               |               |
| - Employee stock options*                                                              | -             | -             |
| Weighted average number of diluted equity shares                                       | 183,813,088   | 183,744,509   |
| <b>Computation of basic and diluted earnings per share</b>                             |               |               |
| Net profit after tax attributable to equity shareholders                               | 2,189.101     | 2,833.560     |
| Basic earnings per equity share of ₹ 2 each                                            | 11.91         | 15.42         |
| Diluted earnings per equity share of ₹ 2 each                                          | 11.91         | 15.42         |

\* Options granted during the current year qualify as potential equity shares. However, for the purpose of calculating diluted earnings per share, they are anti-dilutive and hence there is no impact. For details on options granted, refer Note 32.

## 26 Capital commitments and contingent liabilities

| Particulars                                                                                                            | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>Capital commitments</b>                                                                                             |               |               |
| Estimated amount of contracts remaining to be executed on capital account and not provided for (net of advances)       | 113.160       | 294.555       |
| <b>Contingent liabilities</b>                                                                                          |               |               |
| Claims against Company not acknowledged as debts (primarily relating to performance related claims filed by customers) | 21.845        | 21.845        |
| <b>Disputed demands in appeal towards :</b>                                                                            |               |               |
| - Income tax                                                                                                           | 40.231        | 40.232        |
| - Sales Tax                                                                                                            | 2.785         | 2.785         |

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## 27 Disclosures pursuant to Ind AS 115-Revenue from Contracts with Customers

| Particulars                                                                                                        | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Contract revenue recognised over a period of time during the year(excluding taxes)                                 | 25830.122     | 28710.063     |
| Aggregate amount of contract costs incurred and recognised profits (less recognised losses)                        | 44804.878     | 55881.086     |
| Customer advances outstanding for contracts in progress                                                            | 9969.770      | 4718.692      |
| Retention money due from customers for contracts in progress                                                       | 1321.020      | 1445.053      |
| Gross amount due from customers for contract work (presented as contracts in progress)                             | 6871.169      | 3975.078      |
| Gross amount due to customers for contract work (presented as dues to customers relating to contracts in progress) | (1142.898)    | (1887.490)    |

### I) Revenue by category of contracts :

| Particulars                                        | 31 March 2025    | 31 March 2024    |
|----------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Over a period of time basis                        | 25830.122        | 28710.063        |
| At a point-in-time basis                           | 6450.300         | 5952.721         |
| <b>Total revenue from contracts with customers</b> | <b>32280.422</b> | <b>34662.784</b> |

### II) Revenue by geographical market :

| Particulars                                        | 31 March 2025    | 31 March 2024    |
|----------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Within India                                       | 24674.392        | 27895.490        |
| Outside India                                      | 7606.030         | 6767.294         |
| <b>Total revenue from contracts with customers</b> | <b>32280.422</b> | <b>34662.784</b> |

### III) Transaction price allocated to the remaining performance obligations

| Particulars                       | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Remaining performance obligations | 29028.947     | 32066.053     |

**Note :** The above information is given in respect of contracts under execution as on period end date

### IV) Contract balances

| Particulars                            | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|----------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Trade receivables                      | 5559.864      | 6432.249      |
| Contract Asset                         | 9006.777      | 5902.665      |
| Contract Liability - Unearned Revenue  | 1142.898      | 1887.490      |
| Contract Liability - Customer Advances | 8662.364      | 5775.551      |

- Contract assets primarily relate to the Group's rights to consideration for work completed but not billed at the reporting date. The Contract assets are transferred to Trade receivables on completion of milestones and its related invoicing.
- The Contract liabilities relate to unearned revenue and customer advances where performance obligations are yet to be fulfilled as per the contracts. The fulfilment of the performance obligations will extinguish these liabilities and revenue will be recognised.
- The payment is due from the date of invoice and payment terms are in the range of 30 days to 120 days. The Group expects that the period between when the entity transfers a promised good or service to a customer and when the customer pays for that good or service will be less than one year. Therefore, the Group does not adjust the promised amount of consideration for the effects of financing component.

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## 28 Segment reporting

The business activities of the Group from which it earns revenue and incurs expenses, whose operating results are regularly reviewed by the chief operating decision maker to make decisions about resources to be allocated to the segment and assess its performance, and for which discrete financial information is available involve predominantly one operating segment i.e. process and project engineering.

### Entity Wide Disclosures :

Information concerning principal geographic areas are as follows :

#### I) Revenue by geographical market :

Revenue to external customers by geographic area by location of customers : Refer Note 27 (II)

#### II) Non-current assets by geographical market :

| Particulars                       | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Within India                      | 7290.890        | 6714.385        |
| Outside India                     | 11.659          | 0.498           |
| <b>Total Non - Current assets</b> | <b>7302.549</b> | <b>6714.883</b> |

## 29 Related party transactions

### a) Key management personnel and their close members of family

|                                                                                                             |                                                  |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| Executive Chairman                                                                                          | Dr. Pramod Chaudhari (up to 31st December 2024)  |
| Non Executive Chairman                                                                                      | Dr. Pramod Chaudhari (from 1st January 2025)     |
| CEO & Managing Director                                                                                     | Shishir Joshipura                                |
| Managing Director - Designate                                                                               | Ashish Gaikwad (from 03rd February 2025)         |
| Chief Financial Officer & Director - Resources                                                              | Sachin Raole                                     |
| Chief Internal Auditor & Company Secretary                                                                  | Dattatraya Nimbolkar (up to 31st December 2023)  |
| Company Secretary                                                                                           | Anant Bavare (from 1st January 2024)             |
| Non-Executive Directors                                                                                     | Parimal Chaudhari                                |
|                                                                                                             | Dr. Shridhar Shukla                              |
|                                                                                                             | Rujuta Jagtap (from 21st August 2023)            |
|                                                                                                             | Vinayak Deshpande (from 31st March 2024)         |
|                                                                                                             | Utkarsh Palnitkar (from 31st March 2024)         |
|                                                                                                             | Ajay Narayan Deshpande (from 25th October 2024)  |
|                                                                                                             | Suhas Baxi (up to 7th August 2024)               |
|                                                                                                             | Berjis Desai (up to 31st March 2024)             |
|                                                                                                             | Sivaramakrishnan S. Iyer (up to 31st March 2024) |
|                                                                                                             | Mrunalini Joshi (up to 10th August 2023)         |
| Key Management personnel of Subsidiaries                                                                    | Vikram Pandit                                    |
|                                                                                                             | Sandeep Mehta                                    |
|                                                                                                             | Mihir Mehta                                      |
|                                                                                                             | Abhijit Dani                                     |
|                                                                                                             | Shrikant Rathi                                   |
|                                                                                                             | Yotspark Ruangrat                                |
|                                                                                                             | Dilip Deshpande (from 17th May 2023)             |
|                                                                                                             | Avinash Padhye (from 17th May 2023)              |
| Close members of family of key management personnel with whom transactions were carried out during the year | Parimal Chaudhari (Director)                     |

### b) Other related parties with whom transactions have been taken place during the year

Praj Foundation

Plutus Properties LLP

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## c) Transactions and balances with related parties have been set out below :

| Particulars                           | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>Praj Foundation</b>                |               |               |
| Donation paid                         | 55.369        | 35.426        |
| Rent Received                         | 0.087         | 0.060         |
| <b>Plutus Properties LLP</b>          |               |               |
| Rent Paid                             | 4.375         | 4.166         |
| Security Deposit Received outstanding | 1.500         | 1.500         |
| <b>Dr. Pramod Chaudhari</b>           |               |               |
| Short term employee benefits          | 90.894        | 114.654       |
| Post employment benefits              | 21.892        | 15.359        |
| Other long term employee benefits     | 16.215        | 2.813         |
| Dividend                              | 232.200       | 174.150       |
| Payable                               | 150.815       | 44.415        |
| <b>Shishir Joshipura</b>              |               |               |
| Short term employee benefits          | 64.723        | 63.133        |
| Post employment benefits              | 6.802         | 8.096         |
| Other long term employee benefit      | 2.285         | 1.493         |
| Sale of vehicle                       | -             | 0.300         |
| Share based payment                   | -             | 39.306        |
| Dividend                              | 0.750         | 0.450         |
| Payable                               | 21.704        | 26.710        |
| <b>Ashish Gaikwad</b>                 |               |               |
| Short term employee benefits          | 16.344        | -             |
| Post employment benefits              | 1.150         | -             |
| Other long term employee benefit      | 0.251         | -             |
| Employee stock option expense         | 8.392         | -             |
| Payable                               | 0.564         | -             |
| <b>Sachin Raole</b>                   |               |               |
| Short term employee benefits          | 30.728        | 30.274        |
| Post employment benefits              | 3.165         | 2.427         |
| Other long term employee benefit      | 1.268         | 0.910         |
| Share based payment                   | 0.000         | 13.102        |
| Dividend                              | 0.600         | 0.653         |
| Payable                               | 13.166        | 16.093        |
| <b>Dattatraya Nimbolkar</b>           |               |               |
| Short term employee benefits          | -             | 8.774         |
| Post employment benefits              | -             | 0.226         |
| Other long term employee benefit      | -             | 0.131         |
| Dividend                              | -             | 0.004         |
| Payable                               | -             | 3.097         |
| <b>Anant Bavare</b>                   |               |               |
| Short term employee benefits          | 3.846         | 0.831         |
| Post employment benefits              | 0.287         | 0.083         |
| Other long term employee benefit      | 0.171         | 0.017         |
| Dividend                              | 0.000         | 0.000         |
| Payable                               | 0.578         | 0.926         |

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| Particulars                                                        | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>Parimal Chaudhari</b>                                           |               |               |
| Commission on profit                                               | 3.500         | 3.000         |
| Dividend                                                           | 86.400        | 64.800        |
| Payable                                                            | 3.500         | 3.000         |
| Commission to Non-Executive Directors (other than disclosed above) | 10.000        | 10.500        |
| Remuneration to Key management personnel of Subsidiaries           | 60.086        | 46.823        |
| Professional fees paid to Non-Executive Directors of Subsidiaries  | 2.500         | 1.400         |

## Note :

Transactions with related parties are at arms length price and the balances receivable / payable are un-secured. The terms of payment are generally similar to those of other non-related parties.

## 30 Leases

The Company classifies the lease transactions as per the requirements of IND-AS 116 "Leases"

### Nature of Leasing activity :

The Group has entered into lease arrangements for office and factory premises, office equipment, plant & machinery, vehicles, furniture & fixtures and computers.

### The disclosures relating to leases are as summarised below :

| Particulars                                        | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|----------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Depreciation for right-of-use asset                | 540.962       | 226.829       |
| Depreciation for right-of-use asset - capitalised  | -             | 78.643        |
| Interest expense on lease liabilities              | 180.480       | 94.012        |
| Expenses relating to short-term / low value leases | 68.903        | 30.879        |
| Total Cash outflow for leases                      | 571.133       | 452.010       |
| Carrying amount of right-of-use asset              | 1809.357      | 1751.717      |
| Maturity analysis of lease liabilities :           |               |               |
| - less than 1 year                                 | 445.696       | 276.138       |
| - between 1 to 3 years                             | 1073.952      | 755.834       |
| - more than 3 years                                | 429.161       | 661.351       |

### Changes in lease liabilities arising from financing activities

| Particulars                               | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|-------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Opening lease liabilities                 | 1693.323        | 421.449         |
| Net addition / (deletion) during the year | 577.236         | 1598.993        |
| Finance cost                              | 180.480         | 94.012          |
| Lease payments                            | (502.230)       | (421.131)       |
| <b>Closing lease liabilities</b>          | <b>1948.809</b> | <b>1693.323</b> |
| Non-Current                               | 1503.113        | 1417.185        |
| Current                                   | 445.696         | 276.138         |

## 31 Employee benefits

### a) Defined contribution plans

The Group has recognised ₹ 132.155 (31 March 2024 : ₹ 105.715) towards post-employment defined contribution plans comprising of provident, Employee State Insurance Scheme, National Pension Scheme and superannuation fund in the statement of profit and loss.

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## b) Defined benefit plan

In accordance with the Payment of Gratuity Act, 1972, the Indian Companies of the Group are required to provide post-employment benefit to its employees in the form of gratuity. The Indian Companies have maintained a fund with the Life Insurance Corporation of India and ICICI Prudential Life Insurance to meet its gratuity obligations. In accordance with the Standard, the disclosures relating to the Group's gratuity plan are provided below :

**The changes in the present value of defined benefit obligation representing reconciliation of opening and closing balances thereof are as follows :**

| Particulars                                                          | 31 March 2025  | 31 March 2024  |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>Present value of obligation as at the beginning of the period</b> | <b>445.796</b> | <b>359.833</b> |
| Interest cost                                                        | 31.209         | 25.697         |
| Current service cost                                                 | 40.254         | 28.493         |
| Benefits paid                                                        | (24.655)       | (25.713)       |
| Remeasurements on obligation - (gain) / loss                         | 38.140         | 57.486         |
| <b>Present value of obligation as at the end of the period</b>       | <b>530.744</b> | <b>445.796</b> |

**The changes in the fair value of planned assets representing reconciliation of opening and closing balances thereof are as follows :**

| Particulars                                                                           | 31 March 2025  | 31 March 2024  |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>Fair value of plan assets at the beginning of the period</b>                       | <b>326.916</b> | <b>286.375</b> |
| Interest income                                                                       | 27.408         | 21.983         |
| Contributions                                                                         | 107.895        | 23.536         |
| Benefits paid                                                                         | (0.368)        | (2.240)        |
| Mortality Charges and Taxes                                                           | (0.418)        | (0.408)        |
| Return on plan assets, excluding amount recognized in interest income - gain / (loss) | 1.301          | (2.330)        |
| <b>Fair value of plan assets as at the end of the period</b>                          | <b>462.734</b> | <b>326.916</b> |

**Amounts recognised in the balance sheet are as follows :**

| Particulars                                             | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024    |
|---------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Present value of obligation as at the end of the period | 530.744         | 445.796          |
| Fair value of plan assets as at the end of the period   | 462.734         | 326.916          |
| <b>Surplus / (deficit)</b>                              | <b>(68.010)</b> | <b>(118.880)</b> |

**Amounts recognised in the statement of profit and loss are as follows :**

| Particulars                                                                                              | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Current service cost                                                                                     | 40.254        | 28.615        |
| Net interest (income) / expense                                                                          | 3.801         | 3.714         |
| <b>Net periodic benefit cost recognised in the statement of profit and loss at the end of the period</b> | <b>44.055</b> | <b>32.329</b> |

**Amounts recognised in the statement of other comprehensive income (OCI) are as follows :**

| Particulars                                              | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Remeasurement for the year - obligation (gain) / loss    | 38.268        | 57.485        |
| Remeasurement for the year - plan assets (gain) / loss   | (1.301)       | 2.330         |
| <b>Total remeasurements cost / (credit) for the year</b> | <b>36.967</b> | <b>59.815</b> |

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**Net interest (income) / expense recognised in statement of profit and loss are as follows :**

| Particulars                                         | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|-----------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Interest (income) / expense - obligation            | 31.209        | 25.697        |
| Interest (income) / expense - plan assets           | (27.408)      | (21.983)      |
| <b>Net interest (income) / expense for the year</b> | <b>3.801</b>  | <b>3.714</b>  |

**The broad categories of plan assets as a percentage of total plan assets are as follows :**

| Particulars              | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Funds managed by insurer | 100%          | 100%          |
| <b>Total</b>             | <b>100%</b>   | <b>100%</b>   |

**Principal actuarial assumptions used in determining gratuity benefit obligations for the Company's plans are as follows :**

| Particulars                                                      | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Discount rate                                                    | 7.00% - 7.20% | 7.20%         |
| Rate of increase in compensation levels                          | 8.00% - 9.00% | 7.00% - 9.00% |
| Expected rate of return on plan assets                           | 7.00% - 7.20% | 7.40% - 7.50% |
| Expected average remaining working lives of employees (in years) | 7.76 - 8.46   | 7.92 - 11.02  |
| Withdrawal rate                                                  |               |               |
| Age up to 30 years                                               | 9% - 10%      | 7% - 9%       |
| Age 31 - 40 years                                                | 9% - 10%      | 7% - 9%       |
| Age 41 - 50 years                                                | 9% - 10%      | 7% - 9%       |
| Age above 50 years                                               | 9% - 10%      | 7% - 9%       |

**A quantitative sensitivity analysis for significant assumptions is shown as follows :**

Sensitivity analysis indicates the influence of a reasonable change in certain significant assumptions on the outcome of the present value of obligation. Sensitivity analysis is done by varying (increasing/ decreasing) one parameter by 100 basis points (1%).

**1) Impact of change in discount rate when base assumption is decreased / increased by 100 basis point**

| Discount rate  | Present value of obligation |               |
|----------------|-----------------------------|---------------|
|                | 31 March 2025               | 31 March 2024 |
| Decrease by 1% | 552.368                     | 467.046       |
| Increase by 1% | 511.402                     | 426.994       |

**2) Impact of change in salary increase rate when base assumption is decreased / increased by 100 basis point**

| Salary increment rate | Present value of obligation |               |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|
|                       | 31 March 2025               | 31 March 2024 |
| Decrease by 1%        | 514.689                     | 429.721       |
| Increase by 1%        | 548.253                     | 463.512       |

**3) Impact of change in withdrawal rate when base assumption is decreased / increased by 100 basis point**

| Withdrawal rate | Present value of obligation |               |
|-----------------|-----------------------------|---------------|
|                 | 31 March 2025               | 31 March 2024 |
| Decrease by 1%  | 532.903                     | 447.520       |
| Increase by 1%  | 528.777                     | 444.236       |

**Expected contributions for the next year**

The Group expects to fund ₹ 36.488 (31 March 2024 : ₹ 89.802) towards its gratuity plan during the year 2025-26.

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## Average duration

Weighted average duration of the plan (based on discounted cash flows using mortality, withdrawal rate and interest rate) is 8.03 - 13.74 years (31 March 2024 : 8.79 - 16.28 years).

## Maturity analysis

The expected maturity analysis of undiscounted gratuity benefits payments is as follows :

| Particulars       | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|-------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Less than a year  | 245.404       | 198.824       |
| Between 1-3 years | 94.063        | 64.680        |
| Between 4-5 years | 84.612        | 74.129        |

The above cash flows have been arrived at based on the demographic and financial assumptions.

## Risk Exposure and Asset Liability Matching

Provision of a defined benefit scheme poses certain risks, some of which are detailed hereunder, as the Group takes on uncertain long term obligations to make future benefit payments.

### 1) Liability Risks

#### i. Asset-Liability Mismatch Risk

Risk which arises if there is a mismatch in the duration of the assets relative to the liabilities. By matching duration with the defined benefit liabilities, the Group is successfully able to neutralize valuation swings caused by interest rate movements.

#### ii. Discount Rate Risk

Variations in the discount rate used to compute the present value of the liabilities may seem small, but in practice can have a significant impact on the defined benefit liabilities.

#### iii. Future Salary Escalation and Inflation Risk

Since price inflation and salary growth are linked economically, they are combined for disclosure purposes. Rising salaries will often result in higher future defined benefit payments resulting in a higher present value of liabilities especially unexpected salary increases provided at management's discretion may lead to uncertainties in estimating this increasing risk.

### 2) Asset Risks

All plan assets are maintained in a trust fund managed by LIC of India and ICICI Prudential Life Insurance.

The Group has opted for a traditional fund wherein all assets are invested primarily in risk averse markets. The Group has no control over the management of funds but this option provides a high level of safety for the total corpus. A single account is maintained for both the investment and claim settlement and hence 100% liquidity is ensured. Also interest rate and inflation risk are taken care of.

### c) Other long-term employee benefits

#### Provision for Compensated absences :

Provision for Compensated absences cover the Group's liability for earned leave which are classified as other long-term benefits.

| Particulars                                                   | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Present value of obligation as at the beginning of the period | 232.788       | 191.288       |
| Interest cost                                                 | 14.760        | 13.591        |
| Current service cost                                          | 40.266        | 31.151        |
| Benefits paid                                                 | (55.576)      | (15.763)      |
| Remeasurements on obligation - (gain) / loss                  | 6.104         | 12.521        |
| Present value of obligation as at the end of the period       | 238.342       | 232.788       |

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## 32 Employee Stock Option Plan (ESOP)

In the Annual General Meeting of the Parent held on 22 July 2011, total of 9,238,936 stock options were approved under the scheme "Employee Stock Option Plan 2011". During the previous years, a total of 79,74,700 options were issued as ESOP 2011 – Grant I to XI, basis the eligibility and were exercised/ lapsed until 31 March 2024. During the current year 2024-25, 4,21,000 options are granted to Managing Director – Designate of the Parent as ESOP 2011 – Grant XII. These stock options will vest in a graded manner equally over the period of vesting starting from 3 February 2026, and each vesting taking effect as per the terms of the grant.

**Amount of employee compensation expense recognised for employee services received during the year :**

| Particulars                                                          | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Expense arising from equity-settled share-based payment transactions | 8.392         | -             |

**Movements during the year - ESOP 2011 Grant I to XII**

| Particulars                                                                               | 31 March 2025 |                                   | 31 March 2024 |                                   |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------------|
|                                                                                           | Options       | Weighted average exercise price ₹ | Options       | Weighted average exercise price ₹ |
| Number of options outstanding at the beginning of the year                                | -             |                                   | 100,000       |                                   |
| Number of options granted during the year                                                 | 421,000       |                                   | -             |                                   |
| Number of options exercised during the year                                               | -             |                                   | (100,000)     |                                   |
| Number of options forfeited/lapsed during the year                                        | -             |                                   | -             |                                   |
| Number of options outstanding at the end of the year                                      | 421,000       |                                   | -             |                                   |
| Number of options exercisable at the end of the year                                      | NIL           |                                   | NIL           |                                   |
| Range of exercise price of options outstanding at the end of the year                     | ₹ 565.00      |                                   | NA            |                                   |
| Average share price during the year                                                       | ₹ 672.80      |                                   | ₹ 483.04      |                                   |
| Weighted average remaining contractual life of options outstanding at the end of the year | 2.35 years    |                                   | NA            |                                   |
| Weighted average fair value of option as on date of grant (granted during the year)       | 3-Feb-25      | 257.92                            | 17-Jun-21     | 265.74                            |

**Method used for calculating fair value of option – Black Scholes Option Valuation Model**

**Significant assumptions used in arriving at the fair value of options under Black Scholes model are stated as follows :**

| Particulars                                                                | FY 2024-25  | FY 2023-24  |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Grant date                                                                 | 03 Feb 2025 | 17 Jun 2021 |
| Risk-free interest rate                                                    | 6.62%       | 4.20%       |
| Expected life                                                              | 2 - 4 years | 1.0 year    |
| Expected volatility*                                                       | 55.15%      | 61.25%      |
| Expected dividend yield                                                    | 1.47%       | 2.11%       |
| Price of the underlying share in market at the time of grant of option (₹) | 627.15      | 359.15      |

\* Expected volatility has been determined based on closing price of the share of the Parent over a period equivalent to expected life.

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## 33 Expenditure on research & development activities

Revenue expenditure on research is charged under respective heads of account in the year in which it is incurred. Capital expenditure in R&D facilities (including development activities) consist of property, plant and equipment, capital work in progress, intangible assets and intangible assets under development. The property, plant and equipment and intangible assets as included above are depreciated / amortised on the same basis as per their respective categories. The Break-up of Research and development (R&D) revenue and capital expenditure is as below :

| Particulars                                                                     | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Capital expenditure (Including capital work-in-progress and excluding advances) | 296.927       | 592.228       |
| Revenue expenditure                                                             | 402.296       | 384.703       |

## 34 Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) expenditure

The Indian Companies of the Group were required to spend ₹ 63.479 (2024 : 43.254) as expenditure on CSR as per requirements of the Companies Act, 2013. During the year, these Indian Companies have incurred CSR expenses of ₹ 63.600 (2024 : 47.707) included in Miscellaneous expenses (Refer Note 23) as follows :

| Amount spent on                                                     | Amounts paid in<br>FY 2024-25 | Amounts paid in<br>FY 2023-24 |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Construction/acquisition of asset                                   | Nil                           | Nil                           |
| On other purposes covered under Schedule VII to Companies Act, 2013 | 63.600                        | 47.707                        |

| Particulars                                                                                                                                                                       | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| a) Amount required to be spent by the companies during the year                                                                                                                   | 63.479        | 43.254        |
| b) Amount of expenditure spent                                                                                                                                                    | 63.600        | 47.707        |
| i) Incurred through related party - Praj foundation                                                                                                                               | 55.369        | 35.426        |
| ii) Incurred through contribution/donation to trusts / institute which are engaged in activities eligible under section 135 of Companies Act, 2013 read with Schedule VII thereto | 8.231         | 12.281        |
| c) Shortfall at the end of the year                                                                                                                                               | -             | -             |
| d) Total of previous years shortfall                                                                                                                                              | -             | -             |
| e) Cash outflow related to Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activities                                                                                                       | 63.600        | 47.707        |

## 35 Fair value measurements

As per assessments made by the management, fair values of all financial instruments carried at amortised cost (except investment in quoted non-convertible bonds) are not materially different from their carrying amounts since they are either short term in nature or the interest rates applicable are equal to the current market rate of interest.

The Group has performed a fair valuation of its investment in mutual funds which are classified as fair value through profit and loss (FVTPL) and bonds which are classified as fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI) using quoted prices and fair valuations of foreign exchange forward contracts as per mark to market valuation from bank.

| Sr.<br>No | Particulars                                                             | Carrying value |               |
|-----------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|---------------|
|           |                                                                         | 31 March 2025  | 31 March 2024 |
|           | <b>Financial assets</b>                                                 |                |               |
| <b>A</b>  | <b>Levelled at level 1</b>                                              |                |               |
| i)        | <b>Carried at fair value through profit and loss (FVTPL)</b>            |                |               |
|           | Investments in mutual funds                                             | 2867.671       | 3354.862      |
| ii)       | <b>Carried at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI)</b> |                |               |
|           | Investment in quoted non-convertible bonds                              | 497.710        | 494.698       |
|           | Investment in unquoted equity shares                                    | 100.000        | -             |

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| Sr. No    | Particulars                                                                | Carrying value |               |
|-----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|---------------|
|           |                                                                            | 31 March 2025  | 31 March 2024 |
| <b>B</b>  | <b>Levelled at level 2</b>                                                 |                |               |
| <b>i)</b> | <b>Carried at fair value through profit and loss (FVTPL)</b>               |                |               |
|           | Foreign exchange forward contracts                                         | 8.721          | 20.417        |
|           | (The fair value is as per the mark-to-market valuation from banks)         |                |               |
| <b>C</b>  | <b>Carried at amortised cost</b>                                           |                |               |
|           | Investment in quoted non-convertible bonds*                                | 446.654        | 697.164       |
|           | Investment in corporate deposit                                            | 370.000        | 420.000       |
|           | Security deposits                                                          | 413.486        | 272.245       |
|           | Trade receivable                                                           | 5559.864       | 6432.249      |
|           | Deposits with banks with an original maturity of more than 12 months       | 8.389          | 150.836       |
|           | Cash and cash equivalents and other bank balances                          | 1811.705       | 2127.058      |
|           | Other receivables                                                          | 127.289        | 130.966       |
|           | <b>Financial liabilities</b>                                               |                |               |
| <b>A</b>  | <b>Carried at amortised cost</b>                                           |                |               |
|           | Trade payables                                                             | 4822.863       | 4967.568      |
|           | Unclaimed dividends                                                        | 11.841         | 11.156        |
|           | Lease Liability                                                            | 1948.808       | 1693.323      |
|           | Other payables                                                             | 486.278        | 626.369       |
| <b>*</b>  | Fair value of investment in quoted non-convertible bonds at amortised cost | 451.740        | 689.379       |

## 36 Financial risk management policy and objectives

The Group's principal financial liabilities, comprise lease liabilities, and trade and other payables. The main purpose of these financial liabilities is to finance Group's operations. Group's principal financial assets include investments, trade and other receivables, security deposits and cash and cash equivalents, that it derives directly from its operations.

In order to minimise any adverse effects on the financial performance of the Group, it has taken various measures. This note explains the source of risk which the entity is exposed to and how the entity manages the risk and impact of the same in the financial statements.

| Risk                                | Exposure arising from                                                                     | Measurement                                                 | Management                                                                                                                                                                               |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Credit                              | Cash and cash equivalents, trade receivables, financial assets measured at amortised cost | Aging analysis, external credit rating (wherever available) | Diversification of bank deposits, credit limits and letters of credit                                                                                                                    |
| Liquidity risk                      | Lease and other liabilities                                                               | Rolling cash flow forecasts                                 | Availability of committed credit lines                                                                                                                                                   |
| Market risk - Foreign Currency Risk | Recognised financial assets and liabilities not denominated in Indian rupee (₹)           | Sensitivity Analysis                                        | Management follows established risk management policies, including use of derivatives like foreign exchange forward contracts, where the economic conditions match the company's policy. |

The Group's management handles the risk management based on policies approved by the Board of Directors. Group's treasury identifies, evaluates and hedges financial risks in close cooperation with the Group's operating units. The Board provides written principles for overall risk management, as well as policies covering specific areas, such as foreign exchange risk, credit risk, and investment of excess liquidity.

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## (A) Credit risk

Credit risk in case of the Group arises from cash and cash equivalents, deposits with banks and financial institutions, as well as credit exposures to customers including outstanding receivables.

### Credit risk management

Credit risk arises from the possibility that counter party may not be able to settle their obligations as agreed. To manage this, the Group periodically assesses the reliability of customers, taking into account the financial condition, current economic trends, and analysis of historical bad debts and ageing of accounts receivable. Individual risk limits are set accordingly.

The Group considers the probability of default upon initial recognition of asset and whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk on an ongoing basis throughout each reporting period. To assess whether there is a significant increase in credit risk, the group compares the risk of a default occurring on the asset as at the reporting date with the risk of default as at the date of initial recognition. It considers reasonable and supportive forward looking information such as :

- (i) Actual or expected significant adverse changes in business,
- (ii) Actual or expected significant changes in the operating results of the counterparty,
- (iii) Financial or economic conditions that are expected to cause a significant change to counterparty's ability to meet its obligations,
- (iv) Significant increases in credit risk on other financial instruments of the same counterparty,
- (v) Significant changes in the value of collateral supporting the obligation or in the quality of third-party guarantees or credit enhancements.

The Group provides for expected credit loss in case of trade receivables when there is no reasonable expectation of recovery, such as a debtor declaring bankruptcy or failing to engage in a repayment plan with the company etc.

The Group uses simplified approach for estimating the lifetime expected loss provision. The Group provides expected loss based on the overdue number of days for receivables as per the provision matrix as decided by the management which is based on the historical experience of recoverability. Where receivables have been written off, the Group continues to engage in enforcement activity to attempt to recover the receivable due. Where recoveries are made, these are recognised in profit or loss.

### Provision for expected credit loss

Financial assets for which loss allowance is measured using 180 days Expected Credit Losses (ECL)

| Exposure to risk                                                                              | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Trade receivables                                                                             | 6488.475        | 7103.924        |
| Less : Allowance for expected credit loss                                                     | 928.611         | 671.675         |
|                                                                                               | <b>5559.864</b> | <b>6432.249</b> |
| Trade receivables                                                                             | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
| Neither past due nor impaired                                                                 | 1305.311        | 1919.185        |
| Less than 180 days                                                                            | 3271.146        | 3452.144        |
| 181 - 365 days                                                                                | 395.412         | 495.382         |
| More than 365 days                                                                            | 1516.606        | 1237.213        |
| <b>Gross trade receivables</b>                                                                | <b>6488.475</b> | <b>7103.924</b> |
| Less : Allowance for expected credit loss                                                     | (928.611)       | (671.675)       |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                                  | <b>5559.864</b> | <b>6432.249</b> |
| Reconciliation of allowance for expected credit loss on trade receivables and contract assets | FY 2024-25      | FY 2023-24      |
| Opening loss allowance                                                                        | 720.266         | 454.661         |
| Less : Bad debts written off                                                                  | (14.329)        | (78.910)        |
| Add : Additional allowance                                                                    | 255.930         | 344.515         |
| <b>Closing loss allowance</b>                                                                 | <b>961.867</b>  | <b>720.266</b>  |

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## B) Liquidity risk

The Group follows a prudent approach to liquidity risk management by ensuring it has sufficient cash and access to committed credit facilities to meet its financial obligations as they fall due and to manage market positions effectively. Given the dynamic nature of its operations, the Group maintains funding flexibility through available committed credit lines.

Management regularly monitors the Group's liquidity position using rolling cash flow forecasts, which include cash and cash equivalents and undrawn borrowing facilities. This monitoring is aligned with internal policies and limits. The Group's liquidity management also includes :

- Forecasting future cash flows,
- Assessing the required level of liquid assets,
- Monitoring liquidity ratios in line with internal benchmarks and regulatory requirements, and
- Maintaining appropriate debt financing strategies.

| Exposure to risk                                                 | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| <b>Other financial liabilities (including Lease Liabilities)</b> |                 |                 |
| On demand                                                        | 11.841          | 11.156          |
| Less than 365 days                                               | 925.581         | 896.114         |
| More than 365 days                                               | 1509.505        | 1423.578        |
| <b>Total</b>                                                     | <b>2446.927</b> | <b>2330.848</b> |
| <b>Trade payables</b>                                            |                 |                 |
| Not Due                                                          | 4085.285        | 4265.349        |
| Less than 365 days                                               | 737.578         | 702.219         |
| More than 365 days                                               | -               | -               |
| <b>Total</b>                                                     | <b>4822.863</b> | <b>4967.568</b> |

The group has access to following undrawn facilities at the end of the reporting period.

|                          | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Expiring within one year | 1580.000      | 410.000       |
| Expiring beyond one year | -             | -             |

## (C) Foreign currency risk

The Group is exposed to foreign exchange risk mainly through its sales to overseas customers and purchases from overseas suppliers in various foreign currencies.

The Group evaluates exchange rate exposure arising from foreign currency transactions and it follows established risk management policies, including use of derivatives like foreign exchange forward contracts to hedge exposure to foreign currency risk, where the economic conditions match the Group's policy.

Foreign currency exposure :

| Financial assets                          | Currency | Amount in foreign currency |               | Amount in ₹   |               |
|-------------------------------------------|----------|----------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
|                                           |          | 31 March 2025              | 31 March 2024 | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
| Trade receivables and Retention           | EUR      | 4.177                      | 10.791        | 382.569       | 961.239       |
|                                           | USD      | 12.649                     | 12.578        | 1074.748      | 1037.144      |
|                                           | GBP      | 0.180                      | 0.180         | 19.741        | 18.698        |
| Less : Foreign exchange forward contracts | EUR      | 3.617                      | 10.569        | 337.583       | 962.609       |
|                                           | USD      | 8.925                      | 9.550         | 769.502       | 801.167       |
| Bank accounts                             | EUR      | 0.263                      | 1.056         | 24.026        | 94.093        |
|                                           | USD      | 1.040                      | 0.796         | 88.459        | 65.739        |

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| Financial liabilities               | Currency | Amount in foreign currency |               | Amount in ₹   |               |
|-------------------------------------|----------|----------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
|                                     |          | 31 March 2025              | 31 March 2024 | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
| Trade payables and Capital payables | EUR      | 0.282                      | 0.527         | 26.021        | 47.841        |
|                                     | USD      | 2.051                      | 2.509         | 176.776       | 210.400       |
|                                     | GBP      | 0.000                      | 0.000         | 0.000         | 0.019         |
|                                     | SEK      | 0.632                      | 0.632         | 5.379         | 4.931         |

## Currency wise net exposure (assets -liabilities)

| Particulars | Amount in foreign currency |               | Amount in ₹   |               |
|-------------|----------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
|             | 31 March 2025              | 31 March 2024 | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
| EUR         | 0.541                      | 0.751         | 42.991        | 44.882        |
| USD         | 2.713                      | 1.315         | 216.929       | 91.316        |
| GBP         | 0.180                      | 0.180         | 19.741        | 18.679        |
| SEK         | (0.632)                    | (0.632)       | (5.379)       | (4.931)       |

## Sensitivity analysis

| Currency     | Amount in ₹    |                | Sensitivity % | Impact on profit-strengthen [ Loss / (Gain) ] |                | Impact on profit -weakening [ Loss / (Gain) ] |              |
|--------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|-----------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------------------------------|--------------|
|              | 2025           | 2024           |               | 2025                                          | 2024           | 2025                                          | 2024         |
| EUR          | 42.991         | 44.882         | 5.00%         | (2.150)                                       | (2.244)        | 2.150                                         | 2.244        |
| USD          | 216.929        | 91.316         | 5.00%         | (10.846)                                      | (4.566)        | 10.846                                        | 4.566        |
| GBP          | 19.741         | 18.679         | 5.00%         | (0.987)                                       | (0.934)        | 0.987                                         | 0.934        |
| SEK          | (5.379)        | (4.931)        | 5.00%         | 0.269                                         | 0.247          | (0.269)                                       | (0.247)      |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>274.282</b> | <b>149.946</b> |               | <b>(13.714)</b>                               | <b>(7.497)</b> | <b>13.714</b>                                 | <b>7.497</b> |

(GBP - Great Britain Pound, EUR - Euro, USD - US Dollar, SEK- Swedish Krona)

## 37 Ageing schedule for Trade Receivables, Trade Payables and Capital Work-in-progress

(A) The table below provides details regarding Trade receivables ageing schedule

| Particulars                                         | 31 March 2025   |                                                            |                   |                |                |                   |                 |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|-----------------|
|                                                     | Not due         | Outstanding for following periods from due date of payment |                   |                |                |                   |                 |
|                                                     |                 | Less than 6 months                                         | 6 months - 1 Year | 1-2 Years      | 2-3 Years      | More than 3 years | Total           |
| (i) Undisputed Trade receivables – considered good  | 1305.311        | 3271.146                                                   | 395.412           | 455.286        | 407.223        | 577.657           | 6412.035        |
| (ii) Undisputed Trade Receivables – credit impaired | -               | -                                                          | -                 | -              | -              | -                 | -               |
| (iii) Disputed Trade Receivables – considered good  | -               | -                                                          | -                 | -              | -              | 76.440            | 76.440          |
| (iv) Disputed Trade Receivables – credit impaired   | -               | -                                                          | -                 | -              | -              | -                 | -               |
| <b>Gross trade receivable</b>                       | <b>1305.311</b> | <b>3271.146</b>                                            | <b>395.412</b>    | <b>455.286</b> | <b>407.223</b> | <b>654.097</b>    | <b>6488.475</b> |
| Less : Allowance for expected credit loss           |                 |                                                            |                   |                |                |                   | (928.611)       |
| <b>Total</b>                                        |                 |                                                            |                   |                |                |                   | <b>5559.864</b> |

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| Particulars                                         | 31 March 2024   |                                                            |                   |                |                |                   |                 |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|-----------------|
|                                                     | Not due         | Outstanding for following periods from due date of payment |                   |                |                |                   | Total           |
|                                                     |                 | Less than 6 months                                         | 6 months - 1 Year | 1-2 Years      | 2-3 Years      | More than 3 years |                 |
| (i) Undisputed Trade receivables – considered good  | 1919.185        | 3452.144                                                   | 495.382           | 597.923        | 267.368        | 295.482           | 7027.484        |
| (ii) Undisputed Trade Receivables – credit impaired | -               | -                                                          | -                 | -              | -              | -                 | -               |
| (iii) Disputed Trade Receivables – considered good  | -               | -                                                          | -                 | -              | -              | 76.440            | 76.440          |
| (iv) Disputed Trade Receivables – credit impaired   | -               | -                                                          | -                 | -              | -              | -                 | -               |
| <b>Gross trade receivable</b>                       | <b>1919.185</b> | <b>3452.144</b>                                            | <b>495.382</b>    | <b>597.923</b> | <b>267.368</b> | <b>371.922</b>    | <b>7103.924</b> |
| Less : Allowance for expected credit loss           |                 |                                                            |                   |                |                |                   | (671.675)       |
| <b>Total</b>                                        |                 |                                                            |                   |                |                |                   | <b>6432.249</b> |

(B) The table below provides details regarding Trade payables ageing schedule

| Particulars  | 31 March 2025         |                                                            |               |              |                   |                 |
|--------------|-----------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|-------------------|-----------------|
|              | Unbilled dues/Not due | Outstanding for following periods from due date of payment |               |              |                   | Total           |
|              |                       | Less than 1 year                                           | 1-2 Years     | 2-3 Years    | More than 3 years |                 |
| (i) MSME     | 933.356               | 6.658                                                      | 0.000         | 0.000        | 0.000             | 940.014         |
| (ii) Other   | 3151.929              | 708.391                                                    | 19.717        | 2.164        | 0.648             | 3882.849        |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>4085.285</b>       | <b>715.049</b>                                             | <b>19.717</b> | <b>2.164</b> | <b>0.648</b>      | <b>4822.863</b> |

| Particulars  | 31 March 2024         |                                                            |               |              |                   |                 |
|--------------|-----------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|-------------------|-----------------|
|              | Unbilled dues/Not due | Outstanding for following periods from due date of payment |               |              |                   | Total           |
|              |                       | Less than 1 year                                           | 1-2 Years     | 2-3 Years    | More than 3 years |                 |
| (i) MSME     | 987.827               | 10.514                                                     | 0.667         | 0.000        | 0.000             | 999.008         |
| (ii) Other   | 3277.522              | 674.620                                                    | 16.579        | 5.018        | (5.179)           | 3968.560        |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>4265.349</b>       | <b>685.134</b>                                             | <b>17.246</b> | <b>5.018</b> | <b>(5.179)</b>    | <b>4967.568</b> |

(C) The table below provides details regarding Capital Work-in-progress (CWIP) and Intangibles under Development ageing schedule

| Particulars                   | 31 March 2025    |           |           |                   |         |
|-------------------------------|------------------|-----------|-----------|-------------------|---------|
|                               | Less than 1 year | 1-2 Years | 2-3 Years | More than 3 years | Total   |
| Capital Work-in-progress      | 172.437          | -         | 0.846     | -                 | 173.283 |
| Intangibles under Development | 1.551            | -         | 3.050     | -                 | 4.601   |

| Particulars                   | 31 March 2024    |           |           |                   |         |
|-------------------------------|------------------|-----------|-----------|-------------------|---------|
|                               | Less than 1 year | 1-2 Years | 2-3 Years | More than 3 years | Total   |
| Capital Work-in-progress      | 21.459           | 10.532    | -         | -                 | 31.991  |
| Intangibles under Development | 0.000            | 401.546   | -         | -                 | 401.546 |

Projects whose completion is overdue or has exceeded its cost compared to its original plan for the year ended 31 March 2025 is ₹ NIL (31 March 2024 : ₹ NIL)

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## 38 Analytical Ratios

| Sr. No. | Ratio                            | Numerator                                                                                   | Denominator                  | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 | % Variance | Reason for Variance                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
|---------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------|---------------|------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1       | Current ratio                    | Current assets                                                                              | Current liabilities          | 1.51          | 1.52          | -0.66%     | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 2       | Debt-equity ratio                | Debt                                                                                        | Net worth                    | NA            | NA            | -          | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 3       | Debt service coverage ratio      | Profit after tax excluding exceptional items + Finance Cost + Depreciation and amortisation | Interest & Lease Payments    | 5.89          | 8.01          | -26.47%    | Praj GenX Limited (GenX) commenced operations at its Mangalore facility in March 2024 and incurred scale-up related expenditure amounting to 768.13 million during FY 2024-25. As GenX is in its startup phase, these initial losses have impacted the overall return. |
| 4       | Return on equity ratio           | Profit after tax                                                                            | Average Shareholder's Equity | 16.48%        | 24.09%        | -31.59%    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| 5       | Inventory turnover ratio         | Cost of materials consumed + Changes in inventories + Consumption of stores and spares      | Average Inventory            | 7.11          | 7.21          | -1.39%     | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 6       | Trade receivables turnover ratio | Sales (billed to customer)                                                                  | Average Accounts Receivable  | 4.76          | 4.14          | 14.98%     | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 7       | Trade payables turnover ratio    | Net Credit Purchases of material                                                            | Average Trade Payables       | 3.48          | 3.69          | -5.69%     | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 8       | Net capital turnover ratio       | Sales                                                                                       | Average Working capital      | 4.06          | 4.79          | -15.24%    | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 9       | Net profit ratio                 | Profit After Tax                                                                            | Sales                        | 6.78%         | 8.18%         | -17.11%    | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 10      | Return on capital employed       | Earning Before Interest & Tax                                                               | Capital Employed             | 24.41%        | 31.69%        | -22.97%    | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 11      | Return on investment             | Income from Investments                                                                     | Investment                   |               |               |            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
|         | i. Mutual Funds                  |                                                                                             |                              | 7.83%         | 7.48%         | 4.68%      | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
|         | ii. Bonds                        |                                                                                             |                              | 7.55%         | 7.37%         | 2.44%      | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
|         | iii. Fixed Deposits              |                                                                                             |                              | 2.10% - 8.20% | 2.10% - 8.20% | NA         | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |

## 39 Other Notes

### i Title deeds of immovable property not held in the name of the Companies in the Group

Any Company of the Group does not own any immovable property whose title deeds are not in the name of the Company.

### ii Details of Benami Property

The Indian companies in Group do not own any benami property neither any proceedings are initiated or pending against the Group under the Prohibition of Benami Property Transactions Act, 1988.

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## iii Borrowings secured against current assets

Though the Indian companies in Group do not have any fund based borrowings from banks or financial institutions on the basis of security of current assets, it has filed quarterly returns or statements of current assets with banks or financial institutions and the same are in agreement with the books of account.

## iv Wilful Defaulter

The Indian companies in Group have not been declared as wilful defaulter by any bank or financial institution or other lender.

## v Relationship with Struck off Companies

The Indian companies in Group have not entered into any transactions with companies struck off under section 248 of the Companies Act, 2013 or section 560 of the Companies Act, 1956.

## vi Registration of charges with ROC

There are three charges totalling to ₹ 781.550 million (31 March 2024 : three charges totalling to ₹ 781.550 million ) created in favour of banks which are pending for satisfaction. There are no outstanding dues to these banks and satisfaction of these charges are pending due to technical issues which are being sorted out by the Indian companies in the Group.

## vii Utilisation of Borrowed funds and share premium

The Group has not advanced or loaned or invested funds (either borrowed funds or share premium or any other sources or kind of funds) to any other person or entity, including foreign entities (Intermediaries) with the understanding (whether recorded in writing or otherwise) that the Intermediary shall (i) directly or indirectly lend or invest in other persons or entities identified in any manner whatsoever by or on behalf of the Group or (ii) provide any guarantee, security or the like to or on behalf of the Group.

## viii Loans or advances to specified persons

The Group has not granted loans or advances in the nature of loans to promoters, directors, KMPs and other the related parties either severally or jointly with any other person, that are :

- (i) repayable on demand or
- (ii) without specifying any terms or period of repayment."

## ix Details of Crypto Currency or Virtual Currency

The Company has not traded or invested in Crypto currency or Virtual Currency during the financial year.

## x Valuation of PP&E, right-of-use assets, intangible asset and investment property

The Group has not revalued its property, plant and equipment (including right-of-use assets) or intangible assets or both during the current or previous year.

## xi Utilisation of borrowings availed from banks and financial institutions

The Group does not have any borrowings availed from banks and financial institutions.

## xii Compliance with number of layers of companies

The Group has complied with the requirement with respect to number of layers as prescribed under section 2(87) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Companies (Restriction on number of layers) Rules, 2017.

## xiii Undisclosed income

There is no income surrendered or disclosed by the parent or subsidiary, as income during the year in tax assessments under the Income Tax Act, 1961 (such as search or survey), that has not been recorded in the books of account.

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## 40 Capital management

### Risk management

The Group's objectives when managing capital are to

- safeguard its ability to continue as a going concern, so that it can continue to provide returns to shareholders and benefits to other stakeholders, and
- maintain an optimal capital structure to reduce the cost of capital.

In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Group may adjust the amount of dividends paid to shareholders, return capital to shareholders, issue new shares or sell assets to reduce debt. Consistent with others in the industry, the Group monitors capital on the basis of the following gearing ratio : Net debt (total borrowings net of cash and cash equivalents) divided by total equity and net debt (as shown in the balance sheet, including non-controlling interests).

The Group's strategy is to maintain a gearing ratio 0%. The gearing ratios were as follows :

|                                  | 31 March 2025    | 31 March 2024    |
|----------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Loans and borrowings             | -                | -                |
| Less : cash and cash equivalents | 1259.191         | 1684.158         |
| Net debt (A)                     | -                | -                |
| Equity (B)                       | 13818.897        | 12745.698        |
| Capital and net debt (C=A+B)     | <b>13818.897</b> | <b>12745.698</b> |
| Gearing ratio (A/C)              | <b>0%</b>        | <b>0%</b>        |

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## 41 Additional information, as required under schedule III to the companies Act, 2013, of enterprises consolidated as Subsidiary / Associates / Joint Ventures

| For the year ended<br>31 March 2025                   | Net Assets (total assets<br>minus total liabilities) |                  | Share in profit or loss                   |                 | Share in other<br>comprehensive income                      |                 | Share in total<br>comprehensive income                      |                 |
|-------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|------------------|-------------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Name of the Enterprise                                | As % of<br>consolidated<br>net assets                | Amount           | As % of<br>consolidated<br>profit or loss | Amount          | As % of<br>consolidated<br>other<br>comprehensive<br>income | Amount          | As % of<br>consolidated<br>total<br>comprehensive<br>income | Amount          |
| 1                                                     | 2                                                    | 3                | 4                                         | 5               | 6                                                           | 7               | 8                                                           | 9               |
| <b>Parent</b>                                         |                                                      |                  |                                           |                 |                                                             |                 |                                                             |                 |
| Praj Industries Limited                               | 102.30%                                              | 14139.046        | 120.78%                                   | 2644.278        | 100.14%                                                     | (21.673)        | 120.99%                                                     | 2622.605        |
| <b>Subsidiaries</b>                                   |                                                      |                  |                                           |                 |                                                             |                 |                                                             |                 |
| <b>Indian</b>                                         |                                                      |                  |                                           |                 |                                                             |                 |                                                             |                 |
| 1. Praj HiPurity Systems Limited                      | 7.50%                                                | 1035.908         | 9.80%                                     | 214.464         | 19.67%                                                      | (4.257)         | 9.70%                                                       | 210.207         |
| 2. Praj Engineering and Infra Limited                 | 2.68%                                                | 370.009          | 3.15%                                     | 69.049          | 0.73%                                                       | (0.159)         | 3.18%                                                       | 68.890          |
| 3. Praj GenX Limited                                  | -5.67%                                               | (783.440)        | -34.29%                                   | (750.686)       | 2.38%                                                       | (0.514)         | -34.65%                                                     | (751.200)       |
| <b>Foreign</b>                                        |                                                      |                  |                                           |                 |                                                             |                 |                                                             |                 |
| 1. Praj Far East Philippines Limited -<br>Philippines | 0.19%                                                | 25.887           | -0.01%                                    | (0.294)         | -4.59%                                                      | 0.993           | 0.03%                                                       | 0.699           |
| 2. Praj Americas Inc. - USA                           | 0.16%                                                | 21.800           | 0.10%                                     | 2.190           | -2.27%                                                      | 0.492           | 0.12%                                                       | 2.682           |
| 3. Praj Far East Co. Limited - Thailand               | 0.28%                                                | 39.249           | -0.14%                                    | (2.967)         | -16.22%                                                     | 3.511           | 0.03%                                                       | 0.544           |
| 4. Praj Projects (Tanzania) Limited -<br>Tanzania     | -0.16%                                               | (22.774)         | -1.07%                                    | (23.457)        | 0.16%                                                       | (0.035)         | -1.08%                                                      | (23.492)        |
| Minority Interests in all subsidiaries                | 0.01%                                                | 1.226            | 0.01%                                     | 0.229           | -                                                           | -               | 0.01%                                                       | 0.229           |
| Inter Company Eliminations/Goodwill<br>Amortisation   | -7.29%                                               | (1008.014)       | 1.67%                                     | 36.524          | -                                                           | -               | 1.68%                                                       | 36.524          |
| <b>Total</b>                                          | <b>100.00%</b>                                       | <b>13818.897</b> | <b>100.00%</b>                            | <b>2189.330</b> | <b>100.0%</b>                                               | <b>(21.642)</b> | <b>100.00%</b>                                              | <b>2167.688</b> |

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| For the year ended<br>31 March 2025                   |  | Net Assets (total assets<br>minus total liabilities) |                  | Share in profit or loss                   |                 | Share in other<br>comprehensive income                      |                 | Share in total<br>comprehensive income                      |                 |
|-------------------------------------------------------|--|------------------------------------------------------|------------------|-------------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Name of the Enterprise                                |  | As % of<br>consolidated<br>net assets                | Amount           | As % of<br>consolidated<br>profit or loss | Amount          | As % of<br>consolidated<br>other<br>comprehensive<br>income | Amount          | As % of<br>consolidated<br>total<br>comprehensive<br>income | Amount          |
| 1                                                     |  | 2                                                    | 3                | 4                                         | 5               | 6                                                           | 7               | 8                                                           | 9               |
| <b>Parent</b>                                         |  |                                                      |                  |                                           |                 |                                                             |                 |                                                             |                 |
| Praj Industries Limited                               |  | 98.84%                                               | 12597.896        | 98.96%                                    | 2804.229        | 72.51%                                                      | (36.228)        | 99.43%                                                      | 2768.001        |
| <b>Subsidiaries</b>                                   |  |                                                      |                  |                                           |                 |                                                             |                 |                                                             |                 |
| <b>Indian</b>                                         |  |                                                      |                  |                                           |                 |                                                             |                 |                                                             |                 |
| 1. Praj HiPurity Systems Limited                      |  | 6.48%                                                | 825.702          | 8.16%                                     | 231.148         | 20.09%                                                      | (10.038)        | 7.94%                                                       | 221.110         |
| 2. Praj Engineering and Infra Limited                 |  | 2.37%                                                | 302.105          | 3.72%                                     | 105.387         | 0.59%                                                       | (0.295)         | 3.77%                                                       | 105.092         |
| 3. Praj GenX Limited                                  |  | -0.25%                                               | (32.240)         | -1.13%                                    | (32.058)        | 1.36%                                                       | (0.681)         | -1.18%                                                      | (32.739)        |
| <b>Foreign</b>                                        |  |                                                      |                  |                                           |                 |                                                             |                 |                                                             |                 |
| 1. Praj Far East Philippines Limited -<br>Philippines |  | 0.20%                                                | 25.187           | -0.07%                                    | (1.901)         | 2.06%                                                       | (1.031)         | -0.11%                                                      | (2.932)         |
| 2. Praj Americas Inc. - USA                           |  | 0.15%                                                | 19.119           | 0.08%                                     | 2.274           | -0.31%                                                      | 0.157           | 0.09%                                                       | 2.431           |
| 3. Praj Far East Co. Limited - Thailand               |  | 0.30%                                                | 38.704           | 0.10%                                     | 2.856           | 3.69%                                                       | (1.845)         | 0.04%                                                       | 1.011           |
| Minority Interests in all subsidiaries                |  | 0.01%                                                | 0.999            | 0.01%                                     | 0.349           | -                                                           | -               | 0.01%                                                       | 0.349           |
| Inter Company Eliminations/Goodwill<br>Amortisation   |  | -8.10%                                               | (1031.774)       | -9.82%                                    | (278.375)       | -                                                           | -               | -10.00%                                                     | (278.375)       |
| <b>Total</b>                                          |  | <b>100.00%</b>                                       | <b>12745.698</b> | <b>100.01%</b>                            | <b>2833.909</b> | <b>100.0%</b>                                               | <b>(49.961)</b> | <b>100.0%</b>                                               | <b>2783.948</b> |

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## 42 Partly-owned subsidiary

Financial information of subsidiary that have non-controlling interests is provided below :

Proportion of equity interest held by non-controlling interest :

| Name                               | Country of operation | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Praj Engineering and Infra Limited | India                | 0.33%         | 0.33%         |

### Information regarding non-controlling interest

The summarised financial information of the subsidiary is provided below. This information is based on amounts before inter-company eliminations.

### Summarised statement of profit and loss

| Particulars                                      | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024  |
|--------------------------------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Total Income                                     | 1449.066      | 1714.855       |
| Employee benefits expense                        | 63.017        | 41.008         |
| Finance costs                                    | 0.050         | 0.023          |
| Depreciation                                     | 0.000         | 0.000          |
| Other expenses                                   | 1289.105      | 1531.995       |
| <b>Profit before tax</b>                         | <b>96.894</b> | <b>141.829</b> |
| Total tax expense                                | 27.614        | 36.093         |
| <b>Profit for the year :</b>                     | <b>69.280</b> | <b>105.736</b> |
| <b>Total comprehensive income</b>                | <b>69.121</b> | <b>105.441</b> |
| <b>Attributable to non-controlling interests</b> | <b>0.229</b>  | <b>0.349</b>   |

### Summarised balance sheet

| Particulars              | 31 March 2025   | 31 March 2024   |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Non current assets       | 134.186         | 29.045          |
| Current assets           | 933.775         | 1153.519        |
| <b>Total Assets</b>      | <b>1067.961</b> | <b>1182.564</b> |
| Non current liabilities  | 2.302           | 1.336           |
| Current liabilities      | 694.433         | 879.123         |
| <b>Total Liabilities</b> | <b>696.735</b>  | <b>880.459</b>  |
| <b>Total Equity</b>      | <b>371.226</b>  | <b>302.105</b>  |
| <b>Attributable to :</b> |                 |                 |
| Equity holders of parent | 370.000         | 301.106         |
| Non-controlling interest | 1.226           | 0.999           |

### Summarised cash flow

| Particulars                                                 | 31 March 2025 | 31 March 2024 |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Net cash flows from operating activities                    | (41.911)      | 30.698        |
| Net cash flows from investing activities                    | 53.860        | (9.709)       |
| Net cash flows from financing activities                    | -             | -             |
| <b>Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents</b> | <b>11.949</b> | <b>20.989</b> |

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## 43 Interest in Subsidiaries :

The summarised information of interest in subsidiaries is as below :

| Name of entity                        | Place of Business | Ownership interest held by the Group |               | Ownership interest held by non-controlling interests |               | Principal activities                                                           |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------|------------------------------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                       |                   | 31 March 2025                        | 31 March 2024 | 31 March 2025                                        | 31 March 2024 |                                                                                |
| 1. Praj HiPurity Systems Limited      | India             | 100%                                 | 100%          | -                                                    | -             | Manufacturing, installation and commissioning of water purification systems    |
| 2. Praj Engineering and Infra Limited | India             | 99.67%                               | 99.67%        | 0.33%                                                | 0.33%         | Installation, commissioning and sub-contracting works                          |
| 3. Praj GenX Limited                  | India             | 100%                                 | 100%          | -                                                    | -             | Process and Project Engineering                                                |
| 4. Praj Far East Philippines Limited  | Philippines       | 100%                                 | 100%          | -                                                    | -             | Installation, commissioning and sub-contracting works                          |
| 5. Praj Americas Inc.                 | USA               | 100%                                 | 100%          | -                                                    | -             | Marketing and Supporting services                                              |
| 6. Praj Far East Co. Limited          | Thailand          | 100%                                 | 100%          | -                                                    | -             | Commissioning and sub-contracting works with marketing and supporting services |
| 7. Praj Projects (Tanzania) Limited   | Tanzania          | 100%                                 | NA            | -                                                    | -             | Installation, commissioning and sub-contracting works                          |

**44** The Ministry of Corporate Affairs vide notification number GSR 205 (E) dated 24th March 2021 and as amended from time to time, read with proviso to Rule 3(1) of the Companies (Accounts) Rules, 2014, for the financial year commencing April 1, 2023 has prescribed, inter-alia, certain requirements related to maintenance of an audit trail emanating from accounting software. The Group had enabled the audit trail at an application level for all the tables and fields for its books of account and relevant transactions in the accounting software used by it, in conformity with the said regulations. However, the accounting software used by the Group has not been enabled with the feature of audit trail log at the database layer to log direct transactional changes, due to the present design of the accounting software.

**45** Exceptional item represents profit on sale of land located at Nasarapur, which was classified as "Asset held for sale" as of 31 March 2024.

**46** On 28th March 2025, a fire broke out at R&D facility of the Holding Company, Praj Matrix, causing a temporary disruption of R&D activities for a couple of weeks. The facility was fully insured, and a claim for the loss has already been lodged with the insurance company. The Management of the Company expects to recover the estimated losses, including damage to the property, and therefore, no provision for losses has been made in the financial statements.

As per our report of even date.

**For P G BHAGWAT LLP**  
Chartered Accountants  
Firm Regn. No : 101118W/W100682

**Abhijeet Bhagwat**  
Partner  
Membership No. : 136835

**For and on behalf of the Board of Directors of Praj Industries Limited**

**Dr. Pramod Chaudhari**  
Chairman  
(DIN : 00196415)

**Shishir Joshipura**  
CEO and Managing Director  
(DIN : 00574970)

**Sachin Raole**  
CFO and Director- Resources  
(DIN : 00431438)

**Anant Bavare**  
Company Secretary  
(M.No. : ACS21405)

Place : Pune  
Date : 29 April 2025

# Praj Industries Limited

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## NOTICE

**Notice** is hereby given that the Thirty Ninth (39<sup>th</sup>) Annual General Meeting ("AGM") of Praj Industries Limited ("the Company") will be held on **Monday, the 11<sup>th</sup> August, 2025** through Video Conferencing ("VC") / Other Audio Video Visual Means ("OAVM") at **10.00 a.m.** (IST). The venue of the AGM shall be deemed to be the Registered Office of the Company. The following businesses will be transacted at the AGM.

### ORDINARY BUSINESS :

1. To receive, consider and adopt the audited Standalone Financial Statements of the Company for the financial year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 together with the reports of Board of Directors and the Auditors thereon.
2. To receive, consider and adopt the audited Consolidated Financial Statements of the Company for the financial year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025 together with the report of the Auditors thereon.
3. To declare dividend of ₹6/- (300%) per equity share of ₹2/- each for the financial year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2025.
4. **To appoint Mr. Parth Chaudhari (DIN : 07010109) in place of Ms. Parimal Chaudhari, who retires by rotation and who has not offered herself for re-appointment :**

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following Resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution** :

**"RESOLVED THAT** based on the recommendation of Nomination and Remuneration Committee and pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149, 152 and all other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013, read with Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014, (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof, for the time being in force), Mr. Parth Chaudhari (DIN : 07010109) be and is hereby appointed as a Non-Executive Non-Independent Director, liable to retire by rotation, with effect from date of 39<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of the Company i.e. 11<sup>th</sup> August, 2025, in place of Ms. Parimal Chaudhari who retires by rotation and has not offered herself for re-appointment."

5. **To appoint M/s MSKA & Associates, Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No. 105047W) as Statutory Auditors and to fix their remuneration :**

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following Resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution** :

**"RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to the provisions of Sections 139 and 142 and all other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof, for the time being in force) and based on the recommendation of Audit Committee and Board of Directors, M/s MSKA & Associates, Chartered Accountants, (Firm Registration No. 105047W), be and are hereby appointed as Statutory Auditors of the Company to hold office for a term of five (5) consecutive years from the conclusion of the 39<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting till the conclusion of the 44<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting (to be held in the year 2030) at a total remuneration of ₹37.50 lakhs (Rupees Thirty Seven Lakhs Fifty Thousand only) plus applicable taxes and reimbursement of out of pocket expenses on actuals, if any for the financial year ending on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2026 and for subsequent years of the term at such fees as may be recommended by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board and to avail any other services, certificates, reports etc. as may be permissible under applicable laws.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Audit Committee / Board of Directors of the Company, be and are hereby authorized to revise / alter / modify / amend the terms and conditions and / or remuneration of the Statutory Auditors, from time to time, during the tenure of their appointment.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** any Director or Company Secretary be and is hereby authorised to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be deemed necessary or expedient, including filing the requisite forms / returns to give effect to the forgoing resolution."

**SPECIAL BUSINESS :**

6. **To approve the appointment of Dr Pramod Chaudhari (DIN : 00196415) as Founder Chairman and Mentor-Praj Group (Whole Time Director in the category of Executive Director), beyond the age of 75 years, including terms of his remuneration, for a period of five (5) years with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2025 till 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2030 :**

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following Resolution as **Special Resolution** :

**"RESOLVED THAT** based on the recommendation of Nomination and Remuneration Committee and pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149, 152, 196, 203 and all other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the **Act**"), read with the Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014 and the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014 and Schedule V to the Act (including any Statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof, for the time being in force) and Regulations 17(1A) and 17(6) (e) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, ("the **Listing Regulations**"), as amended from time to time, the consent of the Members be and is hereby accorded for the appointment of Dr Pramod Chaudhari (DIN : 00196415) as Founder Chairman and Mentor-Praj Group (Whole Time Director in the category of Executive Director), beyond the age of 75 years, not liable to retire by rotation, for a period of five (5) years with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2025 till 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2030, on the terms and conditions of appointment and remuneration as contained in the draft agreement, material terms of which are set out in the Explanatory Statement to this Notice of the 39<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board of Directors be and is hereby authorized to alter and vary terms and conditions of appointment and remuneration of Dr Pramod Chaudhari subject to limits specified in Section 197 and Schedule V to the Act.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** consent of the Company be and is hereby accorded for payment of remuneration to Dr Pramod Chaudhari in excess of limits specified in Regulation 17(6)(e) of the Listing Regulations during his tenure.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** where in any financial year during the tenure of Dr Pramod Chaudhari as Founder Chairman and Mentor-Praj Group (Whole Time Director in the category of Executive Director), the Company incurs a loss or its profits are inadequate, the Company shall continue to pay to Dr Pramod Chaudhari, the remuneration, by way of salary, perquisites and other allowances, as a

minimum remuneration as Board of Directors may decide from time to time during his tenure, subject to the limits and conditions specified under Schedule V to the Act.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** any Director or Company Secretary of the Company be and is hereby authorised to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as it may deem necessary for the purpose of giving effect to the above-mentioned Resolutions."

7. **To approve appointment of Mr. Berjis Desai (DIN : 00153675) as a Non-Executive Non-Independent Director, liable to retire by rotation :**

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following Resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution** :

**"RESOLVED THAT** based on the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and in accordance with Sections 149, 150, 152, 161 and all other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the **Act**"), read with the Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof, for the time being in force) and Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("the **Listing Regulations**"), as amended from time to time, and the Articles of Association of the Company, Mr. Berjis Desai (DIN : 00153675), who was appointed as an Additional Director of the Company pursuant to Section 161 of the Act and who holds office till the date of 39<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting, and in respect of whom the Company has received a notice in writing under Section 160 of the Act from a Member proposing his candidature for the office of Director, be and is hereby appointed as a Non-Executive Non-Independent Director, liable to retire by rotation with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2025."

8. **To appoint M/s MSN Associates, Company Secretaries as Secretarial Auditors and to fix their remuneration :**

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification the following Resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution** :

**"RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to the provisions of Sections 179 and 204 and all other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013, read with relevant Rules framed thereunder (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof, for the time being in force) and Regulation 24A of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, as amended from time to time, and based on the recommendation of Audit Committee and Board of Directors, the approval of the Members be and is hereby accorded for the appointment of M/s MSN Associates, Company Secretaries (Firm Registration No.

29533) as Secretarial Auditors of the Company for a term of five (5) consecutive years commencing from the financial year 2025-26 till financial year 2029-30 at a remuneration of ₹2.50 lakhs (Rupees Two Lakhs Fifty Thousand only) per annum plus applicable taxes and reimbursement of out-of-pocket expenses on actuals, if any, for the Financial Year ending on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2026 and for subsequent years of the term at such fees as may be recommended by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board and to avail any other services, certificates, reports etc. as may be permissible under applicable laws.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** any Director or Company Secretary be and is hereby authorised to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be deemed necessary or expedient, including filing the requisite forms / returns to give effect to the forgoing resolution."

**9. To ratify the remuneration of Dhananjay V. Joshi & Associates, Cost Accountants as Cost Auditors for the financial year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2026 :**

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following Resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution** :

**"RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to the provisions of Section 148 and all other applicable provisions of the Companies

Act, 2013 and the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof, for the time being in force), the Company hereby ratifies the remuneration of ₹3.25 lakhs (Rupees Three Lakhs Twenty Five Thousand only) as Audit fees plus out of pocket expenses at actual on submission of supporting bills, plus applicable taxes, payable to Dhananjay V. Joshi & Associates, Cost Accountants (Firm Registration No. 00030), who have been appointed by the Board of Directors as Cost Auditors of the Company, to conduct the audit of the cost records of the Company for the financial year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2026."

By Order of the Board of Directors  
**For Praj Industries Limited**

**Anant Bavare**  
Company Secretary &  
Compliance Officer  
(M. No. : 21405)

Place : Pune  
Date : 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2025

**Registered Office :**  
"Praj Tower", S. No. 274 & 275/2,  
Bhumkar Chowk-Hinjewadi Road,  
Hinjewadi, Pune 411 057.

**Notes :**

1. Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA"), vide its General Circular No. 09/2024 dated 19<sup>th</sup> September, 2024 ("MCA Circular") and the Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI") vide its Circular dated 3<sup>rd</sup> October, 2024 ("SEBI Circular"), has permitted convening the general meetings through VC/OAVM, without physical presence of the members at a common venue. Accordingly, the 39<sup>th</sup> AGM of the Company is being held through VC/OAVM. The deemed venue for the AGM shall be "Praj Tower", S. No. 274 & 275/2, Bhumkar Chowk - Hinjewadi Road, Hinjewadi, Pune-411 057.
2. As the AGM is being held through VC/OAVM, the facility to appoint proxy shall not be available for the AGM and hence the Proxy Form, the Attendance Slip and the Route Map are not annexed to this Notice. However, Corporate members intending to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM are requested to send to the Company a certified copy of the Board Resolution authorising their representative to attend and vote on their behalf at the Meeting.
3. Information regarding appointment of Director and Explanatory Statement in respect of Special Business to be transacted pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") and/or Regulation 36(3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements)

Regulations, 2015 ("the Listing Regulations") is annexed hereto.

4. In case of joint holders attending the Meeting, only such joint holder who is first in the order of names will be entitled to vote.
5. Relevant documents referred to in the accompanying Notice and the Statement are open for inspection by the members at the Registered Office of the Company on all working days (Saturdays and Sundays are weekly offs), during business hours up to the date of the AGM.
6. The Company has notified **Monday, the 4<sup>th</sup> August, 2025** as Record Date for the purpose of declaration of dividend.

The Dividend, if any declared, shall be payable to those shareholders whose names stand registered :

- a. As beneficial owner as at the end of business hours on **Monday, the 4<sup>th</sup> August, 2025** as per the lists to be furnished by National Securities Depository Limited and Central Depository Services (India) Limited in respect of the shares held in the electronic form.
- b. As member in the register of members (Beneficiaries Position) of the Company/Registrar & Share Transfer Agent on **Monday, the 4<sup>th</sup> August, 2025**.

- c. The dividend on Equity Shares, if declared at the Meeting, will be credited / dispatched by **10<sup>th</sup> September, 2025** before statutory time limit.
7. Members holding shares in electronic form are requested to intimate any change in their address or bank mandates to their Depository Participant with whom they are maintaining their demat accounts. Members holding shares in physical form are requested to advise any change in their address or bank mandates to the Company / MUFG Intime India Private Limited, Registrar & Share Transfer Agent of the Company (MUFG).
  8. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 124 of the Act read with the Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Rules, 2016 ('IEPF Rules') (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof for the time being in force), dividend for the financial year ended 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2018 and onwards, which remains unclaimed for a period of seven (7) years from the date of its transfer to the unpaid dividend account of the Company would be transferred to Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF).
  9. The members who have so far not yet claimed their dividend for the previous years are advised to submit their claim to the Company or to the Company's Registrar & Share Transfer Agent at their address given herein below, quoting their Folio No. / DP Id and Client Id :  
  
MUFG Intime India Pvt. Ltd.  
(formerly known as Link Intime India Pvt. Ltd.)  
Block No. 202, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Akshay Complex,  
Near Ganesh Temple, Off Dhole Patil Road,  
Pune 411 001.  
  
During the financial year 2024-25, the Company has transferred the unpaid or unclaimed dividend of ₹13,74,153/- (Rupees Thirteen Lakhs Seventy Four Thousand One Hundred Fifty Three only) to IEPF in accordance with the provisions of Section 125 of the Act read with the IEPF Rules, as amended.
  10. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 124(6) of the Act read with IEPF Rules, 2016, as amended, all the shares in respect of which dividend has not claimed for 7 consecutive years or more shall be transferred by the Company in the name of IEPF.  
  
The shareholders who have not claimed / encashed the dividend in the last 7 consecutive years from financial year 2017-18 are requested to claim the same to avoid transfer of shares to IEPF.

In accordance with the aforesaid provisions, the Company has transferred 33,189 equity shares pertaining to the financial year 2016-17, in respect of which the dividend has not been claimed by the concerned shareholder/s consecutively for 7 years, to IEPF on 8<sup>th</sup> November, 2024. Shareholders may note that the unclaimed dividend amount transferred to IEPF and the shares transferred to the Demat Account of IEPF can be claimed back from IEPF by making an online application in web Form IEPF 5 (available on [www.iepf.gov.in](http://www.iepf.gov.in)) to IEPF authority with a copy to the Company.

11. Members who hold shares in physical form in multiple folios in identical names or joint holding in the same order of names are requested to send the share certificates to MUFG, for consolidation into a single folio.
12. SEBI has mandated the submission of Permanent Account Number (PAN) by every participant in securities market. Members holding shares in electronic form are, therefore requested to submit their PAN to their Depository Participant with whom they are maintaining their demat accounts. Members holding shares in physical form can submit their PAN to the Company / MUFG.
13. Members holding shares in single name and physical form are advised to make nomination in respect of their shareholding in the Company.
14. Non-Resident Indian Members are requested to inform MUFG, immediately of :
  - a. Change in their residential status on return to India for permanent settlement.
  - b. Particulars of their bank account maintained in India with complete name, branch, account type, account number and address of the bank with PIN code number, if not furnished earlier.
15. To further Company's environment friendly agenda and to participate in MCA's Green Initiatives, members are requested to register / update their e-mail address with their Depository Participant. Members who are holding shares in physical form are requested to send their e-mail address at [pune@in.mpms.mufg.com](mailto:pune@in.mpms.mufg.com) for updation.
16. The notice of 39<sup>th</sup> AGM and instructions for remote e-voting, is being sent by electronic mode to all members whose email addresses are registered with the Company/ Depository Participant(s) unless a member has requested for a hard copy of the same.

17. Members are requested to notify their queries, if any, on financial statements etc. latest by **6<sup>th</sup> August, 2025** to facilitate the answering thereto. The queries be sent at [investorsfeedback@praj.net](mailto:investorsfeedback@praj.net).
18. Members who would like to express their views or ask questions during AGM may register themselves as a speaker by sending their request from their registered email address mentioning their name, DP Id and Client ID/Folio No., mobile number at [investorsfeedback@praj.net](mailto:investorsfeedback@praj.net) **on or before 6<sup>th</sup> August, 2025 by 5.00 P.M.** IST. Those Members who have registered themselves as a speaker will only be allowed to express their views/ask questions during the AGM. Speakers are requested to submit their questions at

the time of registration, to enable the Company to respond appropriately.

- (a) Shareholders will receive "speaking serial number" once they mark attendance for the meeting. Please remember speaking serial number and start your conversation with panellist by switching on video mode and audio of your device. When a pre-registered speaker is invited to speak at the meeting but does not respond, the next speaker will be invited to speak.
- (b) The Company reserves the right to restrict the number of questions and number of speakers, as appropriate, to ensure the smooth conduct of the AGM.

By Order of the Board of Directors  
**For Praj Industries Limited**

**Anant Bavare**

Company Secretary & Compliance Officer  
(M. No. : 21405)

Place : Pune

Date : 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2025

**Registered Office :**

"Praj Tower", S. No. 274 & 275/2,  
Bhumkar Chowk-Hinjewadi Road,  
Hinjewadi, Pune 411 057.

## EXPLANATORY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 102(1) OF THE ACT :

The following Statement sets out all material facts relating to the Item No. 4 & 5 of Ordinary Business and Item No. 6 to 9 of Special Business mentioned in the accompanying Notice :

### Item No. 4

**To appoint Mr. Parth Chaudhari (DIN : 07010109) in place of Ms. Parimal Chaudhari, who retires by rotation and who has not offered herself for re-appointment :**

Ms. Parimal Chaudhari, Non-Executive Director is retiring at 39<sup>th</sup> AGM and she has not offered herself for re-appointment.

Consequently, the Board, on the basis of recommendation made by Nomination and Remuneration Committee, at Board meeting held on 29<sup>th</sup> April, 2025, has approved the appointment of Mr. Parth Chaudhari (DIN : 07010109) as a Non-Executive Non-Independent Director, in place of Ms. Parimal Chaudhari, with effect from date of 39<sup>th</sup> AGM i.e. 11<sup>th</sup> August, 2025

The profile and other relevant information as required under the Act, the Listing Regulations and Secretarial Standard-2 on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI) is given in **Annexure 1**.

#### Rationale for appointment:

Mr. Parth's extensive experience in financial services, investment strategy, and corporate governance will add significant value to the Company's strategic direction. His leadership experience in asset management further strengthens his suitability for the role.

None of the Director(s), Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their relatives, except Dr Pramod Chaudhari, Chairman and Ms. Parimal Chaudhari, Non-Executive Director, is in any way concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the resolution set out at Item No. 4 of the Notice.

The Board recommends the **Ordinary Resolution** set out at Item No. 4 of the Notice for approval by the members.

### Item No. 5

**To appoint M/s MSKA & Associates, Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No. 105047W) as Statutory Auditors and to fix their remuneration :**

P G Bhagwat LLP, Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No. 101118W/W100682), were re-appointed as the Statutory Auditors of the Company at the 34<sup>th</sup> AGM held on 18<sup>th</sup> September, 2020, for a period of five (5) years i.e. from 34<sup>th</sup> AGM till the conclusion of 39<sup>th</sup> AGM of the Company. Accordingly, P G Bhagwat LLP would be completing their second term as the Statutory Auditors of the Company on the date of 39<sup>th</sup> AGM.

Based on the recommendation of Audit Committee, the Board of Directors at their meeting held on 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2025 have

appointed M/s MSKA & Associates, Chartered Accountants, (Firm Registration No.105047W) as Statutory Auditors of the Company. M/s MSKA & Associates have confirmed their eligibility for appointment under Section 139 read with Section 141 of the Act. M/s MSKA & Associates will hold office for a period of 5 (five) consecutive years from the conclusion of the 39<sup>th</sup> AGM of the Company till the conclusion of the 44<sup>th</sup> AGM to be held in the calendar year 2030, subject to the approval by the Shareholders at the ensuing AGM.

Pursuant to Regulation 36(5) of the Listing Regulations as amended, the credentials and terms of appointment of M/s MSKA & Associates are as under :

#### Profile :

M/s MSKA & Associates, Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No. 105047W), established in 1978, is an Indian partnership firm registered with the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI) and the US Public Company Accountancy Oversight Board (PCAOB) having offices across 12 cities in India at Mumbai, Gurugram, Chandigarh, Kolkata, Ahmedabad, Chennai, Goa, Pune, Bengaluru, Kochi, Hyderabad and Coimbatore. The audit firm has a valid peer review certificate.

The Firm primarily provides audit and assurance services, tax and advisory services, to its clients. The Firm's Audit and Assurance practice has significant experience across various industries, markets and geographies.

#### Terms of appointment :

M/s MSKA & Associates are proposed to be appointed as the Statutory Auditors for a term of five (5) consecutive years from the conclusion of the 39<sup>th</sup> AGM of the Company till the conclusion of the 44<sup>th</sup> AGM to be held in the calendar year 2030. The proposed fees payable to M/s MSKA & Associates for the financial year 2025-26 are ₹37.50 lakhs (Rupees Thirty Seven Lakhs Fifty Thousand only). The said fees are excluding GST, certification fees, applicable taxes, reimbursements and other outlays. The Audit Committee / Board is authorised to revise the fees, from time to time.

None of the Director(s), Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their relatives, is in any way concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the resolution set out at Item No. 5 of the Notice.

The Board recommends the **Ordinary Resolution** set out at Item No. 5 of the Notice for approval by the members.

## Item No. 6

**To approve the appointment of Dr Pramod Chaudhari (DIN : 00196415) as Founder Chairman and Mentor-Praj Group (Whole Time Director in the category of Executive Director), beyond the age of 75 years, including terms of his remuneration, for a period of five (5) years with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2025 till 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2030 :**

During the year, Dr Pramod Chaudhari (PMC) completed his tenure as Executive Chairman on 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2024.

The shareholders on 20<sup>th</sup> December, 2024, through Postal Ballot by way of Special Resolution approved his appointment as Non-Executive Chairman (in the category of Non-Executive Non-Independent Director) of the Company for a period of five (5) years w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2025 to 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2029.

Further, based on the recommendation of Nomination and Remuneration Committee (NRC), the Board at its Meeting held on 29<sup>th</sup> April, 2025 has approved the appointment of PMC as Founder Chairman and Mentor-Praj Group (Whole Time Director in the category of Executive Director) for a period of five (5) years with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2025 till 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2030, subject to approval of shareholders by way of Special Resolution at 39<sup>th</sup> AGM.

The Board recommends appointing Dr Pramod Chaudhari as Founder Chairman and Mentor-Praj Group (Whole Time Director in the category of Executive Director), citing his leadership and significant contributions to the Company's growth. His expertise in innovation and industry knowledge are key to sustain Praj's global success and advancing its mission for a greener planet.

Summary of other major points considered for proposed appointment of PMC are as follows:

### **Distinguished Leadership and Enduring Legacy:**

IIT-Bombay alumnus PMC, Praj Industries' visionary 'Ethanol Man,' shifts from Executive Chairman (Dec 2024) to Founder Chairman and Mentor - Praj Group, re-entering an executive role to spearhead bio-energy and energy-transition growth where there are unprecedented opportunities. PMC has over 52 years of experience in this filed.

### **Pioneering Vision in Bioeconomy and Green Technology:**

Global bioeconomy champion PMC advances sustainable energy, agri-env tech, bolstering India's circular bioeconomy, ecology, energy security, and rural growth.

### **Consistent Business Growth and Financial Stewardship:**

PMC helped Praj grow fast and strong, boosting its numbers and taking its biotech business to more than 100 countries around the world.

### **Strategic Role in the Company's vision 2030 and roadmap for future:**

PMC's leadership is key to the Company's vision 2030 to serve as both, compass and catalyst- driving purposeful action and

aligning Company's efforts with national and global priorities. He aims to keep Praj driving eco-friendly industry, cutting carbon, expanding the bioeconomy and leading in renewables worldwide.

### **Technological Prowess and R&D Excellence:**

PMC's valuable contribution in setting up Praj's top-grade R&D center, has resulted in earning 400+ patents and turning many breakthroughs into real-world products, cementing Praj's tech lead.

### **Alignment with National and Global Sustainability Agendas:**

PMC's guidance made Praj a self-reliant green-tech leader, supporting India's Net-Zero goals and shaping key clean-energy policies.

### **Innumerable Industry Accolades and International Influence:**

Asia's standout industrial-biotech pioneer, PMC won the 2020 George Washington Carver and 2022 William C Holmberg lifetime awards; his global ties boost Praj's reputation and forge key worldwide partnerships.

Keeping in view the Company vision 2030 embarked by the Company and the business transformation and geopolitical scenario, PMC's guidance in "Executive Role" is highly desired.

### **Proposed Remuneration :**

The key components of remuneration terms proposed for Dr Pramod Chaudhari, as recommended by NRC and approved by the Board, are as follows :

#### **i. Salary and Allowances :**

- Basic Salary : Starting Basic Salary not exceeding ₹36,00,000/- per month.
- Allowances : Not exceeding 135% of the basic salary
  - a) Fully furnished residential accommodation. Where no accommodation is provided by the Company, House Rent Allowance 50% of basic salary in lieu thereof shall be paid.
  - b) Medical Allowance not exceeding 15% of basic salary per month.
  - c) Leave Travel Assistance for self and family not exceeding 15% of basic salary per month.
  - d) Other allowances do not exceed 55 % of basic salary per month.

However, the Board, subject to the recommendation of NRC, shall have power to revise the basic salary and allowances mentioned above, upwards within overall limits as prescribed under section 197(1) of the Act.

#### **ii. Performance Bonus/Variable Pay :**

In addition to salary and perquisites, Performance Bonus/ Variable Pay as recommended by the NRC and as approved by the Board, shall be paid to PMC after considering the

performance of the Company & Praj Group Companies and his individual performance.

**iii. Commission :**

In addition to salary, perquisites and Performance Bonus/ Variable Pay, Commission on profits shall be paid to PMC depending upon the profitability of the Company and Praj Group Companies. The commission will be recommended by NRC and will be approved by the Board after considering the performance of Company and Praj Group Companies within the overall limits approved by the members.

The total payments under the head Performance Bonus and Commission taken together shall not exceed 3% of consolidated profit before tax (subject to the overall limits prescribed under Section 197(1) of the Act) read with rules framed thereunder.

**iv. Ex-gratia :**

Annual Ex-gratia representing an amount of 15% of PMC's basic salary.

**v. Perquisites :**

• **Club Fees :**

Annual Fees of clubs in India.

• **Insurance premium :**

Insurance premium not exceeding ₹4,00,000 per annum for insuring accidental / medical risks shall be paid by the Company / reimbursed to PMC.

• **Car with driver :**

The Company should provide chauffeur driven car to PMC for official and local personal purposes. The Company shall provide and pay for all running, maintenance, repairs and upkeep expenses in respect of the car.

**vi. Leave and Leave Encashment :**

PMC will be entitled for 30 days' leave for each year of service. The leave can be accumulated and encashed as per Company Policy.

**vii. Severance Pay:**

PMC shall, subject to the provisions of Section 202 of the Act, be entitled to Severance Pay by way of compensation for loss of office for an amount equal to the remuneration which he would have earned if he had been in office for remainder of his Term or three years whichever is less, calculated on the basis of the average remuneration actually earned by him during a period of three years immediately preceding the date on which he ceased to hold office, or where he held the office for a lesser period than three years, during such period.

**viii. Other allowances and perquisites :**

Subject to any statutory ceilings prescribed under the Act, PMC shall be entitled to such other allowances, perquisites,

benefits and facilities as may be recommended by NRC and approved by the Board of Directors from time to time.

**ix. Total Remuneration:**

During the financial year 2025-26, the total remuneration payable to PMC for a period of nine (9) months, effective from 1<sup>st</sup> July 2025 to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2026 shall not exceed ₹12.74 Crores.

**x. Power of the Board to vary the remuneration during Term :**

During his tenure, the Board shall have the power to vary the remuneration upward within the overall ceiling as prescribed under Section 197 of the Act read with Schedule V to the Act which may exceed the limit specified under Regulation 17(6)(e) of the Listing Regulations.

None of the Director(s), Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their relatives except Dr Pramod Chaudhari, Ms. Parimal Chaudhari, Spouse of PMC and Mr. Parth Chaudhari, Son of PMC, is in any way concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the resolution set out at Item No. 6 of the Notice.

The Board recommends the **Special Resolution** set out at Item No. 6 of the Notice for approval by the members.

**Item No. 7**

**To approve appointment of Mr. Berjis Desai (DIN : 00153675) as a Non-Executive Non-Independent Director, liable to retire by rotation :**

Based on the recommendation of NRC, the Board at its meeting held on 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2025 has appointed Mr. Berjis Desai (DIN : 00153675) as an Additional Director (Non-Executive Non-Independent Director), under Section 161 of the Act read with Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014, as amended from time to time, with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2025, who will hold office till date of 39<sup>th</sup> AGM. Mr. Berjis Desai will be liable to retire by rotation.

The profile and other relevant information as required under the Act, the Listing Regulations and Secretarial Standard-2 on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI) is given in **Annexure 1**.

**Rationale for appointment:**

Mr. Desai's extensive experience in corporate governance, compliance, and dispute resolution, along with his directorships in several listed companies, makes him a valuable addition to the Board of Praj Industries Ltd. His presence will strengthen the legal and regulatory oversight of the Company, benefiting its stakeholders.

None of the Director(s), Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their relatives, is in any way concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the resolution set out at Item No. 7 of the Notice.

The Board recommends the **Ordinary Resolution** set out at Item No. 7 of the Notice for approval by the members.

## Item No. 8

### To appoint M/s MSN Associates, Company Secretaries as Secretarial Auditors and to fix their remuneration :

Pursuant to the Third Amendment to the Listing Regulations, effective from 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2025, the Listed Company is required to appoint Peer Reviewed Secretarial Auditor (if individual then for not more than one term of five consecutive years and if a firm then for not more than two terms of five consecutive years), with the approval of the shareholders in the AGM.

Based on the recommendation of Audit Committee, the Board at its meeting held on 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2025, has approved the appointment of M/s MSN Associates, Company Secretaries (Firm Registration No. 29533) as the Secretarial Auditors of the Company for a period of five (5) consecutive financial years from 2025-26 to 2029-30.

Pursuant to Regulation 36(5) of the Listing Regulations as amended, the credentials and terms of appointment of M/s MSN Associates are as under :

#### Profile :

MSN Associates, Pune based firm of Practising Company Secretaries (hereinafter referred to as MSN) with over 30 years of versatile experience in Corporate laws, FEMA Regulations and SEBI Regulations.

Firm was formed in the year 1994 and renamed as MSN Associates in the year 2006. MSN is registered with The Institute of Company Secretaries of India, New Delhi, and with the Registrar of Firms, Pune.

The firm renders services to more than 400 corporate clients. Their expertise includes Secretarial Audits of unlisted and listed Companies, Corporate Government Certification, Amalgamations & Mergers, consultancy under Foreign Exchange Management Act, approvals for External Commercial Borrowings, Foreign Direct Investments–Documentation & Certification, Intellectual Property Rights, conducting Due Diligence for Banks.

#### Terms of appointment :

MSN is proposed to be appointed for a term of five (5) consecutive years, to conduct the Secretarial Audit for financial years from 2025-26 to 2029-30. The proposed fees payable to MSN is ₹2.50 lakhs (Rupees Two Lakhs Fifty Thousand only)

Place : Pune

Date : 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2025

#### Registered Office :

"Praj Tower", S. No. 274 & 275/2,  
Bhumkar Chowk-Hinjewadi Road,  
Hinjewadi, Pune 411 057.

per annum for Secretarial Audit, plus applicable taxes and out of pocket expenses, if any, for the Financial Year ending on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2026.

Board of Directors may vary the terms and conditions of appointment as well as remuneration as may be mutually agreed with MSN.

MSN has given their consent to act as Secretarial Auditors of the Company and confirmed that their aforesaid appointment (if approved) would be within the limits specified by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India. Further, MSN has confirmed that they hold valid Peer Review Certificate as per statutory requirement.

None of the Director(s), Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their relatives, is in any way concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the resolution set out at Item No. 8 of the Notice.

The Board recommends the **Ordinary Resolution** set out at Item No. 8 of the Notice for approval by the members.

## Item No. 9

### To ratify the remuneration of Dhananjay V. Joshi & Associates, Cost Accountants as Cost Auditors for the financial year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2026 :

The Board, on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, has approved the appointment of Dhananjay V. Joshi & Associates, Cost Accountants as Cost Auditors to conduct the audit of the cost records of the Company for the financial year ending 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2026 for a total remuneration of ₹3.25 lakhs (Rupees Three Lakhs Twenty Five Thousand only) as Audit fees plus out of pocket expenses at actual on submission of supporting bills and taxes as may be applicable.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 148 of the Act read with the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors has to be ratified by the shareholders of the Company.

None of the Director(s) or Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their relatives, is in any way concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the resolution set out at Item No. 9 of the Notice.

The Board recommends the **Ordinary Resolution** set out at Item No. 9 of the Notice for approval by the members.

By Order of the Board of Directors  
**For Praj Industries Limited**

**Anant Bavare**  
Company Secretary & Compliance Officer  
(M. No. : 21405)

## Annexure 1

## Details of Directors seeking appointment pursuant to Regulation 36(3) of the Listing Regulations and Secretarial Standard 2 on General Meetings.

| Name of the Director                                                                | Dr Pramod Chaudhari                                                                                                                                                                                                           | Mr. Parth Chaudhari                                                                                                     | Mr. Berjis Desai                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Designation / Category of Director                                                  | Founder Chairman and Mentor-Praj Group (Whole Time Director)                                                                                                                                                                  | Non-Executive Non-Independent Director                                                                                  | Non-Executive Non Independent Director                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| DIN                                                                                 | 00196415                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | 07010109                                                                                                                | 00153675                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Age                                                                                 | 75 years                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | 38 years                                                                                                                | 68 years                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Date of Birth                                                                       | 26 <sup>th</sup> November, 1949                                                                                                                                                                                               | 24 <sup>th</sup> December, 1986                                                                                         | 2 <sup>nd</sup> August, 1956                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| Qualifications                                                                      | Mechanical Engineer from IIT, Bombay                                                                                                                                                                                          | B.S. in Finance, Entrepreneurship & Emerging Enterprises from Syracuse University (USA)                                 | LLB, Masters degree in law from Cambridge University                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Brief resume and expertise in specific functional areas                             | Dr Pramod Chaudhari is Promoter and founder Director of Praj Industries Limited. He has over 53 years' experience in the industry, as a professional and as an entrepreneur.                                                  | Mr. Parth Chaudhari has over 14 years of experience in financial services, asset management, and strategic investments. | Mr. Berjis Desai is a highly accomplished legal professional with 45 years of experience in transactional and dispute resolution laws.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
|                                                                                     | Dr Pramod Chaudhari is a 'Distinguished Alumnus of IIT Bombay (1971)' and an alumnus of Harvard Business School (AMP 1995), known as 'Ethanol Man'.                                                                           |                                                                                                                         | Since 2003, Mr. Desai was the Managing Partner, and from 2016, the Senior Partner, of J. Sagar Associates (JSA), a national law firm having more than 400 lawyers. He retired from JSA on 1 <sup>st</sup> April, 2017, upon turning 60.                                                                                                                                                                |
|                                                                                     | Dr Pramod Chaudhari is a winner of prestigious George Washington Carver Award 2020 by BIO Impact, Washington DC, USA. He is the first Indian to receive this global honor. He is also the winner of William C Holmberg Award. |                                                                                                                         | Mr. Berjis is now an independent legal counsel engaged in Private Client Practice, that is, succession and estate planning for HNIs and promoter families through wills, trusts and family arrangements; resolving family, testamentary and business disputes through mediation and confidential fast track arbitration; insolvency and asset reconstruction advisory and family business structuring. |
| Date of first appointment on the Board                                              | 8 <sup>th</sup> November, 1985                                                                                                                                                                                                | 11 <sup>th</sup> August, 2025                                                                                           | 1 <sup>st</sup> July, 2025                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| No. of shares held including shareholding as beneficial owner as on the date of AGM | 3,87,00,000                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | 72,00,000 (Beneficial Owner-Moriyaset Trust)                                                                            | Nil                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| Terms and conditions of appointment                                                 | Founder Chairman and Mentor-Praj Group (Whole Time Director) for a period of five (5) years with effect from 1 <sup>st</sup> July, 2025 till 30 <sup>th</sup> June, 2030                                                      | Non-Executive Non-Independent Director, liable to retire by rotation                                                    | Non-Executive Non-Independent Director, liable to retire by rotation                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Details of remuneration last drawn (FY 2024-25)                                     | ₹91.044 Mn.                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | NA                                                                                                                      | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |

| Name of the Director                                                             | Dr Pramod Chaudhari                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Mr. Parth Chaudhari                                                                                                            | Mr. Berjis Desai                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
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| Details of proposed remuneration                                                 | Please refer Explanatory Statement                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Profit based commission, if any, on annual basis, as per the recommendation of NRC                                             | Profit based commission on annual basis, as per the recommendation of Nomination and Remuneration Committee (NRC)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Relationship with other Directors and Key Managerial Personnel                   | Dr Pramod Chaudhari is a spouse of Ms. Parimal Chaudhari, Non-Executive Director and father of Mr. Parth Chaudhari (who will be appointed as Director with effect from date of 39th AGM)                                                                                  | Mr. Parth Chaudhari is a son of Dr Pramod Chaudhari, Chairman and Ms. Parimal Chaudhari, Non-Executive Director                | None                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| Number of meetings of the Board attended during the financial year 2024-25       | 5                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | NA                                                                                                                             | NA                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Chairperson/ Membership of the Committee(s) of Board of Directors of the Company | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nomination &amp; Remuneration Committee</li> <li>Compensation &amp; Share Allotment Committee</li> </ul>                                                                                                                           | Nil                                                                                                                            | Nil                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Other Companies in which he is a Director                                        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Praj HiPurity Systems Limited</li> <li>Praj GenX Limited</li> <li>Praj HiPurity Systems Limited</li> <li>Praj GenX Limited</li> <li>P-Cube Enterprises Private Limited</li> <li>Parimal and Pramod Chaudhari Foundation</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>P-Cube Enterprises Private Limited</li> <li>Pratham Holdings Private Limited</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Apollo Tyres Limited</li> <li>Hikal Limited</li> <li>Inventurus Knowledge Solutions Limited</li> <li>Man Infraconstruction Limited</li> <li>The Great Eastern Shipping Company Limited</li> <li>Emcure Pharmaceuticals Limited</li> <li>Vista Intelligence Private Limited</li> <li>Ambit Private Limited</li> <li>Ambit Wealth Private Limited</li> </ul> |

| Name of the Director                                                                             | Dr Pramod Chaudhari                 |                                                 | Mr. Parth Chaudhari |                                                        | Mr. Berjis Desai                                |             |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|-------------|
|                                                                                                  | Name of the Company                 | Name of the Committee                           | Position            | Name of the Company                                    | Name of the Committee                           | Position    |
| Chairperson/<br>Membership of the<br>Committee(s) of Board<br>of Directors of other<br>companies | Praj HiPurity<br>Systems<br>Limited | Nomination &<br>Remuneration<br>Committee       | Member              | Man Infra-<br>construction<br>Limited                  | Corporate Social<br>Responsibility<br>Committee | Chairperson |
|                                                                                                  |                                     | Corporate Social<br>Responsibility<br>Committee | Member              |                                                        | Nomination &<br>Remuneration<br>Committee       | Member      |
|                                                                                                  |                                     |                                                 |                     |                                                        | Management<br>Committee                         | Chairperson |
|                                                                                                  |                                     |                                                 |                     |                                                        | Risk Management<br>Committee                    | Member      |
|                                                                                                  |                                     |                                                 |                     | The Great<br>Eastern<br>Shipping<br>Company<br>Limited | Audit Committee                                 | Member      |
|                                                                                                  |                                     |                                                 |                     |                                                        | Nomination &<br>Remuneration<br>Committee       | Member      |
|                                                                                                  |                                     |                                                 |                     |                                                        | Investor Services<br>Committee                  | Member      |
|                                                                                                  |                                     |                                                 |                     | Emcure<br>Pharma-<br>ceuticals<br>Limited              | Audit Committee                                 | Member      |
|                                                                                                  |                                     |                                                 |                     |                                                        | Stakeholders<br>Relationship<br>Committee       | Chairperson |
|                                                                                                  |                                     |                                                 |                     |                                                        | IPO Committee                                   | Chairperson |
|                                                                                                  |                                     |                                                 |                     |                                                        | Nomination &<br>Remuneration<br>Committee       | Member      |
|                                                                                                  |                                     |                                                 |                     |                                                        | Risk Management<br>Committee                    | Member      |
|                                                                                                  |                                     |                                                 |                     | Hikal Limited                                          | Audit Committee                                 | Member      |
|                                                                                                  |                                     |                                                 |                     |                                                        | Nomination &<br>Remuneration<br>Committee       | Member      |
|                                                                                                  |                                     |                                                 |                     | Inventurus<br>Knowledge<br>Solutions<br>Limited        | Audit Committee                                 | Member      |
|                                                                                                  |                                     |                                                 |                     |                                                        | Nomination &<br>Remuneration<br>Committee       | Member      |
|                                                                                                  |                                     |                                                 |                     | Ambit Private<br>Limited                               | Audit Committee                                 | Member      |
|                                                                                                  |                                     |                                                 |                     |                                                        | Nomination &<br>Remuneration<br>Committee       | Chairperson |
| Listed companies from<br>which he has resigned in<br>the past three years                        | Nil                                 |                                                 | Nil                 | Nil                                                    |                                                 |             |

## E-voting related instructions

1. MCA and SEBI has permitted convening the general meetings through VC/OAVM, without physical presence of the members at a common venue. Hence, Members can attend and participate in the ensuing AGM through VC/OAVM.
2. Pursuant to the MCA Circular, the facility to appoint proxy to attend and cast vote for the members is not available for 39<sup>th</sup> AGM. However, the Body Corporates are entitled to appoint authorised representatives to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM and participate there at and cast their votes through e-voting.
3. The Members can join the AGM in the VC/OAVM mode 30 minutes before and 15 minutes after the scheduled time of the commencement of the Meeting by following the procedure mentioned in the Notice.
4. The attendance of the Members attending the AGM through VC/OAVM will be counted for the purpose of reckoning the quorum under Section 103 of the Act.
5. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 108 of the Act read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 (as amended) and Regulation 44 of the Listing Regulations (as amended), and the MCA Circular and SEBI Circular, the Company is providing facility of remote e-Voting to its Members in respect of the business to be transacted at the AGM. For this purpose, the Company has entered into an agreement with MUFG Intime India Private Limited (MUFG) for facilitating voting through electronic means, as the authorized agency. The facility of casting votes by a member using remote e-Voting system as well as venue voting on the date of the AGM will be provided by MUFG.
6. In line with the MCA Circular, the Notice calling the AGM has been uploaded on the website of the Company at [www.praj.net](http://www.praj.net). The Notice can also be accessed from the websites of the Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited at [www.bseindia.com](http://www.bseindia.com) and [www.nseindia.com](http://www.nseindia.com) respectively and the AGM Notice is also available on the website of MUFG (agency for providing the Remote e-Voting facility) i.e. <https://instavote.linkintime.co.in>.
7. The remote e-voting period begins on **Thursday, the 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2025** at 09 :00 A.M. and ends on **Sunday, the 10<sup>th</sup> August, 2025** at 05 :00 P.M. The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by MUFG for voting thereafter. The Members, whose names appear in the Register of Members / Beneficial Owners as on the record date (cut-off date) i.e. **Monday, the 4<sup>th</sup> August, 2025**, may cast their vote electronically. The voting right of shareholders shall be in proportion to their share in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date.

In terms of SEBI circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/PoD2/ CIR/P/2023/120 dated July 11, 2023, Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode are allowed to vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants.

Shareholders are advised to update their mobile number and email Id correctly in their demat accounts to access e-Voting facility.

## THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR SHAREHOLDERS FOR REMOTE E-VOTING AND JOINING GENERAL MEETING ARE AS UNDER :

Login method for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode is given below :

Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL

### METHOD 1 - Individual Shareholders registered with NSDL IDeAS facility

Shareholders who have registered for NSDL IDeAS facility :

- a) Visit URL : <https://eservices.nsdl.com> and click on "Beneficial Owner" icon under "Login".
- b) Enter User ID and Password. Click on "Login"
- c) After successful authentication, you will be able to see e-Voting services under Value added services. Click on "Access to e-Voting" under e-Voting services.
- d) Click on "MUFG InTime" or "evoting link displayed alongside Company's Name" and you will be redirected to InstaVote website for casting the vote during the remote e-voting period.

OR

Shareholders who have not registered for NSDL IDeAS facility :

- a) To register, visit URL : <https://eservices.nsdl.com> and select "Register Online for IDeAS Portal" or click on <https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp>
- b) Proceed with updating the required fields.
- c) Post successful registration, user will be provided with Login ID and password.
- d) After successful login, you will be able to see e-Voting services under Value added services. Click on "Access to e-Voting" under e-Voting services.
- e) Click on "MUFG InTime" or "evoting link displayed alongside Company's Name" and you will be redirected to InstaVote website for casting the vote during the remote e-voting period.

**METHOD 2 - Individual Shareholders directly visiting the e-voting website of NSDL**

- Visit URL : <https://www.evoting.nsdl.com>
- Click on the "Login" tab available under 'Shareholder/ Member' section.
- Enter User ID (i.e., your sixteen-digit demat account number held with NSDL), Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen.
- Post successful authentication, you will be re-directed to NSDL depository website wherein you will be able to see e-Voting services under Value added services. Click on "Access to e-Voting" under e-Voting services.
- Click on "MUFG InTime" or "evoting link displayed alongside Company's Name" and you will be redirected to InstaVote website for casting the vote during the remote e-voting period.

**Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL****METHOD 1 – Individual Shareholders registered with CDSL Easi/ Easiest facility****Shareholders who have registered/ opted for CDSL Easi/ Easiest facility :**

- Visit URL : <https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasitoken/Home/Login> or [www.cdslindia.com](http://www.cdslindia.com).
- Click on New System Myeasi Tab
- Login with existing my easi username and password
- After successful login, user will be able to see e-voting option. The evoting option will have links of e-voting service providers i.e., MUFG InTime, for voting during the remote e-voting period.
- Click on "Link InTime/ MUFG InTime" or "evoting link displayed alongside Company's Name" and you will be redirected to InstaVote website for casting the vote during the remote e-voting period.

OR

**Shareholders who have not registered for CDSL Easi/ Easiest facility :**

- To register, visit URL : <https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasitoken/Registration/EasiRegistration> / <https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasitoken/Registration/EasiestRegistration>
- Proceed with updating the required fields.
- Post registration, user will be provided username and password.
- After successful login, user able to see e-voting menu.

- Click on "Link InTime / MUFG InTime" or "evoting link displayed alongside Company's Name" and you will be redirected to InstaVote website for casting the vote during the remote e-voting period.

**METHOD 2 - Individual Shareholders directly visiting the e-voting website of CDSL**

- Visit URL : <https://www.cdslindia.com>
- Go to e-voting tab.
- Enter Demat Account Number (BO ID) and PAN No. and click on "Submit".
- System will authenticate the user by sending OTP on registered Mobile and Email as recorded in Demat Account
- After successful authentication, click on "Link InTime / MUFG InTime" or "evoting link displayed alongside Company's Name" and you will be redirected to InstaVote website for casting the vote during the remote e-voting period.

**Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with Depository Participant**

Individual shareholders can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your depository participant registered with NSDL / CDSL for e-voting facility.

- Login to DP website
- After Successful login, user shall navigate through "e-voting" option.
- Click on e-voting option, user will be redirected to NSDL / CDSL Depository website after successful authentication, wherein user can see e-voting feature.
- After successful authentication, click on "Link InTime / MUFG InTime" or "evoting link displayed alongside Company's Name" and you will be redirected to InstaVote website for casting the vote during the remote e-voting period.

**Login method for shareholders holding securities in physical mode / Non-Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode**

Shareholders holding shares in physical mode / Non-Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode as on the cut-off date for e-voting may register for InstaVote as under :

- Visit URL : <https://instavote.linkintime.co.in>

**Shareholders who have not registered for INSTAVOTE facility :**

- Click on "Sign Up" under 'SHARE HOLDER' tab and register with your following details :

**A. User ID :**

NSDL demat account – User ID is 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client ID.

CDSL demat account – User ID is 16 Digit Beneficiary ID.

Shareholders holding shares in physical form – User ID is Event No + Folio Number registered with the Company.

**B. PAN :**

Enter your 10-digit Permanent Account Number (PAN)

(Shareholders who have not updated their PAN with the Depository Participant (DP)/ Company shall use the sequence number provided to you, if applicable.

**C. DOB/DOI :**

Enter the Date of Birth (DOB) / Date of Incorporation (DOI) (As recorded with your DP / Company - in DD/MM/YYYY format)

**D. Bank Account Number :**

Enter your Bank Account Number (last four digits), as recorded with your DP/Company.

\*Shareholders holding shares in NSDL form, shall provide 'D' above

\*\*Shareholders holding shares in physical form but have not recorded 'C' and 'D', shall provide their Folio number in 'D' above

- Set the password of your choice  
(The password should contain minimum 8 characters, at least one special Character (!#\$%&\*), at least one numeral, at least one alphabet and at least one capital letter).
- Enter Image Verification (CAPTCHA) Code
- Click "Submit" (You have now registered on InstaVote).

**Shareholders who have registered for INSTAVOTE facility :**

- c) Click on "Login" under 'SHARE HOLDER' tab.
  - A. User ID : Enter your User ID
  - B. Password : Enter your Password
  - C. Enter Image Verification (CAPTCHA) Code
  - D. Click "Submit"
- d) Cast your vote electronically :
  - A. After successful login, you will be able to see the "Notification for e-voting".
  - B. Select 'View' icon.
  - C. E-voting page will appear.
  - D. Refer the Resolution description and cast your vote by selecting your desired option 'Favour / Against' (If you

wish to view the entire Resolution details, click on the 'View Resolution' file link).

- E. After selecting the desired option i.e. Favour / Against, click on 'Submit'.

A confirmation box will be displayed. If you wish to confirm your vote, click on 'Yes', else to change your vote, click on 'No' and accordingly modify your vote.

Guidelines for Institutional shareholders ("Custodian / Corporate Body/ Mutual Fund")

**STEP 1 – Custodian / Corporate Body/ Mutual Fund Registration**

- a) Visit URL : <https://instavote.linkintime.co.in>
- b) Click on "Sign Up" under "Custodian / Corporate Body/ Mutual Fund"
- c) Fill up your entity details and submit the form.
- d) A declaration form and organization ID is generated and sent to the Primary contact person email ID (which is filled at the time of sign up). The said form is to be signed by the Authorised Signatory, Director, Company Secretary of the entity & stamped and sent to [insta.vote@linkintime.co.in](mailto:insta.vote@linkintime.co.in).
- e) Thereafter, Login credentials (User ID; Organisation ID; Password) is sent to Primary contact person's email ID. (You have now registered on InstaVote)

**STEP 2 – Investor Mapping**

- a) Visit URL : <https://instavote.linkintime.co.in> and login with InstaVote Login credentials.
- b) Click on "Investor Mapping" tab under the Menu Section
- c) Map the Investor with the following details :
  - A. 'Investor ID' –
    - i. NSDL demat account – User ID is 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client ID i.e., IN00000012345678
    - ii. CDSL demat account – User ID is 16 Digit Beneficiary ID.
  - B. 'Investor's Name - Enter Investor's Name as updated with DP.
  - C. 'Investor PAN' - Enter your 10-digit PAN.
  - D. 'Power of Attorney' - Attach Board resolution or Power of Attorney.

\*File Name for the Board resolution/ Power of Attorney shall be – DP ID and Client ID or 16 Digit Beneficiary ID. Further, Custodians and Mutual Funds shall also upload specimen signatures.

- E. Click on Submit button. (The investor is now mapped with the Custodian / Corporate Body/ Mutual Fund Entity). The same can be viewed under the "Report Section".

### STEP 3 – Voting through remote e-voting

The corporate shareholder can vote by two methods, during the remote e-voting period.

#### METHOD 1 - VOTES ENTRY

- Visit URL : <https://instavote.linkintime.co.in> and login with InstaVote Login credentials.
- Click on "Votes Entry" tab under the Menu section.
- Enter the "Event No." for which you want to cast vote. Event No. can be viewed on the home page of InstaVote under "On-going Events".
- Enter "16-digit Demat Account No." for which you want to cast vote.
- Refer the Resolution description and cast your vote by selecting your desired option 'Favour / Against' (If you wish to view the entire Resolution details, click on the 'View Resolution' file link).
- After selecting the desired option i.e. Favour / Against, click on 'Submit'.

A confirmation box will be displayed. If you wish to confirm your vote, click on 'Yes', else to change your vote, click on 'No' and accordingly modify your vote.

OR

#### Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode :

Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode may contact the respective helpdesk for any technical issues related to login through Depository i.e., NSDL and CDSL.

| Login type                                                         | Helpdesk details                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL | Members facing any technical issue in login can contact NSDL helpdesk by sending a request at <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a> or call at : 022 - 4886 7000                                      |
| Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL | Members facing any technical issue in login can contact CDSL helpdesk by sending a request at <a href="mailto:helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com">helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</a> or contact at toll free no. 1800 22 55 33 |

#### Forgot Password :

##### Shareholders holding securities in physical mode / Non-Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode :

Shareholders holding securities in physical mode / Non-Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode have forgotten the USER ID [Login ID] or Password or both then the shareholder can use the "Forgot Password" option available on : <https://instavote.linkintime.co.in>

- Click on "Login" under 'SHARE HOLDER' tab.
- Click "forgot password?"
- Enter User ID, select Mode and Enter Image Verification code (CAPTCHA).
- Click on "SUBMIT".

In case shareholders have a valid email address, Password will be sent to his / her registered e-mail address. Shareholders can set the password of his/her choice by providing information about the particulars of the Security Question and Answer,

#### METHOD 2 - VOTES UPLOAD

- Visit URL : <https://instavote.linkintime.co.in> and login with InstaVote Login credentials.
- After successful login, you will be able to see the "Notification for e-voting".
- Select "View" icon for "Company's Name / Event number".
- E-voting page will appear.
- Download sample vote file from "Download Sample Vote File" tab.
- Cast your vote by selecting your desired option 'Favour / Against' in the sample vote file and upload the same under "Upload Vote File" option.
- Click on 'Submit'. 'Data uploaded successfully' message will be displayed.

(Once you cast your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify or change it subsequently).

#### Helpdesk :

Shareholders holding securities in physical mode / Non-Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode :

Shareholders holding securities in physical mode / Non-Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode facing any technical issue in login may contact INSTAVOTE helpdesk by sending a request at [enotices@in.mpmc.mufg.com](mailto:enotices@in.mpmc.mufg.com) or contact on : - Tel : 022 – 4918 6000.

PAN, DOB/DOI, Bank Account Number (last four digits) etc. The password should contain a minimum of 8 characters, at least one special character (!#\$%&\*), at least one numeral, at least one alphabet and at least one capital letter.

#### **User ID :**

NSDL demat account – User ID is 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client ID.

CDSL demat account – User ID is 16 Digit Beneficiary ID.

Shareholders holding shares in physical form – User ID is Event No + Folio Number registered with the Company.

In case Custodian / Corporate Body/ Mutual Fund has forgotten the USER ID [Login ID] or Password or both then the shareholder can use the “Forgot Password” option available on : <https://instavote.linkintime.co.in>

- Click on 'Login' under “Custodian / Corporate Body/ Mutual Fund” tab
- Click “forgot password?”
- Enter User ID, Organization ID and Enter Image Verification code (CAPTCHA).
- Click on “SUBMIT”.

In case shareholders have a valid email address, Password will be sent to his / her registered e-mail address. Shareholders can set the password of his/her choice by providing information about the particulars of the Security Question and Answer, PAN, DOB/DOI etc. The password should contain a minimum of 8 characters, at least one special character (!#\$%&\*), at least one numeral, at least one alphabet and at least one capital letter.

Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL/ CDSL has forgotten the password :

Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode have forgotten the USER ID [Login ID] or Password or both, then the Shareholders are advised to use Forget User ID and Forget Password option available at above mentioned depository/ depository participants website.

- It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential.
- For shareholders/ members holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.
- During the voting period, shareholders/ members can login any number of time till they have voted on the resolution(s) for a particular “Event”.

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

In terms of Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) General Circular No. 09/2024 dated 19.09.2024, the Companies can conduct their AGMs/ EGMs on or before 30 September 2025 by means of Video Conference (VC) or other audio-visual means (OAVM).

Shareholders are advised to update their mobile number and email Id correctly in their demat accounts to access InstaMeet facility.

### **Login method for shareholders to attend the General Meeting through InstaMeet :**

- a) **Visit URL :** <https://instameet.in.mpms.mufg.com> & click on “Login”.
- b) **Select the “Company” and ‘Event Date’ and register with your following details :**

#### **A. Demat Account No. or Folio No :**

Shareholders holding shares in NSDL demat account shall provide 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client ID.

Shareholders holding shares in CDSL demat account shall provide 16 Digit Beneficiary ID.

Shareholders holding shares in physical form – shall provide Folio Number.

#### **B. PAN :**

Enter your 10-digit Permanent Account Number (PAN) (Shareholders who have not updated their PAN with the Depository Participant (DP)/ Company shall use the sequence number provided to you, if applicable.

#### **C. Mobile No :** Enter your Mobile No.

#### **D. Email ID :** Enter your email Id as recorded with your DP/ Company.

### **c) Click “Go to Meeting”**

You are now registered for InstaMeet, and your attendance is marked for the meeting.

### **Instructions for shareholders to Speak during the General Meeting through InstaMeet :**

- a) Shareholders who would like to speak during the meeting must register their request with the company.
- b) Shareholders will get confirmation on first cum first basis depending upon the provision made by the company.
- c) Shareholders will receive “speaking serial number” once they mark attendance for the meeting. Please remember speaking serial number and start your conversation with panellist by switching on video mode and audio of your device.

- d) Other shareholder who has not registered as “Speaker Shareholder” may still ask questions to the panellist via active chat-board during the meeting.

\*Shareholders are requested to speak only when moderator of the meeting/ management will announce the name and serial number for speaking.

#### Instructions for Shareholders to Vote during the General Meeting through InstaMeet :

Once the electronic voting is activated during the meeting, shareholders who have not exercised their vote through the remote e-voting can cast the vote as under :

- On the Shareholders VC page, click on the link for e-Voting “Cast your vote”
- Enter your 16-digit Demat Account No. / Folio No. and OTP (received on the registered mobile number/ registered email Id) received during registration for InstaMEET
- Click on ‘Submit’.
- After successful login, you will see “Resolution Description” and against the same the option “Favour/ Against” for voting.
- Cast your vote by selecting appropriate option i.e. “Favour/ Against” as desired. Enter the number of shares (which represents no. of votes) as on the cut-off date under ‘Favour/Against’.
- After selecting the appropriate option i.e. Favour/Against as desired and you have decided to vote, click on “Save”. A confirmation box will be displayed. If you wish to confirm your vote, click on “Confirm”, else to change your vote, click on “Back” and accordingly modify your vote. Once you confirm your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify or change your vote subsequently.

#### Note :

Shareholders/ Members, who will be present in the General Meeting through InstaMeet facility and have not casted their vote on the Resolutions through remote e-Voting and are otherwise not barred from doing so, shall be eligible to vote through e-Voting facility during the meeting.

Shareholders/ Members who have voted through Remote e-Voting prior to the General Meeting will be eligible to attend/ participate in the General Meeting through InstaMeet. However, they will not be eligible to vote again during the meeting.

Shareholders/ Members are encouraged to join the Meeting through Tablets/ Laptops connected through broadband for better experience.

Shareholders/ Members are required to use Internet with a good speed (preferably 2 MBPS download stream) to avoid any disturbance during the meeting.

Please note that Shareholders/ Members connecting from Mobile Devices or Tablets or through Laptops connecting via Mobile Hotspot may experience Audio/Visual loss due to fluctuation in their network. It is therefore recommended to use stable Wi-Fi or LAN connection to mitigate any kind of aforesaid glitches.

#### Helpdesk :

Shareholders facing any technical issue in login may contact INSTAMEET helpdesk by sending a request at [instameet@in.mpms.mufg.com](mailto:instameet@in.mpms.mufg.com) or contact on : - Tel : 022 – 4918 6000 / 4918 6175.

#### DIVIDEND AND TDS RELATED INFORMATION :

- The Record Date for determining the names of members eligible for dividend on Equity Shares, if declared at the AGM is **Monday, the 4<sup>th</sup> August, 2025**.
- Dividend as recommended by the Board of Directors, if approved at this AGM, will be paid by **10<sup>th</sup> September, 2025** by way of electronic mode or in physical form as follows :
  - To all those shareholders holding shares in electronic form, as per the beneficial ownership data made available to the Company by National Securities Depository Ltd. (NSDL) and Central Depository Services (India) Ltd. (CDSL) as at the close of business hours on the record date i.e., 4<sup>th</sup> August, 2025 and
  - To all those shareholders holding shares in physical form, as per the details provided to the Company by the share transfer agent of the Company i.e., MUFG Intime India Private Limited (“**MUFG**”) as at the close of business hours on the record date i.e. Monday, the 4<sup>th</sup> August, 2025.
- Accordingly, you are requested to ensure that the below details, as applicable to you, are submitted and/ or updated with MUFG / your Depository participant(s) :
  - Valid Permanent Account Number (PAN);
  - Residential status as per the Income-tax Act, 1961 (‘the **IT Act**’), i.e. Resident or Non-Resident for FY 2025-26;
  - Category of the Shareholder, viz. Mutual Fund, Insurance Company, Alternate Investment Fund (AIF) – Category I, II or III, Government (Central/ State Government), Foreign Portfolio Investor (FPI)/ Foreign Institutional Investor (FII), Foreign Company, Individual, Hindu Undivided Family (HUF), Firm, Limited Liability Partnership (LLP), Association of Persons (AOP), Body of Individuals (BOI) or Artificial Juridical Person, Trust, Domestic Company, etc.;
  - Email Address;
  - Mobile number;

- Bank account details; and
  - Address with PIN code (including country).
4. Following additional documents are to be submitted by the shareholders holding shares in physical form :
- scanned copy of cancelled cheque leaf of the above-mentioned bank account (In case the cancelled cheque leaf does not bear your name, please attach a copy of the bank pass-book statement, duly self-attested); and
  - self-attested copy of your PAN card.

This will facilitate receipt of dividend directly in your bank account.

5. Members holding shares in physical form are requested to send a communication duly signed by all the holder(s) intimating about the change of address, if any, immediately to the R&T agent / Company along with the self-attested copy of their PAN Card(s), unsigned copy of the Cheque leaf where an active Bank account is maintained and the copy of the supporting documents evidencing change in address. Communication details of R&T agent are as under :

MUFG Intime India Pvt. Ltd. Block No. 202, Akshay Complex, Off. Dhole Patil Road, Pune 411 001; Tel No : 020 26160084 E-mail : [pune@in.mpms.mufg.com](mailto:pune@in.mpms.mufg.com)

6. In case, the Company is unable to pay the dividend to any shareholder by the electronic mode, due to non-availability of the details of the bank account, the Company shall dispatch the dividend warrant to such shareholder by post.
7. The Company is required to deduct Tax at Source ('TDS') in respect of approved payment of dividend to its shareholders (resident as well as non-resident). To give effect to the TDS provisions, the shareholders are required to upload the documents/ certificates/ declarations as stated in the ensuing paragraph and corresponding Annexures at <https://web.in.mpms.mufg.com/formsreg/submission-of-form-15g-15h.html> latest by **11<sup>th</sup> August, 2025 by 5 :00 p.m. (IST)**.

No communication on the tax determination / deduction shall be entertained after the above-mentioned date.

## 8. TDS Rates :

### 8.1 Resident Shareholders :

TDS at the rate of 10% under section 194 of the IT Act is subject to provisions of section 206AA of the IT Act which introduces special provisions for TDS in respect of PAN being not available / invalid PAN / inoperative PAN.

Further, no tax shall be deducted at source on the dividend payable to a resident individual if the total dividend to be

received by the said resident individual from the Company during the financial year does not exceed ₹10,000.

Tax will not be deducted at source in cases where a shareholder provides Form 15G (where applicable) / Form 15H (applicable to an individual above the age of 60 years), provided that the eligibility conditions are met.

Blank Form 15G and 15H can be downloaded from the link given at the end of this communication. Please note that all fields mentioned in the Form are mandatory and the Company may reject the forms submitted, if it does not meet the requirement of the law.

NIL / lower tax shall be deducted on the dividend payable to following resident shareholders on submission of self-declaration (as per formats attached) enclosed as Annexure - A (Part 1) herewith :

- i. Insurance companies;
- ii. Mutual Funds;
- iii. Category I/ Category II Alternative Investment Fund (AIF) established in India;
- iv. New Pension System Trust;
- v. Other exempt shareholders; and
- vi. Government

The above referred documents submitted by you will be verified by us and we will consider the same while deducting the appropriate taxes, if any, provided that these documents are in accordance with the provisions of the IT Act.

### 8.2 Non-resident Shareholders :

Tax is required to be deducted at source in the case of non-resident shareholders in accordance with the provisions of section 195 of the IT Act at the rates in force. As per the relevant provisions of the IT Act, the TDS on dividend shall be @ 20% or applicable rate under the DTAA plus applicable surcharge and health & education cess on the amount of dividend payable to the non-resident shareholders. For FII/ FPI shareholders, section 196D provides for TDS @ 20% or applicable rate under the DTAA plus applicable surcharge and health & education cess.

However, as per section 90 of the IT Act, non-resident shareholders have the option to be governed by the provisions of the Double Tax Avoidance Agreement (DTAA) read with applicable Multilateral Instrument (MLI) provisions, if they are more beneficial to them.

In order to claim the benefit of the DTAA, non-resident shareholders will have to provide required documents/ declarations. A list of such documents/ declarations required to be provided by the shareholders is enclosed as Annexure - A (Part 2) herewith.

Application of beneficial DTAA rate shall depend upon the completeness and satisfactory review by the Company, of the documents submitted by non-resident shareholders and meeting the requirement of the IT Act read with applicable DTAA. In absence of the same, the Company will not be obligated to apply the beneficial DTAA rate at the time of tax deduction on dividend.

The above referred documents submitted by you will be verified by us and we will consider the same while deducting the appropriate taxes, if any, provided that these documents are in accordance with the provisions of the IT Act.

**(i) In addition to the above, please note the following :**

- In case you hold shares under multiple accounts under different status/ category but under a single PAN, the highest rate of tax as applicable to the status in which shares held under the said PAN will be considered on the entire holding in different accounts.
- In case of joint shareholding, the withholding tax rates shall be considered basis the status of the primary beneficial shareholder.
- For deduction of tax at source, the Company would be relying on the above data shared by MUFG as updated up to the record date.

**(ii)** It may be further noted that in case tax on dividend is deducted at a higher rate in the absence of receipt of any of the details/ valid documents mentioned in preceding paragraphs from the shareholders within the timeline mentioned above, the shareholders may consider claiming appropriate refund, as may be eligible in their return of income. No claim shall lie against the Company for such taxes deducted. The Company shall arrange to email the soft copy of the TDS certificate to shareholders at the registered email ID within the prescribed time, post payment of the said dividend, if approved in the AGM. The tax credit can also be viewed in Form 26AS by logging in with your credentials (with valid PAN) at TRACES <https://www.tdscpc.gov.in/app/login.xhtml> or the e-filing website of the Income Tax department of India <https://www.incometax.gov.in/home>.

**(iii)** Please note dividend shall be paid to the shareholders as per the details provided to the Company by MUFG as at the close of business hours on the record date and TDS will be deducted accordingly, subject to declarations received by the Company in this regard.

**(iv)** NIL / lower tax shall be deducted on the dividend payable to resident as well as non-resident shareholders who have provided a valid certificate issued under section 197 of the IT Act for nil/ lower rate of deduction or an exemption certificate issued by the income tax authorities along with Declaration. Also, please provide valid declaration under Rule 37BA of the Income Tax Rules in case of Joint shareholders, Minor shareholders, etc. in case the dividend income is assessable for tax in the hands of person, other than the person whose name appears in the shareholder register as on the record date.

**(v)** In the event of any income tax demand (including interest, penalty, etc.) arising from any misrepresentation, inaccuracy or omission of information provided by the Shareholder/s, such Shareholder/s will be responsible to indemnify the Company and also, provide the Company with all information / documents and co-operate in any assessment/ appellate proceedings before the Tax/ Government authorities.

Kindly note that the aforementioned documents are required to be uploaded **before 11<sup>th</sup> August, 2025** with MUFG Intime India Pvt. Ltd., the R&T Agent at <https://web.in.mpms.mufg.com/formsreg/submission-of-form-15g-15h.html>.

You can visit <https://web.in.mpms.mufg.com/client-downloads.html> to download the documents as applicable.

**9. UPDATION OF BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS :**

While on the subject, we request you to submit / update your bank account details with your Depository Participant, in case you are holding shares in the electronic form. In case your shareholding is in the physical form, you will have to submit a scanned copy of a covering letter, duly signed by you, along with a cancelled cheque leaf with your name and bank account details and a copy of your PAN card duly self-attested. This will facilitate receipt of dividend directly into your bank account. In case the cancelled cheque leaf does not bear your name, please attach a copy of the bank pass-book statement, duly self-attested.

**10.** The Company shall arrange to email the soft copy of TDS certificate at the registered email ID of members post payment of the dividend.

**11.** No claim shall lie against the Company for such taxes deducted.

## ANNEXURE - A

### List of documents to be submitted for determination of appropriate rate of deduction of tax at source

#### Part 1 - Resident Shareholders

##### Individual Resident Shareholders

- Lower or nil withholding tax certificate under section 197 of the Income-tax Act, 1961 ('the IT Act'), if any.
- Form 15G/ 15H [as prescribed under sections 197A(1) and 197A(1C) of the IT Act, respectively].
- Declaration under Rule 37BA of the Income-tax Rules, 1962 ('the Rules') in case of Joint shareholders, Minor shareholders, Clearing Members, etc.

Note : No tax shall be deducted on the dividend payable to a resident individual if the total dividend to be received during a financial year does not exceed ₹10,000.

##### Non-individual Resident Shareholders

- Lower or nil withholding tax certificate under section 197 of the IT Act, if any
- Form 15G [as prescribed under sections 197A(1) of the IT Act] applicable in case of HUF.

#### Additional documents for following categories of shareholders :

| Categories of resident shareholders                                                          | Documents required                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
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| Insurance Companies                                                                          | Registration certificate along with declaration that you are an Insurance company as defined under the second proviso to section 194 of the IT Act                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Mutual Funds                                                                                 | Certificate of registration under section 10(23D) of the IT Act issued by the appropriate authority                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Category I/ Category II Alternative Investment Fund                                          | Certificate of registration/ declaration evidencing that you are a Category I/ Category II Alternative Investment Fund, as defined under Section 10(23FBA) and clause (a) of Explanation 1 to Section 115UB of the IT Act [covered by Notification No. 51/2015 dated June 25, 2015]                                                               |
| National Pension Scheme Trust                                                                | Registration certificate/ declaration that you qualify as NPS Trust for the purpose of section 197A(1E) of the IT Act, and that your income is eligible for exemption under section 10(44) of the IT Act                                                                                                                                          |
| Entities unconditionally exempt under section 10 and not required to file a return of income | Documentary evidence and self-declaration substantiating that you are an entity covered by Circular No. 18 of 2017 issued by the Central Board of Direct Taxes and that your income is unconditionally exempt under section 10 of the IT Act and that you are not statutorily required to file a return of income under section 139 of the IT Act |
| Government                                                                                   | Documentary evidence and self-declaration that you are a Corporation set up under a specific legislation whose income is exempt from income-tax and can be considered as 'Government' and qualify for exemption under section 196 of the IT Act                                                                                                   |

#### Part 2 - Non-Resident Individuals/ Foreign Nationals/ Foreign Corporate Bodies, Foreign Banks, OCBs, FPI/ FIIs

- Copy of lower or nil withholding tax certificate under section 197 of the IT Act, if any.

OR

- Copy of the PAN Card (duly attested) allotted by the Indian Income-tax authorities.
- Copy of Tax Residence Certificate (TRC) (of FY 2025-26 or calendar years 2025 and 2026, valid as on record date) obtained from the tax authorities of the country of which the shareholder is resident. In case, the TRC is furnished in a language other than English, the said TRC would have to be translated from such other language to English language and thereafter, duly notarized and an apostilled copy of the TRC would have to be provided.
- Self-declaration by the non-resident shareholder in the prescribed format.
- Self-declaration in Form 10F.
- Self-declaration to be provided under Rule 37BC(2) of the Rules (in case PAN is not available).
- Declaration under Rule 37BA of the Rules – in case of Joint shareholders, Minor shareholders etc.

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Maval, Bhor, Bhimashankar- Pune District  
Akole- Ahilyanagar (Ahmednagar) District  
Molgi- Nandurbar District  
Lakhpat- Kutch District, Gujarat

100+

Number of villages covered

~50,000

Number of beneficiaries



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