

CRITERIA FOR MAKING PAYMENTS TO NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

I. Criteria of selection of Non Executive Directors:

- i. The Non Executive Directors shall be of high integrity with relevant expertise and experience so as to have a diverse Board with Directors having expertise in the fields of manufacturing, marketing, finance, taxation, law, governance and general management.
- ii. In case of appointment of Independent Directors, the N&R Committee shall satisfy itself with regard to the independent nature of the Directors vis-à-vis the Company so as to enable the Board to discharge its function and duties effectively.
- iii. The N&R Committee shall ensure that the candidate identified for appointment as a Director is not disqualified for appointment under Section 164 of the Companies Act, 2013.
- iv. The N&R Committee shall consider the following attributes / criteria, whilst recommending to the Board the candidature for appointment as Director:
 - a. Qualification, expertise and experience of the Directors in their respective fields;
 - b. Personal, Professional or business standing;
 - c. Diversity of the Board.
- v. In case of re-appointment of Directors, the N & R Committee shall take into consideration the performance evaluation of the Director and his engagement level, for making its recommendation to the Board.

II. Remuneration

The Non Executive Directors shall be entitled to receive remuneration by way of sitting fees, reimbursement of expenses for participation in the Board / Committee meetings and commission as detailed hereunder:

- i. A Non Executive Director shall be entitled to receive sitting fees for each meeting of the Board or Committee of the Board attended by him, of such sum as may be approved by the Board of Directors within the overall limits prescribed under the Companies Act, 2013 and The Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014;
- ii. A Non Executive Director will also be entitled to receive commission on an annual basis, of such sum as may be approved by the Board on the recommendation of the N&R Committee;
- iii. The N&R Committee may recommend to the Board, the payment of commission on uniform basis, to all the Independent Director.
- iv. The N&R Committee may recommend commission for the Executive Directors taking into consideration their overall responsibilities, terms of appointment and the Company performance.
- v. The Independent Directors of the Company shall not be entitled to participate in the Stock Option Scheme of the Company, if any, introduced by the Company.

