# FORM NO. MGT-7

[Pursuant to sub-Section(1) of section 92 of the Companies Act, 2013 and sub-rule (1) of rule 11of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014]



# **Annual Return**

(other than OPCs and Small Companies)

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## I. REGISTRATION AND OTHER DETAILS

(i) \* Corporate Identification Number (CIN) of the company

Global Location Number (GLN) of the company

- \* Permanent Account Number (PAN) of the company
- (ii) (a) Name of the company
  - (b) Registered office address

ndiamart Intermesh Limited 1st Floor, 29-Daryaganj, Netaji Subash Marg	
New Delhi	
Delhi	
10002	

- (c) \*e-mail ID of the company
- (d) \*Telephone number with STD code
- (e) Website
- (iii) Date of Incorporation

cs@indiamart.com

L74899DL1999PLC101534

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01145608941

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www.indiamart.com

13/09/1999

(iv)	Type of the Company	Category of the Com	pany	Sub-category of the Company
	Public Company	Company limited	l by shares	Indian Non-Government company
(v) Whether company is having share capital			Yes	○ No
(vi) *Whether shares listed on recognized Stock Exchange(s)		• Yes	O No	

#### (a) Details of stock exchanges where shares are listed

S. No.	S	tock Exchange Na	ame			Code	7
1	Natior	National Stock Exchange of India Limited				1,024	-
2		BSE Limited				1	-
	(b) CIN of the Registrar and Transfer Agent U67190MH1999PTC118368 Name of the Registrar and Transfer Agent						Pre-fill
	TIME INDIA PRIVATE LIM		ansfer Agent	 s			
C 101, En	nbassy 247, L.B.S.Marg, V	ikhroli (West), Mun	nbai - 400083				7
(vii) *Financia	l year From date 01/04	1/2024	(DD/MM/Y)	(YY)	To date	31/03/2025	(DD/MM/YYYY)
(viii) *Whethei	r Annual general meetii	ng (AGM) held		) Ye	es 🔿	No	
(a) If yes	, date of AGM						
(b) Due c	late of AGM	30/09/2025					
(c) Wheth	ner any extension for A	GM granted		$\bigcirc$	Yes	No	
II. PRINCIP	AL BUSINESS AC	TIVITIES OF T	HE COMF	'AN'	(		

\*Number of business activities 1

	Main Activity group code	Description of Main Activity group	Business Activity Code		% of turnover of the company
1	J	Information and communication	J8	Other information & communication service activities	100

# III. PARTICULARS OF HOLDING, SUBSIDIARY AND ASSOCIATE COMPANIES (INCLUDING JOINT VENTURES)

\*No. of Companies for which information is to be given |12

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S.No	Name of the company	CIN / FCRN	Holding/ Subsidiary/Associate/ Joint Venture	% of shares held
1	BUSY INFOTECH PRIVATE LIMIT	U72200HR2014PTC120179	Subsidiary	100
2	TRADEZEAL ONLINE PRIVATE L	U74110DL2005PTC136907	Subsidiary	100

3	IIL DIGITAL PRIVATE LIMITED	U63111DL2024PTC435856	Subsidiary	100
4	PAY WITH INDIAMART PRIVATE	U74999DL2017PTC312424	Subsidiary	100
5	LIVEKEEPING TECHNOLOGIES F	U72900DL2015PTC408182	Subsidiary	65.97
6	MOBISY TECHNOLOGIES PRIVA	U72900KA2008PTC045157	Associate	31.33
7	SIMPLY VYAPAR APPS PRIVATE	U74110KA2018PTC110858	Associate	28.7
8	AGILLOS E-COMMERCE PRIVAT	U52300KA2016PTC092938	Associate	26.23
9	EDGEWISE TECHNOLOGIES PRI	U72200KA2015PTC078474	Associate	26.01
10	IB MONOTARO PRIVATE LIMITE	U52609DL2020PTC366962	Associate	23.69
11	ADANSA SOLUTIONS PRIVATE	U72300HR2015PTC056319	Associate	26.01
12	TRUCKHALL PRIVATE LIMITED	U60221WB2016PTC217183	Associate	35.04

# IV. SHARE CAPITAL, DEBENTURES AND OTHER SECURITIES OF THE COMPANY

# (i) \*SHARE CAPITAL

(a) Equity share capital

Particulars	Authorised capital	lssued capital	Subscribed capital	Paid up capital
Total number of equity shares	99,442,460	60,032,148	60,032,148	60,032,148
Total amount of equity shares (in Rupees)	994,424,600	600,321,480	600,321,480	600,321,480

#### Number of classes

Class of Shares Equity Share	Authorised capital	Icapital	Subscribed capital	Paid up capital
Number of equity shares	99,442,460	60,032,148	60,032,148	60,032,148
Nominal value per share (in rupees)	10	10	10	10
Total amount of equity shares (in rupees)	994,424,600	600,321,480	600,321,480	600,321,480

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#### (b) Preference share capital

Particulars	Authorised capital	lssued capital	Subscribed capital	Paid-up capital
Total number of preference shares	3	0	0	0
Total amount of preference shares (in rupees)	984	0	0	0

Number of classes

Class of shares 0.01% Cumulative Preference Shares	Authorised capital	capital	Subscribed capital	Paid up capital
Number of preference shares	3	0	0	0
Nominal value per share (in rupees)	328	328	328	328
Total amount of preference shares (in rupees)	984	0	0	0

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### (c) Unclassified share capital

Particulars	Authorised Capital
Total amount of unclassified shares	0

#### (d) Break-up of paid-up share capital

Class of shares	N	umber of sh	ares	Total nominal amount	Total Paid-up amount	Total premium
Equity shares	Physical	DEMAT	Total			
At the beginning of the year	0	59,979,148	59979148	599,791,480 +		
Increase during the year	0	53,000	53000	530,000	530,000	0
i. Pubic Issues	0	0	0	0	0	0
ii. Rights issue	0	0	0	0	0	0
iii. Bonus issue	0		0			
iv. Private Placement/ Preferential allotment	0	0	0	0	0	0
v. ESOPs	0	53,000	53000	530,000	530,000	
vi. Sweat equity shares allotted	0	0	0	0	0	0
vii. Conversion of Preference share	0	0	0	0	0	0
viii. Conversion of Debentures	0	0	0	0	0	0
ix. GDRs/ADRs	0	0	0	0	0	0
x. Others, specify						
Decrease during the year	0	0	0	0	0	0
i. Buy-back of shares	0		0			
ii. Shares forfeited	0	0	0	0	0	0

iii. Reduction of share capital	0	0	0	0	0	0
iv. Others, specify						
At the end of the year	0	60,032,148	60032148	600,321,480	600,321,48	
Preference shares						
At the beginning of the year	0	3	3	984	984	
Increase during the year	0	0	0	0	0	0
i. Issues of shares	0	0	0	0	0	0
ii. Re-issue of forfeited shares	0	0	0	0	0	0
iii. Others, specify						
Decrease during the year	0	0	0	0	0	0
i. Redemption of shares	0	0	0	0	0	0
ii. Shares forfeited	0	0	0	0	0	0
iii. Reduction of share capital	0	0	0	0	0	0
iv. Others, specify						
At the end of the year	0	3	3	984	984	

ISIN of the equity shares of the company

(ii) Details of stock split/consolidation during the year (for each class of shares)

 Class of shares
 (i)
 (ii)
 (iii)

 Before split /
 Number of shares
 Image: Class of shares
 Image: Class of shares

 Consolidation
 Face value per share
 Image: Class of shares
 Image: Class of shares

 After split /
 Number of shares
 Image: Class of shares
 Image: Class of shares

 Consolidation
 Face value per share
 Image: Class of shares
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 Consolidation
 Face value per share
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(iii) Details of shares/Debentures Transfers since closure date of last financial year (or in the case of the first return at any time since the incorporation of the company) \*

$\boxtimes$	Nil [Details being provided in a CD/Digital Media]	⊖ Yes	O No	O Not Applicable
	Separate sheet attached for details of transfers	⊖ Yes	🔿 No	

Note: In case list of transfer exceeds 10, option for submission as a separate sheet attachment or submission in a CD/Digital Media may be shown.

Date of the previous annual general meeting						
Date of registration o	f transfer (Date Month Year)					
Type of transfer 1 - Equity, 2- Preference Shares, 3 - Debentures, 4 - Stock						
Number of Shares/ Debentures/       Amount per Share/         Units Transferred       Debenture/Unit (in Rs.)						
Ledger Folio of Transferor						
Transferor's Name						
	Surname	middle name	first name			
Ledger Folio of Trans	sferee	<u> </u>				
Transferee's Name						
	Surname	middle name	first name			
Date of registration of transfer (Date Month Year)						

Type of transfer		1 - Equity, 2	- Preference Shares, 3 - Debentures, 4 - Stock
Number of Shares/ Debentur Units Transferred	es/		Amount per Share/ Debenture/Unit (in Rs.)

Ledger Folio of Transferor							
Transferor's Name							
	Surname	middle name	first name				
Ledger Folio of Trans	Ledger Folio of Transferee						
Transferee's Name							

## (iv) \*Debentures (Outstanding as at the end of financial year)

Particulars	Number of units	Nominal value per unit	Total value
Non-convertible debentures	0	0	0
Partly convertible debentures	0	0	0
Fully convertible debentures	0	0	0
Total			0

#### Details of debentures

Class of debentures	Outstanding as at the beginning of the year	-	Decrease during the year	Outstanding as at the end of the year
Non-convertible debentures	0	0	0	0
Partly convertible debentures	0	0	0	0
Fully convertible debentures	0	0	0	0

#### (v) Securities (other than shares and debentures)

Type of Securities	Number of Securities	Nominal Value of each Unit	Total Nominal Value	Paid up Value of each Unit	Total Paid up Value
Total					

# V. \*Turnover and net worth of the company (as defined in the Companies Act, 2013)

13,200,585,004.28

### (ii) Net worth of the Company

22,762,047,451.59

## VI. (a) \*SHARE HOLDING PATTERN - Promoters

S. No.	Category	Equi	ity	Preference		
		Number of shares	Percentage	Number of shares	Percentage	
1.	Individual/Hindu Undivided Family					
	(i) Indian	29,514,888	49.17	0		
	(ii) Non-resident Indian (NRI)	0	0	0		
	(iii) Foreign national (other than NRI)	0	0	0		
2.	Government					
	(i) Central Government	0	0	0		
	(ii) State Government	0	0	0		
	(iii) Government companies	0	0	0		
3.	Insurance companies	0	0	0		
4.	Banks	0	0	0		
5.	Financial institutions	0	0	0		
б.	Foreign institutional investors	0	0	0		
7.	Mutual funds	0	0	0		
8.	Venture capital	0	0	0		
9.	Body corporate (not mentioned above)	0	0	0		
10.	Others	0	0	0		
	Total	29,514,888	49.17	0	0	

#### Total number of shareholders (promoters)

18

### (b) \*SHARE HOLDING PATTERN - Public/Other than promoters

S. No.	Category	Equity		Preference	
		Number of shares Percentage N		Number of shares	Percentage

1.	Individual/Hindu Undivided Family				
	(i) Indian	8,746,647	14.57	0	
	(ii) Non-resident Indian (NRI)	370,237	0.62	0	
	(iii) Foreign national (other than NRI)	0	0	0	
2.	Government				
	(i) Central Government	1,591	0	0	
	(ii) State Government	0	0	0	
	(iii) Government companies	0	0	0	
3.	Insurance companies	332,291	0.55	0	
4.	Banks	15	0	0	
5.	Financial institutions	0	0	0	
6.	Foreign institutional investors	11,375,383	18.95	0	
7.	Mutual funds	8,190,575	13.64	0	
8.	Venture capital	0	0	0	
9.	Body corporate (not mentioned above)	477,636	0.8	0	
10.	Others Alternative Investment Fun	1,022,885	1.7	0	
	Total	30,517,260	50.83	0	0

Total number of shareholders (other than promoters)

168,119

Total number of shareholders (Promoters+Public/ Other than promoters)

168,137

#### (c) \*Details of Foreign institutional investors' (FIIs) holding shares of the company

Number of shares |% of shares held Name of the FII Address Date of **Country of** Incorporation Incorporation held DEUTSCHE BANK AG DB HOUSE, HAZARIMAL SOMANI 953,358 1.58 + HSBC SECURITIES SER 11TH FLOOR, BLDG 3, NESCO - IT P 794,351 1.32 ÷ +**CITIBANK N.A. CUSTOI** FIFC-9TH FLOOR, G BLOCK 545,484 0.9 +452,969 0.75 CITIBANK N.A. CUSTOI FIFC-9TH FLOOR, G BLOCK +

Name of the FII	Address	Date of Incorporation	Country of Incorporation	Number of shares held	% of shares held
JP MORGAN CHASE B				397,837	0.66
JP MORGAN CHASE B				369,891	0.61
HSBC SECURITIES SER	11TH FLOOR, BLDG 3, NESCO - IT F			362,868	0.6
CITIBANK N.A. CUSTO	-			356,951	0.59
CITIBANK N.A. CUSTO	-			344,998	0.57
CITIBANK N.A. CUSTO				313,326	0.52
CITIBANK N.A. CUSTO	-			305,914	0.5
CITIBANK N.A. CUSTO	FIFC- 9TH FLOOR, G BLOCK			276,965	0.46
CITIBANK N.A. CUSTO	-			259,879	0.43
CITIBANK N.A. CUSTO	-			237,769	0.4
STANDARD CHARTER	SECURITIES SERVICES, 3RD FLOOR			231,154	0.39
JP MORGAN CHASE B				205,513	0.34
STANDARD CHARTER	SECURITIES SERVICES, 3RD FLOOR			180,000	0.29
DEUTSCHE BANK AG,	HAZARIMAL SOMANI MARG,			165,960	0.27
JP MORGAN CHASE B				165,871	0.27
DEUTSCHE BANK AG	DB HOUSE, HAZARIMAL SOMANI I			156,180	0.26
STANDARD CHARTERI	SECURITIES SERVICES, 3RD FLOOR			152,953	0.25
JP MORGAN CHASE B	INDIA SUB CUSTODY			141,290	0.23
CITIBANK N.A. CUSTO	-			138,094	0.23
	801 804 WING A BUILDING NO 3 IN			134,635	0.22
CITIBANK N.A. CUSTO	FIFC- 9TH FLOOR, G BLOCK			127,496	0.21

#### VII. \*NUMBER OF PROMOTERS, MEMBERS, DEBENTURE HOLDERS (Details, Promoters, Members (other than promoters), Debenture holders)

Details	At the beginning of the year	At the end of the year
Promoters	18	18
Members (other than promoters)	161,805	168,119
Debenture holders	0	0

#### VIII. DETAILS OF DIRECTORS AND KEY MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL

#### (A) \*Composition of Board of Directors

Category		lirectors at the g of the year		rectors at the end he year		shares held by the end of year
	Executive	Non-executive	Executive	Non-executive	Executive	Non-executive
A. Promoter	2	0	2	0	49.17	0
B. Non-Promoter	0	5	1	5	0	0.07
(i) Non-Independent	0	1	1	1	0	0.05
(ii) Independent	0	4	0	4	0	0.02
C. Nominee Directors representing	0	0	0	0	0	0
(i) Banks & FIs	0	0	0	0	0	0
(ii) Investing institutions	0	0	0	0	0	0
(iii) Government	0	0	0	0	0	0
(iv) Small share holders	0	0	0	0	0	0
(v) Others	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	2	5	3	5	49.17	0.07

#### Number of Directors and Key managerial personnel (who is not director) as on the financial year end date

#### (B) (i) \*Details of directors and Key managerial personnel as on the closure of financial year

Name	DIN/PAN	Designation	Number of equity share(s) held	Date of cessation (after closure of financial year : If any)
DINESH CHANDRA A(	00191800	Managing Director	16,827,532	

Name	DIN/PAN	Designation	Number of equity share(s) held	Date of cessation (after closure of financial year : If any)
BRIJESH KUMAR AGF	00191760	Whole-time directo	11,403,046	
DHRUV PRAKASH	05124958	Director	20,413	
MANOJ BHARGAVA	08267536	Whole-time directo	5,568	
RAJESH SAWHNEY	01519511	Director	9,795	
MANISH VIJ	00505422	Director	0	
PALLAVI DINODIA GU	06566637	Director	254	
VIVEK NARAYAN GOL	00254383	Director	2,000	
MANOJ BHARGAVA	AGGPB9543D	Company Secretar	5,568	
JITIN DIWAN	AIYPD3488K	CFO	0	

(ii) Particulars of change in director(s) and Key managerial personnel during the year

Name	DIN/PAN	Designation at the beginning / during the financial year	Date of appointment/ change in designation/ cessation	Nature of change (Appointment/ Change in designation/ Cessation)
AAKASH CHAUDHF	00106392	Director	21/01/2025	Cessation
MANOJ BHARGAV/	08267536	Additional director	21/01/2025	Appointment
MANISH VIJ	00505422	Additional director	21/01/2025	Appointment
PRATEEK CHANDR	ADYPC1053C	CFO	15/06/2024	Cessation
JITIN DIWAN	AIYPD3488K	CFO	15/06/2024	Appointment
MANOJ BHARGAV∕ ₩	08267536	Whole-time director	21/01/2025	Change in designation
MANISH VIJ	00505422	Director	21/01/2025	Change in designation

# IX. MEETINGS OF MEMBERS/CLASS OF MEMBERS/BOARD/COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

A. MEMBERS/CLASS /REQUISITIONED/NCLT/COURT CONVENED MEETINGS

Number of meetings held

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Type of meeting	Date of meeting	Total Number of Members entitled to	Attendance	
		attend meeting		% of total shareholding
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETI	20/06/2024	164,539	53	

#### **B. BOARD MEETINGS**

\*Number of meetings held 5

S. No.	Date of meeting	Total Number of directors associated as on the date		Attendance	
		of meeting	Number of directors attended	% of attendance	
1	05/04/2024	7	6	85.71	
2	30/04/2024	7	6	85.71	
3	30/07/2024	7	6	85.71	
4	19/10/2024	7	7	100	
5	21/01/2025	9	9	100	
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#### C. COMMITTEE MEETINGS

	tings held		16		
S. No.	Type of meeting	Date of meeting	Total Number of Members as	ļ A	Attendance
		Date of meeting		Number of members attended	% of attendance
1	AUDIT COMM	04/04/2024	4	4	100
2	AUDIT COMM	29/04/2024	4	4	100
3	AUDIT COMM	29/07/2024	4	4	100
4	AUDIT COMM	18/10/2024	4	3	75
5	AUDIT COMM	20/01/2025	4	4	100
6	NOMINATION	05/04/2024	4	4	100
7		19/07/2024	4	4	100
8	NOMINATION	20/01/2025	4	4	100
9	RISK MANAG	18/09/2024	4	4	100
10	RISK MANAG	24/03/2025	4	4	100

		Board Meetings			Co	gs	Whether attended AGM	
S. No.	of the director		Meetings	% of attendance		Meetings	% of attendance	held on
		entitled to attend	attended	allenuance	entitled to attend	attended	allenuance	(Y/N/NA)
1	DINESH CHAI	5	5	100	0	0	0	
2	BRIJESH KUN	5	5	100	7	7	100	
3	DHRUV PRAK	5	5	100	13	13	100	
4	MANOJ BHAF	1	1	100	0	0	0	
5	RAJESH SAW	5	5	100	9	9	100	
6	MANISH VIJ	1	1	100	0	0	0	
7	PALLAVI DING	5	5	100	12	12	100	
8	VIVEK NARA)	5	4	80	16	13	81.25	

#### X. \*REMUNERATION OF DIRECTORS AND KEY MANAGERIAL PERSONNEL

D Nil

lumber o	of Managing Director, Whole-time Directors and/or Manager whose remuneration details to be entered						
S. No.	Name	Designation	Gross Salary	Commission	Stock Option/ Sweat equity	Others	Total Amount
1	Dinesh Chandra Ag ∓	Managing Direct	54,635,376	0	0	21,170,133	75,805,509
2	Brijesh Kumar Agrav #	Whole-Time Dir∉ <b>∓</b>	39,600,144	0	0	15,667,742	55,267,886
3	Manoj Bhargava	Whole-Time Dir∉ <b>∓</b>	13,073,676			11,744,507	24,818,183
	Total		107,309,196	0	0	48,582,382	155,891,578
lumber o	f CEO, CFO and Com	bany secretary who	se remuneration d	etails to be entered	1	2	
S. No.	Name	Designation	Gross Salary	Commission	Stock Option/ Sweat equity	Others	Total Amount
1	Jitin Diwan	Chief Financial ( +	13,015,000	0		3,076,589	16,091,589
2	Manoj Bhargava	Company Secre	13,073,676	0		11,744,507	24,818,183
	Total		26,088,676	0	0	14,821,096	40,909,772

Number of other directors whose remuneration details to be entered

S. No.	Name	Designation	Gross Salary	Commission	Stock Option/ Sweat equity	Others	Total Amount
1	Dhruv Prakash	Non-Executive [	0	0	0	4,900,000	4,900,000
2	Vivek Narayan Gou 毋	Independent Dir +	0	0	0	2,000,000	2,000,000
3	Rajesh Sawhney	Independent Dir +	0	0	0	1,800,000	1,800,000
4	Pallavi Dinodia Gup +	Independent Dir +	0	0	0	1,700,000	1,700,000
5	Manish Vij	Independent Dir +	0	0	0	100,000	100,000
	Total		0	0	0	10,500,000	10,500,000

#### XI. MATTERS RELATED TO CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCES AND DISCLOSURES

<b>*</b> A.	Whether the company has made compliances and disclosures in respect of applicable	$\bigcirc$	Yes	$\bigcirc$
	provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 during the year	$\bigcirc$		$\bigcirc$

No

B. If No, give reasons/observations

#### XII. PENALTY AND PUNISHMENT - DETAILS THEREOF

### (A) DETAILS OF PENALTIES / PUNISHMENT IMPOSED ON COMPANY/DIRECTORS /OFFICERS NI

	Date of Order		Details of appeal (if any) including present status

#### (B) DETAILS OF COMPOUNDING OF OFFENCES Nil 🕅

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XIII. Whether complete list of shareholders, debenture holders has been enclosed as an attachment

● Yes ○ No

#### XIV. COMPLIANCE OF SUB-SECTION (2) OF SECTION 92, IN CASE OF LISTED COMPANIES

In case of a listed company or a company having paid up share capital of Ten Crore rupees or more or turnover of Fifty Crore rupees or more, details of company secretary in whole time practice certifying the annual return in Form MGT-8.

Name

Deepak Kukreja & Associates

$\cap$	Accociato		Fellow
()	Associate	$(\bullet)$	reliow

Whether associate or fellow

Certificate of practice number

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#### I/We certify that:

(a) The return states the facts, as they stood on the date of the closure of the financial year aforesaid correctly and adequately.(b) Unless otherwise expressly stated to the contrary elsewhere in this Return, the Company has complied with all the provisions of the Act during the financial year.

#### Declaration

I am Authorised I	y the Board	l of Directors of th	e compan	y vide resolution no
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dated	28/10/2015

(DD/MM/YYYY) to sign this form and declare that all the requirements of the Companies Act, 2013 and the rules made thereunder in respect of the subject matter of this form and matters incidental thereto have been compiled with. I further declare that:

1. Whatever is stated in this form and in the attachments thereto is true, correct and complete and no information material to the subject matter of this form has been suppressed or concealed and is as per the original records maintained by the company.

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2. All the required attachments have been completely and legibly attached to this form.

# Note: Attention is also drawn to the provisions of Section 447, section 448 and 449 of the Companies Act, 2013 which provide for punishment for fraud, punishment for false statement and punishment for false evidence respectively.

#### To be digitally signed by

Director		
DIN of the director	00191760	
To be digitally signed by		
<ul> <li>Company Secretary</li> <li>Company secretary in practice</li> </ul>		
Membership number 5164	Certificate of practice number	

#### Attachments

List of attachments

<ol> <li>List of share holders, debenture holders</li> <li>Approval letter for extension of AGM;</li> <li>Copy of MGT-8;</li> <li>Optional Attachement(s), if any</li> </ol>	Attach Attach Attach Attach	
Modify Check Form	Prescrutiny	Remove attachment Submit

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