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Department of Corporate Services, BSE Limited, 14<sup>th</sup> Floor, P.J. Towers, Dalal Street,

MUMBAI :: 400 001

(BSE Scrip Code No.502330)

Listing Department,
National Stock Exchange of India Ltd.
"Exchange Plaza,"
Bandra-Kurla Complex,
Bandra (E), MUMBAI – 400 051

(Symbol – ANDHRAPAP; Series – EQ)

Dear Sirs,

Sub: Compliance Report on Corporate Governance

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Pursuant to Regulation 27 (2) (a) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, we send herewith the Compliance Report on Corporate Governance for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2021.

Please acknowledge the receipt.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully, For ANDHRA PAPER LIMITED

ARAVIND MATTA
COMPANY SECRETARY &
VICE PRESIDENT (CORPORATE AFFAIRS)

Encl. As above.



### ANDHRA PAPER LIMITED

(Formerly known as International Paper APPM Limited)
(Corporate Identity Number: L21010AP1964PLC001008)

Regd. Office: Rajahmundry – 533 105, East Godavari Dist., Andhra Pradesh, India.
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Website: www.andhrapaper.com

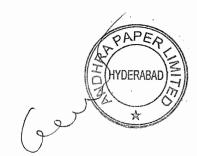
An ISO 9001, ISO 14001, ISO 45001 and FSC® Certified Company (FSC® - C119477)

## COMPLIANCE REPORT ON CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

1. Name of Listed Entity: Andhra Paper Limited (Formerly known as International Paper APPM Limited)

2. Quarter ending: March 31, 2021

No (N	itle Vir. / /is.)	Name of the Director	PAN <sup>\$</sup> & DIN	Category	Initial		I	1					
	/				l Illicial	Date	Date	Tenure	Date of Birth	No. of	No. of	No. of	No. of post of
M <sub>1</sub>	/ (s.)	Director		(Chairperson	Date	of	of	*		Directorship	Independent	memberships in	Chairperson in
I M	15.)	D C		/Executive/	of	Re-	Cessa-	in		in listed	Director-ship	Audit/	Audit/
1 171	,			Non-	Appoint-	appoint-	tion	months		entities	in listed	Stakeholder	Stakeholder
				Executive/	ment	ment				including	entities	Committee(s)	Committee held
				Independent						this listed	including this	including this	in listed entities
				/						entity	listed entity	listed entity	including this
				Nominee)&						[in	[in reference	[Refer	listed entity
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										Regulation	regulation	26(1) of Listing	Regulation
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													Regulations]
1 2	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
1 M	۷r.	Shree	PAN:	Chairperson	30-10-2019	-			16-11-1949	3	-	2	-
		Kumar	AHHPB5719K	– Executive						i			
		Bangur	DIN:00053237										
	1												
2 M	۷r.	Adhiraj	PAN:	Non-	06-12-2011	01-04-	-	111	15-08-1952	2	2	2	-
		Sarin	AOBPS8742N	Executive-		2019							
			DIN:00140989	Independent									
3 M	۸r.	Praveen	PAN:	Non-	25-01-2012	01-04-	_	110	21-01-1957	3	3	1	2
	v::-	P. Kadle	AEEPK1052J	Executive-	25 01 2012	2019					_	_	
		i . Radic	DIN:00016814	Independent									



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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
4	Mr.	Sudarshan	PAN:	Non-	30-10-2019	30-10-	-	17	21-12-1963	3	3	2	2
		Vijaynarai	AAEPS1227M	Executive-		2019							
		n Somani	DIN:00137568	Independent									
5	Mr.	Arun	PAN:	Non-	30-10-2019	30-10-	- ,	17	10-06-1949	1	1	1	-
		Kumar	AKOPS6778D	Executive-		2019							
		Sureka	DIN: 00055934	Independent									
6	Mr.	Rajendra	PAN:	Non-	30-10-2019				02-01-1962	2	-	3	-
		Jain	ABSPJ8768P	Executive									
			DIN: 07250797	Non-									
				Independent									
7	Mr.	Anish T	PAN:	Executive	30-10-2019				25-12-1974	1	-	-	-
		Mathew	ALFPM3661H										
			DIN:07995480										
8	Ms	Veni	PAN:	Non-	30-12-2019			15	22-12-1975	2	2	-	-
		Mocherla	AUXPM7488F	Executive-		2019							
			DIN: 08082163	Independent									
9	Mr.	Virendraa	PAN:	Non-	30-12-2019	-	-	-	19-03-1975	4	-	2	-
		Bangur	AELPB5548M	Executive -									
			DIN:00237043	Non									
				Independent									
10	Mr.	Saurabh	PAN:	Executive	01-06-2020	-	-	-	27-12-1976	2	-	1	-
		Bangur	AHHPB5720G										
			DIN: 00236894										

Whether Regular chairperson appointed – Yes

Whether Chairperson is related to Managing Director or CEO – Chairperson and Managing Director is one person

<sup>\*</sup>Category of Directors means executive/non-executive/independent/Nominee. If a director fits into more than one category write all categories separating them with hyphen \*to be filled only for Independent Director. Tenure would mean total period from which Independent Director is serving on Board of Directors of the listed entity in continuity without any cooling off period.

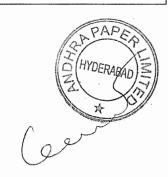


<sup>\$</sup>PAN of any Director would not be displayed on the website of Stock Exchange

## II. Composition of Committees

Name of the Committee	Whether	Name of Committee Members	Category (Chairperson / Executive /Non-	Date of	Date of
	Regular		Executive / Independent / Nominee) &	Appointment	Cessation
	chairperson				
	appointed				
1. Audit Committee	Yes	1. Mr. Praveen P. Kadle	Chairperson – Non-Executive - Independent	25-01-2012	-
		2. Mr. Adhiraj Sarin	Non-Executive - Independent	22-01-2015	-
		3. Mr. Arun Kumar Sureka	Non-Executive - Independent	21-11-2019	-
		4. Mr. Shree Kumar Bangur	Executive	17-02-2020	-
2. Nomination & Remuneration	Yes	1. Mr. Arun Kumar Sureka	Chairperson - Non-Executive - Independent	21-11-2019	
Committee		2. Mr. Adhiraj Sarin	Non-Executive - Independent	28-01-2020	-
		3. Mr. Shree Kumar Bangur	Executive	21-11-2019	
		4. Mr. Virendraa Bangur	Non-Executive –Non-Independent	17-02-2020	
3. Risk Management Committee (if	Not Applicable				
applicable)					
4. Stakeholders Relationship	Yes	1. Mr. Sudarshan Vijaynarain	Chairperson – Non-Executive - Independent	21-11-2019	
Committee		Somani			
		2. Mr. Rajendra Jain	Non-Executive – Non-Independent	21-11-2019	
		3. Mr. Virendraa Bangur	Non-Executive – Non-Independent	17-02-2020	
5. Corporate Social Responsibility	Yes	1. Mr. Sudarshan Vijaynarain	Chairperson – Non-Executive - Independent	28-01-2020	
Committee		Somani			
		2. Mr. Shree Kumar Bangur	Executive	21-11-2019	
		3. Mr. Rajendra Jain	Non-Executive – Non-Independent	21-11-2019	
		4. Mr. Virendraa Bangur	Non-Executive – Non-Independent	17-02-2020	

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Date(s) of Meeting (if any) in the previous quarter	of Directors  Date(s) of Meeting in the relevant quarter	Whether requirement of Quorum met*	Number of Directors present*	Number of Independent Directors present*	Maximum gap between any two consecutive meetings in number	
29-Oct-2020	28-Jan-2021	Yes	10	5	of days 90	
to be filled in only for the current quarter meetings						

IV. Meetings of Committees						
Name of the Committee	Date(s) of Meeting of the committee in the relevant quarter	Whether requirement of Quorum met (details)*	Number of Directors present*	Number of Independent Directors present *	Date(s) of meeting of the committee in the previous quarter	Maximum gap between any two consecutive meetings in number of days*
Audit Committee	28-Jan-2021	Yes	3	3	29-Oct-2020	90
Nomination and Remuneration Committee	-				-	
Stakeholders Relationship Committee	28-Jan-2021	Yes	3	1	-	-
Corporate Social Responsibility Committee	-				-	

<sup>\*</sup> This information has to be mandatorily be given for audit committee, for rest of the committees giving this information is optional

<sup>\*\*</sup> to be filled in only for the current quarter meetings

Subject	Compliance status(Yes/No/NA) refer note below
Whether prior approval of audit committee obtained	Yes
Whether shareholder approval obtained for material RPT	Not Applicable
Whether details of RPT entered into pursuant to omnibus approval have been reviewed by the Audit Committee	Yes

### Note:

- 1. In the column "Compliance Status", compliance or non-compliance may be indicated by Yes/No/N.A., For example, if the Board has been composed in accordance with the requirements of Listing Regulations, "Yes" may be indicated. Similarly, in case the Listed Entity has no related party transactions, the words "N.A." may be indicated.
- 2. If status is "No" details of non-compliance may be given here.

#### VI. Affirmations

- 1. The composition of Board of Directors is in terms of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. Yes
- 2. The composition of the following committees is in terms of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.
  - a. Audit Committee Yes
  - b. Nomination & remuneration committee Yes
  - c. Stakeholders relationship committee Yes
  - d. Risk management committee (applicable to the top 500 listed entities) Not applicable
- 3. The committee members have been made aware of their powers, role and responsibilities as specified in SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 Yes
- 4. The meetings of the board of directors and the above committees have been conducted in the manner as specified in SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 Yes
- 5. This report and/or the report submitted in the previous quarter has been placed before Board of Directors. Any comments/observations/advice of the Board of Directors may be mentioned here:

The Compliance report on Corporate Governance for the quarter ended December 31, 2020 had been placed before the Meeting of Board of Directors held on January 28,2021 and there were no comments/observations/ advice by the Board of Directors. The Compliance report on the Corporate Governance for the quarter ended March 31, 2021 will be placed before the next Meeting of Board of Directors.

Date: April 8, 2021

Place: Hyderabad

For Andhra Paper Limited

ARAVIND MATTA
COMPANY SECRETARY &
VICE PRESIDENT (CORPORATE AFFAIRS)



## ANDHRA PAPER LIMITED

# Corporate Governance at the financial year ended March 31, 2021

## I. Disclosure on website in terms of Listing Regulations

ltem	Compliance status (Yes/No/NA) Refer note below	If Yes provide link to website. If No /NA provide reasons
As per regulation 46(2) of the LODR:		
Details of business	Yes	www.andhrapaper.com
Terms and conditions of appointment of independent directors	Yes	www.andhrapaper.com
Composition of various committees of board of directors	Yes	www.andhrapaper.com
Code of conduct of board of directors and senior management personnel	Yes	www.andhrapaper.com
5. Details of establishment of vigil mechanism/ Whistle Blower policy	Yes	www.andhrapaper.com
Criteria of making payments to non-executive directors	Yes	www.andhrapaper.com
7. Policy on dealing with related party transactions	Yes	www.andhrapaper.com
8. Policy for determining 'material' subsidiaries	NA	No material subsidiary is existing
Details of familiarization programmes imparted to independent directors	Yes	www.andhrapaper.com
<ol> <li>Contact information of the designated officials of the listed entity who are responsible for assisting and handling investor grievances</li> </ol>	Yes	www.andhrapaper.com
11. E-mailaddressforgrievance redressal and other relevant details	Yes	www.andhrapaper.com
12. Financial Results	Yes	www.andhrapaper.com
13. Shareholding Pattern	Yes	www.andhrapaper.com
14. Details of agreements entered into with the media companies and/or their associates	NA	No agreements have been entered



Item	Compliance status (Yes/No/NA) Refer note below	If Yes provide link to website. If No /NA provide reasons
15. Schedule of analyst or institutional investor meet and presentations made by the listed entity to analysts or institutional investors simultaneously with submission to stock exchange	Yes	www.andhrapaper.com
16. New name and the old name of the listed entity	Yes	www.andhrapaper.com
17. Advertisements as per regulation 47 (1)	Yes	www.andhrapaper.com
18. Credit rating or revision in credit rating obtained by the entity for all its outstanding instruments	NA	There are no outstanding instruments and thus no credit rating is required
19. Separate audited financial statements of each subsidiary of the listed entity in respect of a relevant financial year	Yes	www.andhrapaper.com
As per other regulations of the LODR		
<ul> <li>a) Whether company has provided information under separate section on its website as per Regulation 46(2)</li> </ul>	Yes	www.andhrapaper.com
b) Materially Policy as per Regulation 30	Yes	www.andhrapaper.com
<ul> <li>c) Dividend Distribution policy as per</li> <li>Regulation 43A (as applicable)</li> </ul>	NA	The Company is not in the top 500 listed entities

It is certified that these contents on the website of the listed entity are correct.



## II. Annual Affirmations

Particulars	Regulation Number	Compliance status (Yes/No/NA) Refer note below
<ol> <li>Independent director(s) have been appointed in terms of specified criteria of 'independence' and / or 'eligibility'</li> </ol>	16(1)(b) & 25(6)	Yes
2. Board composition	17 (1)	Yes
3. Meeting of Board of Directors	17(2)	Yes
4. Quorum of board meeting	17(2A)	Yes
5. Review of compliance Reports	17(3)	Yes
6. Plans for orderly succession for appointments	17(4)	Yes
7. Code of Conduct	17(5)	Yes
8. Fees/Compensations	17(6)	Yes
9. Minimum Information	17(7)	Yes
10. Compliance Certificate	17(8)	Yes
11. Risk Assessment & Management	17(9)	Yes
12. Performance Evaluation of Independent Directors	17(10)	Yes
13. Recommendation of Board	17(11)	Yes
14. Maximum number of directorship	17A	Yes
15. Composition of Audit Committee	18(1)	Yes
16. Meeting of Audit Committee	18(2)	Yes
17. Composition of Nomination & Remuneration Committee	19(1) & (2)	Yes
18. Quorum of Nomination & Remuneration Committee meeting	19(2A)	Yes
19. Meeting of Nomination & Remuneration Committee	19(3A)	Yes
20. Composition of Stakeholder Relationship Committee	20(1), 20(2) & 20(2A)	Yes
21. Meeting of Stakeholder Relationship Committee	20(3A)	Yes
22. Composition and role of Risk Management Committee	21(1),(2),(3) & (4)	NA
23. Meeting of Risk Management Committee	21(3A)	NA
24. Vigil Mechanism	22	Yes
25. Policy for related party transaction	23(1),(1A),(5), (6),(7)&(8)	Yes



Particulars	Regulation Number	Compliance status (Yes/No/NA) Refer note below
26. Prior or Omnibus approval of Audit Committee for all related party transactions	23(2) & (3)	Yes
27. Approval for material related party transactions	23(4)	NA
28. Disclosure of related party transactions on consolidated basis	23(9)	Yes
<ol> <li>Composition of Board of Directors of unlisted material Subsidiary</li> </ol>	24(1)	NA
30. Other Corporate Governance requirements with respect to subsidiary of listed entity	24(2), (3), (4), (5) & (6)	Yes
31. Annual Secretarial Compliance Report	24(A)	Yes
32. Alternate Director to Independent Director	25(1)	NA
33. Maximum Tenure	25(2)	Yes
34. Meeting of Independent Directors	25(3) & (4)	Yes
35. Familiarization of Independent Directors	25(7)	Yes
36. Declaration from Independent Directors	25(8) & (9)	Yes
37. Directors and Officers insurance	25(10)	Yes
38. Memberships in Committees	26(1)	Yes
39. Affirmation with compliance to code of conduct from members of Board of Directors and Senior Management personnel	26(3)	Yes
40. Disclosure of Shareholding by Non-Executive Directors	26(4)	Yes
41. Policy with respect to Obligations of directors and senior management	26(2) & 26(5)	Yes

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- 2. If status is "No" details of non-compliance may be given here.
- 3. If the Listed Entity would like to provide any other information the same may be indicated here.

### III Affirmations:

The Listed Entity has approved the Material Subsidiary Policy and the Corporate Governance with respect to the Subsidiary of Listed Entity have been complied — **Not Applicable** 

Name & Designation: Aravind Matta Company Secretary &

Vice President(Corporate Affairs)