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| Meeting Date | Company Name | Type of Meeting | Proposal by Management or Shareholder | Proposal's Description | Investee company's Management Recommendation | Vote For/Against/Abstain | Reason supporting the vote decision |
| 18-Jan-2018 | ULTRATECH CEMENT LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | Increase Foreign Portfolio Investor (FPI) investment limit from 30% to 40% of the paid-up equity share capital | For | For | This resolution will enable FPIs to further invest in the company. |
| 19-Jan-2018 | H D F C BANK LTD. | EGM | Management | Issue of equity shares and/or equity shares through depository receipts and/or convertible securities upto Rs 240.0 bn | For | For | At the assumed floor price of Rs 1841. 58 (as disclosed by the Bank), HDFC Bank will issue 130. 3 mn shares and raise Rs 240. 0 bn. This will dilute existing shareholders by 48%. The funds infused are needed by the bank to further future growth plans while maintaining its capital adequacy levels in line with RBI requirements. |
| 19-Jan-2018 | H D F C BANK LTD. | EGM | Management | Related party transaction of issuance of equity on preferential basis to promoters HDFC Ltd. upto Rs 85.0 bn (within above limit of Rs 240.0 bn) | For | For | As a matter of abundant precaution, the company seeks shareholders' approval for related party transaction of issuance of equity on preferential basis to promoters, HDFC Ltd. As proposed in Resolution # 3. |
| 19-Jan-2018 | H D F C BANK LTD. | EGM | Management | Preferential allotment of equity shares to HDFC Ltd., HDFC Bank's promoter; upto Rs 85.0 bn (within above limit of Rs 240.0 bn) | For | For | The issue of shares and future ESOPs (of the Bank) will dilute the promoter HDFC Ltd. 's stake. To maintain promoter stake the Bank proposes to make a preferential allotment to the promoters of upto Rs 85. 0 bn, within the overall limit of Rs 240. 0 bn. HDFC Ltd. 's holding will go up marginally and also factors in ESOPs in future. |
| 19-Jan-2018 | DR. REDDY'S LABORATORIES LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | Approve amendments to Employee Stock Option (ESOP) schemes | For | Abstain | On the negative side there is a financial impact because of issue of ESOPs at face value however the company might be requiring to do so because of sharp fall in the stock price and the necessity to retain talent in this phase. Therefore we abstain due to absence of strong conclusion on the same. |
| 19-Jan-2018 | DR. REDDY'S LABORATORIES LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | Approve grant of additional stock options to employees of subsidiaries | For | Abstain | On the negative side there is a financial impact because of issue of ESOPs at face value however the company might be requiring to do so because of sharp fall in the stock price and the necessity to retain talent in this phase. Therefore we abstain due to absence of strong conclusion on the same. |
| 19-Jan-2018 | DR. REDDY'S LABORATORIES LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | Approve appointment of Akhil Ravi to office of profit (Director-Business Development and Portfolio) | For | For | Akhil Ravi, aged around 32 years, is the son-in-law of G. V Prasad, promoter MD and CEO of the company. He is a graduate in Chemical Engineering from IIT, Bombay, and has completed his MBA from ISB, Hyderabad. He is presently working as an Engagement Manager with McKinsey & Company, where he has led sales and channel transformations across cement, insurance and telecom sectors. His proposed remuneration of ~Rs. 6. 6 mn is commensurate with the nature of his responsibilities and, as clarified by the company, is in line with his experience and the remuneration drawn from his previous employer. |
| 24-Jan-2018 | SBI LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY LTD | EGM | Management | Modify Articles of Association (AoA) to give special rights to BNP Paribas Cardiff SA | For | For | SBI Life Insurance Company Limited (SBI Life) seeks to modify its Articles of Association and give special rights to BNP Paribas Cardiff SA (BNP Paribas) to nominate one director on the board of the company if shareholding is 10% or more of the paid-up equity share capital, and a right to nominate up to two directors if shareholding is 18. 8% or more of the paid-up equity share capital. BNP Paribas will also have the right to nominate a Deputy Chief Executive Officer for consideration of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee provided they hold at least 18. 8% stake. The clauses, which are in line with current practices, will not significantly alter the current board composition. As a good practice, we expect companies to upload the Articles of Association on their website. |
| 14-Feb-2018 | HOUSING DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPN. LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | To approve increase in the authorised share capital to Rs. 3.7bn and consequent amendment to the Memorandum of Association | For | For | HDFC Ld. Proposes to increase its authorized capital to Rs 3. 7 bn (1. 85 bn shares of face value Rs 2 each) from Rs 3. 5 bn (1. 75 bn shares of face value Rs 2 each) and amend its MoA, to enable the preferential issue and QIP to QIBs proposed in resolution #2 and #3 below. |

| 14-Feb-2018 | HOUSING DEVELOPMENT | Postal Ballot | Management | To approve issue of 64.3 mn equity shares | For | For | The proceeds of the issue will be used to fund HDFC's Rs 85. 0 bn investment in HDFC |
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| 14160 2010 | FINANCE CORPN. LTD. | rostal ballot | Management | on a preferential basis at Rs. 1726.05 per share to raise Rs. 111.0 bn | 101 | 10 | Bank (to maintain its holding in the bank) and for new business ventures. The proposed preferential issue will lead to a dilution of 3. 9% on the expanded capital base, which is marginal. |
| 14-Feb-2018 | HOUSING DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPN. LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | To approve issue of equity shares by way of a Qualified Institutions Placement to Qualified Institutional Buyers to raise upto Rs. 18.96 bn | For | For | Assuming the QIP is at the same price as that of the preferential issue in Resolution #2 above, HDFC will issue 11. 0 mn shares at Rs 1726. 05 to raise Rs 18. 96 bn. The overall dilution on account of both issues will be 4. 5% of the expanded capital base, which is marginal. |
| 14-Feb-2018 | HOUSING DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPN. LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | To approve related party transaction with HDFC Bank Ltd. regarding subscription to equity shares of HDFC Bank Ltd. on a preferential basis upto an amount of Rs 85.0 bn | For | For | At its EGM on 19 January 2018, HDFC Bank had proposed an issue of securities upto Rs 240 bn (including an issue of upto Rs 85 bn to its promoter HDFC Ltd.). This issue of shares and future ESOPs (of the Bank) would dilute the promoter HDFC Ltd. 's stake. HDFC Ltd. Seeks shareholder approval for subscription to equity shares of HDFC Bank Ltd. On a preferential basis upto an amount of Rs 85. 0 bn to ensure its holding in the bank is not diluted any further. |
| 19-Feb-2018 | TATA POWER CO. LTD. | NCM | Management | To approve scheme of arrangement between The Tata Power Company Ltd., Tata Power Renewable Energy Ltd., Supa Windfarm Ltd., Nivade Windfarm Ltd. and Tata Power Green Energy Ltd | For | For | Tata Power is restructuring the holding structure of its renewable energy plants to enable it to allow equity participation from third parties. The renewable power plants are being sold to wholly-owned subsidiaries and step-down subsidiaries for an aggregate consideration of Rs. 2. 78bn. The series of transactions will not result in incremental debt for Tata Power, as it will first infuse fund into the wholly-owned subsidiaries, which, in turn, will use the funds to pay Tata Power consideration for the slump sale of its power plants. There is no impact on the economic interest of Tata Power's shareholders. |
| 20-Feb-2018 | INFOSYS LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | Appointment of Salil S Parekh (DIN: 01876159) as CEO and MD for five years till 1 January 2023 and to fix his remuneration | For | For | Salil Parekh's maximum proposed remuneration is estimated at Rs 246. 5 mn in FY19 and FY20 and Rs 303. 3 mn in FY21, of which about 70% is variable and linked to accomplishment of business targets. Further the variable pay has an equal component of cash pay and equity-linked pay (restricted stock units), which align his remuneration with the interest of shareholders. The proposed remuneration is in line with that paid to Indian and global peers in the IT industry. |
| 20-Feb-2018 | INFOSYS LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | Redesignation of U B Pravin Rao (DIN: 06782450) as COO and wholetime director | For | For | Following the resignation of Vishal Sikka as MD and CEO, the board had nominated U. B. Pravin Rao to take charge as the MD and interim-CEO. With the appointment of Salil Parekh as the new MD & CEO of Infosys – U. B. Pravin Rao will step down from this role and will be re-designated as the COO of Infosys. There will be no change in his remuneration or his employment terms. |
| 07-Mar-2018 | BHARTI INFRATEL LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | To approve shifting of the registered office from Delhi to Haryana and consequently amend the clause II of the Memorandum of Association (MoA) | For | For | The registered office of Bharti Infratel is currently situated at Bharti Crescent, 1, Nelson Mandela Road, Vasant Kunj, Phase II, New Delhi – 110070, while the Head Office overseeing the day to day operations, is situated at Gurugram in the State of Haryana. The company proposes to shift its registered office from Delhi to Haryana to exercise better administrative and economic control and to rationalize and streamline its operations. |

| 07-Mar-2018 | BHARTI INFRATEL LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | To approve alteration of the Object clause of the MoA | For | For | The main business of Bharti Infratel is to acquire, build, own and operate telecom infrastructure. The rapid growth and consolidation in India's telecom sector has prompted the company to start working towards new revenue streams relating to digital transformation like smart city, Internet of Things which are not specifically covered under the main objects of the Company. The proposed modifications/alterations in the MoA are proposed to broaden the existing objects of the company, which will enable it to undertake new business activities and also comply with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013. |
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| 07-Mar-2018 | BHARTI INFRATEL LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | To approve alteration of the Liability clause of the MoA | For | For | The alteration to Liability clause is proposed to comply with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013. |
| 07-Mar-2018 | INDIAN OIL CORPN. LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | Increase in the authorized share capital and consequent alteration to Articles and Memorandum of Association | For | For | The present authorized share capital of the company is Rs. 60 bn divided into 6 bn equity shares of Rs. 10 each. The company proposes to increase this to Rs. 150 bn divided into 15 bn equity shares of Rs. 10 each. This increase is essential for the issue of bonus shares. The increase in authorized capital will require amendment to the existing Clause 5 (A) of the Memorandum of Association and Article 6 of the Articles of Association. |
| 07-Mar-2018 | INDIAN OIL CORPN. LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | Issue one equity share as bonus for one equity share of Rs.10 each held in the company | For | For | Post the bonus issue the equity share capital of the company will increase to Rs. 97. 1 bn comprising 9. 7 bn equity shares of Rs. 10 each. The issue will result in Rs. 48. 6 bn capitalized from the reserves of the company. |
| 07-Mar-2018 | L & T FINANCE HOLDINGS LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | To issue equity for an amount up to Rs.10 bn by way of Qualified Institutional Placement (QIP) | For | For | Assuming the QIP is at the same price as that of the preferential issue in Resolution #2, the company will issue 53. 9 mn shares at Rs. 185. 51 to raise Rs. 10. 0 bn. The dilution on account of issue of equity shares will be 2. 9%. The overall dilution on account of both issues (resolution #2) will be 8. 1% of the expanded capital base. |
| 07-Mar-2018 | L & T FINANCE HOLDINGS LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | Preferential allotment of equity shares to Larsen & Toubro Limited (L&T), company's promoter, up to Rs.20.0 bn | For | For | The issue of shares as proposed in resolution #1 will dilute the promoter L&T's stake. To maintain the promoter stake, the company proposes to make a preferential allotment to L&T of up to Rs. 20. 0 bn. The overall dilution on account of both issues will be 8. 1% of the expanded capital base. Post the issue, there will be a marginal increase in L&T's holding in the company. |
| 09-Mar-2018 | BAJAJ FINANCE LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | To increase the borrowing limit from Rs 750 bn to Rs 1,000 bn | For | For | As on 30 September 2017, BFL had a debt of Rs. 528. 9 bn as against a networth of Rs. 150. 2 bn. BFL is well capitalized - its overall capital adequacy ratio of 24. 8% is much higher than RBI's minimum requirement of 15%. Further, BFL's debt is rated CRISIL AAA/Stable/CRISIL A1+, which indicates the highest degree of safety regarding timely servicing of financial obligations. |
| 09-Mar-2018 | BAJAJ FINANCE LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | Creation of charges/mortgages on company's assets of Rs. 1,000 bn | For | For | The terms of borrowing, interest rates etc. For secured loans tend to be better than those for unsecured loans. |
| 15-Mar-2018 | STATE BANK OF INDIA | EGM | Management | To issue up to 292.5 mn equity shares at an issue price of Rs. 300.82 per share, aggregating up to Rs. 88.0 bn to the Government of India (GoI) on preferential basis | For | For | The issue price of Rs 300. 82 per share is at a 10. 2% premium to the current market price (Rs. 273. 1 closing price on 21 February 2018). Existing shareholders will get diluted by 3. 3%. We believe GoI's equity infusion is necessary to support growth and the bank's capital adequacy levels. State Bank of India's CRAR as on 31 December 2017 was 12. 68%. |
| 16-Mar-2018 | PUNJAB NATIONAL BANK | EGM | Management | To issue up to 334.99 mn equity shares at an issue price of Rs. 163.38 per share, aggregating up to Rs. 54.73 bn to the Government of India (GoI) on preferential basis | For | For | The issue price of Rs 163. 38 per share is at a 46. 0% premium to the current market price (Rs. 111. 9 closing price on 26 February 2018). Although existing shareholders will get diluted by 12. 1%, we believe GoI's equity infusion is necessary to support growth and the bank's capital adequacy levels. Punjab National Bank's CRAR as on 31 December 2017 was 11. 58%. |

| 20-Mar-2018 | G A I L (INDIA) LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | Issue one equity share as bonus for three equity shares of Rs.10 each held in the company | For | For | The reserves and surplus of the company are ~21 times of its paid-up share capital. In line with the DIPAM guidelines, the company is encouraged to issue bonus shares. The bonus issue will be by capitalization of Rs. 5. 6 bn from the reserves of the company. Post issuance, the equity share capital of the company will increase to Rs. 22. 6 bn comprising 2. 26 bn equity shares of Rs. 10 each. Bonus shares shall increase the liquidity of the equity shares through higher floating stock. |
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| 21-Mar-2018 | V-GUARD INDUSTRIES LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | Issue of Non-Convertible Debentures upto Rs. 5 bn on private placement basis | For | For | The proposed NCDs will be issued within the overall borrowing limit of Rs. 7. 5 bn. The company's borrowings are rated ICRA AA- (Double A minus). |
| 21-Mar-2018 | V-GUARD INDUSTRIES LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | Approve qualified institutional placement of equity shares to raise upto Rs. 5 bn | For | For | Were the company to raise the entire Rs. 5. 0 bn at the current market price of Rs. 234. 9 per share, it will need to issue 21. 3 mn new shares: this will result in an equity dilution of ~4. 8% on the post issuance share capital. The company wishes to have enabling approvals in place for meeting its funding requirements. The company has disclosed plans for inorganic expansion and has also stated that it plans to introduce internet-of-things enabled products; for which it may need to raise capital. |
| 25-Mar-2018 | CYIENT LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | Adoption of a new set of Articles of Association (AoA) of the company containing regulations in line with the Companies Act, 2013 | For | For | The company proposes to adopt a new set of AoA by deleting/ amending the references to various sections and schedules and substitute them with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013. Further, subsequent to the sale of entire stake of shares held in the company by certain long-term investors (First Carlyle Ventures Mauritius and Carrier International Mauritius Limited), Part B of the AoA has been rendered redundant. The draft AoA can be viewed on the company's website. |
| 25-Mar-2018 | CYIENT LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | To reduce aggregate investment limits of non-residents from 100% to 49% of the total paid up share capital of the company | For | For | One of the stipulations for obtaining a license for manufacturing for the defence sector is that non-resident shareholders should hold less than 49% of the company's equity. Accordingly, the company has proposed to place a cap on total non-resident shareholding. |
| 27-Mar-2018 | OIL & NATURAL GAS CORPN. LTD. | Postal Ballot | Management | Acquisition of 51.1% stake of Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited from Government of India at Rs.369.2 bn | For | For | With the acquisition of this stake the company's total investments in subsidiaries, associates, joint-ventures and other entities is likely to have increased to Rs. 888. 7 bn. Shareholders should engage with the company, to understand the strategic nature of these investment and whether the company can either merge some of these with itself, or divest them with the intention to streamline the company's capital structure and operations. Government of India's (GoI) holding in Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited (HPCL) is being sold to ONGC, but there is no effective change in ownership. HPCL will continue to be controlled by the GoI through ONGC under the administrative control of Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas. Further, HPCL will operate as a ONGC's subsidiary with its own management, therefore the actual benefits of the acquisitions are unclear. |