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July 31, 2023

The Manager, Listing Department,
The National Stock Exchange of India Limited,
Exchange Plaza,
Bandra Kurla Complex (Bandra East),
Mumbai - 400 051.

Dear Sir,

Sub: Business Responsibility and Sustainability Report- Financial Year 2022-23

Ref: Our scrip code THEJO - EQ (SM)

In compliance with Regulation 34(2)(f) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, please find enclosed the Business Responsibility and Sustainability Report ("BRSR") for the Financial Year 2022-23. The BRSR also forms part of the Annual Report for the Financial Year 2022-23 submitted to the exchange.

This is for your information and records.

Yours faithfully,
For THEJO ENGINEERING LIMITED

M.D. RAVIKANTH
CFO & SECRETARY
ACS No. 26596

ANNEXURE TO BOARD'S REPORT

ANNEXURE 8 TO BOARD'S REPORT**BUSINESS RESPONSIBILITY AND SUSTAINABILITY REPORT****SECTION A: GENERAL DISCLOSURES****I. Details:**

1	Corporate Identity Number (CIN) of the Company	L27209TN1986PLC012833
2	Name of the Company	Thejo Engineering Limited
3	Year of incorporation	1986
4	Registered office address	3 rd Floor, VDS House, No.41, Cathedral Road, Chennai- 600 086.
5	Corporate address	3 rd Floor, VDS House, No.41, Cathedral Road, Chennai- 600 086.
6	E-mail	investor@thejo-engg.com
7	Telephone	044-42221900
8	Website	www.thejo-engg.com
9	Financial year for which reporting is being done	1 st April, 2022 to 31 st March, 2023 (FY23)
10	Name of the Stock Exchange(s) where shares are listed	National Stock Exchange of India Limited – SME Emerge Platform
11	Paid-up Capital	₹ 10,70,09,580/- (As on 31 st March, 2023)
12	Name and contact details of the person who may be contacted in case of any queries on the BRSR report	Mr. M.D. Ravikanth, Company Secretary & Compliance Officer, Tel: +91 44 4222 1900 E-mail: investor@thejo-engg.com
13	Reporting boundary	Disclosures made in this report are on a standalone basis and pertain only to Thejo Engineering Limited.

II. Products/services14. Details of business activities: (*accounting for 90% of the turnover*):

The Company is engaged in manufacturing of rubber and polyurethane-based engineered products, marketing and servicing activities catering to installation, operation and maintenance of conveyor belts and allied services. Further details are provided in the Management Discussion and Analysis section of the Annual Report.

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

S. No.	Product/Service	NIC Code	% of Sales
1	Manufacture of rubber products	2219	22.97
2	Manufacture of industrial machinery	2829	10.69
3	Manufacture of adhesives	2029	7.73
4	Maintenance and Repair Services	3312	37.21
5	Supply of manpower	7830	7.34
6	Machinery rental	7730	4.96

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III. Operations

16. Number of locations where plants and/or operations/offices of the entity are situated (as on 31st March 2023):

Location	Number of plants	Number of offices	Total
National	4 units	1 Corporate Office, 4 Zonal Offices, 11 Branch Offices, 31 Site offices offering Service backup for clients, 15 Site offices offering Operations & Maintenance to clients and 1 In-house R&D Centre	67
International	Nil	1 Branch at Perth, Australia.	1

17. Markets served by the entity:

- a. Number of locations

Locations	Number
National (No. of States)	10
International (No. of Countries)	1

- b. What is the contribution of exports as a percentage of the total turnover of the entity?
The contribution of exports as a percentage of total turnover of the Company - 16%

- c. A brief on types of customers:

The Company serves customers across diversified industries viz., Mines, Mineral processing Plants, Coal Based Power Plants, Chemical plants, Cement, Aggregates, Bulk Sea Ports, OEM's, EPC's, Corrosion protection, Space Research and Defence.

IV. Employees

18. Details as at the end of Financial Year: 31st March, 2023

- 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)	545	524	96.15	21	3.85
2.	Other than Permanent (E)	72	66	91.67	6	8.33
3.	Total employees (D + E)	617	590	95.62	27	4.38
WORKERS						
4.	Permanent (F)	781	775	99.23	6	0.77
5.	Other than Permanent (G)	763	763	100.00	0	0.00
6.	Total workers (F + G)	1544	1538	99.61	6	0.39

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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)	0	0	NA	0	NA
2.	Other than Permanent (E)	0	0	NA	0	NA
3.	Total differently abled employees (D + E)	0	0	NA	0	NA
DIFFERENTLY ABLED WORKERS						
4.	Permanent (F)	4	4	100	0	0
5.	Other than permanent (G)	0	0	NA	0	NA
6.	Total differently abled workers (F + G)	4	4	100	0	0

19. Participation/Inclusion/Representation of women

	Total (A)	No. and percentage of Females	
		No. (B)	% (B / A)
Board of Directors	11	1	9.09
Key Management Personnel	5	0	0.00

20. Turnover rate for permanent employees and workers

	FY 2022-23			FY 2021-22			FY 2020-21		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Permanent Employees	17.18%	0.00%	16.51%	16.59%	17.39%	16.63%	9.55%	4.55%	9.31%
Permanent Workers	10.84%	0.00%	10.76%	16.02%	66.67%	16.37%	17.23%	0.00%	17.09%

Note: Number of employees/workers resigned as a % of number of employees/workers at year end
Employee turnover in terms of number of employees who resigned is given below:

	FY 2022-23			FY 2021-22			FY 2020-21		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Permanent Employees	90	0	90	76	4	80	42	1	43
Permanent Workers	84	0	84	136	4	140	142	0	142

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

21. (a) Names of holding / subsidiary / associate companies / joint ventures

S. No.	Name	Subsidiary / Associate	% of shares held
1	Thejo Australia Pty Ltd	Subsidiary	74%
2	Thejo Hatcon Industrial Services Company	Subsidiary	51%
3	Thejo Brasil Comercio E Servicos Ltda	Subsidiary	99.99%
4	Thejo Engineering LatinoAmerica SpA	Subsidiary	99.86%

The subsidiary companies generally do not participate in the BR initiatives of the Company.

VI. CSR Details

22. (i) Whether CSR is applicable as per section 135 of Companies Act, 2013: (Yes/No) -Yes
(ii) Turnover (₹ In Lakhs) 33,222.20
(iii) Net worth (₹ In Lakhs) 18,011.02

VII. Transparency and Disclosures Compliances

23. Complaints/Grievances on any of the principles (Principles 1 to 9) under the National Guidelines on Responsible Business Conduct: Nil (PY: Nil)
24. 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

S. 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	Pollution free transportation of ores, minerals, etc	Opportunity	With commitment to reducing pollution being prime focus of major industries, usage of methodology like pipe conveyor to transport ores, raw materials to reduce pollution will be priority for many of the core sector industries.	Not Applicable	Positive: The Company can partner with its customers in their efforts to reduce pollution while transporting materials by offering installation and maintenance services for pipe conveyors.
2	Reduction of pollution at material transfer points in conveyors	Opportunity	There is scope for reducing the pollution at material transfer points while transferring materials through conveyors	Not Applicable	Positive: Based on studies done by the Company, a new offering called Sustainable Synergetic Solutions (SSS), which can sizeably reduce pollution at conveyor chutes, has been offered to its customers.

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S. 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)
3	Introduction of Carbon Border Adjustment Mechanism for exports in European Union	Opportunity and Risk	The transitional phase of Carbon Border Adjustment Mechanism of European Union (EU) begins on 1st October 2023 covering some of the major sectors serviced by the Company. There is a possibility of exports to EU getting affected to some extent. There is a possibility of some of the goods manufactured by the Company getting covered in the subsequent phases.	The Company intends to adopt to the same by taking consistent measures to reduce carbon footprint of its operations.	Opportunity: Company can focus and reduce its carbon footprint and make positive contribution to the future generation. Risk: If exports to EU of the Company's customers are affected, there is a possibility of business to the Company from them reducing to some extent. If the goods manufactured by the Company are covered under CBAM, based on the extant regulations/ formula, there is a possibility of the overall cost of import increasing for the Company's customers in EU.

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.

The National Voluntary Guidelines on Social, Environmental and Economic Responsibilities of Business (NVGs) released by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs has adopted nine areas of Business Responsibility. These briefly are as follows:

- P1** Businesses should conduct and govern themselves with Ethics, Transparency and Accountability
- P2** Businesses should provide goods and services that are safe and contribute to sustainability throughout their life cycle
- P3** Businesses should promote the wellbeing of all employees
- P4** Businesses should respect the interests of, and be responsive towards all stakeholders, especially those who are disadvantaged, vulnerable and marginalized
- P5** Businesses should respect and promote human rights
- P6** Business should respect, protect, and make efforts to restore the environment
- P7** Businesses, when engaged in influencing public and regulatory policy, should do so in a responsible manner
- P8** Businesses should support inclusive growth and equitable development
- P9** Businesses should engage with and provide value to their customers and consumers in a responsible manner

Disclosure Questions		P 1	P 2	P 3	P 4	P 5	P 6	P 7	P 8	P 9
Policy and management processes										
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	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
	c. Web Link of the Policies, if available									

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Disclosure Questions		P 1	P 2	P 3	P 4	P 5	P 6	P 7	P 8	P 9									
2.	Whether the entity has translated the policy into procedures. (Yes / No)	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y									
3.	Do the enlisted policies extend to your value chain partners? (Yes/No)	N	N	N	N	N	N	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.	N	ISO	N	N	N	N	N	N	ISO									
5.	Specific commitments, goals and targets set by the entity with defined timelines, if any.	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N									
6.	Performance of the entity against the specific commitments, goals and targets along-with reasons in case the same are not met.	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA									
Governance, leadership and oversight																			
7.	Statement by director responsible for the business responsibility report, highlighting ESG related challenges, targets and achievements.	The Company is making sincere efforts in ensuring safety of environment, responsible attitude towards the society and formulating and upholding high standards of Governance in its operations and activities. Towards this, the Company has formulated various policies and taken various measures. We remain committed to sustainable growth with focus on ESG.																	
8.	Details of the highest authority responsible for implementation and oversight of the Business Responsibility policy (ies).	Managing Director																	
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.	No.																	
10.	Details of Review of NGRBCs by the Company:																		
	Subject for Review	Indicate whether review was undertaken by Director / Committee of the Board / Any other Committee									Frequency (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	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	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
	Compliance with statutory requirements of relevance to the principles, and, rectification of any non-compliances*	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Q	Q	Q	Q	Q	Q	Q	Q	Q

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Disclosure Questions		P 1	P 2	P 3	P 4	P 5	P 6	P 7	P 8	P 9
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.	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N

* - Compliance of all regulations relevant to the operations of the Company is reviewed on a quarterly basis based on certification by MD/WTD.

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

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

- Percentage coverage by training and awareness programmes on any of the Principles during the financial year:- Nil
- 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: Nil
- 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- Not Applicable
- 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.
Though there is no specific policy for anti-corruption or anti-bribery, Code of conduct for Board Members and Senior Managers address the topic broadly.
- Number of Directors/KMPs/employees/workers against whom disciplinary action was taken by any law enforcement agency for the charges of bribery/ corruption: Nil
- Details of complaints with regard to conflict of interest: Nil
- 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- Not Applicable

ANNEXURE TO BOARD'S REPORT**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. - Nil
 2.
 - a. Does the entity have procedures in place for sustainable sourcing? (Yes/No) - Yes.
 - b. If yes, what percentage of inputs were sourced sustainably?
 - Natural Rubber is a product that is derived from trees. It comprises about 15% of the raw material procured at our works.
 - The Company is making efforts to substitute synthetic rubbers with Natural rubbers in our formulations used for making products.
 - The Company is taking efforts to reduce the usage of Carbon Black (derived from Oil) in our formulations and looking for ways to replace it with a natural product, which is sustainable.
 - The Company currently source Natural rubber through organisations who directly procure from rubber plantations, while enabling the best price advantages to the farmers.
 - The Company use agricultural waste fuel for the Steam Boilers at our manufacturing plants. The fuel comes in briquette form made from groundnut, coconut, and rice husk and wooden particles.
 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.
 - The Company has identified organizations engaged in reclaim of rubber from rubber waste. This is an eco-friendly measure for disposal of rubber waste.
 - The in-house R&D Centre of the Company is engaged in researching a process for biodegradation of finished rubber product waste.
 - The Company recycles used hydraulic and lubrication oils from equipment, thereby reducing the procurement of new oils.
 - Plastic wastes are segregated and disposed to plastic recycling companies.
 - The Company use crates and pallets made of wood to substitute plastic used for the same.
 - The Company paper carton box in place of Polystyrene packing, wherever possible.
 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.
No.
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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:

- Group Accident insurance cover given to all permanent employees
- Health insurance is provided to management cadre employees
- Annual medical camps organised
- Regular training on technical skills and personality development are given

Category	% of employees covered by										
	Total (A)	Health insurance		Accident insurance		Maternity benefits		Paternity Benefits		Day Care facilities	
		Number (B)	% (B / A)	Number (C)	% (C / A)	Number (D)	% (D / A)	Number (E)	% (E / A)	Number (F)	% (F / A)
Permanent employees											
Male	524	120	22.90	524	100.00	NA	NA	0	0.00	0	0.00
Female	21	18	85.71	21	100.00	21	100.00	NA	NA	0	0.00
Total	545	138	25.32	545	100.00	21	100.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
Other than Permanent employees											
Male	66	0	0.00	66	100.00	NA	NA	0	0.00	0	0.00
Female	6	0	0.00	6	100.00	6	100.00	NA	NA	0	0.00
Total	72	0	0.00	72	100.00	6	100.00	0	0.00	0	0.00

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

Category	% of workers covered by										
	Total (A)	Health insurance		Accident insurance		Maternity benefits		Paternity Benefits		Day Care facilities	
		Number (B)	% (B / A)	Number (C)	% (C / A)	Number (D)	% (D / A)	Number (E)	% (E / A)	Number (F)	% (F / A)
Permanent workers											
Male	775	0	0.00	775	100.00	NA	NA	0	0.00	0	0.00
Female	6	0	0.00	6	100.00	6	100.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
Total	781	0	0.00	781	100.00	6	100.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
Other than Permanent workers											
Male	763	0	0.00	763	100.00	NA	NA	0	0.00	0	0.00
Female	0	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total	763	0	0.00	763	100.00	NA	NA	0	0.00	0	0.00

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2. Details of retirement benefits, for Current FY and Previous FY

Benefits	FY 2022-23			FY 2021-22		
	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	100.00	100.00	Y	100.00	100.00	Y
Gratuity	100.00	100.00	NA	100.00	100.00	NA
ESI	23.79	20.35	Y	27.89	16.83	Y
Others: Super Annuation	33.39	0	NA	35.86	0.00	NA

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

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.

The Code of Conduct for Board and Senior Managers enables equal opportunities by committing to provide a workplace free of discrimination and harassment on the basis of race, colour, religion, age, gender, national origin, disability, or any other bias.

5. Return to work and Retention rates of permanent employees and workers that took parental leave – Not applicable as there are no such cases.

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

- A hotline (WhatsApp number) exists for any permanent as well as non-permanent employee/worker to communicate, register their grievances confidentially and directly with the Corporate Safety & HR Team
- The number has been displayed at prominent locations of each office and sites

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

There is currently no recognized trade union

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8. Details of training given to employees and workers:

Category	FY 2022-23					FY 2021-22				
	Total (A)	On Health and safety measures		On Skill upgradation		Total (D)	On Health and safety measures		On Skill upgradation	
		No. (B)	% (B / A)	No. (C)	% (C / A)		No. (E)	% (E / D)	No. (F)	% (F / D)
Employees										
Male	524	368	70.23	110	20.99	458	0	0.00	291	63.54
Female	21	6	28.57	0	0.00	23	4	17.39	0	0.00
Total	545	374	68.62	110	20.18	481	4	0.82	291	60.50
Workers										
Male	775	422	54.45	0	0.00	849	183	21.55	191	22.50
Female	6	0	0.00	0	0.00	6	0	0.00	0	0.00
Total	781	422	54.03	0	0.00	855	183	21.40	191	22.34

- Periodic Health & Safety Training are conducted at the 'Excellence Centre'-Chennai as well as at respective branch and site offices. Topics covered under the training are.
 - Fire Safety Training
 - First-aid Training
 - Material Handling
 - Workplace Safety
 - Work at height
 - Risk Assessment / Job Safety Analysis
 - Emergency Preparedness
 - PPE awareness and Usage
 - Safe Chemical Handling
 - Environmental Safety
 - Safe Operating procedures

- Skill upgradation Training program
 - We conduct two batches of skill upgradation training program at the 'Excellence Centre' every month.

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

Category	FY 2022-23			FY 2021-22		
	Total (A)	No. (B)	% (B / A)	Total (C)	No. D)	% (D / C)
Employees						
Male	524	524	100.00	458	458	100.00
Female	21	21	100.00	23	23	100.00
Total	545	545	100.00	481	481	100.00
Workers						
Male	775	775	100.00	849	849	100.00
Female	6	6	100.00	6	6	100.00
Total	781	781	100.00	855	855	100.00

Every year, all employees undergo an exhaustive appraisal exercise, which rates the employees on their performance, attitudinal, interpersonal aspects, ethical and value systems. Feedback of their scores is also given to the respective employee.

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. Primarily it covers Service, Operation & Maintenance and Manufacturing personnel.
- b. What are the processes used to identify work-related hazards and assess risks on a routine and non-routine basis by the entity?
 - Risk Assessment documents
 - Risk Assessment Training for all employees with Procedures
 - Practical demonstration session with Assessment Format/Reports
 - Internal Audits
 - Periodic Safety Meeting by departments
- c. Whether you have processes for workers to report the work-related hazards and to remove themselves from such risks. (Y/N)
 - Yes. This is done through Safety Violation Notification form and Safety Suggestions Box.
- d. Do the employees/ worker of the entity have access to non-occupational medical and healthcare services? **(Yes/ No)**

Yes, Annual Medical camps through authorised Medical Practitioners.

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

Safety Incident/Number	Category	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
Lost Time Injury Frequency Rate (LTIFR) (per one million-person hours worked)	Employees	0.00	0.00
	Workers	1.26	1.46
Total recordable work-related injuries	Employees	0	0
	Workers	8	11
No. of fatalities	Employees	0	0
	Workers	0	0
High consequence work-related injury or ill-health (excluding fatalities)	Employees	0	0
	Workers	0	0

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

- Daily Safety Meeting
- Safety Observation sharing and Corrective action plan follow-up
- Work Permit system
- Reporting Procedures for Safety Violation
- Conducting internal Safety Audit
- Regular and periodical Safety Checklist
- Pre and Post commissioning Inspections
- SHE Committee Meetings
- Complying Legal and statutory requirements

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

	FY 2022-23			FY 2021-22		
	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	0	0	Excludes suggestions	0	0	Excludes suggestions
Health & Safety	0	0	Excludes Suggestions	0	0	Excludes Suggestions

14. Assessments for the year:

	% of your plants and offices that were assessed (by entity or statutory authorities or third parties)
Working Conditions	Assessment is done relating to Environment Monitoring - Ambient Air Quality, Lux, Noise, Stack Emission, Indoor Air Quality, Drinking water, ETP / STP Water analysis at our main manufacturing plant.
Health & Safety	Annual assessment on Lifting Machines, Material Handling Equipment, Lifting Tackles, Pressure Vessels and Conveyors.

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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.

Some of the key corrective actions taken based on safety related incidents are as follows:

- Static electricity discharge provision.
- Temperature monitoring provision.
- Usage of full length hand glove for specified operations.
- Usage of heat resistant, cut resistant gloves for specified operations.
- Provision of visual and sound alarm for Material Handling Equipment.

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.
Stakeholders who have a material impact on the Company are identified as key stakeholders.
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	Various	Regular	Various
Customers	No	Various	Regular	Various
Suppliers	No	Various	Regular	Various
Investors	No	Various	Annual/Periodic	Various

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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 2022-23			FY 2021-22		
	Total (A)	No. of employees / workers covered (B)	% (B / A)	Total (C)	No. of employees / workers covered (D)	% (D / C)
Employees						
Permanent	545	11	2.02	481	10	2.08
Other permanent	72	0	0.00	21	0	0.00
Total Employees	617	11	1.78	502	10	1.99
Workers						
Permanent	781	0	0.00	855	0	0.00
Other permanent	763	0	0.00	699	0	0.00
Total Workers	1544	0	0.00	1554	0	0.00

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

Category	FY 2022-23					FY 2021-22				
	Total	= Min Wage		>Min Wages		Total	= Min Wages		>Min Wages	
		No	%	No	%		No	%	No	%
Employees										
Permanent										
Male	524	20	3.82	504	96.18	458	0	0.00	458	100.00
Female	21	0	0.00	21	100.00	23	0	0.00	23	100.00
Other than Permanent										
Male	66	0	0.00	66	100.00	18	0	0.00	18	100.00
Female	6	0	0.00	6	100.00	3	0	0.00	3	100.00
Workers										
Permanent										
Male	775	285	36.77	490	63.23	849	110	12.96	739	87.04
Female	6	0	0.00	6	100.00	6	0	0.00	6	100.00
Other than Permanent										
Male	763	351	46.00	412	54.00	696	339	48.71	357	51.29
Female	0	0	NA	0	NA	3	0	0.00	3	100.00

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3. Details of remuneration/salary/wages, in the following format:

	Male		Female	
	Number	Median remuneration / salary / wages of respective category (₹ in Lakhs)	Number	Median remuneration / salary / wages of respective category (₹ In Lakhs)
Board of Directors (BoD):				
(a) Executive Directors	4	53.82	-	-
(b) Non-Executive Non Independent Directors ³	1	4.00	-	-
(c) Non-Executive Independent Directors ³	5	4.00	1	6.25
Key Managerial Personnel	1	45.60	-	-
Employees other than BoD and KMP	520	3.93	21	4.38
Workers	775	2.66	6	1.50

Notes:

- 1) Number of Director/KMP/Employee/Workers is as at 31st March, 2023. KMP excludes Executive Directors.
- 2) Remuneration/Salary/Wage represents salary/wages per annum based on fixed gross salary/wages per month as on 31st March, 2023.
- 3) In respect of Non-Executive Directors, remuneration represents Sitting Fee paid (excluding GST paid on reverse charge) and median is taken based on Non-Executive Directors who have served the Company throughout the financial year.
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)** No
5. Describe the internal mechanisms in place to redress grievances related to human rights issues.
The grievances relating to human rights will be addressed in a fair and transparent manner by following principles of natural justice in line with the HR Policy and other applicable policies of the Company.

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

	FY 2022-23			FY 2021-22		
	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	-	NIL	NIL	-
Discrimination at workplace	NIL	NIL	-	NIL	NIL	-
Child Labour	NIL	NIL	-	NIL	NIL	-
Forced Labour / Involuntary Labour	NIL	NIL	-	NIL	NIL	-
Wages	NIL	01	-	NIL	01	-
Other human rights related issues	NIL	NIL	-	NIL	NIL	-

7. Mechanisms to prevent adverse consequences to the complainant in discrimination and harassment cases.

The Company believes in and follows the principle of not discriminating or harassing any complainant merely for lodging a complaint. The Company views complaints and suggestion as ways to improve. The Company treats such complaints as a positive step to take corrective steps, if proved correct.

8. Do human rights requirements form part of your business agreements and contracts? No

9. Assessments for the year:

	% of your plants and offices that were assessed (by entity or statutory authorities or third parties)
Child labour	NIL
Forced/involuntary labour	NIL
Sexual harassment	NIL
Discrimination at workplace	NIL
Wages	NIL
Others – please specify	NIL

10. Provide details of any corrective actions taken or underway to address significant risks / concerns arising from the assessments at Question 9 above

Not Applicable.

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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:

in Mega Joules

Parameter	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
Total electricity consumption (A)	10714024	9544666
Total fuel consumption (B)	147074	211028
Energy consumption through other sources (C)	Nil	Nil
Total energy consumption (A+B+C)	10861098	9755694
Energy intensity per rupee of turnover (Total energy consumption / turnover in rupees)	0.0065	0.0071
Energy intensity (optional) – the relevant metric may be selected by the entity	NA	NA

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

(The energy consumption data relates to our manufacturing units. Energy intensity per rupee of turnover is based on turnover of products. 1kWh (Unit) = 3.6 Mega Joules).

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 2022-23	FY 2021-22
Water withdrawal by source (in kilolitres)		
(i) Surface water	Nil	Nil
(ii) Groundwater	7200	16975
(iii) Third party water	5837	7502
(iv) Seawater / desalinated water	Nil	Nil
(v) Others	Nil	Nil
Total volume of water withdrawal (in kilolitres) (i + ii + iii + iv + v)	13037	24477
Total volume of water consumption (in kilolitres)	13037	24477
Water intensity per rupee of turnover (Water consumed / turnover)	0.0079 litres	0.0179 litres
Water intensity (optional) – the relevant metric may be selected by the entity	NA	NA

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.

(The water consumption data relates to our manufacturing units and water intensity per rupee of turnover is based on turnover of products).

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

Yes. ETP (10KLD) / STP (4 KLD) plants are being operated to maintain zero discharge.

5. Please provide details of air emissions (other than GHG emissions) by the entity, in the following format: The Company operates boilers, DG sets, etc at its manufacturing facilities. These are operated within the permitted parameters. The highest measurement in respect of the below parameters based on the ambient air quality test done at various places inside the manufacturing facilities are given hereunder:

Parameter	Unit	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
NOx	µg/m3	14.93	29.5
SOx	µg/m3	25.30	14.2
Particulate matter (PM):			
PM10	µg/m3	56.28	78.8
PM2.5	µg/m3	25.83	36.8
Persistent organic pollutants (POP)	NA	BLQ	NA
Volatile organic compounds (VOC)	NA	BLQ	NA
Hazardous air pollutants (HAP)	NA	BLQ	NA
Others	NA	BLQ	NA

BLQ – Below Limit of Quantification.

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 - Yes.

The measurement of the ambient air quality was carried out by Hubert Enviro Care Systems Private Limited and RVN Laboratory.

All the above parameters are within the permitted industrial standards.

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

Parameter	Unit	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
Total Scope 1 emissions (Break-up of the GHG into CO2, CH4, N2O, HFCs, PFCs, SF6, NF3, if available)	<i>Metric tonnes of CO2 equivalent</i>	2642.60 MT	NA
Total Scope 2 emissions (Break-up of the GHG into CO2, CH4, N2O, HFCs, PFCs, SF6, NF3, if available)	<i>Metric tonnes of CO2 equivalent</i>	6466.80 MT	NA
Total Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions per rupee of turnover		0.0055 Kg	NA
Total Scope 1 and Scope 2 emission intensity (optional) – the relevant metric may be selected by the entity		-	-

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. – Yes

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(The Greenhouse gas emission data relates to our manufacturing units and Total Scope 1 and 2 emission per rupee of turnover is based on turnover of products).

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7. Does the entity have any project related to reducing Green House Gas emission? If Yes, then provide details. - No
8. Provide details related to waste management by the entity, in the following format:

<i>Parameter</i>	<i>FY 2022-23</i>	<i>FY 2021-22</i>
Total Waste generated (in metric tonnes)		
Plastic waste (A)	0.00	0.00
E-waste (B)	0.00	0.00
Bio-medical waste (C)	0.00	0.00
Construction and demolition waste (D)	0.00	0.00
Battery waste (E)	0.00	0.00
Radioactive waste (F)	0.00	0.00
Other Hazardous waste. Please specify, if any. (G) (i) Oil sledge	4.81	7.61
Other Non-hazardous waste generated (H) . Please specify, if any.	0.00	0.00
Total (A+B + C + D + E + F + G + H)	4.81	7.61
For each category of waste generated, total waste recovered through recycling, re-using or other recovery operations (in metric tonnes)		
Category of waste		
(i) Recycled	0.00	0.00
(ii) Re-used	0.00	0.00
(iii) Other recovery operations	0.00	0.00
Total	0.00	0.00
For each category of waste generated, total waste disposed by nature of disposal method (in metric tonnes)		
Category of waste	Oil Sledge	Oil Sledge
(i) Incineration	0.00	0.00
(ii) Landfilling	0.00	0.00
(iii) Other disposal operations Through third party: Oil sledge (Other Hazardous waste)	4.81	7.61
Total	4.81	7.61

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.

(The waste management data relates to our manufacturing units and excludes items like cut rubber, metal pieces, used packing films, etc, which are sold by the Company and further used by the purchaser).

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9. 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.
- Our manufacturing units are equipped with Effluent Treatment Plant and Condensate Recovery Units
 - Cut rubber pieces/ashes from production are offered/sold to rubber reclaiming operators for conversion to useable raw materials in production.
10. 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:
Not Applicable
11. Details of environmental impact assessments of projects undertaken by the entity based on applicable laws, in the current financial year: Not Applicable
12. 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). - Yes.
If not, provide details of all such non-compliances - Not applicable.

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	National
2	Indo-Australian Chamber of Commerce	National
3	All India Management Association	National
4	All India Manufacturers Association	National
5	Industrial Waste Management Association	National
6	Indian Institute of Material Management	National
7	Capexil	National
8	Federation of Indian Export Organizations	National
9	Madras Chamber of Commerce & Industries	State
10	Madras Management Association	State

2. Provide details of corrective action taken or underway on any issues related to anticompetitive conduct by the entity, based on adverse orders from regulatory authorities. Not applicable
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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. - Nil
2. Provide information on project(s) for which ongoing Rehabilitation and Resettlement (R&R) is being undertaken by your entity, in the following format: Not Applicable
3. Describe the mechanisms to receive and redress grievances of the community.
 - The public and community at large may post their grievances in confidentiality on a dedicated email established on the company website
 - Any such grievances are immediately addressed by the HR department, brought to the notice of the top management, and resolved.
4. Percentage of input material (inputs to total inputs by value) sourced from suppliers:

	FY 2022-23	FY 2021-22
Directly sourced from MSMEs / small producers	NA	NA
Sourced directly from within the district and neighbouring districts	35%	36%

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.
The Customer can email the company or call the company's representative about any complaint. The Company shall take timely step to assess the complaint and if correct, make remedial steps to resolve the same to the satisfaction of the customer.
2. Turnover of products and/services as a percentage of turnover from all products/service that carry information about:

	As a % of Total Turnover
Environmental and Social parameters relevant to the product	Thejo provides Material Safety Data Sheets, User Manuals and Warning Labels wherever applicable to educate user on safe usage, re-cycling and safe disposal of the products.
Safe and responsible usage	
Recycling and/or safe disposal	

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3. Number of consumer complaints in respect of the following:

	FY 2022-23		Remarks	FY 2021-22		Remarks
	Received during the year	Pending resolution at end of the year		Received during the year	Pending resolution at end of the year	
Data privacy	Nil	Nil	-	Nil	Nil	-
Advertising	Nil	Nil	-	Nil	Nil	-
Cyber security	Nil	Nil	-	Nil	Nil	-
Delivery of essential services	Nil	Nil	-	Nil	Nil	-
Restrictive trade practices	Nil	Nil	-	Nil	Nil	-
Unfair trade practices	Nil	Nil	-	Nil	Nil	-

4. Details of instances of product recalls on account of safety issues

Nil

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 - No.

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.- Not Applicable.