

AVADH/SE/2021-22/14

May 13, 2021

The Manager
Listing Department
National Stock Exchange of India Limited
'Exchange Plaza'
C - 1, Block G
Bandra-Kurla Complex
Bandra (E)
Mumbai 400051
SYMBOL – AVADHSUGAR

The Manager
Listing Department
BSE Ltd.
1st Floor, New Trading Ring
Rotunda Building
P.J. Towers
Dalal Street, Fort
Mumbai-400 001
STOCK CODE - 540649

Dear Sirs,

Sub: Disclosure of information pursuant to Regulation 30 read with Part A of Schedule III of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

In compliance with Regulation 30 read with Part A of Schedule III of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and the Company's Code of Practices and Procedure for Fair Disclosure of Unpublished Price Sensitive Information, kindly find enclosed herewith a copy of the Investor Presentation with respect to the Financial Highlights of the Company for the quarter and financial year ended 31st March, 2021.

Please take the same on record.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully, For Avadh Sugar & Energy Limited

Dilip Patodia
Chief Financial Officer



Encl: as above





Avadh Sugar & Energy Limited

Capitalizing Opportunities to Deliver a Promising Future





Fully Integrated Sugar Mill: Sugar | Ethanol | Co-Generation

Agenda

- 1 Q4FY21/FY21 Highlights
- **2** Segmental Performance
- **3** Industry Updates





1 Q4FY21/FY21 Highlights





Key Business Updates – Q4FY21/FY21 (1/2)

- Sugar Stock as on 31st March 2021, 38.51 (including raw sugar 2.69 Lac Qtls) lakh quintals
- Average realization (Domestic):
 - Q4FY21 Rs. 3,132/- per quintal; Q4FY20 Rs. 3,171/- per quintal | FY21 Rs. 3,185/- per quintal; FY20 Rs. 3,250 /- per quintal
- Receivable from Government department as on 31st March 2021 is Rs. 57 Cr (i.e. for Export Subsidy) further, also Rs. 31 Crs is due on account of power supply to Grid
- Company's credit rating has improved from BBB+ to A- for long term bank facilities
- Details of Stock Position mentioned below :-

| Stock Position (Lakh Qtls) | Quarter ended 31/03/2021 | FY ended 31/03/2021 | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|--|
| Opening stock | 30.05 | 45.61 | |
| Production | 29.85 | 62.18 | |
| Sold | 21.39* | 69.28* | |
| Closing stock as on 31st March 2021 | 38.51 | 38.51 | |

^{*}Including Export 9.51 Lakh Qtls



Key Business Updates – Q4FY21/FY21 (2/2)

Details of Outstanding position

| Particulars (Rs. In Crores) | FY 2020-21 | FY 2019-20 |
|-----------------------------|------------|------------|
| Term Loan | 653 | 699 |
| Cash Credit | 720 | 897 |
| Total Debt | 1,373 | 1,596 |
| Cane Dues | 491 | 556 |
| Total Outside Liability | 1,864 | 2,152 |

- Reduction in Total Debt by Rs. 223 Cr from last Year
- Reduction in Total Outside liability by Rs. 288 Cr from last Year
- Total Debt-to-Equity ratio is at **2.06x** against 2.70x last year
- The Company has announced capex program for Debottlenecking & efficiency improvement measures and expansion of Distillery
 capacity to 320 KLPD, at an estimated capital cost of Rs. 135.15 Cr



Operational Highlights – FY2020-21

Consolidated crushing operation and recovery data for the financial year 2020-2021 in comparison to last financial year 2019-2020

| S. No. | Particulars | FY 2020-21 | FY 2019-20 |
|--------|--|------------|------------|
| 1 | Sugarcane crushed for the Financial Year (Lac MT) | 57.83 | 60.03 |
| 2 | Sugarcane diverted for B-heavy molasses route (%) | 59.83 | 31.08 |
| 3 | Sugar Recovery (Pre-sacrifice) (%) | 11.73 | 11.88 |
| 4 | Sugar Recovery (Post-sacrifice) (%) | 10.70 | 11.47 |
| 5 | Impact of diversion to B-heavy on sugar recovery (%) | 1.03 | 0.41 |
| 6 | Sugar Sacrificed under B-heavy molasses route (Lac MT) | 0.60 | 0.25 |
| 7 | Net sugar produced (Post sacrifice) (Lac MT) | 6.20 | 6.88 |



Profitability Highlights

| Rs. Crore | Q4FY21 | Q4FY20 | FY21 | FY20 |
|-------------------|--------|--------|-------|-------|
| Total Income | 833 | 773 | 2,717 | 2,565 |
| Raw Material Cost | 628 | 579 | 2,128 | 1,974 |
| Employee Cost | 28 | 27 | 97 | 92 |
| Other Expenditure | 68 | 72 | 226 | 232 |
| EBITDA | 109 | 95 | 266 | 267 |
| Depreciation | 13 | 11 | 49 | 45 |
| PBIT | 96 | 84 | 217 | 222 |
| Interest | 28 | 23 | 116 | 116 |
| Profit Before Tax | 68 | 61 | 101 | 106 |
| Tax | 11 | - | 24 | 18 |
| Profit After Tax | 57 | 61 | 77 | 88 |
| EPS (Rs) | 28.28 | 30.23 | 38.76 | 44.27 |



Balance Sheet Highlights

| Rs. Crore | Mar-21 | Mar-20 |
|------------------------------|--------|--------|
| Shareholder's Funds | 666 | 592 |
| Share capital | 20 | 20 |
| Other Equity | 646 | 572 |
| Non-current liabilities | 513 | 603 |
| Long term borrowings | 499 | 588 |
| Long-Term Provisions | 4 | 3 |
| Deferred tax liability | 4 | - |
| Other Non- Current Liability | 6 | 12 |
| Current liabilities | 1,470 | 1,663 |
| Short Term Borrowings | 720 | 897 |
| Trade Payables | 538 | 599 |
| Other Financial Liabilities | 177 | 140 |
| Short-term provisions | 6 | 7 |
| Other Current liabilities | 24 | 19 |
| Current tax liability | 5 | 1 |
| Total Equities & Liabilities | 2,649 | 2,858 |

| Rs. Crore | Mar-21 | Mar-20 |
|--|--------|--------|
| Non-current assets | 1,122 | 1,063 |
| Fixed assets | 1,084 | 965 |
| Capital W.I.P | 14 | 69 |
| Financial assets | 16 | 11 |
| Other non-current assets | 4 | 12 |
| Deferred Tax Assets (net) | - | 3 |
| Non-current Tax assets | 4 | 3 |
| Current Assets | 1,527 | 1,795 |
| Inventories | 1,351 | 1,485 |
| Biological Assets other then bearer plants | - | - |
| Trade receivables | 55 | 109 |
| Bank, Cash & Cash equivalents | 7 | 7 |
| Loans & advances | - | 1 |
| Other financial assets | 6 | 8 |
| Other Current Assets | 108 | 185 |
| Total Assets | 2,649 | 2,858 |



Segmental Performance





Sugar Segment Performance

| | Segmental Revenues (Rs. Lakh) | Dispatched Qty (In Lacs) | PBIT (Rs. Lakh) |
|--------|--------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Q4FY21 | 81,692 | 21.39 | 5,126 |
| Q4FY20 | 76,001 | 20.15 | 4,565 |
| FY21 | 2,56,258 | 69.28 | 9,271 |
| FY20 | 2,49,213 | 67.96 | 12,102 |
| | Sugar cane Crushed (Lakh Qtls) | Sugar Recovery (%) * | Realisation / Qtl |
| Q4FY21 | 271.07 | 10.93 | 3,132 |
| Q4FY20 | 294.93 | 11.35 | 3,171 |
| FY21 | 578.33 | 10.70 | 3,185 |
| | | | |

^{*} Lower due to B heavy Molasses



Distillery Segment Performance

| | Segmental Reve | al Revenues (Rs. Lakh) PBIT (Rs. Lakh) | | | | |
|--------|----------------|--|--------|-----------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Q4FY21 | 9,5 | 03 | 4,3 | 379 | | |
| Q4FY20 | 7,4 | 76 | 3,2 | 249 | | |
| FY21 | 34,7 | 715 | 12, | 684 | | |
| FY20 | 23,0 | 624 | 10, | 791 | | |
| | | otal Ethanol Production (Lakh litres) Total Ethanol Sales (Lakh litres) Average Realization of E (Rs./litre) | | Total Ethanol Sales (Lakh litres) | | |
| | В | С | В | С | В | С |
| Q4FY21 | 207.37 | | 160.62 | - | 57.61 | - |
| Q4FY20 | 183.33 | | 130.39 | 6.06 | 54.27 | 43.75 |
| FY21 | 373.62 | 274.03 | 391.91 | 232.65 | 56.15 | 43.75 |
| FY20 | 233.79 | 345.94 | 154.70 | 322.14 | 54.27 | 43.62 |



Co-Generation Segment Performance

| | Segmental Revenues (Rs. Lakh) | PBIT (Rs. Lakh) | |
|--------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Q4FY21 | 6,793 | 750 | |
| Q4FY20 | 7,055 | 1,255 | |
| FY21 | 15,669 | 1,153 | |
| FY20 | 15,555 | 1,130 | |
| | Power Generation (lakh units) | Power Sales (Lakh units) | Average Realization (Rs. Per Unit) |
| Q4FY21 | 874 | 680 | 3.00 |
| Q4FY20 | 1,030 | 811 | 2.94 |
| FY21 | 1,980 | 1,476 | 3.01 |
| FY20 | 2,248 | 1,755 | 2.94 |



Industry Updates





Structural Changes in Ethanol to Drive Profitability

Ethanol Supply (April 21)

- Ethanol supply Total LOI quantity of 325.93 cr ltrs, 302.53 cr ltrs have been contracted
- •117.72 Cr ltrs of ethanol have been supplied as on 19th April' 2021
- Out of the total supply ~ 77% comprises of ethanol made from sugarcane juice /B-heavy molasses

India is marching towards higher blending

- •India has achieved a blending of average 7.36%
- •11 major States like Uttar Pradesh have achieved even higher blending **percentage of upto 10%** (April '21)

Favorable Realizations

- •CCEA has raised base prices of Ethanol derived out of
- •B heavy molasses by Rs. 3.34/ltr to Rs. 57.61/ltr
- •C heavy molasses by Rs. **1.94/ltr to Rs. 45.69/ltr**
- •Sugarcane juice by Rs. **3.17/ltr** to Rs. 62.65/ltr

GOI's firm Target & Vision

- •20% Ethanol Blending by 2025
- Helps sugar sector by resolving the problem of excess sugar production and would translate to improved realization of sugar mills



Increased operational days after installation of incineration boiler, from 270 to 330 days



Focus on manufacturing B-Heavy ethanol, to boost overall profitability



Huge potential to enhance operating margins and operating profitability

__Source: ISMA & ICRA



Sugar Industry Updates (1/3)

As per ISO's recent report, world sugar production in SS 20-21 is expected to decrease by (1.2)% y-o-y to 169.04 mln tonnes, deficit is largely on account of driven by lower production in major exporting countries like Europe, Brazil and Thailand

Global Consumption is expected to increase by 2.08% y-o-y to 173.8 mln tonnes in SS 2020-21. Consumption is forecasted to recover slowly, due to the impact of the coronavirus on economies of different countries

Positive for Domestic Exporters: Significant shortfall in production across major sugar producing countries in world. Brazil and Thailand's output is expected to be lower by 15 MMT lower compared to last sugar season leading to higher opportunities for domestic exporters

Sugar Production in SS 2020-21: ISMA estimates total sugar production at tonne to 29.92 million tons for SS 2020-21 (Oct-20-Apr21); estimated sugar production is after consideration the sugar diversion for production of Ethanol using B heavy molasses / juice / syrup. Increase in sugar production is primarily driven by increase in cane availability in Maharashtra & Karnataka in SS 2020-21

Sugar Production in UP is projected to be lower by 17% y-o-y to 10.5 million tons in SS 2020-21. The lower sugar production is attributed to lower sugarcane yields and lower sugarcane recoveries, apart from higher diversion towards gur/khandsari units and ethanol production. During the current season, it is estimated that \sim 6.74 lakh tons of sugar to be diverted towards ethanol production via B-heavy molasses as against 3.70 lakh tons in SS 2019-20

Source: ISMA & ICRA



Sugar Industry Updates (2/3)

Sugar Output (Oct-Apr 2021): Sugar production is at 29.92 million tons for Oct - Apr 21, an increase of 15.09% on y-o-y basis

• Production in UP remained lower at 10.56 million tons till April of SS 2020-21, as against 11.65 million tons in corresponding period last year. However, production in Maharashtra increased by 73% y-o-y to 10.56 million tons and in Karnataka recorded a increase of 23% y-o-y to 4.17 million tons

Sugar Consumption in SS 2020-21: ISMA expect domestic sugar consumption to be at 26 million tons. SS 2020-21, Sugar opening stock is at 10.7 million tons after considering the Domestic consumption, exports (6 million tons) and production (30.2 million tons), the closing stock on 31st March 2021 is expected to be much lower at around 8.9 million tons

Total Acreage under sugarcane: As per industry estimates, the total acreage under sugarcane in the country is estimated to be around 52.68 lakh hectares in SS 2020-21, which is about 9% higher than SS 2019-20 sugarcane area of around 48.41 lakh hectares

• Uttar Pradesh is estimated to have sugarcane area at 23.07 lakh hectares, as against 23.21 lakh hectares in 2019-20 SS, i.e. a marginal decrease of $\sim 0.5\%$

Export Subsidy: The Government has announced an export subsidy of Rs. 3,500 crores on export of upto 6 million tonne of sugar limited to Maximum Admissible Export Quota (MAEQ) allocated to sugar mills for sugar season 2020-21; export subsidy is lower by ~44% on y-o-y basis, due to Increase Export realization in International Market.

Source: ISMA & indiansugar.com



Sugar Industry Updates (3/3)

Exports to Europe (TRQ): The government has permitted export of an additional 3,675 tonnes of raw/refined sugar under tariff-rate quota to the United Kingdom

Indian Exports: Sugar mills in India have exported 24.96 lakh tonne of the commodity in the ongoing 2020-21

- The country is well on course to complete the 60-lakh tonne mill export target this year with Indonesia, Afghanistan and Sri Lanka emerging as the top three buyers
- Mills have contracted to export 33.38 lakh tonne of sugar (April 21') against the 60 lakh tonne quota assigned

FRP: Fair and Remunerative Price (FRP) for sugar season 2020-21 has been increased by Rs.10/Qtl to Rs. 285 per quintal linked to a basic recovery rate of 10%; providing a premium of Rs. 2.85 per quintal for every 0.1% increase in recovery above that level

SAP: No Change in State Advised Price (SAP) for U.P. for Sugar Season 2020-21 at Rs. 315/Qtl.

Firm Sugar Prices: Global sugar prices are also on rise (~15% in last 2 months). The current raw & white sugar prices are above cost of production for Indian millers. The global raw sugar prices may further firm up in the next six months given Brazil is expected to witness 20% production decline in 2021-22 season

MSP: The government has announced increased the minimum selling price (MSP) of sugar from Rs 31 per kg to Rs. 33 per kg which is yet to be notified

Source: ISMA & indiansugar.com



Disclaimer

This presentation and the accompanying slides (the "Presentation"), which have been prepared by Avadh Sugar & Energy Limited (the "Company"), have been prepared solely for information purposes and do not constitute any offer, recommendation or invitation to purchase or subscribe for any securities, and shall not form the basis or be relied on in connection with any contract or binding commitment whatsoever. No offering of securities of the Company will be made except by means of a statutory offering document containing detailed information about the Company.

This Presentation has been prepared by the Company based on information and data which the Company considers reliable, but the Company makes no representation or warranty, express or implied, whatsoever, and no reliance shall be placed on, the truth, accuracy, completeness, fairness and reasonableness of the contents of this Presentation. This Presentation may not be all inclusive and may not contain all of the information that you may consider material. Any liability in respect of the contents of, or any omission from, this Presentation is expressly excluded.

Certain matters discussed in this Presentation may contain statements regarding the Company's market opportunity and business prospects that are individually and collectively forward-looking statements. Such forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance and are subject to known and unknown risks, uncertainties and assumptions that are difficult to predict. These risks and uncertainties include, but are not limited to, the performance of the Indian economy and of the economies of various international markets, the performance of the industry in India and world-wide, competition, the company's ability to successfully implement its strategy, the Company's future levels of growth and expansion, technological implementation, changes and advancements, changes in revenue, income or cash flows, the Company's market preferences and its exposure to market risks, as well as other risks. The Company's actual results, levels of activity, performance or achievements could differ materially and adversely from results expressed in or implied by this Presentation. The Company assumes no obligation to update any forward-looking information contained in this Presentation. Any forward-looking statements and projections made by third parties included in this Presentation are not adopted by the Company and the Company is not responsible for such third party statements and projections.



Mr. Dilip Patodia / Mr. Sudershan bajaj dilip.patodia@birla-sugar.com / sudershan.bajaj@birla-sugar.com

9/1,R.N. Mukherjee Road, Kolkata



Ms. Pooja Sharma / Ms. Hina Agarwal pooja.sharma@stellar-ir.com / hina@stellar-ir.com

B-612/A, Kanakia Wallstreet, Andheri (East), Mumbai

For more information visit: