

Familiarization program for Independent Directors

Next Mediaworks Limited (“the Company”) has formulated, and adheres to a structured programme for orientation and familiarization of Independent Directors (IDs), on following aspects -

- Industry in which the Company operates and market scenario;
- Business model;
- Overview of Company’s operations and financials;
- Role, rights & responsibilities of IDs;
- Board meeting processes;
- Overview of board committees & terms of references; and
- Regular interaction with Key Managerial Personnel (KMPs) and senior executives

The appointment letters issued to IDs also contain particulars of their role, duties, responsibilities, remuneration etc.

While inducting on Board, IDs were provided induction kit containing presentation on details about the Company, copies of last two years annual report, Code of Conduct, Code for Prevention of Insider Trading, brief profile of other Board Members, Memorandum and Articles of Association, Committee Charters and other Board policies.

In addition to the above, IDs are provided, on an on-going basis, relevant information on following matters:

- Macro-economic parameters;
- Industry overview and significant developments in the market;
- Business Strategy and overview of Enterprise Risk Management;
- Competition scenario and significant business & marketing initiatives by the Company;
- Performance outlook and overview of operational and financial performance;
- Overview of the businesses of the Company/holdings/subsidiaries;
- Annual Operating Plan (AOP)/Long Range Plan (LRP); and updates, *if any*;
- Capital budgets and updates, *if any*;
- Overview of applicable legal/ regulatory changes.

The particulars of programmes attended by IDs and time spent therefor etc. during financial year 2019-20, are as under –

Sl. No.	Name of the Director	No. of programmes attended		No. of hours spent	
		During FY-19-20	On cumulative basis	During FY-19-20	On cumulative basis
1.	Shri Ajay Relan [#]	4	4*	1 Hr 45 Mins	1 Hr 45 Mins*
2.	Ms. Suchitra Rajendra [#]	3	3*	1 Hr 25 Mins	1 Hr 25 Mins*
3.	Shri Dilip Cherian [@]	4	15 ^{\$}	1 Hr 45 Mins	9 Hrs 35 Mins ^{\$}
4.	Shri Sameer Singh [^]	--	--	--	--

[#] Appointed w.e.f. 18th April, 2019

[@] Ceased w.e.f. 23rd January, 2020

[^] Appointed w.e.f. 13th January, 2020

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^{\$} w.e.f. 1st April, 2015