

PRIDE HOTELS LIMITED

NOMINATION AND REMUNERATION POLICY

[Pursuant to Section 178 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 19 of SEBI (LODR)

Regulations, 2015]

INTRODUCTION

This Nomination and Remuneration Policy outlines the Company's policy on appointment and remuneration of directors, key managerial personnel (KMP), and senior management, and is guided by the principles of transparency, merit, diversity, and fairness.

LEGAL FRAMEWORK

This policy is in line with the following:

- Section 178 of the Companies Act, 2013 and the rules made thereunder
- Regulation 19 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations,
 2015, and Part D of Schedule II

OBJECTIVES OF THE POLICY

- To ensure diversity and competence in the Board and senior management.
- To lay down criteria for appointment, removal, and evaluation of Directors and KMPs.
- To recommend remuneration based on performance, potential, industry benchmarks, and financial position of the company.

DEFINITIONS

"Board" means Board of Directors of the Company.

"Company" means Pride Hotels Limited.

"Committee(s)" means Committees of the Board for the time being in force.

"Employee" means employee of the Company whether employed in India or outside India including employees in the Senior Management Team of the Company.

"HR' means the Human Resource department of the Company.

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"Key Managerial Personnel" (KMP) refers to key managerial personnel as under:

Chief Executive Officer (CEO); Chief Financial Officer (CFO); and Company Secretary (CS).

"Nomination and Remuneration Committee" (NRC) means Nomination and Remuneration Committee of Board of Directors of the Company for the time being in force.

"Senior Management" means the officers in grade one level below the Directors

CONSTITUTION OF NOMINATION AND REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

As per:

- Section 178 of the Companies Act, 2013
- Regulation 19 of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015

The Committee shall consist of at least three non-executive directors, out of which not less than two-thirds shall be independent directors.

ROLE OF THE COMMITTEE

As per Part D of Schedule II of LODR and Companies Act, 2013, the NRC shall:

- 1. Formulate criteria for determining qualifications, positive attributes, and independence of a director.
- 2. **Recommend persons** for appointment as directors, KMPs, or senior management.
- 3. Evaluate performance of the Board, committees, and individual directors.
- 4. Devise policy on Board diversity.
- 5. **Recommend remuneration policy** for directors, KMPs, and senior management.
- 6. **Identify and recommend** candidates for succession planning.
- 7. Ensure alignment of remuneration with long-term performance and shareholder value.

POLICY ON APPOINTMENT AND REMOVAL

The NRC reviews and assesses Board composition and recommends the appointment of new Directors. In evaluating the suitability of individual Board member, the NRC shall take into account the following criteria regarding qualifications, positive attributes and also independence of director when Independent Directors (ID) is to be appointed:

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- 1. All Board appointments will be based on merit, in the context of the skills, experience, diversity, and knowledge, for the Board as a whole to be effective.
- 2. Ability of the candidates to devote sufficient time and attention to his / her professional obligations as Director for informed and balanced decision making.
- 3. Adherence to the applicable Code of Conduct and highest level of Corporate Governance in letter and in spirit by the Directors.

Based on recommendation of the NRC, the Board will evaluate the candidate(s) and decide on the selection of the appropriate member. The Board through the Chairman or the Managing Director & CEO will interact with the new member to obtain his/her consent for joining the Board. Upon receipt of the consent, the new Director will be co-opted by the Board in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rules made there under.

If a Director is attracted with any disqualification as mentioned in any of the applicable Act, rules and regulations there under or due to non - adherence to the applicable policies of the Company, the NRC may recommend to the Board with reasons recorded in writing, removal of a Director subject to the compliance of the applicable statutory provisions.

APPOINTMENT CRITERIA AND QUALIFICATIONS

While selecting candidates, the Committee shall consider the following:

- Ethical standards, integrity, and qualification
- Expertise, experience, and background
- Diversity of thought, perspective, and gender
- Independence criteria under Companies Act, 2013 and SEBI (Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirement) Regulations, 2015

PERFORMANCE EVALUATION CRITERIA

The Committee shall formulate criteria for evaluating the performance of:

- Board as a whole
- Individual Directors (Executive / Non-Executive / Independent)
- Chairperson
- Committees of the Board

This shall include parameters such as participation, preparedness, contribution, independence of judgment, etc.

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POLICY ON REMUNERATION

I. Remuneration to Directors

Non-Executive Including Independent Directors:

The Nomination and Remuneration Committee (NRC) shall decide the basis for determining the compensation, both Fixed and variable, to the Non-Executive Directors, including Independent Directors, whether as commission or otherwise. The NRC shall take into consideration various factors such as director's participation in Board and Committee meetings during the year, other responsibilities undertaken, such as membership or Chairmanship of committees, time spent in carrying out their duties, role and functions as envisaged in Schedule IV of the Companies Act 2013 and such other factors as the NRC may consider deem fit for determining the compensation. The Board shall determine the compensation to Non-Executive Directors within the overall limits specified in the Act.

Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer

Remuneration of the Managing Director and Executive Director (MD & CEO) reflects the overall remuneration philosophy and guiding principle of the Company. While considering the appointment and remuneration of Managing Director and Executive Director, the NRC shall consider the industry benchmarks, merit and seniority of the person and shall ensure that the remuneration proposed to be paid is commensurate with the remuneration packages paid to similar senior level counterpart(s) in other companies. The policy aims at a balance between fixed and variable pay reflecting short and long-term performance objectives appropriate to the working of the company and its goals.

The remuneration to the MD, CEO and Executive Director shall be recommended by NRC to the Board. The remuneration consists of both fixed compensation and variable compensation and shall be paid as salary, commission, performance bonus, stock options (where applicable), perquisites and fringe benefits as per the policy of the Company from time to time and as approved by the Board and within the overall limits specified in the Shareholders resolution, if any. While the fixed compensation is determined at the time of appointment, the variable compensation will be determined annually by the NRC based on the performance of MD, CEO& Executive Director.

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The term of office and remuneration of MD, CEO and Executive Director is subject to the approval of the Board of Directors, shareholders, and Central Government, as may be required and within the statutory limits laid down in this regard from time to time.

If, in any financial year, the Company has no profits or its profits are inadequate, the Company shall pay, subject to the requisite approvals, remuneration to its MD, CEOand Executive Director in accordance with the provisions of Schedule V of the Companies Act, 2013.

If a MD, CEO and Executive Directors draws or receives, directly or indirectly by way of remuneration any such sums in excess of the limits prescribed under the Companies Act, 2013 or without the prior sanction of the Central Government, where required, he / she shall refund such sums to the Company and until such sum is refunded, hold it in trust for the Company. The Company shall not waive recovery of such sum refundable to it unless permitted by the Central Government.

Remuneration for MD, CEO and Executive Directories designed subject to the limits laid down under the Companies Act, 2013 to remunerate him / her fairly and responsibly. The remuneration to the MD, CEO and Executive Director comprises of salary, perquisites and benefits as per policy of the Company and performance based incentive apart from retirement benefits like P.F., Superannuation, Gratuity, Leave Encashment, etc. as per Rules of the Company. Salary is paid within the range approved by the Shareholders. Increments are effective annually, as recommended / approved by the Remuneration Committee / Board. The MD, CEO and Executive Directors entitled for grant of Stock Options as per the approved Stock Options Schemes of the Company from time to time.

Other Directors

The Managing Director, Chief Executive Officer and Executive Director are executives of the Company and draw remuneration from the Company. The Non-Executive Chairman and Independent Directors receive sitting fees for attending the meeting of the Board and the Committees thereof, as fixed by the Board of Directors from time to time subject to statutory provisions. The Non-Executive Chairman and Independent Directors would be entitled to the remuneration under the Companies Act, 2013. A Non-Executive Non-Independent Director who receives remuneration from the holding company or any other group company is not paid any sitting fees or any remuneration. In addition to the above the Directors are entitled for reimbursement of expenses incurred in discharge of their duties.

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The Company may also grant Stock Options to the eligible employees and Directors (other than Independent Directors) in accordance with the ESOP Schemes, if any of the Company from time to time and subject to the compliance of the applicable statutes and regulations.

EFFECTIVE DATE

This policy shall be effective from the date of its approval by the Board.

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