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POLICY FOR PRESERVATION OF DOCUMENTS AND ARCHIVAL

(Pursuant to Regulation 9 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements), Regulations 2015)

(Effective from 01st December, 2015)

1. **INTRODUCTION**:

Kisan Mouldings Limited (hereafter referred to as "KML" or "Company" in this document) believes in promoting a fair, transparent, ethical and professional work environment. This Policy aims to preserve Documents /Records maintained by the Company either in Physical Mode or Electronic Mode (hereinafter referred to as "the Documents").

This Policy has been formulated in accordance with the Regulation 9 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (Listing Regulations). The Policy shall come into effect from **December 1, 2015.**

2. PURPOSE OF THE POLICY:

Regulation 9 of the Listing Regulations mandates that a listed entity shall have a policy for preservation of documents, approved by its board of directors, classifying them in at least two categories as follows-

- a. documents whose preservation shall be permanent in nature;
- b. documents with a preservation period of not less than eight years after completion of the relevant transactions.

Provided that the listed entity may keep documents specified in clauses (a) and (b) in electronic mode.

Further Regulation 30 (8) of the Listing Regulations also refers to an archival policy as per which all events or information which has been disclosed to stock exchange(s) under regulation 30

shall be hosted on the website of the Company for a minimum period of five years and thereafter as per the archival policy of the company, as disclosed on its website.

Besides the above, as per applicable provisions of Companies Act, 2013 certain documents must be preserved permanently or up to a certain prescribed time.

Accordingly this policy has been framed keeping in view particularly the requirements of Listing Regulations and the provisions of Companies Act, 2013.

This policy sets the standard for classifying, managing and storing of records of the Company. The purpose of this policy is to establish a framework for effective record management and the process for subsequent archival of such records.

3. **DEFINATIONS**:

"Applicable Law" means any law, rules, regulations, circulars, guidelines or standards under which the preservation or archival of the Documents has been prescribed.

"Archive/archiving" is the process of transferring records to a repository managed by personnel specialized in storing, appraising, conserving and authorizing access to the records entrusted. Archiving allows for future retrieval and use of information. Archiving serves two main functions: conserving evidence in case of a legal claim or audit, and preserving the historical memory and proof of an activity.

"Board" in relation to the Company, means the collective body of the directors of the Company. "Company" means Kisan Mouldings Limited.

"Electronic Form" means any contemporaneous electronic device such as computer, laptop, compact disc, floppy disc, space on electronic cloud, or any other form of storage and retrieval device, considered feasible, whether the same is in possession or control of the Company or otherwise accessible to the Company.

"Regulations" mean SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 including any modifications, clarifications, circulars or re-enactment thereof.

"Records / Documents" includes and contains all relevant information relating to the Company and necessary documentations required to be maintained under the Applicable Law.

"Policy" means this Policy on Preservation of documents and Archival Policy and as may be amended from time to time.

Any other term not defined herein shall have the same meaning as defined in the Companies Act, 2013, the Regulations or any other applicable law or regulation to the extent applicable to the Company.

4. TYPE OF DOCUMENTS AND TIME PERIOD FOR PRESERVATION:

The Company shall maintain and preserve documents as specified hereunder:

Category (A):

The documents of permanent nature (listed in Annexure-1) shall be maintained and preserved permanently by the Company subject to the modifications, amendments, addition, deletion or any changes made therein from time to time. Provided that all such modifications, amendments, addition or deletion in the documents shall also be preserved permanently by the Company.

Category (B):

The documents of the company to be maintained and preserved for specified time period after completion of the relevant transactions (listed in Annexure-2) shall be preserved by the Company for the term not less than eight year after completion of the relevant transactions subject to the modifications, amendments, addition, deletion or any changes made therein from time to time. Provided that all such modifications, amendments, addition or deletion in the documents shall also be preserved for a term not less than eight years.

For the purpose of this policy, document may include the following:

- 1. 'books and papers' as defined in clause 12 of section 2 of the Companies Act, 2013;
- 2. 'books of accounts' as defined in clause 13 of section 2 of the Companies Act,2013;
- 3. 'documents' as defined in clause 36 of section 2 of the Companies Act,2013;
- 4. 'register of company' as defined in clause 74 of section 2 of the Companies Act, 2013

Further, the company may deeming fit and possible from time to time maintain above mentioned documents in electronic form to the extent possible.

Notwithstanding anything contained in this policy in case of dispute with tax authorities or government authorities, records and documents relating to dispute will be preserved till the settlement of dispute or eight years whichever is later.

5. PRESERVATION PRINCIPLES:

The Company shall disclose on its website all such events and information which have been disclosed to the Stock Exchanges under Regulation 30 of the Listing Regulations. Such disclosures shall be hosted on the website of the Company for a period of five years from the date of disclosure to the Stock Exchanges. For ensuring safety of the data hosted on the website of the Company, a back-up of the website shall be taken atleast on a regular intervals.

After five years, such disclosures shall be removed from the Company's website and preserved in a secured server of the Company. Such disclosures shall be preserved in a logical manner viz. as per nature/date of the disclosure, etc. to facilitate easy retrieval as and when required. The disclosures shall be preserved in a non-editable format which do not require permanent preservation but require years of preservation as prescribed under Applicable Law on the server of the Company.

Physical preservations shall be ensured in proper store / record rooms, access to which shall be allowed to only persons authorised.

6. **AMENDMENT**:

Any change in the Policy shall be approved by the Board of Directors of the Company. The Board of Directors shall have the right to withdraw and / or amend any part of this Policy or the entire Policy, at any time, as it deems fit, or from time to time, and the decision of the Board in this respect shall be final and binding.

7. **COMMUNICATION:**

Copy of this policy duly approved shall be placed before the Board and circulated among all the Director of the Company. This policy as amended from time to time shall be made available at the website of the Company.

Annexure 1:

<u>Documents whose preservation shall be permanent in nature:</u>

Sr. No.	Nature of Document(s)
1.	All documents and Information originally filed with ROC for Incorporation of
	Company
2.	Memorandum of Association and Articles of Association as originally filed and
	updated from time to time
3.	Register of Members
4.	Index of Members
5.	Minutes of General Meeting
6.	Minutes of Board Meeting
7.	Minutes of various Committee Meetings
8.	Any other document as may be required to maintain in terms of applicable law(s),
	maintained and preserved from time to time

Annexure 2:

<u>Documents with preservation period of not less than eight years after completion of the relevant transactions:</u>

Sr. No.	Nature of Document(s)
1.	Books of Accounts
2.	Annual Return(s)
3.	Register of Debenture holders
4.	Index of Debenture holders
5.	Statutory Registers
6.	Tax related records
7.	Any other document as may be required to maintain in terms of applicable law(s),
	maintained and preserved from time to time