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Dear Sir

Pursuant to Regulation 30 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, a copy of the Earnings Presentation that we propose to make during the conference call for investors scheduled to be held on Wednesday, 10th August, 2022 at 2:30 PM IST is enclosed herewith.

The said Earnings Presentation has also been uploaded on the Company's website i.e. www.hplindia.com.

We request you to kindly take the same on record.

Thanking You

Yours Faithfully, For HPL Electric & Power Limited

Vivek Kumar Company Secretary

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Q1 FY23 RESULTS UPDATE

AUGUST 2022



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COMPANY OVERVIEW



Trusted Electric Equipment Manufacturer

- 'One-stop shop' offering wide range of low-voltage electric products -
 - Metering Solutions (conventional and smart meters)
 - o Switchgears
 - Lighting Products
 - Wires & Cables
- Innovative, quality and technologically superior products catering to varied market segments and at different price points

Integrated Manufacturing Operations Combined with Strong R&D Capabilities

- 7 state-of-the-art Manufacturing facilities with capabilities across design & product development, component designing, tool making and commercial production
- 2 R&D centers housing 100+ expert engineers having rich experience in the electrical industry and a proven track record of product innovation



Market Leader in Electric Meters & On-load Change-over Switches

- '50% Market Share' in the Domestic On-load Change-over Switches Market *
- '20% Market Share' in Domestic Electric Meters Market *
- '5% Market Share' in the Low-voltage Switchgear Market *
- '5th Largest' LED Lighting Products Manufacturer *

Established Pan-India Distribution Presence

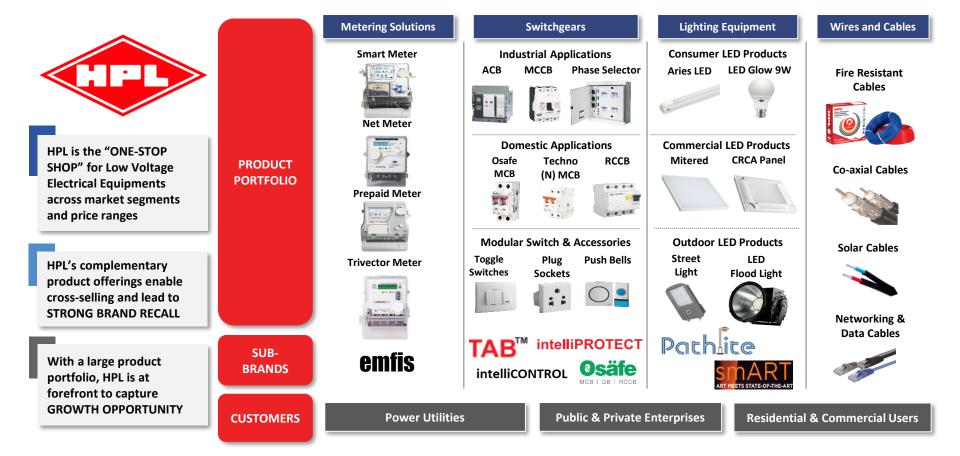
- Established Pan-India Distribution network consisting of –
 - 90+ Branch & Representative Offices
 - 900+ Authorized Dealers
 - **35,000+ Retailers**

Long-standing Customer Relationships, Experienced Leadership Team, and Strong Prequalification Credentials

- 45+ year old Established Brand with strong recall across various customer segments Power Utilities, Government Agencies, Retail & Institutional Customers
- Highly Experienced management team
- Strong prequalification credentials in the metering and switchgear businesses creating high benchmarks

WIDE-RANGING PRODUCT PORTFOLIO





STATE OF ART MANUFACTURING FACILITIES



GURUGRAM



JABLI



Gurugram Facility I: Electronic Meters, R&D Cente	r
for Smart Meters	

Gurugram Facility II: Lighting Equipment and Electronic Meter Parts

KUNDLI



Facility I: Switchgears, Parts of Electronic Energy Meters and Parts of Lighting Equipment

Facility II: Lighting Equipment

Lighting Equipment Himachal Energy Facility: Electronic Meters, Panel Meters and Clips for Panel Meters

Facility I: Switchgear, Electronic Meters, and Parts of

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Product Segments	Capacity (per annum)
Electronic Meters	11 million units
Lighting Equipment	26 million units
Switchgear	16 million units
Wires & Cables	194 million meters

QUALITY & COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATIONS



















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CONTINUOUS R&D TO LAUNCH AND MARKET EXCITING NEW INNOVATIVE PRODUCTS

Launched '3 new products in the Switchgear Category in Q1FY23



IN-HOUSE R&D CAPABILITIES:

- 2 R&D facilities in Gurugram & Kundli with more than 100 engineers
- 1 Testing facility in Gurugram NABL accredited and ISO/IEC 17025:2005 compliant
- 2 Tool Rooms for rapid prototyping & component designing for complete range of MCBs, MCCBs, Meters, Changeover Switches, Switch Fuse Units, LED lamps





Submersible starter panel

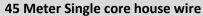
Protection Switch Enclosure



DC Switch Disconnector

Trade Lighting





Lumino Plus LED Downlighter





ESTABLISHED PAN-INDIA DISTRIBUTION NETWORK & BRAND PRESENCE TO CAPTURE SIGNIFICANT GROWTH POTENTIAL IN ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT INDUSTRY

90+ Branch & Representative Offices 21 Warehouses across India

900+ Authorized Dealers and 35,000+ Retailers

Carrying and forwarding agents model for sale and supply through authorized dealers

620+ full time employees responsible for promotional and brand building activities for our products



STRONG EXECUTION, ESTABLISHED RELATIONSHIPS AND STRONG PRE-QUALIFICATION CREDENTIALS MAKE HPL A PREFERRED SUPPLIER OF THE SPECIALISED ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENTS





EXTENSIVE EXPERIENCE

- Strong Promoter pedigree with more than 40 years of experience
- More than 20 years of average experience of senior management team
- Strong R&D and manufacturing capabilities

ESTABLISHED RELATIONSHIPS

- Established relationships with Institutional customers, Power Utilities and Governmental Agencies across India
- HPL has created a "niche" for itself in technologically advanced products like Metering and Switchgear businesses

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STRONG PRE-QUALIFICATION CREDENTIALS

- HPL works with Power Utilities and Government Agencies pursuant to direct contractual arrangements, obtained through bidding processes, requiring certain pre-qualification requirements
- HPL meets all pre-qualification credentials including past experience, technical requirements, quality and safety compliances, financial strength, and price competitiveness

ONE-STOP SHOP' OF LOW-VOLTAGE "CONSUMER" ELECTRIC PRODUCTS

 Offer a wide range of innovative, and technologically superior products in the "Lighting, Switchgears, and Wires & Cables segments" which cater to varied market segments and at different price points

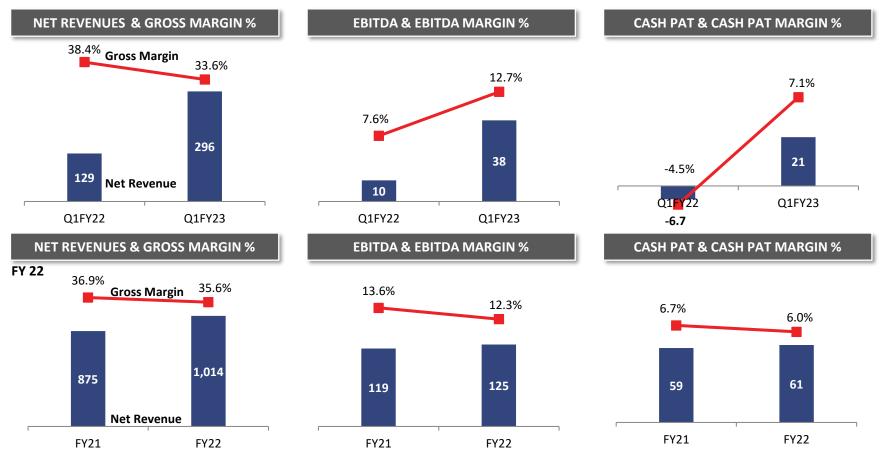


Smart Modular Switches

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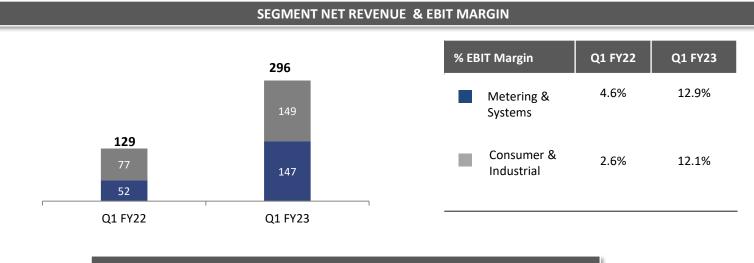
Q1FY23 In Rs Crore

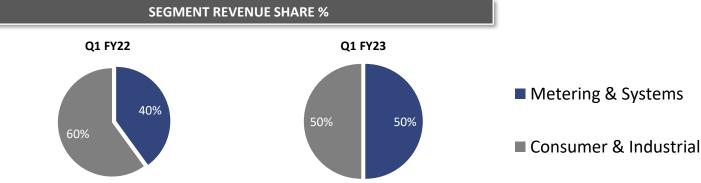


Q1FY23: YoY SEGMENT ANALYSIS



In Rs Crore





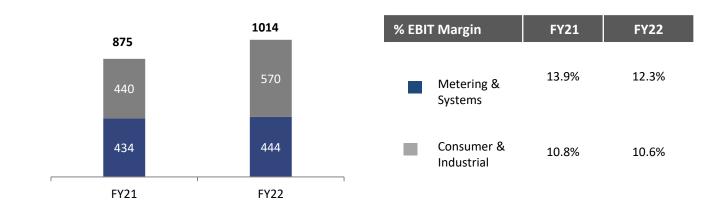
Management has changed its segmental reporting by consolidating/restructuring on the basis of similar economic, market and business characteristics. Thereby the two new reportable segments identified are **Consumer & Industrial** by aggregating wire & cables, lighting, luminaries and switchgear business into one segment and aggregating of Metering Systems and Projects business into another segment as **Metering & Systems**. Changes in the reportable segment are in accordance with Ind AS 108, hence previous year figures are re-instated to make it comparable.

FY22 : YoY SEGMENT ANALYSIS



In Rs Crore





SEGMENT REVENUE SHARE %



Metering & Systems

Consumer & Industrial



General Strong Performance in Q1FY23 led by robust performance in all the segments.

- The Company registered robust performance YoY and revenue surged by 129.2% in Q1FY23 to Rs. 295.6 crore as compared to Rs. 129 crore in Q1FY22.
- Gross profit for the quarter improved by 100.1%. Gross profit stood at Rs. 99.2 crore in Q1FY23 as compared to Rs. 49.6 crore in Q1FY22.
- EBITDA grew by 283.5% YoY where EBITDA is Rs. 37.6 crore in Q1FY23 as compared to Rs. 9.8 crore in Q1FY22. EBITDA margin expanded by 512bps and stood at 12.7% in Q1FY23 as compared to 7.6% in Q1FY22.
- PAT stood at Rs. 6.3 crore in Q1FY23 as compared to a net loss of Rs. 19.9 crore in Q1FY22.
- EPS stood at Rs. 0.98 in Q1F23 as compared to a negative EPS of Rs. -3.1 in Q1FY22.

Metering & Systems segment reported good year-on-year growth

- Both "Metering & Systems" and "Consumer & Industrial" segments reported strong year-on-year growth.
- In the Metering & Systems segment revenue grow by 185% YoY from Rs. 51.6 crore in Q1FY22 to Rs. 146.9 crore In Q1FY23. Consumer & Industrial segment revenue grows by 92% YoY from Rs. 77.4 crore in Q1FY22 to Rs. 148.7 crore in Q1FY23.
- Both segments registered healthy segmental EBIT margins. The Metering & Systems segment registered EBIT of 12.9% in Q1FY23 as compared to 4.6% in Q1FY22 and the consumer & Industrial segment registered EBIT of 12.1% in Q1FY23 as compared to 2.6% in Q1FY22.



Strong and healthy inquiry in smart meters backed and on the order execution front, the work is running at a fast pace which will lead to timely completion of the pipeline.

D The 'Metering & Systems ' segment is anticipated to receive good traction and growth in FY23.

- Inspection and inquiries have started gaining traction. We expect the momentum to continue and grow in the second half of FY23 and expect an overall surged performance in the Metering & Systems segment.
- □ Smart Meters to be the next leading player in the growth-building process.
 - o Smart meter will be the leading player in the growth building story of the HPL.
 - Current meter order book has more than 50% Smart Meters orders and as Government is pushing hard for the conversion of Conventional Electronic Meters to Smart Meters, it is expected that the share of Smart Meters is to rise even further. Smart meters attract higher realizations, thereby resulting to increase revenue and enhanced profitability.

□ Overall Strong order book of ₹ 832 crores ensures revenue visibility for the short and medium term.

- Meter segment contributes 51% of the current order book.
- Enquiry base for Metering tenders is at a healthy level as tenders amounting to ~ ₹ 1,500 crore + have been floated or are expected to be floated in the near term.

Improved consumer sentiments leading to good momentum in the 'Consumer & Industrial' segment is expected to register a robust performance.

- The consumer segment is likely to continue the growth trajectory in the coming quarters coupled with prudent market strategies and enhanced dealer & retail network. Given the better working capital cycle and margins in the consumer business, the overall working capital cycle and margins are expected to improve with the increasing share of the consumer segment to the overall revenue.
- HPL's in-house R&D strength will enable higher exports. HPL's testing lab for LED lighting was certified by National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories (NABL) for independent testing of LED lighting. The Kundli, based testing laboratory is awarded the ISO/IEC 17025:2017 certification.
- Company's growth trajectory is strong, and the Company is confident of overcoming near-term challenges and driving sustainable growth as the economic conditions have picked up.

EXPANDING ITS GLOBAL FOOTPRINT



HPL's Global Network

HPL exports have seen a growth of 19% Year on Year in Q1FY23. HPL's pending export order gives a good near-term sales visibility in the coming quarters.

HPL's in house R&D strength to enable higher exports.

- HPL's LV switchgear testing laboratory in Jabli, Himachal Pradesh is accredited with IECEE certification for independent testing of MCB & RCCB for KEMA and CB certification from DEKRA, Netherlands.
- The above test certifications enable HPL's product access to new 53 countries, thereby adding to their global footprints of existing 45 countries.
- Despite the global lockdown, HPL products has made inroads into 37+ countries in the last few months.





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Particulars (In Rs. Crore)	Q1 FY23	Q1 FY22	ΥοΥ%	Q4 FY22	QOQ%	FY22
Net Revenue from Operations	295.6	129.0	129.2%	325.1	-9.1%	1014
COGS	196.4	79.4	147.3%	209.9	-6.4%	652.7
Gross Profit	99.2	49.6	100.1%	115.2	-13.9%	361.3
Gross Margin (%)	33.6%	38.0%	-487 bps	35.4%	-187 bps	35.6%
Employee Expenses	34.0	23.8	43.3%	35.1	-3.1%	123.8
Other Expenses	27.5	16.0	72.0%	34.4	-20.1%	112.3
EBITDA	37.6	9.8	283.5%	45.6	-17.5%	125.1
EBITDA Margin (%)	12.7%	7.6%	512 bps	14.0%	-130 bps	12.3%
Other Income	1.0	1.4	-29.1%	0.6	74.3%	4.2
Finance Costs	17.5	16.2	7.9%	17.4	0.9%	68.3
Depreciation	11.4	11.7	-0.9%	11.6	0.0%	47.1
РВТ	9.5	-16.7	NA	17.3	-44.8%	13.9
Taxes	3.4	2.5	35.7%	3.7	-9.6%	6.1
Reported PAT	6.3	-19.9	NA	13.5	-49.7%	7.8
Cash PAT	21.1	-5.7	NA	28.8	-118.7%	61.0
PAT Margin (%)	2.1%	-14.9%	NA	4.2%	-187 bps	0.8%
Earnings Per Share (EPS)	.98	-3.1	NA	2.10	-48.6%	1.21



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RAISING THE BRAND VISIBILITY QUOTIENT





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MES Pathankot –Builder's Association Meet



Electrician Bag distributed in Chennai





ELITE CHANNEL CONNECTS & DEALER MEETS





Tamil Nadu – Distributor's Meet



Lonavala – West Distributor's Meet



Karnataka – Distributor's Meet



Gujarat – Distributor's Meet

ELITE CHANNEL CONNECTS & DEALER MEETS





Delhi- Distributor's Meet



Kerala – Distributor's Factory Visit



Pench, MP – Central Distributor's Meet

MEETS & MARKETING ACTIVITIES







Hoarding in Prayagraj



Nagpur – Goldring Gifted to a Retailer

Nagercoil, Chennai – Electrician Meet



BUSINESS STRATEGY

FUTURE BUSINESS STRATEGY FOR VALUE CREATION



Leading Electric Meter Manufacturer Fully Geared To Meet The 'Smart Meter Opportunity' Commands a 'market share of ~20%' in the domestic meters market with an 'installed capacity of 1.1 crore meters per year'

 ✓ Well Positioned to Capitalise on the Smart Meter Opportunity backed by our competitive strengths (details given on the next slide)

FUTURE BUSINESS STRATEGY

Robust Traction in the Consumer Business to Drive Growth

- 'Drive healthy growth in the Lighting & Switchgear business' through brand building, network expansion & product development initiatives
- These divisions have shorter working capital cycle (compared to the meters business) 'Thereby helping to generate higher overall ROCE for HPL'

Sectoral Opportunities to Provide Growth Momentum

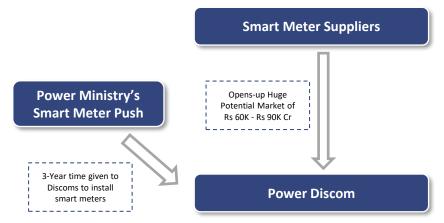
- ✓ Positive policy initiatives along with favorable industry outlook expected to boost demand for HPL's products especially for switchgears & meters
- ✓ * Indian Switchgear Market projected to grow @ 15% CAGR over 2019-23
- $\checkmark~$ #Indian LED Lighting Market projected to grow @ 23% CAGR over 2019-25
- ✓ Crisil Research expects the Indian wires & cables market to grow @ 15% CAGR over the next 4 years (2019-23)

SMART METERS – "GAMECHANGING INITATIVE" WITH ENORMOUS POTENTIAL



□ What are smart meters? What is the opportunity size?

- Meters with embedded software to enable automation and communication
- Ministry of Power plans to install 25 to 30 crore smart meters across India – 'which translates into a cumulative opportunity size of Rs 60,000 to Rs 90,000 crore'
- □ Why should the "Utilities" install smart meters?
 - India's discoms owed Rs 78,379 crore to power generating companies in FY21
 - Smart meters can help address this situation effectively by minimizing human intervention in metering, billing and collection



Likely Benefits of the Smart Meter Program for HPL

- Being a leading player with a successful track record of supplying meters over the last 2 decades, HPL is well positioned to capitalise on the smart meter opportunity
- Bagged orders worth Rs. 100+ crore for meter with smart communication technology and with RF and IRDA communication in the last couple of years

HPL's Competitive Edge

✓	Market Leading Player	• ~20% market share. Installed capacity of 11 MMPA – 'this capacity is fungible and can be used for smart meters as well'
\checkmark	Comprehensive Product Portfolio	 Conventional, and smart meters (including prepaid meters, software communication driven meters)
~	Long-standing Relationships	 Successful track-record of supplying to most state and central utilities for the last 2 decades
\checkmark	Strong Pre-qualification Credentials	 IS 16444 certified products
~	Strong Thrust on Quality, Product Innovation & Cost Competitiveness	 2 R&D Centers housing over 100 experts having rich experience in the electrical industry (launched 3 new products in FY21) Integrated Operations help achieve cost competitiveness



✓ 'Consumer' segment includes Non-utility Metering, Switchgear, Lighting, and Wires & Cables. In FY21, this segment comprised ~63% of the total revenues

- ✓ HPL is looking to drive healthy growth in this business by using a 3-pronged approach →
 - 1) Enhancing distribution reach & relations
 - 2) Undertaking brand building initiatives and
 - 3) Constantly developing new & innovative products (see below for details)
- ✓ Since, the Consumer business has shorter working capital cycle of ~3 Months, higher share from this segment will lead to higher ROCE and free cash flow

Brand Building Initiatives

- In FY20, HPL tied-up with the Delhi Capitals Team for the IPL 2019 Campaign
- Building upon the successful campaign in IPL, HPL tied-up with 'The Haryana Steelers' Pro Kabaddi Team as its 'official LED 'Lighting Partner"
- 'This provides an effective platform to create strong brand visibility in especially in the Tier 2 & 3 towns and rural areas enabling HPL to drive aggressive growth in these regions going ahead'

□ Continuous Product Development & Innovation

- Launched new innovative range of products in the lighting and switchgear segment in FY21 -
 - Switchgear: Launched 'over 6' new products including the industrial and domestic range, along with new products in solar category
 - Lighting: Launched 12 new products including 'Bright Neo LED Pattern', 'Spark Gold', 'Tri-Glow LED Tri-Colour Pattern', 'Kasper Gold', etc.
- Most of the new products have received very good dealer response so far

Enhancing Distribution Reach & <u>Relations</u>

- Expand retailer touch-points by than 3x – from the existing 27,000 retailers to 1,00,000 retailers within next 3 years
- Regular hold channel connect events in the form of dealer meets, retailer meets and technical seminars

Brand Building Initiatives Product Innovation Enhancing Distribution Reach & Relations



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