

Board of Directors



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M.P. RAMACHANDRAN

Chairman & Managing Director

M.P. Ramachandran remains the driving force behind the Company's progress. His vision and understanding of the customers' pulse has led to the Company emerging as a formidable player in the FMCG segment.

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K. ULLAS KAMATH

Joint Managing Director and CFO

K. Ullas Kamath is a qualified Chartered Accountant and Company Secretary. He also has a degree in law and has attended the Advanced Management Programme at Wharton Business School and the Harvard Business School. He has completed Global Management Programme at London School of Economics, London, UK. It is under his leadership that the Company has diversified and become a multi-product FMCG company. He has spearheaded the successful setting up of Fabric Spa and the Henkel (India) acquisition. He has also won the CA Business Achiever Award in the SME category in the ICAI Awards, 2008.

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S. RAGHUNANDAN

Whole Time Director and CEO

S. Raghunandan has a degree in Chemical Engineering from the Birla Institute of Technology and Science (Pilani). He also has a post-graduate degree from IIM Kolkata. He has worked with leading FMCG players like Dabur, Paras and Reckitt Benckiser. Having joined in May 2012, he brings to the table his vast industry experience in areas of sales, marketing and general management. In last three years at Jyothy Laboratories, he has created a sustainable business model by saving ₹ 100 crores, increasing spends for brand building and above all created a strong management team.

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M. R. JYOTHY

Director

A postgraduate in management with an additional diploma in Family Managed Business Administration, M. R. Jyothy contributes significantly to the sales, marketing and brand communication aspects of the Company. She has also completed the Owner / President Management Programme from Harvard Business School. In the year gone by, she was awarded with Emerging Kerala – Entrepreneurship Excellence Award for women. She was also among the '50 Most Influential Women in Indian Media, Marketing and Advertising' list by IMPACT for two years in a row.

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NILESH MEHTA

Independent Director

Nilesh Mehta is the co-founder and Managing Partner of Access India Fund which invests in mid market, unlisted opportunities in India. He was the Managing Partner of Aureos Capital from 2005 to 2010. He is a qualified Chartered Accountant with a post graduate degree from IIM. His experience spans various fields in finance, ranging from investment banking, private equity to fund-related activities. He is a veteran in the field of private equity and mergers and acquisitions of mid-cap Indian companies.

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K. P. PADMAKUMAR

Independent Director

K. P. Padmakumar brings to the table more than four decades of experience in the field of Commercial Banking, Treasury Management, Capital Markets and Mutual Funds. A graduate in Agriculture and a Certified Associate of Indian Institute of Bankers – CAIIB, he has vast experience in the banking and capital markets arena.

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BIPIN SHAH

Independent Director

Bipin R. Shah is a Chartered Accountant with a postgraduate degree in Management. He has also attended the Senior Executive Programme conducted by Sloan School of Business, Massachusetts Institute of Technology at Boston, USA. Currently, he serves on the Board of various companies and the Company benefits from his experience with leading FMCG players.

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R. LAKSHMINARAYANAN

Independent Director

An IIT and IIM alumnus, R. Lakshminarayanan has a string of successes in his career. He has worked with leading FMCG conglomerates across product categories and held eminent positions with top notch advertising companies in India. He has a keen interest in business strategy, brand strategy, media plural communications and brand portfolio management.