# **IPO REVIEW**



## SALASAR TECHNO ENGINEERING LTD

| Issue Details                 |            |  |  |
|-------------------------------|------------|--|--|
| Issue Opens                   | 12-July-17 |  |  |
| Issue Closes                  | 17-July-17 |  |  |
| Issue Size (Rs. Crore)        | 35.87      |  |  |
| Face value (per equity share) | 10         |  |  |
| Issue Price (Rs.)             | 108        |  |  |
| Lot Size (No of Share)        | 125        |  |  |
| No of Shares on Offer (crore) | 0.33       |  |  |
| Non-Institutional (%)         | 50%        |  |  |
| Retail (%)                    | 50%        |  |  |
| Commencement of Trading       | 25-July-17 |  |  |

| Shareholding Pattern                     | Pre<br>Issue<br>(%) | Post<br>Issue<br>(%) |
|--|---------------------|----------------------|
| Promoters and Promoter<br>Group          | 100.0               | 74.98                |
| Public (incl institutions and employees) | 0.00                | 25.02                |
| Total                                    | 100.0               | 100.0                |

### Objects of the Issue

The object of the issue are:

- 1. To meet the working capital requirements of the Company including margin money;
- 2. General Corporate Purpose;
- 3. To meet the Issue Expenses.

Issue Date: 12<sup>th</sup> July - 17<sup>th</sup> July 2017 Issue Price (Rs.): 108 Lot Size (No. of Share): 125

### **Company Background**

Incorporated in 2001, Salasar Techno Engineering Ltd manufactures galvanized steel products including telecommunication towers, power transmission line towers, smart lighting poles, monopoles, guard rails, substation structures, solar module mounting structures. The company recently increased its installed annual manufacturing/fabrication capacity from 50,000 MT to 1,00,000 MT.

#### **Financials**

| Particulars      | For the y | For the year/period ended (in Rs. Million) |       |       |       |  |
|------------------|-----------|--|-------|-------|-------|--|
|                  | FY-16     | FY-15                                      | FY-14 | FY-13 | FY-12 |  |
| Total Assets     | 1,540     | 1,457                                      | 1,667 | 1,115 | 989   |  |
| Total Revenue    | 2,768     | 2,761                                      | 2,452 | 1,675 | 1,070 |  |
| Profit After Tax | 102       | 46   | 55    | 30    | 64    |  |

#### **Concerns**

- Increase in the cost of, or a shortfall in the availability of raw materials, could have an adverse effect on business.
- Any delay or default in payment from customers could result in the reduction of profits and affect cash flows.
- Foreign exchange risks, primarily in export operations that could adversely affect results of operations.
- Competition in business from domestic competitors.

#### Strengths

- Increasing installed capacity and expanding the product portfolio.
- Expanding Design and Engineering capabilities.
- Targeting new customer accounts and expanding existing ones.
- Developing Camouflaging capabilities for Monopoles.

#### **Our View**

On the issue price band of Rs.108 and on standalone FY17 EPS of Rs.18.15, P/E ratio works out to 5.8x. Even based on the last 5 years standalone EPS of Rs.13.42, P/E Ratio works out to be 8x. Means, company is asking the issue price of Rs.108 for the P/E Ratio of 5.8x to 8x. Its listed peers like KEC International, skipper Ltd is trading at 22.8x to 18x P/E Ratio. Hence, Salasar IPO price is reasonably priced.

Company standalone revenues grew at 22% CAGR in last 5 years. It earned around 5% margin in FY17. Issue is reasonably priced. But its initial listing (due to offer size below Rs.250 crore) will take place in "T" group, which will remove speculative aspect for the issue. However, investors may consider investment for medium to long term.