

# **ARCHIVAL POLICY**

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## LEGAL FRAMEWORK

The Board of Directors of Blue Dart Express Limited (the 'Company') adopted a 'Archival Policy' under 'Regulation 30' of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (Regulations). The Policy will be effective from December 14, 2015

## OBJECTIVE

The Policy is to maintain complete, accurate and high quality records as required under Regulation 30 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. Records are to be retained for the period of their immediate use, unless longer retention is required for historical reference, contractual, legal or regulatory requirements or for other purposes as may be set forth below. Records that are no longer required or have satisfied their required period of retention, shall be destroyed as per the procedure prescribed under the law.

## DEFINITIONS

**“Act”** shall mean the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules framed thereunder, including any modifications, clarifications, circulars or re-enactment thereof.

**“Board of Directors”** or **“Board”** means the Board of Directors of Blue Dart Express, as constituted from time to time.

**“Company”** means Blue Dart Express Limited.

**“Key Managerial Personnel”** mean key managerial personnel as defined in sub-section (51) of section 2 of the Companies Act, 2013.

**“Listing agreement”** shall mean an agreement that is to be entered into between a recognised stock exchange and the Company pursuant to Securities and Exchange Board (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements), 2015.

**“Regulations”** mean Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 including any modifications, clarifications, circulars or re-enactment thereof.

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

## SCOPE

This Policy applies to all physical records and electronic documents as per Annexure A in the course of operation, including both original documents and reproductions. Any other material documents not forming part of the Policy will be governed as per Policy on Preservation of Documents.

The Company shall keep the documents/papers for the maximum period applicable for retention of documents under respective statutes/ rules as may be applicable to such documents vis-a-vis Listing Regulations whichever is longer.

## DISSEMINATION OF POLICY

The policy shall be hosted on website of the Company viz; [www.bluedart.com](http://www.bluedart.com)

## POLICY REVIEW

The Policy shall be subject to review of the Board and Managing Director is authorised to amend it suitably as deemed necessary in accordance with regulatory requirements/ amendments.

**Annexure A**  
**(As stipulated under Regulation 30)**

Records / Documents in connection to;

1. Acquisition(s) (including agreement to acquire), Scheme of Arrangement (amalgamation/ merger/ demerger/restructuring), or sale or disposal of any unit(s), division(s) or subsidiary of the Company or any other restructuring;

Explanation. - 'Acquisition' shall mean, -

- (i) acquiring control, whether directly or indirectly; or,
- (ii) acquiring or agreeing to acquire shares or voting rights in, a company, whether directly or indirectly, such that -

(a) the Company holds shares or voting rights aggregating to five per cent or more of the shares or voting rights in the said company, or;

(b) there has been a change in holding from the last disclosure and such change exceeds two per cent of the total shareholding or voting rights in the said company.

2. Issuance or forfeiture of securities, split or consolidation of shares, buyback of securities, any restriction on transferability of securities or alteration in terms or structure of existing securities including forfeiture, reissue of forfeited securities, alteration of calls, redemption of securities etc.;
3. Revision in credit rating(s);
4. Outcome of Meetings of the Board of Directors: The Company shall disclose to the Exchange(s), within 30 minutes of the closure of the meeting, held to consider the following:
  - a) dividends and/or cash bonuses recommended or declared or the decision to pass any dividend and the date on which dividend shall be paid/dispatched;
  - b) any cancellation of dividend with reasons thereof;
  - c) the decision on buyback of securities;
  - d) the decision with respect to fund raising proposed to be undertaken

- e) increase in capital by issue of bonus shares through capitalization including the date on which such bonus shares shall be credited/dispatched;
  - f) reissue of forfeited shares or securities, or the issue of shares or securities held in reserve for future issue or the creation in any form or manner of new shares or securities or any other rights, privileges or benefits to subscribe to;
  - g) short particulars of any other alterations of capital, including calls;
  - h) financial results;
  - i) decision on voluntary delisting by the Company from stock exchange(s).
5. Agreements (viz. shareholder agreement(s), joint venture agreement(s), family settlement agreement(s) (to the extent that it impacts management and control of the Company), agreement(s)/treaty(ies)/contract(s) with media companies) which are binding and not in normal course of business, revision(s) or amendment(s) and termination(s) thereof;
  6. Fraud/defaults by Promoter or Key Managerial Personnel or by the Company or arrest of Key Managerial Personnel or Promoter;
  7. Change in Directors, Key Managerial Personnel (Managing Director, Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer, Company Secretary etc.) , Auditor and Compliance Officer;
  8. Appointment or discontinuation of share transfer agent;
  9. Corporate debt restructuring;
  10. One-time settlement with a bank;
  11. Reference to BIFR and winding-up petition filed by any party /creditors;
  12. Issuance of Notices, call letters, resolutions and circulars sent to shareholders, debenture holders or creditors or any class of them or advertised in the media by the Company;
  13. Proceedings of Annual, Extraordinary general meetings and Court Convened meeting of the Company;
  14. Amendments to memorandum and articles of association of Company, in brief;
  15. Schedule of Analyst or institutional investor meet and presentations on financial results made by the Company to analysts or institutional investors.
  16. Commencement or any postponement in the date of commencement of commercial production or commercial operations of any unit/division;
  17. Change in the general character or nature of business brought about by arrangements for strategic, technical, manufacturing, or marketing tie-up, adoption

of new lines of business or closure of operations of any unit/division (entirety or piecemeal);

18. Capacity addition or a product launch;
19. Awarding, bagging/ receiving, amendment or termination of awarded/bagged orders/contracts not in the normal course of business;
20. Agreements (viz. loan agreement(s) (as a borrower) or any other agreement(s) which are binding and not in normal course of business) and revision(s) or amendment(s) or termination(s) thereof;
21. Disruption of operations of any one or more units or division of the Company due to natural calamity (earthquake, flood, fire etc.), force majeure or events such as strikes, lockouts etc.;
22. Effect(s) arising out of change in the regulatory framework applicable to the Company;
23. Litigation(s) / dispute(s) / regulatory action(s) with impact;
24. Fraud/defaults etc. by directors (other than key managerial personnel) or employees of Company;
25. Options to purchase securities including any ESOP/ESPS Scheme;
26. Giving of guarantees or indemnity or becoming a surety for any third party;
27. Granting, withdrawal, surrender , cancellation or suspension of key licenses or regulatory approvals;
28. Any other information/event viz. major development that is likely to affect business, e.g. emergence of new technologies, expiry of patents, any change of accounting policy that may have a significant impact on the accounts, etc. and brief details thereof and any other information which is exclusively known to the Company which may be necessary to enable the holders of securities of the Company to appraise its position and to avoid the establishment of a false market in such securities.