Reliance Energy Limited

Minutes of the
Announcement of result of the Postal Ballot
On 21st May 2004 at the Registered Office of the Company
at Reliance Energy Centre, Santa Cruz (E), Mumbai 400 055 at 11.00 a.m.

Background:

The Postal Ballot Notice dated 18th April, 2004 pursuant to Section 192A(2) of the Companies Act, 1956, for passing the following Special Resolution by postal ballot, was dispatched to the Members of the Company on 20th April, 2004.

The Board of Directors at its meeting held on 16th April, 2004, had appointed Shri Bhupendra Bangari, Chartered Accountant, as Scrutinizer to receive and scrutinize the completed ballot forms received from the Members and for conducting the Postal Ballot process in a fair and transparent manner. The Postal Ballot Forms and the self-addressed business reply envelopes were also sent for use of Members. The shareholders were requested to return the postal ballot forms duly completed along with the assent (for) or dissent (against), so as to reach the scrutinizer on or before 20th May, 2004.

After due scrutiny of all the postal ballot forms received by Shri Bhupendra Bangari up to the close of working hours of 20th May, 2004 (being last date fixed for return of the Postal Ballot forms duly filled in by the Members), Shri Bangari submitted his report as under:

		Resolution for "Raising of funds through issue of securities in the international markets"
1.	Number of valid postal	2,270
	Ballot forms received	
2.	Votes in favour of the Resolution	13,62,48,612
	(No. of shares)	
3.	Votes against the Resolution	10,290
	(No. of shares)	
4.	Number of invalid postal ballot forms	76
	received	17,979
	No. of Shares	
5.	% of votes in favour	99.99
6.	Result	Carried with requisite majority

The Chairman after receiving the Scrutinizer's Report announced that the Special Resolution in the Postal Ballot Notice dated 18th April, 2004, was duly passed by the requisite majority and directed that the resolution be recorded in the minute book recording the proceedings of general meetings of the members.

The resolutions duly approved by the members are as under:

Raising of Funds through Issue of securities in the international markets:

- "(a) RESOLVED THAT pursuant to Section 81(1A) and all other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 1956 (including any statutory modification or re-enactment thereof, for the time being in force) and enabling provisions of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company and the Listing Agreements entered into by the Company with the Stock Exchanges where the securities of the Company are listed and subject to any guidelines, regulations, approval, consent, permission or sanction of the Central Government, Reserve Bank of India and any other appropriate authorities, institutions or Bodies (hereinafter collectively referred to as "the appropriate authorities"), and subject to such conditions as may be prescribed by any one of them while granting any such approval, consent, permission, and / or sanction (hereinafter referred to as "the requisite approvals"), which may be agreed to by the Board of Directors of the Company (hereinafter called "the Board" which term shall be deemed to include any Committee which the Board may have constituted or hereinafter constitute to exercise its powers including the power conferred by this resolution), the Board be and is hereby authorised to issue, offer and allot, in international offerings any securities including Global Depositary Receipts and / or American Depositary Receipts convertible into equity shares, preference shares whether Cumulative or Non-Cumulative / Redeemable / Convertible at the option of the Company and / or at the option of the holders of the security and / or securities linked to equity shares / preference shares and / or any instrument or securities representing convertible securities such as convertible debentures, bonds or warrants convertible into equity shares / preference shares (hereinafter referred to as "Securities") to be subscribed by foreign investors / institutions and / or corporate bodies, mutual funds, banks, insurance companies, trusts and / or individuals or otherwise, whether or not such persons / entities / investors are Members of the Company, whether in Indian currency or foreign currency. Such issue and allotment shall be made at such time or times in one or more tranche or tranches, at par or at such price or prices, and on such terms and conditions including with the differential rights as to dividend. voting or otherwise and in such manner as the Board may, in its absolute discretion think fit, in consultation with the Lead Managers, Underwriters, Advisors or other intermediaries; provided however that the issue of Securities as above shall not result in increase of the issued and subscribed equity share capital of the Company by more than 1,00,00,000 equity shares of the face value of Rs. 10 each.
 - (b) RESOLVED FURTHER THAT without prejudice to the generality of the above, the aforesaid issue of Securities may have all or any terms or combination of terms including as to conditions in relation to payment of interest, additional interest, premia on redemption, prepayment and any other debt service payments whatsoever, and all such matters as are provided in Securities offerings of this nature including terms for issue of such Securities or variation of the conversion price of the Security during the tenure of the Securities and the Company is also entitled to enter into and execute all such arrangements as the case may be with any lead managers, managers, underwriters, bankers, financial institutions, solicitors, advisors, guarantors, depositories, custodians and other intermediaries in such offerings of Securities and to remunerate all such agencies including the payment of commissions, brokerage, fees or payment of their remuneration for their services or the like, and also to seek the listing of such Securities on one or

more Stock Exchanges including international Stock Exchanges, wherever permissible.

- (c) RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Company may enter into any arrangement with any agency or body authorised by the Company for the issue of Securities in registered or bearer form with such features and attributes as are prevalent in capital markets for instruments of this nature and to provide for the tradability or free transferability thereof as per the international practice and regulations, and under the forms and practices prevalent in securities markets.
- (d) RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Securities issued in foreign markets shall be deemed to have been made abroad and / or in the market and / or at the place of issue of the Securities in the international market and may be governed by applicable laws.
- (e) RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board or any Committee thereof be and is hereby authorised to issue and allot such number of shares as may be required to be issued and allotted upon conversion of any Securities referred to in paragraph (a) above or as may be necessary in accordance with the terms of the offering, all such shares being pari passu with the then existing shares of the Company in all respects.
- (f) RESOLVED FURTHER THAT such of these Securities to be issued as are not subscribed may be disposed of by the Board to such persons and in such manner and on such terms as the Board in its absolute discretion thinks fit in the best interest of the Company and as is permissible at law.
- (g) RESOLVED FURTHER THAT for the purpose of giving effect to any issue or allotment of Securities or instruments representing the same, as described in paragraph (a) above, the Board or any Committee thereof be and is hereby authorised on behalf of the Company to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as it may at its discretion deem necessary or desirable for such purpose, including without limitation the entering into of underwriting, marketing and depository arrangement and institution / trustees / agents and similar agreements and to remunerate the Managers, underwriters and all other agencies / intermediaries by way of commission, brokerage, fees and the like as may be involved or connected in such offerings of securities, with power on behalf of the Company to settle any questions, difficulties or doubts that may arise in regard to any such issue or allotment as it may in its absolute discretion deem fit.
- (h) RESOLVED FURTHER THAT for the purpose aforesaid, the Board be and is hereby authorised to settle all questions, difficulties or doubts that may arise in regard to the issue, offer or allotment of Securities and utilisation of the issue proceeds including but without limitation to the creation of such mortgage / charges under Section 293(1)(a) of the said Act in respect of the aforesaid Securities either on pari passu basis or otherwise or in the borrowing of loans as it may in its absolute discretion deem fit without being required to seek any further consent or approval of the Members or otherwise to the end and intent that the Members shall be deemed to have given their approval thereto expressly by the authority of this resolution.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board be and is hereby authorised to delegate all or any of the powers herein conferred to any Committee of Directors or the Chairman and Managing Director or any Whole-time Director or any other Officer or Officers of the Company to give effect to the aforesaid resolution." (i)

Place : Mumbai Date: 21st May, 2004 Chairman