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#### **OLAN MILLS LIMITED**

- 1 The name of the Company is Olan Mills Limited.
- 2 The registered office of the Company will be situated in England and Wales.
- 3 The object of the Company is to carry on business as a general commercial company.
- Without restricting in any way the scope of the objects and powers of the Company derived from section 3A of the Companies Act 1985, the Company has the following objects
- 4.1 To carry on any other business or activity of any nature whatever which may seem to the Directors to be capable of being conveniently or advantageously carried on in connection or conjunction with any business of the Company, whenever authorised, or to be expedient with a view directly or indirectly to enhancing the value of or to rendering profitable or more profitable any of the Company's assets or utilising its skill, know-how or expertise.
- 4.2 To purchase or by any other means acquire, for any estate or interest, any property or assets of any kind and any rights or privileges of any kind over or in respect of any property of any kind or any interest in or over any such property, assets, rights or privileges, and to hold, develop and turn to account and deal with the same in such manner as may be thought fit; and to make experiments and tests and to carry on all kinds of research work.
- 4.3 To acquire or undertake the whole or any part of the business, goodwill, property, assets and liabilities of any person, firm, company or body carrying on or proposing to carry on any business which the Company is authorised to carry on or having any property of any kind suitable for the Company's purposes.
- 4.4 To acquire an interest in, amalgamate with, or enter into partnership or any arrangement for sharing profits or losses or for co-operation or for mutual assistance with, any person, firm, company or body or for subsiding or otherwise assisting any such person, firm, company or body; or to promote, or participate or assist in the promotion of, any company whether or not having objects similar to those of the Company.
- 4.5 To improve, manage, construct, repair, develop, exchange, alter, replace, remove, equip, maintain, administer, let on lease or otherwise mortgage, charge, sell, dispose of, turn to account, grant licences, options, rights and privileges in respect of, or otherwise deal with, all or any buildings, premises, structures, or facilities of any kind, whether for the Company's

- purposes or for sale, letting or hire to, or in return for any consideration from, any person, firm, company or body; and to contribute to or assist in or carry out any part of any such operation.
- 4.6 To sell, lease, grant any rights of any kind over, and in any other way deal with or dispose of, any or all of the undertaking, property, assets or other rights of any kind of the Company for such consideration as may be thought fit.
- 4.7 To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required in such manner as may from time to time be thought fit.
- 4.8 To draw, make, accept, endorse, discount, negotiate, execute and issue, and to buy and sell and deal with, cheques, bills of exchange, promissory notes, bills of lading, warrants and other negotiable or transferable instruments or securities; and to buy and sell foreign exchange.
- 4.9 To subscribe for, take, underwrite, purchase or otherwise acquire, and to hold, sell, dispose of, and deal with, any shares, stocks, debentures, debenture stocks, bonds, obligations or other securities or investments of any kind and any interests in the same or rights in respect of the same.
- 4.10 To lend, advance or deposit money or give credit, on such terms as may seem expedient and with or without security, to or with any person, firm, company or body.
- 4.11 To borrow and raise money in any manner and to secure or discharge any debt or other obligation or liability of or binding upon the Company in such manner as may be thought fit, including by mortgage, charge, standard security, lien or other security upon the whole or any part of the Company's undertaking, property or assets (whether present or future) and uncalled capital or by the creation and issue of securities of any kind.
- 4.12 To guarantee or give indemnities or provide security by any method (including by mortgagor charge upon the whole or any part of the undertaking, property and assets (whether present or future) and uncalled capital of the Company) for the performance of any contracts or obligations, and the payment of any capital or principal (together with any premium) or dividends or interest on any securities, of any person, firm, company or other body (including any company which is for the time being a holding company of the Company or another subsidiary of any such holding company or is associated with the Company in business).
- 4.13 To issue any securities which the Company has power to issue for any other purpose, by way of security or indemnity or in satisfaction of any liability undertaken or agreed to be undertaken by the Company.
- 4.14 To apply for, promote and obtain any statute, law, order or other licence of or from any authority for enabling the Company to carry any of its objects into effect or for effecting any modification of the Company's constitution or for any other purpose which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to promote or further the Company's interests; and to oppose any proceedings or applications which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to prejudice the Company's interests.
- 4.15 To enter into any arrangements with any government or authority (supreme, municipal, local or otherwise) that may seem conductive to the attainment of the Company's objects or any of them and to obtain from any such government or authority any charters, decrees, rights, privileges or concessions which the Company may think desirable; and to carry out, exercise and comply with any such charters, decrees, rights, privileges and concessions.

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- 4.16 To control, manage, finance, subsidise, co-ordinate or otherwise assist in any way any person, firm, company or body in which the Company has a direct or indirect financial interest; to provide secretarial, administrative, technical, commercial and other services and facilities of all kinds for any such person, firm, company or body and to make payments by way of subvention or otherwise and any other arrangements which may seem desirable with respect to any business or operations of, or generally with respect to, any such person, firm, company or body.
- 4.17 To procure the Company to be registered or otherwise recognised in, or under the laws of, any territory outside England.
- 4.18 To pay all or any expenses incurred in connection with the promotion, formation and incorporation of the Company or to contract with any person, firm, company or body to pay the same and to pay commissions to brokers and others for underwriting, placing, selling, or guaranteeing the subscription of, any shares or other securities of the Company.
- 4.19 To establish, subscribe to and support any charitable, benevolent, national, public or useful object or any institution, association, society, fund or club or any other object or purpose which may be for the benefit, or be considered likely, directly or indirectly, to further the interests, of the Company or that of any company which is the holding company or the Company or a subsidiary of the Company or of any such holding company or that of any of their respective Directors or employees (whether present or former) or members or which may be connected with any town or place where the Company carries on business.
- 4.20 To establish and maintain or contribute to any pension or superannuation funds for the benefit of, and to give or procure the giving of any emoluments, pensions, annuities, gratuities, donations or other allowances or benefits or charitable aid to, and generally to provide advantages, facilities and services (including establishing and supporting any institutions, associations, clubs or funds) for, any persons who are or have been Directors of or who are or have been employed by or who are serving or have served the Company or any company which is the holding company of the Company or a subsidiary of the Company or of any such holding company or of any such holding company or is allied to or associated with the Company and the spouses, widows, widowers, children and other relatives and dependants of such persons; to make payments for and towards the insurance of any such persons; and to set up establish, support and maintain profit sharing schemes for the benefit of any of the employees of the Company or of any such holding or subsidiary or associated company.
- 4.21 To establish and maintain, and to contribute to, any scheme for encouraging or facilitating the holding of shares or debentures in the Company by or for the benefit of its employees or former employees or those of any company which is the Company's holding company or a subsidiary of the Company or of any such holding company or by or for the benefit of such other persons as may fro the time being be permitted by law; and, to the extent permitted by law, to lend money to employees of the Company or of any such other company or of any other company which is allied to or associated with the Company with a view to enabling them to acquire shares in the Company or its holding company.
- 4.22 To purchase and maintain insurance for or for the benefit of any persons:
  - 4.22.1 who are or were at any time directors, officers, employees or auditors of:

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(a) the Company; or

- (b) of any other company (i) which is the Company's holding company or (ii) in which the Company or such holding company or any of the predecessors of the Company or such holding company has any interest (whether direct or indirect) or (iii) which is in any way allied to or associated with the Company ("such other company"); or
- (c) of any subsidiary undertaking (as defined in the Companies Act 1985, as amended by the Companies Act 1989) of the Company or such other company; or
- 4.22.2 who are or were at any time trustees of any pension fund in which any employees of the Company or such other company or subsidiary undertaking are interested;

including (without limitation) insurance against any liability incurred by such persons in respect of any act or omission in the actual or purported execution of their duties or powers;

and, to extent permitted by law, otherwise to indemnify or exempt any such person against or from any such liability.

- 4.23 To distribute among the members of the Company in kind or in specie or otherwise in any way or by any means permitted by law, all or any property or assets of the Company of whatever nature (including any proceeds from any disposal of any such property or assets).
- 4.24 To do all or any of the things or matters set out above in any part of the world and either as principals, agents, contractors, trustees or otherwise and by or through agents, brokers, subcontractors, trustees or otherwise and either alone or in conjunction with others.
- 4.25 To do all such other things as may be considered to be incidental or conducive to any of the above objects.

And it is hereby declared that the Company's objects, as set out in the preceding paragraphs of this Clause, shall, except in so far as expressly required by any such paragraph, be separate and distinct objects of the Company and shall not be in any way limited by reference to any other paragraph or the order in which such objects occur or the name of the Company.

- 5 The liability of the members is limited.
- The Company's share capital is £1,000 divided into 1,000 shares of £1 each.

We, the subscriber to this Memorandum of Association, wish to be formed into a Company pursuant to this Memorandum and we agree to take the number of share shown opposite our name.

Name and address of subscriber

Number of shares taken by the subscriber

Victoria Square Limited
1 Ordinary £1
1 Victoria Square
Birmingham
B1 1BD

Dated

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Witness to the above signature[s]:

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