#### **ANNEX I**

# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE ANNUAL REPORT FOR LISTED COMPANIES

### DATA IDENTIFYING THE ISSUER

REPORTING DATE OF YEAR IN QUESTION	31/12/2017
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EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER	A-08017535
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#### **COMPANY NAME**

CEMENTOS MOLINS, S.A.

### **REGISTERED OFFICE**

CALLE ESPRONCEDA 38, LOCAL 3 (MADRID)

# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE ANNUAL REPORT FOR LISTED COMPANIES

## A OWNERSHIP STRUCTURE

#### A.1 Fill in the following table on the company's share capital:

Date of last change	Share capital (€)		Number of voting rights
30/06/2005	19,834,701.00	66,115,670	66,115,670

Indicate whether there are different classes of shares carrying different rights:

Yes	No	Χ
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## A.2 List the direct and indirect holders of significant ownership interests in the company at year-end, excluding directors:

Name or company name of shareholder	Number of direct voting rights	Number of indirect voting rights	% of total voting rights
MR JOAQUIN Mª MOLINS GIL	0	15,893,000	24.04%

Name or company name of holder of indirect ownership interest	Through: name or company name of holder of direct ownership interest	of Number of voting rights	
MR JOAQUIN Mª MOLINS GIL	CARTERA DE INVERSIONES C.M., S.A.	15,893,000	

Detail the most significant changes in the shareholder structure during the year:

## A.3 Fill in the following tables on the members of the company's Board of Directors who own voting shares in the company:

Name or company name of director	Number of direct voting rights	Number of indirect voting rights	% of total voting rights
MR JUAN MOLINS AMAT	47,921	0	0.07%
CARTERA DE INVERSIONES C.M., S.A.	15,893,000	0	24.04%
OTINIX, S.L.	21,796,705	0	32.97%
FORO FAMILIAR MOLINS, S.L.	377	0	0.00%
FRANCISCO JAVIER FERNÁNDEZ BESCÓS	500	0	0.00%
MR JOAQUIN Mª MOLINS LOPEZ-RODO	29,962	0	0.05%
MR JUAN MOLINS MONTEYS	14,870	0	0.02%
MIGUEL DEL CAMPO RODRÍGUEZ	1,000	0	0.00%
NOUMEA, S.A.	21,201,704	0	32.07%

% of total voting power held by the Board of Directors	89.25%
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Fill in the following tables on the members of the company's Board of Directors who hold rights over shares in the company:

- A.4 Indicate, as appropriate, any relationship of a family, commercial, contractual or corporate nature existing between the holders of significant ownership interests, insofar as they are known to the company, unless they have scant relevance or arise from the ordinary course of business:
- A.5 Indicate, as appropriate, any relationship of a commercial, contractual or corporate nature existing between the holders of significant ownership interests and the company and/or the group, unless they have scant relevance or arise from the ordinary course of business:
- A.6 Indicate whether the company has been notified of any shareholders agreements that affect it in accordance with Arts. 530 and 531 of the Spanish Limited Liability Companies Law. If so, provide a brief description and list the shareholders that are party to the agreement:

	Yes X	No	
Pa	arties involved in the sl	hareholders' agreement	
OTINIX, S.L.			
NOUMEA, S.A.			
CARTERA DE INVERSIONES C.M.	Л., S.A.		

Percentage of share capital affected: 81.81%

#### **Brief description of the agreement:**

Vote and share syndication agreement

The above percentage also included minority stakes of a series of individual shareholders involved in the Agreement, consistent with that provided to the Spanish National Securities Market Commission (CNMV) on 7 January 2016, under registration number 233834.

Indicate whether the company is aware of any concerted action among its shareholders. If so, provide a brief description:

es X	No	
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Percentage of share capital affected: 81.81%

#### **Brief description of the concerted action:**

Vote and share syndication agreement

The above percentage also included minority stakes of a series of individual shareholders involved in the Agreement, consistent with that provided to the Spanish National Securities Market Commission (CNMV) on 14 January 2016, under registration number 2016002689.

Parties involved in concerted action
OTINIX, S.L.
NOUMEA, S.A.
CARTERA DE INVERSIONES C.M., S.A.

Expressly indicate any amendment to or termination of such agreements or concerted action during the year:

No.

A.7	Indicate,	stating the name thereof, if applicable, whether any natural or legal person exercises, or can
	exercise,	control over the company, in accordance with Article 4 of the Securities Market Law. If so,
	provide a	description:

Yes	No X	
	Observations	

#### A.8 Fill in the following tables on the company's treasury shares:

#### At year-end:

Number of direct shares	Number of indirect shares (*)	Total % of share capital
0	2,720,571	4.11%

#### (\*) Through:

Name or company name of holder of direct ownership interest	Number of direct shares
CEMENTOS MOLINS INDUSTRIAL, S.A.U.	2,720,571
Total	2,720,571

Give details of any significant changes during the year, in accordance with Royal Decree 1362/2007, made during the year:

Explain the significant variances

In 2017 a total of 633 shares were acquired indirectly, representing 0.001% of the total share capital.

## A.9 Give details of the conditions and time period of the current authorisation from the shareholders at the General Meeting for the Board of Directors to acquire or transfer treasury shares.

The shareholders at the General Meeting of 30 June 2015 adopted the following resolution, being item four on the agenda:

Authorising and empowering the Cementos Molins, S.A. Board of Directors, as well as those companies where CEMENTOS MOLINS, S.A. is the main parent company, to acquire, under the existing legal regulations, the shares of CEMENTOS MOLINS, S.A., within the existing limits and according to the following requirements:

- a) the nominal value of the acquired shares, in addition to those already held by CEMENTOS MOLINS, S.A. and its subsidiary companies, does not exceed at any time 10% of the share capital.
- b) the aforementioned acquisition, including those shares previously acquired by the company and held in its portfolio, shall not lead to the net equity being less than the amount of the share capital plus the legally or statutory-wise unavailable reserve.
- c) the shares acquired shall be fully paid up.
- d) since they are acquisitions for a value, they should be effected at a minimum price of the shares' nominal value and maximum of the stock market price at the time of acquisition, with express compliance of any other applicable legal requirements.
- e) that this authorization is established for a period of five years starting from today, June 30 2015, without prejudice to the assumptions contemplated within the Law as those relating to free acquisition.

#### A.9.bis Estimated free float:

	%
Estimated free float	6.64

Yes	No X
reholders at the General Mursuant to Law 6/2007.	eeting have resolved to take measures to
Yes	No X
roved and the situations in	which the restrictions would be inoperative:
pany has issued any secu	rities not traded on an EU-regulated market.
Yes	No X
roved and the situations in	which the restrictions would be inoperative:
	meeting differ from the system of minimum Companies Law (LSC). If so, give details.
Yes	No X
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Yes	No X
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B.4 Indicate the data on attendance at the General Meetings held in the year and in the prior year to

which this report refers:

A.10 Indicate any legal or bylaw restrictions on the exercise of voting rights and any legal restrictions on the acquisition or transfer of ownership interests in the share capital. Indicate whether there are any

legal restrictions on the exercise of voting power:

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	Attendance data					
Date of General	% attendance in	% attendance by	% remote voting		Total	
Meeting	person	proxy	Electronic voting	Others	Total	
03/06/2016	93.80%	1.80%	0.00%	0.00%	95.60%	
29/06/2017	93.95%	2.24%	0.00%	0.00%	96.19%	

B.5 Indicate whether the bylaws contain an	y restrictions wit	th respect to a	n minimum num	ber of share:
required to attend General Meetings:				

Yes	No	Х	

- B.6 Repealed section.
- B.7 Indicate the URL and the means for accessing the Company's website the corporate governance information and other information on the General Meetings which should be made available to shareholders on the Company's website.

The Company URL is www.cemolins.es. On the homepage, click on the "Shareholders and Investors" section in the "Corporate Governance" submenu. The Corporate Governance Annual Report of at least the last five completed financial years appears on this page in pdf format. Information relating to the General Meetings can be found in the initial menu (home), "Shareholders and investors" section, "General Shareholders' Meeting" submenu.

## **C** MANAGEMENT STRUCTURE OF THE COMPANY

- C.1 Board of Directors
  - C.1.1 The maximum and minimum number of directors as per bylaws:

Maximum number of directors	15
Minimum number of directors	5

#### C.1.2 Fill in the following table with the directors' particulars:

Name or company name of director	Representative	Board member type	Position on the Board	Date of first appt.	Date of last appt.	Appointment procedure
MR JUAN MOLINS AMAT		Propietary	CHAIRMAN	19/06/1967	29/06/2017	ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING RESOLUTION
CARTERA DE INVERSIONES C.M., S.A.	MR JOAQUIN Ma MOLINS GIL	Propietary	CHAIRMAN 1º	26/06/1996	30/05/2014	ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING RESOLUTION
OTINIX, S.L.	MS ANA Mª MOLINS LÓPEZ-RODÓ	Propietary	CHAIRMAN 2º	04/09/2015	04/09/2015	ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING RESOLUTION
MR JULIO RODRÍGUEZ IZQUIERDO		Executive	MANAGING DIRECTOR	30/06/2015	30/06/2015	ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING RESOLUTION
MR EUSEBIO DIAZ- MORERA PUIG-SUREDA		Independent director	DIRECTOR	31/05/2012	29/06/2017	ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING RESOLUTION
MS ANDREA KATHRIN CHRISTENSON		Independent director	DIRECTOR	30/06/2015	30/06/2015	ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING RESOLUTION
MS SOCORRO FERNANDEZ LARREA		Independent director	DIRECTOR	01/12/2017	01/12/2017	COOPTATION

Name or company name of director	Representative	Board member type	Position on the Board	Date of first appt.	Date of last appt.	Appointment procedure
MR JOAQUIN M <sup>a</sup> MOLINS LOPEZ-RODO		Propietary	DIRECTOR	29/07/2009	30/05/2014	ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING RESOLUTION
NOUMEA, S.A.	MR PABLO MOLINS AMAT	Propietary	DIRECTOR	26/06/1996	29/06/2017	ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING RESOLUTION
FORO FAMILIAR MOLINS, S.L.	MS ROSER RÀFOLS VIVES	Propietary	DIRECTOR	28/06/2007	29/06/2017	ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING RESOLUTION
MR MIGUEL DEL CAMPO RODRÍGUEZ		Another non- executive director	DIRECTOR	21/05/2002	30/05/2014	ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING RESOLUTION
MR FRANCISCO JAVIER FERNÁNDEZ BESCÓS		Propietary	DIRECTOR	31/05/2012	29/06/2017	ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING RESOLUTION
MR JUAN MOLINS MONTEYS		Propietary	DIRECTOR	29/06/2017	29/06/2017	ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING RESOLUTION

Indicate any removals of directors during the year:

Name or company name of director	Director's status at the time of removal	Leaving date	
MR CASIMIRO MOLINS RIBOT	Propietary	25/06/2017	
MR JOAQUIM MOLINS AMAT	Propietary	13/07/2017	
MR EMILIO GUTIERREZ FERNANDEZ DE LIENCRES	Propietary	29/06/2017	

### C.1.3 Fill in the following tables on the members of the Board and their status:

## **EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS**

Name or company name of director	Position per company organisation chart
MR JULIO RODRÍGUEZ IZQUIERDO	Managing Director

Total number of executive directors	1	
Total % of Board	7.69%	

#### NON-EXECUTIVE PROPRIETARY DIRECTORS

Name or company name of director	Name or company name of significant shareholder represented or proposing appointment
MR JUAN MOLINS AMAT	NOUMEA, S.A.
MR FRANCISCO JAVIER FERNÁNDEZ BESCÓS	CARTERA DE INVERSIONES C.M., S.A.
MR JOAQUIN Mª MOLINS LOPEZ-RODO	OTINIX, S.L.
CARTERA DE INVERSIONES C.M., S.A.	CARTERA DE INVERSIONES C.M., S.A.
NOUMEA, S.A.	NOUMEA, S.A.
OTINIX, S.L.	OTINIX, S.L.
FORO FAMILIAR MOLINS, S.L.	NOUMEA, S.A.
MR JUAN MOLINS MONTEYS	NOUMEA, S.A.

Total number of proprietary directors	8
Total % of Board	61.54%

#### INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

#### Name or company name of director:

#### EUSEBIO DIAZ-MORERA PUIG-SUREDA

#### Profile:

Graduate in Economics and Master's Degree from IESE. Extensive knowledge of the financial sector. Proposed by the Remuneration and Appointments Commission.

#### Name or company name of director:

#### MS ANDREA KATHRIN CHRISTENSON

#### Profile:

Graduate in Economic and Social Sciences from Vienna University of Economics and Business, MBA from IESE, Universidad de Navarra, AMP (Advanced Management Program) from IESE, Universidad de Navarra and Diploma in Dispute Resolution from the Munich Dispute Resolution Institute. Proposed by the Remuneration and Appointments Commission.

#### Name or company name of director:

#### MS SOCORRO FERNANDEZ LARREA

#### Profile:

Civil Engineer graduated from the Technical University of Madrid, class of 1990. Holds a APM from IESE, class 2011. Proposed by the Remuneration and Appointments Commission.

Total number of independent directors	3
Total % of Board	23.08%

Indicate whether any director classified as independent receives from the company or the group any payment or benefits other than directors' remuneration, or has o has had, in the preceding year, business dealings with the company or any group company on their own account or as a significant shareholder, director or senior executive of a company that has or has had such dealings.

No.

Where applicable, a reasoned declaration from the board shall be included giving the reasons why it considers that the director in question may discharge his/her functions as an independent director.

#### **OTHER NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS**

Identify other non-executive directors and give details of the reasons why they cannot be considered proprietary or independent directors and of their relationship links with the company, its executives or shareholders.

#### Name or company name of director:

#### MIGUEL DEL CAMPO RODRÍGUEZ

Company, executive or shareholder with whom he retains the link:

MIGUEL DEL CAMPO RODRÍGUEZ

#### Reasons:

Miguel del Campo Rodríguez has changed from independent director to other external directors after having been a company director for over 12 years.

Total number of other non-executive directors	1	
Total % of Board	7.69%	

Indicate any changes in the status of each director that may have occurred during the year:

Name or company name of director	Date of the change	Previous category	Current category	
MIGUEL DEL CAMPO RODRÍGUEZ	27/07/2017	Independent director	Another non- executive director	

C.1.4 Fill in the following table with the information relating to the number of female directors in the last 4 years, and the classification thereof:

	Number of female directors			% by type of director of total directors				
	Year 2017	Year 2016	Year 2015	Year 2014	Year 2017	Year 2016	Year 2015	Year 2014
Executive	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Propietary	2	2	2	2	25.00%	20.00%	20.00%	22.22%
Independent director	2	1	1	0	66.66%	33.33%	33.33%	0.00%
Other non-executive directors	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Total	4	3	3	2	30.77%	21.43%	21.43%	16.67%

C.1.5 Explain any measures, where applicable, that have been taken to try to include in the Board of Directors a certain number of women to achieve a balanced presence of women and men.

#### **Detail of measures**

Over the past few years, the Board of Directors has tried to increase the number of female directors in the Board of Directors. For this reason, the Board of Directors' Regulations establish that vacancies must be filled giving priority to diversity in terms of gender, expertise and knowledge.

Additionally, the Selection and appointment policy for Directors aims, among others, at promoting the balanced representation of mean and women within the Board of Directors, avoiding any implicit discriminatory biases due to any reason whatsoever.

In accordance with the Board of Directors' Regulations and the Selection and Appointment Policy for Directors, over the past few years, the selection of female directors has been promoted, reaching a percentage equivalent to 30% of female directors.

C.1.6 Explain any measures agree	ed upon by the nomination of	committee, where applicable, to ensure
that the selection process	does not suffer from any in	mplicit bias against women candidates
and that women with the	target profile are delibera	tely sought and included as potential
candidates:		

#### Detail of measures

As part of the selection processes to cover the vacancies in the Board of Directors, there has been a deliberate search for candidates who, meeting the required profile previously defined by the Remuneration and Appointments Commission and in line with the Selection Policy for Directors, were women.

When, in spite of any measures which might have been adopted if appropriate, there are few or no female directors, explain the reasons justifying the situation:

### Explanation of the reasons

The current number of female directors is four, representing 30.77% of the total members in the Board of Directors.

C.1.6 bis Explain the conclusions of the Nomination Committee regarding the verification of compliance with the director selection policy. In particular, in relation to how this policy is fostering the objective that by 2020 female directors should represent, at least, 30% of the total members of the Board of Directors.

#### **Detail of conclusions**

During the financial year 2017, the Remuneration and Appointments Commission, in the discharge of its duties in connection with the report or proposal with regards to the appointment of directors, has verified compliance with the Selection Policy for Directors, having concluded that the objectives established in the Corporate Governance Recommendations have been met, since the Company covered one of the vacancies for a post of Director following the death of the President Mr Casimiro Molins Ribot and the director Mr Joaquim Molins Amat, both of them proprietary directors, through the appointment of an independent director, Ms Socorro Fernández Larrea. Currently, gender diversity has been promoted with regards to selection, with female directors representing 30.77% of the Board of Directors.

C.1.7 Explain the form of representation on the board of the shareholders holding a significant ownership.

The managing bodies of the shareholders holding a significant ownership interest participating in the concerted action agreement described in section A.6 (Otinix, S.L., Cartera de Inversiones C.M., S.A. and Noumea, S.A.), propose, by mutual agreement, the nomination of 7 of the 8 proprietary directors and the significant shareholder Noumea, S.A., also proposes the nomination of Foro Familiar Molins, S.L.

C.1.8 Explain the reasons for the appointment of any proprietary directors at the request of shareholders controlling less than 3% of the share capital:

Indicate any rejection of a formal request for a place on the Board from shareholders whose ownership interest is equal to or greater than that of others whose nomination of proprietary directors was accepted. Explain the reasons for the rejection.

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C.1.9 Indicate whether any directors resigned from office before the expiration of their term of office, whether and in what manner the director explained the reasons for resignation to the Board and, in the event that resignation was tendered in writing to the Board in full, detail below the reasons given by the director:

C.1.10 Indicate what powers, if any, that have been delegated to the chief executive officer(s):

#### Name or company name of director:

#### MR JULIO RODRÍGUEZ IZQUIERDO

#### **Brief description:**

The Chief Executive Officer may, individually, exercise all the powers of the Board of Directors, except those which by law cannot be delegated, in accordance with the resolutions of the Board of Directors meeting held on 30 June 2015.

C.1.11 Identify, as appropriate, the Board members who hold office as directors or executives at other companies forming part of the listed company's group:

Name or company name of director	Name of Group entity	Position	Executive functions
MR JUAN MOLINS AMAT	CEMOLINS INTERNACIONAL, S.L.U.	CHAIRMAN	NO
MR JUAN MOLINS AMAT	CORPORACION MOCTEZUMA S.A. DE C.V.	CHAIRMAN	NO
MR JULIO RODRÍGUEZ IZQUIERDO	INSUMOS Y AGREGADOS DE COLOMBIA S.A.S.	DIRECTOR	NO
MR JULIO RODRÍGUEZ IZQUIERDO	EMPRESA COLOMBIANA DE CEMENTOS S.A.S.	DIRECTOR	NO
MR JULIO RODRÍGUEZ IZQUIERDO	SOTACIB KAIROUAN, S.A.	CHAIRMAN	NO
MR JULIO RODRÍGUEZ IZQUIERDO	CEMENTOS ARTIGAS, S.A.	DEPUTY CHAIRMAN	NO
MR JULIO RODRÍGUEZ IZQUIERDO	SOCIETE TUNISO-ANDALOUSE DE CIMENT BLANC. DE CIMENT BLANC SOCIETÉ SOTACIB, S.A.	CHAIRMAN	NO
MR JULIO RODRÍGUEZ IZQUIERDO	LAFARGEHOLCIM BANGLADESH LIMITED	DIRECTOR	NO
MR JULIO RODRÍGUEZ IZQUIERDO	CEMOLINS INTERNACIONAL, S.L.U.	DIRECTOR	NO
MR JULIO RODRÍGUEZ IZQUIERDO	CORPORACION MOCTEZUMA S.A. DE C.V.	DIRECTOR	NO
MR JULIO RODRÍGUEZ IZQUIERDO	CEMENTOS AVELLANEDA, S.A.	CHAIRMAN	NO
MR JULIO RODRÍGUEZ IZQUIERDO	MINUS INVERSORA, S.A.	CHAIRMAN	NO

C.1.12 Give details, as appropriate, of any directors of the company who are members of the boards of directors of other non-group companies that are listed on official securities markets, as disclosed to the company:

Name or company name of director	Name of Group entity	Position
CARTERA DE INVERSIONES C.M., S.A.	COMPAÑIA GENERAL DE INVERSIONES SA SICAV	CHAIRMAN
MS SOCORRO FERNANDEZ LARREA	RED ELÉCTRICA CORPORACIÓN, S.A.	DIRECTOR

Name or company name of director	Name of Group entity	Position
CARTERA DE INVERSIONES C.M., S.A.	GESIURIS ASSET MANAGEMENT SGIIC, S.A.	DIRECTOR

C.1.13	Give details, where appropriate, of any rules established by the Company with respect to the
	number of boards to which its directors may belong:

Yes X	No		
Detail of rules			

Detail of rules Article 16.8 of the Board of Directors Regulations establishes that the Nomination and Remuneration Committee shall ensure that the non-executive directors have enough time to correctly discharge their functions. In this connection, the directors may not, unless expressly authorised by the Board, with a prior report from the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, be members of more than eight Boards, excluding (i) the Boards of companies in the same group as the Company, (ii) the Boards of family or asset-holding companies of the directors or their relatives and (iii) the Board of which they are members due to their professional relationship.

- C.1.14 Repealed section.
- C.1.15 Indicate the total remuneration of the board of directors:

Remuneration of the board of directors (thousands of euros)	1,461
Amount of pension rights accumulated by current directors (thousands of euros)	2,498
Amount of pension rights accumulated by former directors (thousands of euros)	0

C.1.16 Identify the senior executives who are not executive directors and indicate the total remuneration paid to them during the year:

Name or company name	Position
MR SALVADOR FERNÁNDEZ CAPO	General Manager - Operations
MR CARLOS MARTÍNEZ FERRER	Corporate General Manager
MR JORDI MOLINS AMAT	Director of the Corporate Law Department
MR MARCOS CELA REY	Business Director Bangladesh, Tunisia and Colombia
MR ÁNGEL CERCÓS CASALÉ	Strategy and Sustainability Manager
MS EVA GONZÁLEZ ANDREU	Corporate Human Resources Director
MR XAVIER ESCUDÉ TORRENTE	Manager Management Control
MR JUAN MOZO GÓMEZ	Internal Auditor
MR FRANCISCO JAVIER MOLINS AMAT	Manager for Argentine, Uruguayan and Bolivian investees
MR SANTIAGO CALVO JIMÉNEZ	Corporate Technical Manager

Total remuneration of senior executives (thousands of euros)	2,836
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C.1.17 Indicate, as appropriate, which members of the Board are, in turn, members of the Boards of Directors of companies that hold significant ownership interests and/or Group companies:

Name or company name of director	Company name of significant shareholder	Position
MR JUAN MOLINS AMAT	CARTERA DE INVERSIONES C.M., S.A.	CHAIRMAN
MR JUAN MOLINS AMAT	NOUMEA, S.A.	DIRECTOR
MR JOAQUIN Mª MOLINS LOPEZ-RODO	OTINIX, S.L.	DIRECTOR

Give details, as appropriate, of any material relationships, other than those envisaged under the preceding heading, of the members of the Board of Directors with significant shareholders and/or at group companies:

C.1.18 Indicate the amendments, if any, to the Board Regulations during the year:

C.1.19 Indicate the procedures for the appointment, re-election, evaluation and removal of directors. Give details of the competent bodies, the formalities to be fulfilled and the criteria to be used in each of the procedures.

The shareholders at the General Meeting or, where appropriate, the Board of Directors shall have the power to designate the members of the Board in conformity with the Spanish Public Limited Liability Companies Law (LSC) and in the Articles of Association.

In order to be a Director, it is not necessary to be a shareholder. To fill vacancies arising during the director appointment period, in which case the Board will be able to appoint the people that will fill these positions until the next General Meeting.

The Board of Directors currently has thirteen members. Directors are appointed by the Annual General Meeting for a maximum of 4 years, although they may be re-appointed on an indefinite basis for periods of up to four years each term, except for the directors considered to be independent, who shall not remain in their position as independent directors for a continuous period of more than 12 years.

The proposal for the appointment or re-election of directors which the Board submits to the General Meeting, as well as provisional appointments by the method of co-optation, shall be approved by the Board of Directors:

- (i) on the proposal of the Remuneration and Nomination Committee, in the case of independent directors, or (ii) subject to a report from the Nomination Committee in all other cases.
- The proposal must be accompanied by a supporting report from the Board that assesses the competence, experience and merits of the proposed candidate.

At the Board of Directors meeting held on 28 April 2016, the director selection policy was approved, the main contents of which is as follows:

- (i) Objectives of the candidate selection:
- To appoint people who will foster diversity of knowledge, experience and gender on the Board.
- To aim for at least 30% of the total members of the Board being female in 2020.
- (ii) Selection processes:
- The Board of Directors, subject to a report from the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, should conduct prior analysis of the Company's needs.
- To aim for the Board having a balanced makeup, with an ample majority of non-executive directors and an appropriate ratio of proprietary and independent directors.
- The Molins family owns an ample majority of the Company's share capital. Since the appointment of directors normally takes place through application of the proportionality system established in the Spanish Limited Liability Companies Law, substantially all of the directors are proprietary and independent directors. Also, the proportion of proprietary directors as a percentage of the total non-executive directors should not exceed the proportion of the Company's capital they represent.
- Any director may propose candidates for the Board of Directors, provided they meet the requirements established in the Company's various corporate governance rules.
- The Company may collaborate with external advisers in the validation of candidates.
- The selection process should avoid any manner of implicit bias that might entail discrimination and, specifically, that hinders the selection of female directors.
- (iii) Candidates should meet the following requirements:
- They should be honourable, suitable, of acknowledged solvency, training, competence, experience, qualification, and be available for, and committed to their function.
- They should be professionals whose conduct and career are aligned with respect for the law and good commercial practices.

- The Nomination and Remuneration Committee should ensure that the non-executive directors have sufficient time available for the correct discharge of their functions. In this sense, Directors cannot, unless with the express authorisation of the Board, after a report from the Remuneration and Appointments Commission, form part of more than 8 boards of directors. The foregoing does not apply to:
- Boards of Group Companies,
- Boards of family companies of Directors or their families and
- Boards of which they form part as a result of a professional relationship.

(iv) Barriers to being a candidate for the Board of Directors.

- Those who are involved in an incompatibility lawsuit for the discharge of their position.
- Those who do not meet the requirements to be a director established in the corporate governance system.
- Directors or senior executives of Spanish or foreign companies in the cement sector that might be considered the Company's competitors.
- Natural or legal persons who discharge the position of director at more companies than permitted under the Board of Directors Regulations.
- Those who are in a situation of conflict of interest with the Company.
- Those who have been involved in circumstances that might give rise to their membership of the Board of Directors damaging the Company's name or reputation.

At all times, the General Meeting may resolve the removal of the directors when deemed appropriate for the interests of the Company. Directors shall cease to sit on the Board when the period for which they were appointed elapses, and in all other cases provided for by law, the bylaws or the Board of Directors Regulations.

In accordance with the provisions of Article 11 of the Board of Directors Regulations, the Board of Directors in plenary session shall assess once a year, inter alia, the efficiency of the functioning of the Board and of its committees, the diversity of its makeup and the performance of each director.

On the basis of the outcome of this evaluation, the Board of Directors shall propose an action plan correcting the identified deficiencies. The result of the evaluation shall be recorded in the minutes of the meeting and attached thereto as an appendix.

C.1.20 Describe to what extent the annual assessment has given rise to important changes in its internal organisation and on the procedures applicable to its activities:

#### **Description of the amendments**

The annual self-assessment did not give rise to any important changes in the internal organisation of or the procedures applicable to the Board.

C.1.20.bis Describe the assessment and the areas assessed by the Board of Directors, aided, where applicable, by an external adviser, in relation to the diversity of its composition and its competencies, of the functioning and composition of its committees, of the performance of the Chairman of the Board and the chief executive of the Company and the performance and contribution of each director.

On a yearly basis, typically in November, the Committee commissions an external consultant to prepare a questionnaire to be used, after being completed by the directors, as the basis for a report issued by the consultant, which will be subsequently analysed by the Board itself with regards to its functioning.

The aforementioned questionnaire, with a total of 35 questions, is divided in three different sections:

- A.- Assessment of the quality and efficiency of the Board's operations with regard to the Board's composition and dynamics, the creation of value and strategy, transparency and relationship with shareholders, Corporate Governance and Corporate Social Responsibility (RSC).
- B.- Assessment of the functioning of the Delegated Commissions of the Board of Directors, assessment of the Auditing and Compliance Commission and the Remuneration and Appointments Commission.
- C.- Self-evaluation of the Board of Directors in order to gather opinions and suggestions on the self-evaluation process itself.

After issuing this Report, the Remuneration and Appointments Commission analyses its content and submits to the Board of Directors the final part of the process to self-evaluate the Board of Directors.

The Board of Directors decided not to carry out individual assessment of the directors. After this, the Board at its meeting on 27 February 2017, in the light of the Reports prepared by the Remuneration and Appointments Commission, the Auditing and Compliance Commission as well as the report issued by the external consultant, unanimously agreed to consider that the assessment of the quality and efficiency of the functioning of the Board of Directors, the Auditing and Compliance Commission and the Remuneration and Appointments Commission had been completed.

Similarly, at the meeting of the Remuneration and Appointments Commission held on 27 February 2017, after analysing the consultant's Report, it was agreed to present it in the plenary of the Board Meeting to be held, in order to self-assess it, as was done. At the same meeting, the action plans to correct the weaknesses detected in the assessment were proposed to the Board of Directors and, after the assessment conducted by the Committee itself, it was proposed that the performance of the functions carried out by the President and the CEO should be regarded as satisfactory by the Board, as the Board of Directors actually agreed.

C.1.20. ter Disclosure, if any, of the business relationships that the adviser or any company from its group has with the company or any company from its group.

The external adviser used for the assessment of the Board of Directors is Miguel Trías Sagnier, partner of Cuatrecasas Gonçalves Pereira.

In 2017 this firm had the following business relationships with Cementos Molins, S.A. and the companies in its Group:

- Tax advisory services to the Cementos Molins Group.
- Legal advice to study the change of registered office of the Group companies.
- Advisory services and participation in the recovery of the excise tax on the retail sale of certain hydrocarbons by the subsidiaries Promotora Mediterránea-2, S.A.
- Social Security Report.
- C.1.21 Indicate the cases in which the directors must resign.
  - 1. Pursuant to Article 15 of the Board Regulations, proprietary directors should resign when the shareholders they represent dispose of their ownership interest in its entirety. If such shareholders reduce their stakes, thereby losing some of their entitlement to proprietary directors, the latter's number should be reduced accordingly.
  - 2. The Board of Directors shall not propose the removal of independent directors before the expiry of their tenure as mandated by the bylaws, except where just cause is found by the Board of Directors, based on a proposal from the Remuneration and Nomination Committee. In particular, just cause will be presumed to exist when a director moves into new positions or incurs new obligations preventing them from devoting the necessary time to perform the duties inherent to a director, when they are in breach of the duties inherent to their post or when they are in the any of the circumstances resulting in the loss of their independent status according to the applicable legislation.
  - 3. The removal of independent directors resulting from Public Acquisitions, Fusions or other similar company operations that suppose a change in the structure of the Company's share capital may also be proposed, when such changes in the structure of the Board of Directors are caused by the proportionality criteria established in the Company.
  - 4. The directors are required to notify and, if appropriate, resign in the event that the credit and reputation of the Company may be prejudiced. In particular, the Directors are required to notify the Board of Directors of any criminal charges brought against them, in addition to the status of any subsequent court or legal proceedings. In the event of the director being prosecuted or having a court order issued against them initiating trial proceedings for any of the crimes set out in Spanish Company Legislation, the Board shall examine the case as soon as possible and, depending on the specific circumstances, shall decide whether or not the director should continue to hold office. The Board shall also disclose all such determinations, giving a reasoned account thereof, in the Annual Corporate Governance Report.

C.1.22	Repealed section.
C.1.23	Are qualified majorities, other than statutory majorities, required for any type of decision?:
	Yes No X
	If so, describe the differences.
C.1.24	Explain whether there are any specific requirements, apart from those relating to directors, to be appointed chairman.
	Yes No X

	Yes X No			
	Matters on which there is a casting vote			
	Article 28 of the bylaws and Articles 10 and 21 of the Council Regulation indicate that voting the Chairr Directors shall be casting vote in the event of a tie, except in the event of permanent delegation of pow			
C.1.26	Indicate whether the bylaws or the Board Regulations set any age limit for d	irectors:		
	Yes No X			
C.1.27	Indicate whether the bylaws or Board Regulations set a limited term of officienctors, other than that established in the legislation:	ce for independent		
	Yes No X			
C.1.28	Indicate whether the bylaws or the Board of Directors' Regulations establis appointing proxies to vote at Board meetings, how they are granted and maximum number of proxies that a single director may hold and whether appoint proxies to a director of the same type. If so, provide a brief description	l, in particular, the r it is obligatory to		
	Article 10.2 of the Board Regulations provides that directors may appoint any other director as his/her preeting without limiting the number of proxies that each director may hold. Only non-executive director representation to another non-executive. The representation shall be granted with proper instructions.			
	Article 28 of the bylaws states that proxies shall be granted in a letter to the Chairman.			
C.1.29		eate how many Board of Directors meetings were held during the year. Also indicate any asions on which the Board held meetings in which the Chairman was not present. The ulation of attendance shall include proxies granted with specific instructions.		
	Number of Board meetings	15		
	Number of Board meetings without chairman's attendance	3		
	If the President is executive director, indicate the number of meetings assistance or representation of any executive director and chaired by director.			
	Number of meetings	0		

C.1.25 State whether the chairman has a casting vote:

Indicate how many meetings of the various Board committees were held during the year:

Committe	Number of meetings
AUDIT COMMITTEE	8
REMUNERATION AND APPOINTMENTS COMMISSION	10

C.1.30	Indicate the number of Board meetings held during the year that were attended by all the
	directors. The calculation includes the attendance of representatives granted without specific
	instructions.

Number of meetings attended by all the directors	11
Attendance as % of the total votes during the year	73.33%

C.1.31	Indicate whether the separate and consolidated financial statements submitted for approval by
	the Board are certified previously:

Yes X No

Indicate, as appropriate, the person(s) who certified the company's separate and consolidated financial statements for authorisation for issue by the Board:

Name	Position
MR CARLOS MARTÍNEZ FERRER	CORPORATE GENERAL MANAGER
MR ANTONIO MARTÍN DEL RÍO	GENERAL MANAGER - CEMENTOS MOLINS INDUSTRIAL, S.A.U.

C.1.32 Explain the mechanisms, if any, established by the Board of Directors to prevent qualified auditors' reports on the separate and consolidated financial statements prepared by it from being submitted at the General Meeting.

The Audit Committee shall support the Board of Directors in relation to its surveillance duties through the periodic review of the economic and financial information preparation process, the company s internal controls and the independence of the company s external auditor. As provided by the Article 27.4 of the Board of Directors' Regulations.

In performing its functions, the Audit Committee must evaluate the need to adapt the financial statements prepared by the Board of Directors on the basis of the notes or qualifications outlined by the company's auditors and, accordingly, make a proposal to the Board of Directors so that it can make an informed decision. If it is not possible to adapt the financial statements in order to avoid a qualified auditors' report, the Chairman of the Audit Committee and the company's auditors shall give a clear account to the shareholders of the notes or qualifications.

C.1.33 Is the Board secretary a director?

Yes No X

If the secretary is not a director, complete the following chart:

Name or company name of the secretary	Representative
MR JORDI MOLINS AMAT	

C.1.34 Repealed section.

C.1.35	Indicate the mechanisms, if any, established by the Company to preserve the independence of the auditors, of financial analysts, investment banks and of rating agencies.
	Article 27.8.1 of the Board of Directors Regulations stipulates that the Audit Committee is responsible, inter alia, for ensuring the independence of the external auditors, for such purpose:
	(i) Establishing the proper relationships with the external auditor to receive information on matters that may compromise their independence, to be examined by the Auditing and Compliance Commission, and on any other matters related to the development process of the accounts audit, and, when applicable, the authorisation of services other than those forbidden, in the terms set forth by the applicable regulations in regards to the independence regime, as well as any other communications

company, as well as the information on any manner of additional services provided to the aforementioned entities by the auditors, or by any legal persons o entities related thereto, in accordance with the Audit Law.

(ii) Issue annually, prior to the issue of the auditor's report, a report expressing an opinion on the independence of the auditors. This report must contain, in any case, an assessment motivated from the provisions of each and every additional service referred to in the previous section, considered individually and as a group, different to the legal audit and in relation to the independence regime or the governing regulations of the accounts audit activity.

provided by law regarding accounts auditing and by the audit regulations. In any event, each year the auditors will be required to furnish written confirmation of their independence with respect to the entity or entities related directly or indirectly to the

(iii) Ensure that the remuneration of the external auditor for its work does not compromise its quality or their independence.

- (iv) Supervise that the company notifies any change of auditors to the CNMV as a relevant event, accompanied by a statement of any disagreements arising with the outgoing auditors and the reasons therefore.
- (v) The Committee should ensure that the company and the auditors adhere to current regulations on the provision of non-audit services, the limits on the concentration of the auditors' business and, in general, other requirements designed to safeguard auditors' independence.
- (vi) The Committee should investigate the issues giving rise to the resignation of any external auditors;
- (vii) Prevail on the Group's auditors to take on the audit of the Group companies.

Amount of other non-audit work / total amount billed by audit firm (as a %)

(viii) Ensure that the external auditor holds an annual meeting with the Board of Directors in plenary session to inform it of the work performed and the changes in the accounting situation and risks of the Company.

Likewise, in 2017, the Board of Directors of Cementos Molins, S.A. approved the Relations and Recruitment Policy jointly with the auditor. This Policy aims at defining the guidelines followed by the Cementos Molins Group to contract auditors of both individual and consolidated financial statements, thus ensuring compliance with the applicable Account Auditing Law. Additionally, this policy defines the guidelines for independence, transparency and relationship between both parties in order to guarantee them.

	Yes X No	Company	Group	Total
	Yes X No			
C.1.37	Indicate whether the audit firm performs other non-audit work Group, and if so, state the amount of fees received for such w represent of the fees billed to the Company and/or its Group:			
	In the event of any disagreement with the outgoing auditors, spec	cify the sub	stance th	ereof:
	Yes No X			
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C.1.36	Indicate whether the Company changed its external auditors duri outgoing and incoming auditors.	ng the yea	ır. If so. sı	oecifv t

Yes No X		
financial statements of the company and/or the group. Also indicate t	he number	of years
	Company	Group
Number of uninterrupted years	28	28
Number of years audited by current audit firm / number of years the company has been audited (as a %)	100.00%	100.00%
Yes X No		
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information that:	ervices and	
and advisory services they need on any aspect relating to the Company, provided that it is required duties. The right to information extends to the subsidiaries, whether domestic of foreign, and shall be Chairman, the Chief Executive Officer, the General Manager or the Secretary of the Board, who shall be considered in the control of	for the discharg e channelled thr all meet the requ	e of their ough the ests of
2 Regardless of the knowledge required of the directors to discharge their functions, the Company refresher courses relating to such knowledge when advisable under the circumstances.	offers the direct	ors
resolution so that the directors can study or gather the information required for the adoption thereof When on an exceptional basis due to emergencies, the Chairman wishes to submit for the approval	beforehand. of the Board de	cisions
4 The directors shall be regularly informed of the changes in the shareholder structure and of the or significant shareholders, investors and credit rating agencies have of the Company and its Group.	ppinion that the	
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Yes X No		
	Indicate the number of years that the current audit firm has been uninter financial statements of the company and/or the group. Also indicate the audited by the current audit firm as a percentage of the total number of yeinancial statements have been audited:    Number of uninterrupted years	Indicate the number of years that the current audit firm has been uninterruptedly au financial statements of the company and/or the group. Also indicate the number audited by the current audit firm as a percentage of the total number of years during financial statements have been audited:    Number of uninterrupted years   28

As per Article 18.4 of the Regulations of the Board of Directors, the agenda of the sessions will indicate clearly those points on which the Board of Directors shall adopt a decision or a resolution so that the directors can study or gather the information required for the adoption thereof beforehand.

Furthermore, Article 21.5 of the aforementioned Regulations establishes for the Chairman of the Board, with the collaboration of the Secretary, the obligation to ensure that the directors receive, beforehand and sufficiently in advance of the meetings, sufficient information to deliberate on and adopt resolutions on the business to be transacted, unless the Board of Directors was called on an exceptional basis due to an emergency.

C.1.42	Indicate	whether	the	company	has	established	rules	obliging	directors	to	report	and,	if
	applicat	ole, resign	ı, in	situations	which	could harm	the o	company's	good na	me	and re	putation	on
	and if so	o, give det	tails:	1									

Yes X	No	
	Explain the rules	

According to Article 15.5 of the Regulations of the Board of Directors, directors are obliged to report and, where appropriate, resign in cases that could damage the credit and reputation of the company. In particular, it is obligated to inform the Board of criminal cases in which they are involved, as well as their subsequent trial.

In the event of the director being prosecuted or having a court order issued against them initiating trial proceedings for any of the crimes set out in Spanish Company Legislation, the Board shall examine the case as soon as possible and, depending on the specific circumstances, shall decide whether or not the director shall continue in their role. The Board shall also disclose all such determinations, giving a reasoned account thereof, in the Annual Corporate Governance Report.

C.1.43 Indicate whether any of the directors have informed the company of any indictments or the commencement of oral proceedings against him/her for any of the offences specified in Article 213 of the Spanish Public Limited Liability Companies Law:

Yes	No	X

Indicate whether the Board of Directors has examined the matter. If so, give reasons for the decision taken for the continuation or otherwise of the director in his/her position or, where applicable, detail the actions undertaken, or intended to be undertaken, by the Board of Directors at the date of this report.

C.1.44 Give details of the significant agreements entered into by the Company which take effect, are amended or terminated in the event of a change of control of the Company following a takeover bid and the effects thereof.

The company has entered into and deposited five shareholders agreements at the Spanish National Securities Market Commission for public knowledge.

The first, signed on 15 May 2009 by Cementos Molins, S.A. and Cemolins Internacional, S.L.U. on the one hand, and Buzzi Unicem, SpA and Buzzi Unicem Internacional, S.à.r.I. on the other hand, regarding the subsidiary Fresit, B.V. (Holland). This agreement has been replaced and superseded by the agreement entered into on 22 December 2015 by Cementos Molins, S.A. and Cemolins Internacional, S.L.U., of the one part, and Buzzi Unicem Spa and Buzzi Unicem International S.À.R.L., of the other part, relating to FRESIT BV and PRESA INTERNATIONAL BV and their investees.

The second, relating to Cementos Avellaneda, S.A. (Argentina) entered into on 18 December 2012, by Cementos Molins, S.A., Cemolins International, S.L.U. and Minus Inversora, S.A., on one part, and the Votorantim Group, on the other part. (Argentina).

Thethird, entered into on 18 December 2012, by Cementos Molins, S.A. and Cemolins Internacional, S.L.U. on one part, and the Votorantim Group, on the other part (Uruguay).

The fourth one, signed on 31 July 2014, by Cementos Molins, S.A. and Cemolins Internacional, S.L.U. on the one hand, and Votorantim Cimentos EAA Inversiones, S.L.U. and Votorantim Cimentos, S.A., on the other hand, regarding Yacuces, S.L. and its subsidiaries in Bolivia.

The fifth one, signed on 30 September 2015, by Cementos Molins, S.A. and Cemolins Internacional, S.L.U. on the one hand, and Suministros de Colombia S.A.S. y Corona Industrial S.A.S., on the other hand, regarding the Colombian investees Insumos y Agregados de Colombia, S.A.S. and Empresa Colombiana de Cementos S.A.S.

All five agreements provide that change of control of either of the parties grants the other party a pre-emption right on the ownership interest held by the party whose control changes of the companies that are the subject-matter of the agreement.

C.1.45 Identify in aggregate terms and indicate in detail the agreements between the Company and its directors, executives or employees which provide for termination benefits, guarantee or golden parachute clauses upon resignation or dismissal without justification or upon termination of the employment relationship as a result of a takeover bid or other kinds of transactions.

#### Number of beneficiaries: 3

#### Type of beneficiary:

CEO, General Managers.

#### **Description of resolution:**

The contract for services between the Company and the Chief Executive Officer establishes that he or she has the right to be paid benefits by the Company in the event of the termination and extinguishment of the service contract for any of the following reasons:

- 1.- Unilateral termination by the Chief Executive Officer due to serious breach by the Company of its obligations under the service contract.
- 2.- Unjustified, unilateral termination of the Service Contract by the Company, regardless of whether such termination is accompanied by the resignation or non-renewal of the CEO's position as member of the Company's Board of Directors.
- 3.- Unilateral termination by the Chief Executive Officer, together with simultaneous resignation from his or her post of director, in the event of a change in the control structure of the Company as provided for in Article 42 of the Spanish Commercial Code by reference to Article 4 of the Securities Market Law, even when it is as a result of a takeover bid for the shares of the Company, or of the assignment or transfer of all or a significant portion of its activities or its assets and liabilities to a third party, or of its inclusion in another business group that acquires control over the Company, which gives rise to the renewal of its governance bodies or a substantial change to its business strategy, in accordance with its business plan in each case.

Except for the circumstances set out in Point 3 above, the Chief Executive Officer shall have be entitled to a compensation equal to: (i) one hundred and fifty (150) per cent of their monetary remuneration, including the variable remuneration component foreseen in section 3.3.1 of the Service Contract, calculated on the remuneration for the year prior to the one in which the contract termination occurs if this termination in line with section 8.1 above occurs before 30 June 2017; (ii) seventy-five (75) per cent if this termination occurs after 30 June 2017 and before 30 June 2020; (iii) fifty (50) per cent if the Service Contract terminates after 30 June 2020 and 30 June 2021; (iv) forty-two (42) per cent if the Service Contract terminates after 30 June 2021 and before 30 June 2022; (v) thirty-four (34) per cent if the Service Contract terminates after 30 June 2022 and before 30 June 2023; (vi) twenty-six (26) per cent if the Service Contract terminates after 30 June 2023 and before 30 June 2024; and (vii) eighteen (18) per cent if the Service Contract terminates after 30 June 2024 and before 30 June 2025. If the termination occurs after 30 June 2025, the Chief Executive Officer shall be entitled to no compensation.

In the event of the termination of the contract for services as a result of the scenario envisaged in Point 3 above, the Chief Executive Officer shall have be entitled to benefits equal to three (3) years' monetary remuneration including the variable remuneration component, calculated on the remuneration for the year prior to the one in which the contract termination occurs.

Two agreements entered into by the Company and two directors establish that where the termination arises due to the Company's decision or due to the grounds established in Article 10.3 a), b) and c) of Royal Decree 1382/1985, the termination benefits to be paid shall be the termination benefits relating to unjustified dismissal in common employment legislation, in the amount in force at all times and, at least, equal to three years' gross salary. The same termination benefits would be received by these directors in the circumstance established in Article 10.3 d) of Royal Decree 1382/1985, i.e. in the event of succession of the company or a significant change in the ownership thereof that results in a renewal of its governing bodies or the substance and approach of its main business.

Indicate whether these contracts have to be disclosed to and/or approved by the bodies of the company or of its group:

	Board of Directors	General Meeting
Body authorising the clauses	Yes	No

	Yes	No
Is the General Meeting informed of the clauses?		X

#### C.2 Committees of the Board of Directors

C.2.1 Details of all the committees of the Board of Directors, their members and the proportion of proprietary and independent directors that form them:

#### **AUDIT AND COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE**

Name	Position	Category
MR EUSEBIO DIAZ-MORERA PUIG-SUREDA	CHAIRMAN	Independent director
NOUMEA, S.A.	MEMBER	Propietary
OTINIX, S.L.	MEMBER	Propietary
MS ANDREA KATHRIN CHRISTENSON	MEMBER	Independent director
MS SOCORRO FERNANDEZ LARREA	MEMBER	Independent director

% of proprietary directors	40.00%
% of independent directors	60.00%
% of non-executive directors	0.00%

Explain the functions entrusted to this committee, describe the procedures and rules relating to the organisation and functioning thereof, and summarise its most significant actions in the year.

The functions, procedures and rules relating to the organisation and functioning of the Audit Committee are described in Article 27 of the Board Regulations.

- 27.1. The Auditing and Compliance Commission will have between three (3) and seven (7) members, who must be external consultants. At least the majority of the members of the Auditing and Compliance Commission will have to be independent consultants and one of them must have been assigned taking into account their knowledge and experience in accounting, auditing or both. The members of the Committee and its Chairman are appointed by the Board of Directors. The Board will also appoint a Secretary who will not be a member of the Commission, and this position will have to be exercised precisely, by the Secretary or the Vice-secretary of the Company's Board of Directors.
- 27.2. The members of the Auditing and Compliance Commission, and in particular its President, are to be appointed taking into account their knowledge and experience in accounting, auditing and risk management. As a whole, the members of the Auditing and Compliance Commission will have the necessary technical knowledge on the Company's sector of activity.
- 27.3. The term of position is two years and may be reappointed thereafter for successive periods of the same duration. The President of the Auditing and Compliance Commission will be selected among its independent consultants and it will be replaced every four years. Re-election will be possible after one year has elapsed since leaving office. Nevertheless, the Board of Directors may decide at any time the cessation of any member of the Commission when it deems appropriate.

- 27.4. The Auditing and Compliance Commission provides support to the Board of Directors in its monitoring tasks, by regularly reviewing the process for preparing the economic-financial information, the internal controls of the Company and independence the Company's External Auditor.
- 27.5 The Auditing and Compliance Commission will meet when called by its President, or at the request of two of its members, depending on the current needs and, at least, twice a year.
- 27.6. All employees or Directors are required to attend the meetings of the Commission and to collaborate and provide access to the information available when so required, and the Commission may request that said appearances take place with no other director present. The Commission may also request the attendance at its meetings of Auditors.
- 27.7. Cementos Molins, S.A. has an internal audit department which, under the supervision of the Auditing and Compliance Commission, ensures the proper operating of the internal information and control systems and which functionally depends on the President of the Auditing and Compliance Commission. The head of internal audit presents to the Audit Committee his annual work plan; reporting directly on any incidents arising during its development; and submitting an annual activity report.

On the other hand, Article 27.8 of the Regulations of the Board of Directors, available on the website of the Company, www.cemolins.es, details the functions of the Audit Committee in relation to the external auditor, the financial statements, the Internal Audit, the financial reporting, the Board of Directors, information systems and internal control, and the risk control and the management policy.

Insofar as the nature and roles of the Auditing Commission allow, the provisions of the Board of Directors regarding the operation thereof will apply to said Commission.

Furthermore, the most important activities of the Audit Committee in 2017 were as follows:

- (i) Review of financial information for the year 2016, corresponding to the financial statements for the first half of 2017 and the information for the first and third quarter of 2017.
- (ii) Evaluation of the existing control over the management processes of the computing systems supporting the Company's operations.
- (iii) Validation of the various summarized reports on the Company's results, prior to their disclosure to the market.
- (iv) Issuance of the report on the independence of the External Auditors and their related operations.
- (v) Proposed renewal of Deloitte, S.L. as auditors of the Company for the 2018 financial year.
- (vi) Review of the work carried out by Internal Audit in the different companies of the Cementos Molins Group.
- (vii) Analysis of the Compliance Program, commissioned by Molins & Silva, Criminal Defense.
- (viii) Corporate Governance Policies.
- (ix) Ethics and Compliance Committee.

Identify the director who is a member of the Audit Committee who has been appointed taking into consideration his/her knowledge and experience in matters relating to accounting, audits or both, and provide information about the number of years the Chairman has held this position.

Name of experienced director	MR EUSEBIO DIAZ-MORERA PUIG-SUREDA
Number of years as Chairman	0

#### REMUNERATION AND APPOINTMENTS COMMISSION

Name	Position	Category
MS ANDREA KATHRIN CHRISTENSON	CHAIRMAN	Independent director
MR JOAQUIN Mª MOLINS LOPEZ-RODO	MEMBER	Propietary
CARTERA DE INVERSIONES C.M., S.A.	MEMBER	Propietary
FORO FAMILIAR MOLINS, S.L.	MEMBER	Propietary
MS SOCORRO FERNANDEZ LARREA	MEMBER	Independent director
MR MIGUEL DEL CAMPO RODRÍGUEZ	MEMBER	Another non-executive director

% of proprietary directors	50.00%
% of independent directors	33.33%
% of non-executive directors	16.67%

Explain the functions entrusted to this committee, describe the procedures and rules relating to the organisation and functioning thereof, and summarise its most significant actions in the year.

The functions, procedures and rules relating to the organisation and functioning of the Remuneration and Nomination Committee are described in Article 28 of the Board of Directors Regulations and are summarised as follows:

- 1. The Remuneration and Appointments Commission shall be made up of a minimum of three (3) and a maximum of seven (7) external directors, understood as those having no executive roles in the Company, to include at least two (2) independent directors. The members of the Committee and its Chairman are nominated by the Board of Directors and should be appointed on the basis that they have the appropriate knowledge, aptitudes and experience for the functions they are appointed to discharge. The Committee Charmain will be chosen from the independent directors who form part of the Committee. The Board will also appoint a Secretary who shall not be a member of the Commission, and this position will have to be discharged precisely, by the Secretary or the Vice-secretary of the Company's Board of Directors.
- 2. The term of such position is two years, and they can be re-elected for successive periods of the same length. Notwithstanding the above, the Board of Directors can agree to remove, at any time, any member of the Commission when it deems fit.
- 3. In addition to the functions legally assigned to it, the task of this Commission is to inform and advise the Board of Directors on its decisions falling under its area of competence. Specifically, it shall have the following functions:
- a) To propose the Director remuneration policy to the Board of Directors, including that for the remuneration of general directors and those that carry out senior management duties and report directly to the Board, of executive committees or managing directors, in addition to the individual salary and other contractual terms and conditions of executive Directors, ensuring said policies are adhered to.
- b) To verify adherence to the Company's payment policy.
- c) To regularly review the payment policy applying to Directors and Senior Management, including share or share-based payment systems and their application. It must also ensure that individual remuneration is proportionate to that paid to other Company Directors and Senior Management.
- d) To ensure that potential conflicts of interest do not prejudice the independence of external advice given to the Commission.
- e) To verify the information on the remuneration of Directors and Senior Management contained in various corporate documents, including the Annual Report on Director Remuneration.
- f) To submit to the Board the proposals for the appointment of independent Directors for their designation by co-optation or by way of a decision of the Annual General Meeting, in addition to the proposals for reelection or separation of said Directors by the Meeting.
- g) Report appointment proposals of the remaining Directors for their designation by co-optation or by way of a decision of the Annual General Meeting, in addition to the proposals for reelection or separation of said Directors by the Annual General Meeting. The system for appointing the members of the Board Committees. To evaluate the competencies, knowledge and experience necessary for the Board, defining as a result the functions and aptitudes necessary for the candidates who must cover each vacancy, and evaluate the time required to duly perform their roles.
- h) Report the proposals for the appointment and removal of senior executives and propose to the Board the basic terms and conditions of their contracts.
- i) The Managing Director's proposals for the appointment and removal of senior management and the Board Members of other affiliate companies.
- j) Examine and organise, as it deems suitable, the succession of the Chairperson and the first executive and, if appropriate, make proposals to the Board so that said succession takes place in an organised and well-planned fashion.
- 4. The Remuneration and Appointments Commission shall meet every time the Board or its Chairperson requests a report or the adoption of proposals and, in any case, when it is advisable for the proper performance of its functions. In any case, it shall meet once a year to prepare the information regarding the payment of the Directors, which the Board of Directors has to approve and include in its annual public documentation.

Also, the most important actions of this Committee in 2017 were as follows:

- (i) Establishment of the remuneration for the Chief Executive Officer: variable remuneration for 2016, long-term variable remuneration, fixed remuneration for 2017, establishment of individual objectives for 2017.
- (ii) Variable remuneration 2016 and 2017 of the Group's Management.
- (iii) Long-term variable remuneration of Group management.
- (iv) Regulations of the Group's variable remuneration for 2017.
- (v) Validation of the variable remunerations for 2016.

- (vi) Analysis of the report issued by Mr Miguel Trías Sagnier regarding the evaluation of the Board of Directors in the year 2016 and the proposal of the actions to be taken to improve corporate governance. Recruitment of an external consultor to evaluate the Board and the Board's Committees for the financial year 2017.
- (vii) Proposal for the determination of the remuneration of the Board of Directors for the 2018 financial year.
- (viii) Report on the Annual Corporate Governance Report and Annual Remuneration Report.
- (ix) Reports and proposals on the appointments of directors and positions in the Committees of the Board during 2017.
- C.2.2 Fill in the following table with the information relating to the number of female directors sitting on the Board of Directors' committees in the last four years:

	Number of female directors							
	Yea	r 2017	Year	2016	Yea	r 2015	Year	2014
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
AUDIT COMMITTEE	3	60.00%	2	40.00%	1	25.00%	1	25.00%
REMUNERATION AND APPOINTMENTS COMMISSION	3	50.00%	2	28.57%	2	28.57%	1	20.00%

- C.2.3 Repealed section.
- C.2.4 Repealed section.
- C.2.5 Indicate, as appropriate, whether there are any regulations for the Board committees; if so, indicate where they can be consulted and whether any amendments have been made during the year. Also indicate whether any annual report on the activities of each committee has been prepared voluntarily.

Name of committee

AUDIT COMMITTEE

Brief description

The regulation of the Audit Committee is set out in Article 27 of the Board Regulations. They are registered at the Mercantile Registry of Madrid and can be consulted on the Company's website (www.cemolins.es).

The Audit and Compliance Committee prepared an annual activities report which served as the basis for the Board of Director's evaluation of the Committees' performance in 2017.

Name of committee

REMUNERATION AND APPOINTMENTS COMMISSION

Brief description

The regulation of the Remuneration and Appointments Commission is set out in Article 28 of the Board of Directors' Regulations. They are registered at the Mercantile Registry of Madrid and can be consulted on the Company s website (www.cemolins.es).

The Remuneration and Appointments Commission has prepared an annual activities report which served as the basis for the Board of Director's evaluation of the Committees' performance in 2017.

C.2.6 Repealed section.

## D ELATED-PARTY AND INTRA-GROUP TRANSACTIONS

D.1	Identify the competent body	and explain t	the procedure	for approva	I of any	related-party	and intra-
	group transactions.						

Procedure	for reporting	on the approva	l of related-part	y transactions

Pursuant to Article 5 of the Board of Directors' Regulations, the Board in plenary session reserves the approval, subject to a favourable report of the Audit and Compliance Committee, of the transactions the Company or Group companies may perform with directors, under the terms of Articles 229 and 230 of the Spanish Limited Liability Companies Law, or with shareholders, individually or together with others, with a significant ownership interest, including the shareholders represented on the Board of Directors of Cementos Molins, S.A. or other companies that form part of the same group or with persons related to them. The directors involved or who represent or are related to the shareholders involved should abstain from participating in the deliberation regarding and voting on the resolution in question. Only the transactions that simultaneously meet the following three requirements will not require this approval:

- 1. Transactions performed under contracts containing standard terms and conditions and applied en masse to a large number of customers.
- 2. and effected at prices or rates established on a general basis by the party acting as the supplier of the good or service in question;
- 3. whose amount does not exceed 1% of the Company's annual income.
- D.2 Give details of transactions that are material with regard to the amount thereof or the matter involved between the Company or Group companies and the significant shareholders of the Company:
- D.3 Give details of the transactions that are material with regard to the amount thereof or the matter involved between the Company or Group companies and the directors or executives of the Company:
- D.4 Give details of material transactions by the Company with other entities of the same Group, where such transactions are not eliminated in the process of preparing the consolidated financial statements and from the standpoint of their subject-matter or terms and conditions are not part of the company's ordinary business.

In any event, details will be provided on any intra-group transactions performed with entities resident in countries or jurisdictions considered to be tax havens:

- D.5 Give details of the amount of the transactions performed with other related parties.
- D.6 Give details of the mechanisms in place for detecting, identifying and resolving any potential conflicts of interest between the company and/or its Group and its directors, executives or significant shareholders.

In relation to conflicts of interest, Article 17.2 of the Board Regulations stipulates that:

Directors shall notify the Board of Directors of any situation that may entail a direct or indirect conflict with the company's interests. In the event of a conflict of interest, the directors concerned shall refrain from participating in the transaction to which the conflict refers. In all cases, such situations shall be disclosed in the annual corporate governance report.

D.7 13 more than one Grou	ip company nated in C	pair:
	Yes	No X
Indicate the listed subs	idiaries in Spain:	

D.7 Is more than one Group company listed in Spain?

Listed subsidiary company

Indicate if the areas of activity and the business relationship between them and the rest of the group companies, have been appropriately described:

Define the eventual business relationship between the parent company and the listed subsidiary company, and those with the rest of the group

Identify the expected mechanisms to solve the eventual conflicts of interest between the listed subsidiary and the rest of the group. Mechanisms to solve the eventual conflicts of interest:

Mechanisms to solve the eventual conflicts of interest

## **E** RISK CONTROL AND MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS

#### E.1 Explain the scope of the Company's risk management system, including tax risks.

The main business of Cementos Molins Group (hereinafter, "the Group") in Spain is the production, sale and distribution of cement, concrete, aggregate, mortar and cement derivatives and prefabricated concrete, and is significantly affected by the evolution of the construction and public works activity that can influence their results, as well as other factors that affect the normal development of their activities and the achievement of their goals.

The Cementos Molins Group has designed a risk management and control system that enables appropriate risk management. The risk management and control system is applied in the following phases:

- Preparation of the risk inventory: the Internal Audit Department of the Cementos Molins Group, on the basis of knowledge of the Group, oversight activities performed and business objectives established by the Group, prepares an inventory of risks that might arise both at corporate and operational level at each business.
- Identification: General Management, the heads of internal audit and other areas identify in a risk inventory the risks to which the Cementos Molins Group companies are exposed.
- Assessment: once the risks to which the Group companies and the Cementos Molins Group itself are exposed have been identified, they are assessed in order to identify the most significant risks. The risk assessment is determined on the basis of the likelihood of occurrence, the impact and the number of businesses and/or areas in which the risk might arise. When assessing risks, techniques based mainly on knowledge, judgement and experience of the persons involved are used.
- Risk map: after selecting the most significant risks, the Group's risk maps, risk maps at corporate level and operational risk maps for each of the subsidiaries are prepared. These risk maps reflect the importance of each of the risks at the businesses.
- Control: after the risks maps have been prepared and assessed, management of each company, internal audit and functional areas determine the necessary measures and define the necessary controls that mitigate the identified risks. In this stage the Internal Audit Department defines the Audit Plan where the reviews and tasks to be accomplished in order to mitigate the previously identified risks are defined.
- Oversight: the risks maps and the identified control measures are the basis of the annual internal audit plan. The Cementos Molins Group also has investments in Argentina, Uruguay, Bolivia, Mexico, Colombia, Bangladesh, India and Tunisia. This implies the incorporation of different regulatory frameworks, markets and financial environments in the Group's transactions. These circumstances evidence the need to manage risks, and devise mechanisms in order to evaluate, treat and minimise them. To identify the risks of each country in which the Group operates, the Internal Audit Department prepares, together with the internal audit departments of the various countries, a Risk Map aimed at identifying all the risk components of each of the businesses which, following validation by the relevant local general management departments, is submitted, where applicable, to the local audit committees, and finally to the Audit and Compliance Committee.

The risk management and control system is assessed on a yearly basis and the results are submitted to the Audit and Compliance Committee. If necessary, action plans are defined for those controls presenting issues in terms of effectiveness or design. Regular audits are also conducted and the main incidents and action plans are submitted to the Audit and Compliance Committee and to the Board of Directors.

Lastly, the various committees and senior management report regularly to the Board of Directors of each company in relation to the main risk factors and the measures adopted for their control and management.

#### E.2 Identify the Company's bodies in charge of preparing and executing the risk management system.

Name of committee or body: Auditing and Compliance Committee.

The main function of the Audit and Compliance Committee is to support the Board of Directors in relation to its oversight duties through the periodic review of the process of preparing the economic and financial information, its internal controls and the independence of the external auditor.

The organisation has an Internal Audit Department for the supervision of the risk management and internal control systems. This body reports to the Corporate Management.

Name of committee or body: Other Committees

The other committees set up by the Group for the control of specific risks are the Commercial Risks Committees.

The senior management of each of the operations is involved in the management and supervision of the risks specific to both the commercial and industrial operations of each of the businesses.

In addition, the Corporate Finance Department analyses and manages financial risk, foreign currency risk, interest rate risk, risk in relation to industrial assets and risk related to possible environmental impacts. In general this department intervenes directly in relation to the risks of those companies over which the Group holds direct ownership and control, and provides supervision and advisory services in those companies jointly managed with other shareholders.

The Corporate Tax function analyses, oversees, manages and provides advisory services regarding the tax risks affecting the various businesses and their possible equity impact on the Group's financial statements. It intervenes directly in relation to those companies over which the Group holds direct ownership and control, and provides advisory and supervision services in conjunction with the local functions at those companies jointly managed with other shareholders.

It should also be noted that the Group has specific commercial, industrial, internal audit, legal, financial, tax and human resource functions in the business units of each of its foreign operations which, in coordination with the business and its counterparts in the Corporate Managements of the Group, are responsible for compliance with the applicable legislation in each case.

#### E.3 Give details of the main risks that might affect the achievement of the business objectives.

In general the main risk is the performance of the economies in each of the countries in which the Company operates. The future performance of these companies basically depends on the performance of the construction markets in terms of both building construction and civil engineering work, which are the Company's main sources of business.

The proper operation of the industrial assets and ensuring the supply of the main raw materials are a key business element. The political and social stability, combined with the regulatory levels of the public authorities, are further key elements that may affect the normal course of the Company's business activities.

The different tax legislations of the countries and any possible changes thereto should also be considered when evaluating the risks faced by the Group.

Lastly, it should be noted that the Group's degree of internationalisation also gives rise to a certain degree of exposure to the evolution of the main macroeconomic variables of each country and, accordingly, the exchange rate, inflation and the interest rate play a fundamental role in terms of the Company's ability to achieve its objectives.

#### E.4 Identify whether the entity has a risk tolerance level.

The Company does not establish specific risks levels in the day-to-day management of its operations, but manages each risk individually for the purpose of minimising their possible negative impact.

#### E.5 Give details of any risks that arose during the year.

The markets in Spain are still frail and the difficulties of obtaining a solid recovery in the construction industry continue. Rise of the regulated costs in Tunisia, tariff difficulties in the international commerce and economic and politic turmoil had a negative impact on exports.

Exposure to currency fluctuations in those countries where the Group operates, in particular, the depreciation of the currencies in Argentina and Uruguay and its negative impact on the exchange differences in our consolidated balance sheet.

#### E.6 Explain the response and monitoring plans for the entity's main risks, including tax risks.

The Group monitors its main risk through the functional departments involved (business and corporate) and the various Committees and Boards set up.

Technical Committee, Management Committee and Board of Directors meetings are held on a monthly basis in each of the businesses. The corporate technical, management control, financial and legal departments provide daily supervision and hold regular meetings for both the Spanish companies and the foreign investees with their corresponding counterparts.

Meetings to review the business activities and potential incidents or risks are held each week and immediate action is taken.

## SYSTEMS OF INTERNAL CONTROL AND RISK MANAGEMENT IN CONNECTION WITH FINANCIAL REPORTING (ICFR)

Describe the mechanisms comprising the risk control and management systems as they affect the entity's internal control over financial reporting (ICFR).

#### F.1 The entity s control environment

Provide information, indicating salient features, on at least:

F.1.1. Bodies and/or functions responsible for: (i) the existence and maintenance of a suitable, effective ICFR; (ii) its implementation; and (iii) its oversight.

The Board of Directors of Cementos Molins S.A. is responsible (pursuant to Article 5.z of its Regulations) for the implementation and monitoring of a suitable, effective system of internal control over financial reporting that ensures the completeness and reliability of financial information.

The Board of Directors delegates oversight of the design and effectiveness of internal control to the Audit Committee. Article 27 of the Board Regulations specifies that the duties of the Audit Committee in connection with financial reporting are, inter alia:

- To supervise the process of preparing and submitting the required financial information and submit recommendations or proposals to the Board of Directors aimed at safeguarding its integrity, reviewing the compliance of regulatory requirements, the proper delimitation of the consolidation perimeter and the correct application of accounting criteria.
- To understand the processes used to draft the financial statements and obtain reasonable certainty that the information support systems are reliable.
- Regularly reviewing the internal control and risk management systems so that the main risks are sufficiently identified, managed and notified.
- Reviewing, analysing and commenting on the financial statements and other relevant financial information with senior management, and the internal and external auditors, to confirm that said information is reliable, comprehensible, relevant, and that accounting criteria consistent with the previous year-end closing.

Cementos Molins S.A. has an Internal Audit department, reporting to the Audit Committee, whose remit is to ensure that the systems of internal control and financial reporting function correctly, to assess the effectiveness of ICFR and to report regularly on any weaknesses identified in the course of its work and the time frame set for the proposed adaptation or corrective action.

The Audit Committee members are kept apprised of all regulatory changes that may arise in this connection. The senior executives of Cementos Molins, S.A. are responsible, under the supervision of the Audit Committee, for designing, implementing and ensuring the functioning of an appropriate internal control system, as specified in Cementos Molins' organisational model for the systems of control over financial reporting.

Thus, the duty of internal control over financial reporting is discharged at the level of the General Corporate Management of Cementos Molins, S.A. and thereafter at the functional divisions (Administration, Finance, Tax Services, Human Resources, Legal Services and Information Systems), which are responsible for designing and implementing the internal control systems for these areas. Similarly, the responsibility for designing and implementing internal control systems for the operational and business areas lies with the General Management Departments of the different companies.

Internal control over financial reporting is centralised at corporate management, which ensures that it is maintained and that all the documentation relating to the procedures and controls in place from time to time is updated and also to notify the Group's various companies and organisational areas of the approval of policies and procedures of internal control over financial reporting.

- F.1.2. Indicate the following, if in place, particularly in connection with the process of preparing financial reporting:
  - The departments and/or mechanisms in charge of: (i) the design and review of the organisational structure; (ii) defining clear lines of responsibility and authority, with an appropriate distribution of tasks and functions; and (iii) ensuring procedures are in place to communicate this structure effectively throughout the entity.

The corporate management officers ensure that tasks and responsibilities are adequately distributed and assigned for the process of preparing financial information, establishing and, where appropriate, proposing to the corporate management officers and corporate human resources management the design and structure required to carry them out.

Corporate human resources management, together with the other functional management divisions, is responsible for disseminating and notifying the organisational structure and any possible changes therein, including those relating to the financial reporting process.

Code of conduct, approving body, dissemination and instruction, principles and values covered (stating whether it
makes specific reference to record keeping and financial reporting), body in charge of investigating breaches
and proposing corrective or disciplinary action.

As proposed by the Auditing and Compliance Commission, the Board of Directors, at its meeting of 27 January 2017, approved the new Ethical Code of Cementos Molins Group, whose contents have been announced and made available to all the employees in the Group and which replaces the previous Code of Conduct approved on 28 February 2012. An Ethics and Compliance Committee, formed by the Deputy Manager of Corporate Legal Services and the Manager of Internal Audit, ensures compliance therewith. The Audit and Compliance Committee is entrusted with its review and periodic update.

As mentioned in the previous version of the Code of Conduct, section 5.9 of the Ethical Code, "Treatment of information and of knowledge", contains an express reference to economic transactions, indicating that they must be reflected clearly and precisely in the related records, as well as all the operations performed and expenses incurred. Similarly, it is stated that the economic and financial information will reflect fairly its economic, financial and equity position, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and International Financial Reporting Standards.

Also notable in this connection are Cementos Molins' Internal Rules of Conduct regarding the Securities Market, established in a resolution passed by the Board of Directors on 29 July 2004 and the subsequent reviews adopted by resolution of the Board of Directors on 28 February 2012, 28 April 2017 and 29 September 2017.

• Whistle-blowing channel, for reporting any irregularities of a financial or accounting nature, as well as breaches of the code of conduct and irregular activities within the organisation to the Audit Committee, stating, as applicable, whether such reports are confidential.

Since 23 April 2009, the Cementos Molins Group has a reporting channel available for all employees of the Spanish companies in the Group, whereby they can inform Cementos Molins confidentially of any potentially significant irregularities, particularly those of a financial and accounting nature, of internal control over fraud that, to the best of their knowledge and belief, constitute inappropriate conduct or action.

In addition, at its meeting on 23 February 2012 the Audit Committee established new procedure regulations for this type of reporting. Subsequently, as part of the development of the Cementos Molins Group's Crime Prevention Model, a specific protocol developed in 2016 entered into force on 27 February 2017.

On the basis of this protocol, employees can use the potentially significant irregularities communication procedure by sending a letter addressed to the Ethics and Compliance Committee's online mailbox, in person or by telephone, contacting either of the Group's two compliance officers.

When a potentially significant irregularity is reported, once the incident is accepted and the evidence and investigation stage has been conducted, a proposed resolution is submitted to the Audit and Compliance Committee and, simultaneously, the Corporate General Manager, the CEO of Cementos Molins, S.A., the operations general manager, the general manager of the affected company and the secretary of the Audit and Compliance committee will be informed.

 Training and periodic refresher courses for personnel involved in preparing and reviewing financial information or evaluating the system of ICFR, which address, at least, accounting rules, auditing, internal control and risk management.

Human resources management and administration and finance management check that the updating procedures for the accounting and financial tasks are appropriate when this is called for due to legislative and regulatory changes, including changes in the international accounting standards and suitable schemes for updating training that affect the preparation of the Group's financial statements.

The various functional divisions also receive information on a regular basis from external advisers and the Company's external auditors on regulatory changes or interpretations of standards that may affect the preparation of the Group's financial information, for which fluid communication with the latter is established in order to be informed of and to interpret and adapt to such standards. Internal dissemination within the Group to the areas that might be affected is also ensured.

#### F.2 Assessment of reporting risks

Provide information on, at least:

F.2.1. The main features of the risk identification process, including risks of error or fraud, as regards:

• Whether the process exists and is documented.

The Cementos Molins Group has an Organisational Model of Internal Control over Financial Reporting and an Internal Control Manual aimed at providing reasonable assurance regarding the fulfillment of the following objectives:

- Reliability of financial reporting.
- Compliance with the applicable legislation and standards.
- Risk assessment and control activities.

Based on the foregoing, Cementos Molins has defined the key processes for the preparation of its financial information and has drawn up the related map, containing:

- Purchases and payables.
- Income and receivables.
- Cash and financial items.
- Investments and non-current assets.
- Human resources.
- Inventories
- Accounting close and consolidation.
- Taxes.
- Information systems.
- Impairment of assets

All the related processes are formally documented. The documentation generated in connection with these procedures includes detailed descriptions of transactions performed and those relating to the preparation of financial information from commencement until their recognition in the accounting records.

The basic elements for each process are the activities flowcharts, the associated risks in each case and the control activities that mitigate them. The result is a risk and controls matrix for each process that enables the control objectives of Cementos Molins to be complied with in the case of all relevant identified financial information.

• Whether the process covers all financial reporting objectives (existence and occurrence; completeness; valuation; presentation, disclosure and comparability; and rights and obligations), is updated and how frequently.

With a view to defining the sphere of application of ICFR at Group level, the following factors were borne in mind:

- At Spanish investees that are over 50% controlled the procedures of the key processes in place are defined on the basis of quantitative and qualitative materiality, establishing a risk matrix and the controls associated with each process in order to safeguard the reliability of the resulting financial information.
- In the case of the international companies the necessary control mechanisms to enable the consolidation process to ensure in a reasonable manner the reliability of the information and the processes generating it. Thus, the various companies' internal audit departments review the procedures and processes taking into account the risk criteria. The external auditors also identify and inform Cementos Molins of any control weaknesses observed in the course of their work. On the basis of the conclusions drawn, which are reported to the internal audit department of Cementos Molins, the companies improve the procedures in place. Internal Audit reviews these processes in situ in the context of its annual audit and risk map schedule.

On the basis of the foregoing, the risks and processes to be documented that have a potentially material impact on the financial information have been identified and makes sure that, in Cementos Molins' risk identification process, are covered by the following financial reporting objectives:

- Existence and occurrence: transactions, facts and other events reflected in the financial information exist in reality and were recorded in due time.
- Completeness: the information reflects all the transactions, facts and other events in which the entity is the affected party.
- Valuation: transactions, facts and other events are recognised and measured in accordance with the applicable standards.
- Presentation, disclosure and comparability: transactions, facts and other events are classified, presented and disclosed in the financial information in accordance with the applicable standards.
- Rights and obligations: the financial information reflects, at the corresponding date, the rights and obligations through the related assets and liabilities, in accordance with the applicable standards.

The controls associated with the aforementioned processes are reviewed by the internal audit department at least every four years and, on the basis of the conclusions reached, if necessary, the Company updates the existing procedures in conjunction with the corporate management department.

• Whether a specific process is in place to define the scope of consolidation, taking into account, inter alia, the possible existence of complex corporate structures and special purpose entities or vehicles.

The scope of consolidation of Cementos Molins is defined on a monthly basis by the Shared Services Management, based on the information available in its files and in accordance with international accounting standards and is confirmed on a half-yearly basis by the external auditor. Any significant change in the scope of consolidation is notified to the Audit Committee.

• Whether the process addresses other types of risk (operational, technological, financial, legal, reputational, environmental, etc.) insofar as they may affect the financial statements.

In identifying risks, those arising from external factors that can or could have a material effect on the business and the Group's financial reporting are also assessed, namely:

- Safeguarding of assets.
- Possibility of fraud.
- Environmental legislation.
- Specific market situations (legal and regulatory changes).
- Estimates, lawsuits and provisions.
- Indicate the entity's governing body that oversees the process.

The Group's system of internal control over financial reporting is overseen by the Audit Committee and the purpose thereof is to ensure the reliability of significant financial information.

#### F.3 Control activities

Indicating salient features, disclose whether there are at least:

F.3.1. Procedures for reviewing and authorising financial information and the description of ICFR to be disclosed to the securities markets, indicating the corresponding lines of responsibility, as well as documentation describing the flows of activities and controls (including those addressing the risk of fraud) for the various types of transactions that may materially affect the financial statements, including procedures for the accounting close procedure and for the separate review of critical judgements, estimates, evaluations and projections.

The Cementos Molins Group furnishes the securities market with financial information on a quarterly basis. The information is prepared by administrative management reporting to general corporate management. In the process of preparing the financial information to be published, administrative management carries out certain control activities to check its reliability. Additionally, the Management Control Department, the Shared Services Management and the Internal Audit Department oversee the information prepared.

The CEO and the General Corporate Management analyse the information to be published, provisionally approving it prior to sending it to the Audit and Compliance Committee, which oversees the financial information submitted. Lastly, the Audit Committee informs the Board of Directors of its conclusions on the information submitted, so that once it has been approved by the Board, it may be published in the securities market. For the half-yearly and annual reporting, the Audit Committee and the Board of Directors also have available the information prepared by the Group's external auditors on the results of their work.

In the case of the information included in the Corporate Governance Annual Report, the same procedure as that described in this section is followed prior to its publication in the securities market.

F.3.2. Internal control policies and procedures for IT systems (including access security, control of changes, system operation, continuity and separation of duties) giving support to key company processes involved in the preparation and publication of financial information.

The Management of Organisation and systems of Cementos Molins, S.A., reporting to the General Corporate Management, is responsible for the information and telecommunication systems belonging to Cementos Molins, S.A. and its Spanish subsidiaries, as well as for the supervision of the organisation and the functioning of the information systems of the international investees. Its functions include defining, implementing and monitoring compliance with the security policies and standards, as well as the business continuity plan of the various applications and infrastructure that support it. The control model addresses all the applications, infrastructure for support and access, communication systems and the physical locations in all cases, placing particular emphasis on processes that are relevant for business continuity on a normal basis, directly or indirectly related to financial information.

The control model defined at Cementos Molins, S.A. comprises the following processes:

- Physical security of the data processing centres.
- Logical security of applications.

- Project management. Implementation, development and evolutive advances.
- · Operations management.
- Service provider management.
- Infrastructure and communications.
- · Back-up and recovery systems.
- User management.

These processes are supported by a series of documented automatic and manual steps, standards, procedures and security rules, which define, inter alia, the control activities required to address the risks to which the following spheres of information systems management are exposed.

- · Information systems environment:
- Organisational charts and descriptions of the duties of the employees involved in the information systems.
- System Map.
- Telecommunications network map.
- · Applications change management:
- Management of requests for new developments, improvements and changes.
- Requests registration, analysis and approvals circuit.
- Development and implementation of new systems.
- Bringing into service of such applications, their validation and completion.
- Documentation and training.
- · Operations and use of systems:
- Management of operating activities.
- Management of back-up systems.
- Incidents management.
- Contingency and recovery plans.
- Service provider management.
- · User training and information.
- User information systems.
- Ongoing training procedures.
- · Physical and logical security:
- Management of security activities.
- Physical security of control rooms.
- Logical security of access to systems.
- Security in data transfers in public networks.

In compliance with the legislation in force, Cementos Molins defined the role of Information Security. This role is responsible for protecting the Group's information systems, in order to achieve and maintain the required security standards. In order to ensure that these standards are defined correctly an internal procedure compliant with the legislative requirements is in place that defines the standards and also the security requirements to be implemented.

The control model envisages various reviews that help to keep the security systems updated at acceptable and functional levels for Cementos Molins, S.A.

F.3.3. Internal control policies and procedures for overseeing the management of outsourced activities to third parties and of the appraisal, calculation or valuation services commissioned from independent experts, when these may materially affect the financial statements.

Cementos Molins does not outsource to third parties, either fully or partially, any phase of its process of preparing financial statements.

In the event of hiring outside advisers for accounting, legal, tax or employment-related issues, to handle a specific matter, the results thereof are overseen by the persons in charge of each functional area in order to ratify the reasonableness of the conclusions drawn.

#### F.4 Reporting and communication

Indicating salient features, disclose whether there are at least:

F.4.1. A specific role in charge of defining and maintaining accounting policies (accounting policies area or department) and resolving doubts or disputes over their interpretation, communicating on a regular basis with the team in charge of operations at the organisation. The role is also responsible for updating the accounting policies manual and disseminating it to the Company's operating units.

Corporate administration management is responsible for applying the Group's accounting policies. This management also encompasses the corporate accounting department, whose remit includes:

- Defining and updating the Group's accounting policies.
- Keeping track of international accounting standards and their effects on the Group's financial statements.
- Analysing whether the accounting treatment of the transactions of the consolidated Group and its individual companies is appropriate.

- Informing and addressing any queries on the application of the accounting standards that could be raised at the Group companies or at the request of functional areas.

In cases where the accounting rules are complex and require a more detailed technical analysis for their interpretation, administrative management contacts the Group's external auditors in order to establish a position thereon.

The Group explains its accounting policies and valuation standards in its financial statements, which conform to the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) in its consolidated financial statements and to the General Accounting Plan approved by Royal Decree 1514/2007 in its individual financial statements.

Additionally, the Group has policies to account for certain elements that, due to their amount or recurrence, are important enough to be addressed in detail. This specific policies do not differ from the aforementioned regulatory framework.

F.4.2. Mechanisms in standard format for the capture and preparation of financial information, which are applied and used in all units within the company or Group, and support its main financial statements and accompanying notes as well as disclosures concerning ICFR.

Cementos Molins S.A. has implemented a single computer tool to meet the accounting needs of its Spanish companies and a computer tool for the consolidation process. The information of the Spanish companies is uploaded onto the consolidation tool with standardised criteria and formats that comply with the Molins Group's accounting policies. With respect to the Group's international companies, a single applicable reporting model has been established, standardised in compliance with the Group's accounting policies and included in the consolidation tool, once the integrity of the information has been checked using internal controls. The computer consolidation tool centralises in a single system the separate financial statements of the subsidiaries making up the Group, as well as the consolidated financial statements and the main disclosures required for the preparation of the consolidated financial statements.

#### F.5 Oversight of system operation

Provide information, indicating salient features, on at least:

F.5.1. ICFR monitoring activities performed by the Audit Committee, including an indication of whether the entity has an internal audit department whose competencies include supporting the Audit Committee in its role of monitoring the internal control system, including ICFR. Also describe the scope of the ICFR assessment conducted in the year and the procedure for the person in charge to communicate the findings. State also whether the company has an action plan specifying corrective measures and whether it has taken stock of the potential impact on its financial information:

The Internal Audit Department notifies the Audit and Compliance Committee of the correct functioning of ICFR and is responsible for reviewing the controls in place in the processes mentioned in point F.2.1 at least every four years, reporting any potential weaknesses identified and the steps to be taken to mitigate them, and for monitoring the implementation of such steps. In 2017, as part of the regular review of ICFR, the key accounting processes were assessed in order to adapt them to the changes in terms of organisation and functions that took place during the financial year.

In verifying the ICFR and in ensuring the quality of financial reporting the Audit Committee focused its activity on overseeing the preparation of the separate and consolidated financial statements, as well as the accompanying information thereto, the consolidation process and the scope of consolidation and all the periodic information (half-yearly and quarterly) that must be reported to the markets. In its work it is supported by the internal audit department and the Company's external auditors, with whom meetings are held periodically.

Action plans envisaging corrective steps are established, in conjunction with internal audit and corporate management, in the event of detecting any weaknesses in the quality of the information or in the internal systems of control over financial reporting.

F.5.2. Indicate whether there is a discussion procedure whereby the financial auditor (pursuant to TAS), the internal audit department and other experts can report any significant internal control weaknesses encountered during their review of the financial statements or other reviews they have been engaged to perform to the Senior Executives and to the Company's Audit Committee or Board of Directors. State also whether the entity has an action plan to correct or mitigate the weaknesses identified.

The Internal Audit Department reports at least on a half-yearly basis to the Audit and Compliance Committee on any significant weaknesses in internal control that have been identified during the review of the audits performed and the ICFR reviews.

F.6 Other relevant information

The external audit has access to the executives and the Audit Committee, assisting to, at least, three Audit Committees per year, with the intention to inform about the conclusions of the financial statements review and the internal control weaknesses detected.

Not applicable.
F.7External auditor's report
Indicate:
F.7.1. Whether the ICFR information reported to the markets has been reviewed by the external auditors. If "yes", the related report should be included in the corresponding report as an Appendix. If "no", give reasons.
The external auditors reviewed Cementos Molins S.A.'s ICFR information that was reported to the markets for 2017. The scope of the auditors' review procedures was set in accordance with the Draft Guidance and specimen auditors' report relating to the information on the system of internal control over the financial information of listed entities dated 15 July 2013. The Draft Guidance includes the aspects included in this connection in CNMV Circular 5/2013, which was modified in CNMV Circular 7/2015, from the 22nd of December, which started applying the 31st of December of 2015.
DEGREE OF COMPLIANCE WITH CORPORATE GOVERNANCE RECOMMENDATIONS
Indicate the Company's degree of compliance with the recommendations of the Unified Good Governance Code.
If a recommendation is not followed or only partially followed, a detailed explanation of the reasons should be provided in such a way that the shareholders, investors and the market in general have sufficient information to evaluate the Company's performance. Explanations of a general nature are not accepted.
1. The bylaws of listed companies should not place an upper limit on the votes that can be cast by a single shareholder, or impose other obstacles to the takeover of the company by means of share purchases on the market.
Followed X Explain
2. When a parent and a subsidiary are listed companies, both should provide detailed disclosure on:
a) The type of activity they engage in and any business dealings between them, as well as those of the listed subsidiary and other Group companies.
b) The mechanisms in place to resolve possible conflicts of interest.
Followed Partially followed Explain Not applicable X

3. At the Annual General Meeting, in addition to the communication in writing of the Annual Corporate Governance Report, the Chairman of the Board of Directors should orally inform the shareholders, in sufficient detail, of the most important matters in relation to the Company's corporate governance and, in particular, of:					
a) Changes	a) Changes since the previous Annual General Meeting.				
b) The specific reasons why the Company does not follow certain recommendations of the Corporate Governance Code and the alternative rules applied in this connection, should any exist.					
	Followed X	Partially followed		Explain	
4. The Company should define and promote a policy of communication and contact with shareholders, institutional investors and voting advisers that fully complies with regulations against market abuse and treats shareholders in the same position in a similar manner.					
The Company should publish this policy on its website, including information on how it has been implemented, identifying the liaison personnel or staff in charge of implementing it.					
	Followed X	Partially followed		Explain	
5. The Board of Directors shall not put forward to the Annual General Meeting a proposal to delegate powers in order to issue shares or convertible securities with disapplication of pre-emption rights for an amount exceeding 20% of share capital upon delegation.					
When the Board of Directors approves any share or convertible security issue with disapplication of pre-emption rights, the Company should immediately publish on its website the reports on such disapplication referred to in corporate legislation.					
	Followed X	Partially followed		Explain	
6. The listed companies that prepare the reports indicated below, whether obligatorily or voluntarily, should publish them on their respective websites sufficiently in advance of the Annual General Meeting, whether or not they are required to disseminate them:					
a) Report on auditor independence.					
<ul> <li>b) Reports on the functioning of the Audit Committee and the Remuneration and Nomination Committee.</li> </ul>					
c) Audit Committee report on related party transactions.					
d) Report on the corporate social responsibility policy.					
	Followed X	Partially followed		Explain	
7. The Company shall stream a live broadcast of the Annual General Meetings on its website.					
	Followed		Explain	X	
With an average attendance of 90.88% of the share capital at the Annual Meetings held over the last five years, the Company considered that the live transmission of this event was not necessary.					
However, this measure will be proposed in the near future in order to adjust to the recommendations of the Corporate Governance Code.					

auditors' rep	o the Annual G ort. Should sucl uld give a clear	eneral Meeti n qualificatio	ng without ns exist, bo	limitation	ns or qual Chairman	lification of the A	s for any udit Comi	matters i mittee an	n the
	Followed X	Par	tially followed			Explain			
•	y should have that it will acce eral Meeting and	ot in order to	evidence	the ow	nership of	shares			
	ments and proc and should be					e exercis	se of the r	ights of th	ne
	Followed X	Par	tially followed			Explain			
10. When any le	egitimate sharel agenda or pres					l Gener	al Meetin	g, the rio	ght to
a) Immediate	ely make such s	upplementar	y points an	d new re	esolution p	roposals	s public.		
necessary	olic the attendar y so that the nevunder the same	w points of th	e agenda,	as well	as alternat	ive reso	lution pro		
are applie	I those points or ed to the points nptions or deduc	and proposa	ls prepared	d by the					
	Annual Generatory points or a			nicate t	he break	down c	of the vo	ote on	those
Follow	wed X P	artially followed		Explain		Not app	olicable		
11. If the Compa beforehand a	any plans to pay a general policy							nould esta	ablish
Follov	wed P	artially followed		Explain		Not app	olicable X		
	of Directors show shareholders the as such, strive to	ne same trea	tment. It sh	ould be			-		
faith, ethics attempt to re suppliers, cu	corporate intere and respect fo concile, where a istomers and the Company's act	r customs a applicable, co ose of the o	nd general orporate int other stakel	ly accer erest with nolders	oted good th the legiti that may b	practice imate in oe affec	e, the Co terests of ted, as w	mpany s its emplo ell as wit	hould yees,
	Followed X	Par	tially followed			Explain			

comprise no	o fewer than five and r	no more than fifteer	members.		
	Followed X		Explain		
14. That the Bo	pard of Directors shoul	d approve a directo	or selection polic	cy that:	
a) Is specif	ic and verifiable.				
•	that appointment or re Directors.	eelection proposals	are based on a	prior analysis of the need of the	
c) Favours	diversity of knowledge	e, experience and g	ender.		
the Nomina	tion Committee's sup	porting report, which	ch should be pu	of Directors should be included in ublished when the Annual General e-election of each director will be	al
	r selection policy sho ers of the Board of Dir			f the target of at least 30% of th	е
	the Nomination Comm rted on in the Annual (			e director selection policy and thi	is
	Followed X	Partially followed		Explain	
places, whi	le the number of exec	cutive directors sho	ould be the mini	cupy an ample majority of Boar imum number required, bearing i interests held by the executiv	in
	Followed X	Partially followed		Explain	
match the p				and independent members shoul prietary directors to the remainde	
	tion of proprietary direction of proportion of the Com			on-executive directors should not	
a) At large shareho		few equity stakes	attain the legal t	hreshold for significant	
b) At comp related.	anies with multiple sha	areholders represer	nted on the Boar	rd of Directors but not otherwise	
	Followed X		Explain		
17. The number	er of independent direc	tors should represe	ent at least one t	third of all Board members.	
various sha		ctively controlling n	nore than 30% of	it is but has one shareholder of of the share capital, the number of umber of directors.	
	Followed		Explain	X	
				n currently holds a large majority with ctors, one director is an executive director,	

13. In the interest of maximum effectiveness and participation, the Board of Directors should ideally

another director is an external director and the Company has three independent directors, representing 23.08% of the total directors.

18. Companies should post the following director particulars on their websites, and keep them

permai	nently updated:							
a) Prof	fessional and pers	onal profile.						
•	er boards to which vities carried out b	•			•	nies, as	well as the	other paid
•	ndication of the dir prietary directors, s				•	•	•	n the case of
d) Date	e of their first and	subsequent app	oointments a	s a com	pany dire	ector.		
e) Sha	ares in the compan	y, and options of	on them, held	d by the	directors	3.		
	Followed X	F	Partially followed			Explain		
disclos control shareh	erification by the Nee the reasons folling less than 3% of the reasons folling less than 3% of the reasons whose own roprietary directors	r the appointm of capital and e ership interest	nent of prop xplain any re	rietary ejection	directors of a form	at the nal reque	request of	f shareholders ard place from
	Followed	Partially followe	d 🗌	Explain		Not ap	oplicable X	
interes	etary directors sho t in its entirety. ment to proprietary	If such sharel	nolders redu	uce the	ir stakes	s, thereb	y losing	
	Followed	Partially followe	d	Explain		Not ap	oplicable X	
their te propos new ro carryin	pard of Directors senure as mandated sal from the Nominoles or enters into g out the duties inles them not indeper	d by the bylaws nation Committed new obligation herent in that of	s, except whee. In particular that prevent facilities and the section, facilities and the section of the sectio	ere just ular, jus ents the ails to p	cause is t cause s m from o erform s	found backshall existed the second text of the seco	y the Boa at if the dir g the time s or comm	rd, based on a ector takes or necessary fo its any act tha
operati	moval of independ ion produces char in set out in Recom	nges in the cor					•	
	Fo	llowed X			Explain			
might h	anies should estat narm the organisat llar mention of any	ion's name or r	eputation, te	ndering	their res	ignation	as the cas	e may be, with

	Limited Liabil circumstance disclose all su	s, decid	le wh	ether o	r not the d	lirector	should	continu	ue in his į	position.			•
		Follo	owed	X		Partially fo	ollowed			Explain			
23.	s. All directors s might damag conflict of inte Board repres	je the c erest sho	orpor	ate inte	erest. In p	articula	r, inde	oenden	ts and ot	her dire	ctors	unaffecte	d by the
	When the Boreservations, set out their r	then he	she	must dr	aw the pe	rtinent	conclus	ions. D	irectors re			•	
	The terms of	this Rec	omm	endatio	n should a	lso app	ly to the	e Secre	tary of the	Board,	direct	or or othe	rwise.
		Followed			Partially follow	red		Explain		Not appl	icable	X	
24.	Directors who their reasons filed as a sign Report.	in a lett	ter to	be sen	t to all mei	mbers	of the E	Board. I	rrespectiv	e of whe	ether	such resig	gnation is
		Followed			Partially follow	ved		Explain		Not app	licable	X	
25.	i. The Nominati correctly disc					at the i	non-exe	ecutive	directors h	nave end	ough t	ime availa	able to
	The Board Recan hold.	egulatior	ns sho	ould est	ablish the	maximı	ım num	ber of o	company o	directors	hips t	he Board	members
		Follo	owed	X		Partially 1	followed			Explain			
26.	i. The Board of eight times a each director	year), i	in acc	cordanc	e with a ca	alendar	and a	genda s					•
		Follo	owed	X		Partially	followed			Explain			
27.	C. Directors' ab Governance instructions.												
		Follo	owed	X		Partially	followed			Explain			
28.	when directo company's pe can request t	erformar	nce, a	nd such	concerns	are not							
		Followed	X		Partially follow	ved		Explain		Not appl	icable		

In this connection if a director is sued or tried for any of the offences set out in Article 213 of the Spanish

29. The Company should establish the appropriate channels in order for the directors to be able to obtain the

	advisory services required external advisory services			ons, includin	g, as the circ	umstances ma	y require,
	Followed	X	Partially followed		Explain		
30.	.The companies should als regardless of the knowledg					ircumstances s	o advise,
	Followed	X	Explain	١	Not applicable		
31.	The agenda of the meeting decision or resolution so advance.	•					•
	Exceptionally, in urgent ca appear in the agenda for a the directors present shall	pproval to the Boa	ard of Director	s, the prior a	and express o	consent of the n	
	Followed	X	Partially followed		Explain		
32.	.The directors should be r significant shareholders, in	•	•		•		opinion of
	Followed	X	Partially followed		Explain		
33.	In addition to performing hereon responsible for the Board of Directors a progregular evaluations of the should be responsible for devoted to discussing stradirector when the circumstant	e proper functioning ramme of dates a Board and, as appointed managing the Boat tegic matters; and	ng of the Boar nd business to propriate, the ard and its ef	d of Directo o be transace evaluation of fective opera	rs, should pr cted; should f the chief ex ation; should	epare and sub organise and c ecutive of the ( ensure sufficie	mit to the coordinate Company; ent time is
	Followed	X	Partially followed		Explain		
34.	. When there is a coordinate powers legally entitled, attraction presidents, if any; echoing shareholders to ascertain to the corporate governance.	ributed the following the concerns of their views in orde	ng: chairing the non-executiver to form an o	ne board in the directors; pinion about	he absence of maintain con their concern	of the president tacts with invens, particularly i	t and vice stors and
	Followed	Partially follow	ved	Explain	Not appli	cable X	
35.	The Secretary of the Boa decisions take into accou Code that might be applica	nt the good gove	ernance recor	•			
		Followed X		Expl	ain		
36	. The board of directors in pl plan to correct the deficient	•		once a year a	and adopt, if	necessary, an a	action
	a) The quality and efficience	cy of the board of	directors.				

- b) The operation and the composition of its committees.
- c) Diversity in the composition and responsibilities of the Board of Directors.
- d) The performance of the chairman of the Board of Directors and the chief executive of the Company.
- e) The role and contribution of each director, paying special attention to the persons in charge of the various committees of the Board.

The evaluation of the various committees is based on the reports they submit to the Board of Directors, and the evaluation of the Board is based on the report submitted to them by the Nomination Committee.

Every three years, the Board of Directors shall be assisted in the evaluation by an external consultant, the independence of which shall be verified by the Nomination Committee.

The business relationships of the consultant or any company in its group with the Company or any company of its Group must be disclosed in the Annual Corporate Governance Report.

The process and the areas evaluated shall be disclosed in the annual corporate governance report.

Followe	ed X	Partially followe	d	Explain	
37. When the company has its members by directo should also act as secr	r category shou	ld be similar to that	of the Board itself		
Followed [	Partia	ly followed	Explain	Not applicable	X
38. The Board should be Executive Committee.					
Followed [	Partia	ly followed	Explain	Not applicable	X
39. Members of the audit of knowledge and experie are independent directors.	ence in account			•	
Followe	d X	Partially followed		Explain	
40. Under the supervision function which ensures report to the non-execu	the systems of	f internal control a	nd financial report	ting function c	orrectly, and which
Followe	d X	Partially followed		Explain	
41. The head of internal a directly on any incident year.	•				
Followed	K Partia	ly followed	Explain	Not applicable	

- 42. That in addition to those provided for in the law, they correspond to the audit the following functions:
  - 1. In relation to information systems and internal control:
    - a) To supervise the process of preparing the financial information relating to the company, and when applicable, to the group, and its integrity, reviewing the compliance of normative requirements, the proper delimitation of the consolidation perimeter and the correct application of accounting criteria.
    - b) To ensure the independence of the unit that assumes the internal audit function; propose the selection, appointment, reappointment and removal of the head of internal audit; propose the budget for this service; guidance and approve their work plans, ensuring that their activity is mainly focused on relevant risks of the company; receive periodic information on its activities; and verify that senior management takes into account the conclusions and recommendations of its reports.
    - c) Establish and supervise a mechanism allowing employees to report confidentially and, if possible and appropriate, anonymously, any irregularities of potential importance, especially financial and accounting irregularities within the company.
  - 2. In relation to the external auditor:
    - a) The Committee should investigate the issues giving rise to the resignation of any external auditors.
    - b) Ensure that the remuneration of the external auditor for its work does not compromise its quality or their independence.
    - c) Supervise that the company notifies any change of auditors to the CNMV as a relevant event, accompanied by a statement of any disagreements arising with the outgoing auditors and the reasons therefor.
    - d) Ensure that the external auditor holds an annual meeting with the Board of Directors in plenary session to inform it of the work performed and the changes in the accounting situation and risks of the company.
    - e) Ensure the Company and the external auditor adhere to current regulations on the provision of non-audit services, the limits on the concentration of the auditor's business and, in general, other requirements designed to safeguard auditors' independence.

	Followed	X	Partially followed		Explain	
	•	meet with any Cony senior manage		vee or manager, e	even ordering their appearance	се
	Followed	X	Partially followed		Explain	
Company int	ends to unde he economic	rtake in order to a	nalyse them an	d make a report p	te modifications that the prior to the Board of Directors lly, if applicable, on the propo	
	Followed X	Partially follow	wed	Explain	Not applicable	

- 45. The control and risk management policy should specify at least:
  - a) The different types of risks, both financial and non-financial (operational, technological, legal, social, environmental, political, reputational, etc.) faced by the Company, including amongst the financial or economic risks, the contingent liabilities and other risks not included in the Balance Sheet.
  - b) Setting the company's acceptable risk level.
  - c) The measures provided to mitigate the impact of the identified risks should these materialise.

		The internal control and information systems that will be used to control and manage the aforementioned risks, including the contingent liabilities and other risks not included on the Balance Sheet.										
		Followed	X	Partially followed		Explain						
46	Committee, or a	as approp	riate, of a specia	alist committee o	of the Board of	Directors	supervision of the Audit s, for the management of we the following functions					
	,		eration of the risk manage and qua	•	•		in particular, ensure that e company.					
	b) Actively parti	icipate in c	drafting the risk st	trategy and in th	e decisions sign	ificant to	their management.					
			anagement and o		adequately mitig	ate the r	isks within the framework					
		Followed	X	Partially followed		Explain						
47	Remuneration knowledge, skill	Committee ls and exp	e, if they are s	eparate- should ate to the functi	be appointed	with reg	ation Committee and the gard to their having the perform, and the majority					
		Followed		Partially followed	X	Explain						
	Currently, two out of members of this Cor		ndent directors are part	of the Nomination and	d Remuneration Comr	mittee, repre	senting 33.33 of the total					
48	. Companies with	n a high ca	pitalisation have	a nominating co	mmittee and a	separate	remuneration committee.					
		Followed		Explain	Not app	olicable [	X					
49	The Nomination matters relating			t with the compa	any's Chairman	and chie	f executive, especially on					
	Any Board mem	nber may s	suggest directors	hip candidates to	the Nomination	n Commi	ttee for its consideration.					
		Followed	X	Partially followed		Explain						
50	That the remundle. Iaw, we apply the			s its functions in	dependently and	d also fur	nctions assigned to it by					
	a) Propose to the	ne board o	f directors the ba	sic conditions of	f the contracts o	f senior r	nanagers.					
	b) Check comp	liance with	the remuneration	n policy set by t	he company.							
	c) Review the remuneration policy applied to directors and senior executives on a regular basis, including the remuneration systems with shares and their application, and ensure their individual remuneration is proportionate to what is paid to the other directors and senior executives of the Company.											
	d) To ensure the to the Comm	•	al conflicts of inte	rest does not pro	ejudice the inde	pendence	e of external advice given					
			on remuneration including the ann				contained in the various ectors.					
		Followed	X	Partially followed		Explain						

51	. The Remuneration C on matters relating to						Chairmar	n and ch	ief exe	ecutive,	especially
	Follo	wed	X	Partia	ally followed			Explain			
52	. That the composition of the Board of Dire agreement to the ab	ctors a	and which	are consis	stent with t						•
	a) These should be	forme	d exclusiv	ely of non-e	executive o	lirectors,	with a m	najority o	f indep	endent	t directors.
	b) Committees shou	ıld be	chaired by	an indepe	ndent dired	ctor.					
	c) The Board of Dire aptitudes and exp and reports. The at the first plenary	oerien Comn	ce of its d nittees sho	lirectors and ould report	d remit of the busine	each Co ss trans	mmittee acted an	and sha d accou	II disc	uss the	ir proposals
	d) They may engage	e exte	nal adviso	ors, when th	ney feel thi	s is nece	essary fo	r the disc	charge	of their	r duties.
	e) Meetings should	be rec	orded in n	ninutes and	l a copy se	nt to all	Board me	embers.			
	Followed		Par	tially followed		Explain		Not applic	cable	X	
	the Board of Directo Social Responsibility create through the e specifically assigned a) The supervision rules. b) Supervising the o	Compared Com	mittee, if in the of its se illiment of	t exists, or a lf-governing the Compa	a specialis g powers, t any's inter	t commit o which nal code	ttee the E the follow es of cor	Board of wing min	Directimum	ors mig function	ht decide tons would be
	and medium shar	eholde	ers.								
	c) The regular eval ensure it fulfils its legitimate interes	s miss	ion to pro	mote the c	orporate in			_			
	d) The review of the	Comp	any's cor	porate resp	onsibility p	olicy to	ensure it	is centre	ed on v	alue cr	eation.
	e) The monitoring of degree of fulfilme		corporate	social resp	onsibility s	strategy	and prac	ctices, ar	nd the	evalua	tion of their
	f) The supervision a	nd eva	aluation of	the proces	ses in rela	tion to th	ne various	s stakeh	olders		
	g) The evaluation of corporate, environments						cluding	operatio	nal, te	echnolo	gical, legal
	h) The coordination the applicable leg		•		-			ty inform	ation	in acco	rdance with
	Follo	wed	X	Partia	ally followed			Explain			

- 54. The corporate social responsibility policy should include the principles or commitments taken on by the company on a voluntary basis in its relationship with the various stakeholders and should identify at least the following:
  - a) The objectives of the corporate social responsibility policy and the development of support mechanisms.
  - b) The corporate strategy in relation to sustainability, the environment and social matters.
  - c) Specific practices in matters related to: shareholders, employees, customers, suppliers, corporate matters, the environment, diversity, fiscal responsibility, respect for human rights and the prevention of illegal conduct.
  - d) The methods or systems for monitoring the results of the application of the specific practices mentioned in the previous letter, the associated risks and the management thereof.
  - e) The mechanisms for the supervision of non-financial risk, ethics and business conduct.
  - f) The communication, participation and dialogue channels with stakeholders.

Followed

X

g) Responsible communication practices that prevent the manipulation of information and protect integrity and reputations.

Explain

Partially followed

55	•			formation on matters ogy in a separate docur			-	sibility using an
		Followed	X	Partially followed		Explair		
56	background a	and to remur	nerate the	st be the sufficient amore dedication, qualification on the sufficient and suffic	on and res	ponsibility den		
57	directors, in	addition to r	emunerati	Company and indivion via the delivery of avings plans such as p	shares, o	ptions or rights	s to shares	or other share-
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58	ensure they i	reflect the pr	rofessiona	ition, the remuneration of the best or atypical or exception	eneficiarie	es and not sim	ply the gen	eral progress of

And, in particular, the variable components of the remuneration:

- a) Should be linked to performance criteria that are predetermined and measurable, and these criteria should take into account the risk assumed to achieve a profit.
- b) Should promote the sustainability of the Company and include non-financial criteria that are suited to the creation of value in the long term, such as compliance with the internal rules and procedures of the Company and with its risk control and management policies.
- c) Be based on a balance between the fulfillment of short-, medium-, and long-term objectives that allow the remuneration for continuous performance during a sufficient period to appreciate their contribution to the creation of sustainable value, so that the measures of said performance are not based solely on specific, occasional or special events.

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Although contractual arrangements do not include a specific clause stipulating the ability to claim the refund of variable remuneration based on the achievement of previously established objectives —where remuneration has been paid on the basis of data subsequently shown to be erroneous—, the Variable Remuneration Regulations include a clause according to which, in the very unlikely event of a subsequent amendment to the financial statements resulting in a change of the data used to fix the variable remuneration, the Remuneration and Appointments Commission may propose to the Board of Directors that the sum perceived by each beneficiary be reimbursed and adjusted with the final data established in the financial statements.

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The contract for services between the Company and the Chief Executive Officer establishes that he or she has the right to be paid benefits by the Company in the event of the termination and extinguishment of the contract for services for any of the following reasons:

- 1.- Unilateral termination by the Chief Executive Officer due to serious breach by the Company of its obligations under the contract for services.
- 2.- Unjustified, unilateral termination of the Contract for Services by the Company, regardless of whether such termination is accompanied by the resignation or non-renewal of the CEO's position as member of the Company's Board of Directors.
- 3.- Unilateral termination by the Chief Executive Officer, together with simultaneous resignation from his or her post of director, in the event of a change in the control structure of the Company as provided for in Article 42 of the Spanish Commercial Code by reference to Article 4 of the Securities Market Law, even when it is as a result of a takeover bid for the shares of the Company, or of the assignment or transfer of all or a significant portion of its activities or its assets and liabilities to a third party, or of its inclusion in another business group that acquires control over the Company, which gives rise to the renewal of its governance bodies or a substantial change to its business strategy, in accordance with its business plan in each case.

Except for the circumstances set out in Point 3 above, the Chief Executive Officer shall have be entitled to a compensation equal to: (i) one hundred and fifty (150) per cent of their monetary remuneration, including the variable remuneration component foreseen in section 3.3.1 of the Contract of Services, calculated on the remuneration for the year prior to the one in which the contract termination occurs if this termination in line with section 8.1 above occurs before 30 June 2017; (ii) seventy-five (75) per cent if this termination occurs after 30 June 2017 and before 30 June 2020; (iii) fifty (50) per cent if the Contract of Services terminates after 30 June 2021 and 30 June 2021; (iv) forty-two (42) per cent if the Contract of Services terminates after 30 June 2022 and before 30 June 2023; (vi) twenty-six (26) per cent if the Contract of Services terminates after 30 June 2023 and before 30 June 2024; and (vii) eighteen (18) per cent if the Contract of Services terminates after 30 June 2025. If the termination occurs after 30 June 2025, the Chief Executive Officer shall be entitled to no compensation.

In the event of the termination of the contract for services as a result of the scenario envisaged in Point 3 above, the Chief Executive Officer shall have be entitled to benefits equal to three (3) years' monetary remuneration including the variable remuneration component foreseen in section 3.3.1 of the contract of services, calculated on the remuneration for the year prior to the one in which the contract termination occurs.

In the event that the termination of the Contract of Services occurs due to the voluntary resignation of the Chief Executive Officer for reasons other than those set out in the paragraphs 1, 2 and 3 listed above, the Company will provide them with an additional supplementary benefit equivalent to sixteen and a half (16.5%) per cent of the annual Basic Remuneration perceived by the Chief Executive Officer, calculated for these purposes on the basis of the time between the entry into force of the Contract of Services and the official date of termination of their contractual relationship with the Company.

## **H** OTHER INFORMATION OF INTEREST

- 1. If there is any salient feature of corporate governance at the entity or the group entities that has not been dealt with in the other sections herein, and which it is necessary to include in order to provide the most complete and reasoned information on corporate governance structure and practices at the entity or its group, provide a brief description.
- 2. This section can include any other information, clarification or qualification relating to the previous sections of the report, provided that it is material and not repetitive.

In particular, indicate whether the company is subject to any legislation other than the Spanish legislation on corporate governance, and if so, include the information that it is required to provide, where such information differs from that required in this report.

3.	The Company may also indicate whether it has voluntarily adhered to any other codes of	ethical
	principles or good practice of an international, industry-specific or other nature. If so, state the	e code
	in question and the date of adherence thereto.	

Section C.1.3 indicates that the external proprietary director Mr Joaquín M Molins López-Rodó was appointed at the proposal of the significant shareholder Otinix S.L., when he was actually jointly proposed for appointment by the significant shareholders Otinix, S.L., Cartera de Inversiones C.M., S.A. and Noumea, S.A. It is also indicated that Otinix S.L., has been appointed at the proposal of the significant shareholder Otinix S.L., when it was actually jointly proposed for appointment by the significant shareholders Otinix S.L., Cartera de Inversiones C.M., S.A. and Noumea S.A.

In addition, it is indicated that the non-executive proprietary directors Francisco Javier Fernández Bescós and Cartera de Inversiones C.M., S.A. were appointed at the proposal of the significant shareholder Cartera de Inversiones C.M., S.A. when they were actually jointly proposed for appointment by a concerted action among the significant shareholders Otinix, S.L., Cartera de Inversiones C.M., S.A. and Noumea, S.A.

Finally, it is stated that the external proprietary directors, Juan Molins Amat and Noumea S.A., were appointed at the proposal of the significant shareholder Noumea S.A., when they were actually jointly proposed for appointment by the significant shareholders Otinix S.L., Cartera de Inversiones C.M., S.A. and Noumea S.A.

This Annual Corporate Governance Report was approved by the company's Board of Directors at its meeting held on 27/02/2018.

Indicate whether any directors voted against or abstained in relation to the approval of this Report.

Yes	No	X
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AUDITOR'S REPORT ON THE INFORMATION RELATING TO THE SYSTEM OF INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING (ICFR) OF CEMENTOS MOLINS FOR 2017

To the Directors of Cementos Molins, S.A.,

As requested by the Board of Directors of Cementos Molins, S.A. and Subsidiaries ("the Cementos Molins Group") and in accordance with our proposal-letter dated 30 October 2017, we have applied certain procedures to the information relating to the ICFR system included in section F of the accompanying Annual Corporate Governance Report ("ACGR") of the Cementos Molins Group for 2017, which summarises the internal control procedures of the Cementos Molins Group in relation to its annual financial reporting.

The Board of Directors is responsible for adopting the appropriate measures in order to reasonably guarantee the implementation, maintenance and supervision of an adequate internal control system and for making improvements to that system and for preparing and establishing the content of the information relating to the ICFR system included in section F of the accompanying Annual Corporate Governance Report (ACGR).

It should be noted in this regard that, irrespective of the quality of the design and operating effectiveness of the internal control system adopted by the Cementos Molins Group in relation to its annual financial reporting, the system can only permit reasonable, but not absolute, assurance in connection with the objectives pursued, due to the limitations inherent to any internal control system.

In the course of our audit work on the financial statements and pursuant to Technical Auditing Standards, the sole purpose of our assessment of the internal control of the Cementos Molins Group was to enable us to establish the scope, nature and timing of the audit procedures to be applied to the Cementos Molins Group's financial statements. Therefore, our assessment of internal control performed for the purposes of the aforementioned audit of financial statements was not sufficiently extensive to enable us to express a specific opinion on the effectiveness of the internal control over the regulated annual financial reporting.

For the purpose of issuing this report, we applied exclusively the specific procedures described below and indicated in the Guidelines on the Auditor's Report on the Information relating to the System of Internal Control over Financial Reporting of Listed Companies, published by the Spanish National Securities Market Commission (CNMV) on its website, which establish the work to be performed, the minimum scope thereof and the content of this report. Since the work resulting from such procedures has, in any case, a reduced scope that is significantly less extensive than that of an audit or a review of the internal control system, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness thereof, or on its design or operating effectiveness, in relation to the Cementos Molins Group's annual financial reporting for 2017 described in the information relating to the ICFR system included in section F of the accompanying ACGR. Therefore, had we applied procedures additional to those described below or performed an audit or a review of the internal control over the regulated annual financial reporting, other matters or aspects might have been disclosed which would have been reported to you.

Also, since this special engagement does not constitute an audit of financial statements and is not subject to the audit regulations in force in Spain, we do not express an audit opinion in the terms provided for in those regulations.

The procedures applied were as follows:

- Perusal and understanding of the information prepared by the Cementos Molins Group in relation to the ICFR system -disclosure information included in the directors' report- and assessment of whether this information addresses all the information required in accordance with the minimum content described in section F, relating to the description of the ICFR system, of the model ACGR established in CNMV Circular no. 7/2015, of 22 December.
- 2. Inquiries of personnel responsible for preparing the information detailed in point 1 above for the purpose of: (i) obtaining an understanding of the process followed in preparing it; (ii) obtaining information that permits an evaluation of whether the terminology used complies with the framework definitions; and (iii) obtaining information on whether the control procedures described are in place and functioning at the Cementos Molins Group.
- 3. Review of the explanatory documents supporting the information detailed in point 1 above, including mainly the documentation furnished directly to those responsible for preparing the information describing the ICFR system. In this regard, the aforementioned documentation includes reports prepared for the Audit and Control Committee by internal audit, senior management and other internal or external specialists.
- Comparison of the information detailed in point 1 above with the knowledge on the Cementos Molins
  Group's ICFR system obtained through the procedures applied during the financial statement audit
  work.
- 5. Reading of the minutes taken at meetings of the Board of Directors, Audit and Control Committee and other committees of the Cementos Molins Group to evaluate the consistency between the ICFR business transacted and the information detailed in point 1 above.
- 6. Obtainment of the representation letter concerning the work performed, duly signed by those responsible for preparing the information detailed in point 1 above.

The procedures applied to the information relating to the ICFR system did not disclose any inconsistencies or incidents that might affect the information.

This report has been prepared exclusively in the context of the requirements of Article 540 of the Consolidated Spanish Limited Liability Companies Law, and of CNMV Circular no. 7/2015 of 22 December for the purposes of the description of the ICFR system in Annual Corporate Governance Reports.

DELOITTE, S.L.

Albert Riba Barea

27 February 2018