ANNEX I

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ANNUAL CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT OF LISTED LIMITED COMPANIES

ISSUER'S IDENTIFYING DATA

Ending date of reference financial year: 31/12/2022

TAX IDENTIFICATION CODE

Registered name:

MIQUEL Y COSTAS & MIQUEL, S.A.

Registered adress:

TUSET, 10, BARCELONA

(Free translation from the original in Spanish)

A. OWNERSHIP STRUCTURE

A.1. Including, where applicable, those corresponding to shares with loyalty voting rights, at the end of the financial year:

Indicate whether the company's articles of association contain provision for double loyalty voting:

[]	Yes
[√]	No

Date of last change	Share Capital (€)	Number of shares	N° of voting rights
19/11/2021	80,000,000	40,000,000	40,000,000

Please indicate whether there are different types of shares with different rights associated:

- [] Yes [√] No
- A.2. List the direct and indirect holders of significant ownership interests in your company at year-end, including directors having a significant shareholding:

Name or company name of shareholder	% voting rights attributed to the shares		0	rights through instruments	% of total voting rights
	Direct	Indirect	Direct	Indirect	
MR. JORGE MERCADER MIRÓ	1.52	15.74	0.00	0.00	17.26
INSINGER DE BEAUFORT ASSET MANAGEMENT N.V.	0.00	4.39	0.00	0.00	4.39
MRS. MARIA DEL CARMEN ESCASANY MIQUEL	3.57	8.90	0,00	0.00	12.47
INDUMENTA PUERI, S.L.	0.00	14.65	0.00	0.00	14.65
MRS. BERNADETTE MIQUEL VACARISAS	0.35	12.22	0.00	0.00	12.57

Detail of the indirect holding:

Name or company name of the indirect holder	Name or company name of the direct holder	% voting rights attributed to the shares	% voting rights through financial instruments	% of total voting rights
MR. JORGE MERCADER MIRÓ	HACIA, S.A	15.74	0.00	15.74
INSINGER DE BEAUFORT ASSET MANGEMENT N.V.	INSTITUCIONES DE INVERSION COLECTIVA	4.39	0.00	4.39
MRS. MARIA DEL CARMEN ESCASANY MIQUEL	ENKIDU INVERSIONES, S.L.	8.90	0.00	8.90
INDUMENTARIA PUERI S.L.	GLOBAL PORTFOLIO INVESTMENTS SL	14.65	0.00	14.65
MRS. BERNADETTE MIQUEL VACARISAS	JOANFRA, S.A	7.02	0.00	7.02
MRS. BERNADETTE MIQUEL VACARISAS	AGRÍCOLA DEL SUDESTE ALMERIENSE S.A	5.19	0.00	5.19

Indicate the most significant movements in the shareholding structure that occurred during the year:

Significant movements

ALANTRA ASSET MANAGEMENT, SCIIC, S.A., announced on date 5th of January 2022 that its indirect shareholding decreases from 3%.

A.3. Give details of the shareholdings, by whatever percentage, at year-end of the members of the board of directors who hold voting rights attributed to shares in the company or through financial instruments, excluding the directors identified in section A.2 above.:

Name or company name of director	% voting attribute shares (ir loyalty votir	d to the cluding	% voting rightsFrom the total % of v rights attributed to shares. Indicate, applicable, the % of additional votes attri to loyalty voting sha		buted to the ndicate, if the % of the otes attributed to		
	Direct	Indirect	Direct	Indirect		Direct	Indirect
MR. JAVIER BASAÑEZ VILLALUENGA	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.28	0.00	0.00
MR. JOAQUÍN FAURA BATLLE	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.00
MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA	0.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.49	0.00	0.00
MR. EUSEBIO DÍAZ-MORERA PUIG-SUREDA	0.25	0,04	0,00	0,00	0.29	0.00	0.00
MR. ÁLVARO DE LA SERNA CORRAL	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.10	0.00	0.00

% total voting rights held by the Board of Directors

9.69

Detail of the indirect holding:

Name or company name of director	Direct's owner name or company name	% voting rights attributed to shares (including loyalty votes)	% voting rights through financial instruments	% of total voting rights	From the total % of voting rights attributed to the shares. Indicate, if applicable, the % of the additional votes attributed
No data					

Give details of the total percentage of voting rights represented on the board:

Total % of voting rights represented on the Board of Directors.	35.73
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A.4. Indicate, where applicable, the family, commercial, contractual or corporate relations which could exist between the owners of significant stakes, provided they are known by the company, unless they are irrelevant or arise from normal trading activities, excluding those enquired about in section A.6:

Name or company name of related parties	Relationship type	Brief outline
No data		

A.5. Indicate, where applicable, the commercial, contractual, or corporate relations which could exist between the holders of significant shares and the company and/or its group, unless they are irrelevant or arise from normal trading activities:

Name or company name of related parties	Relationship type	Brief outline
No data		

A.6. Describe the relationships, unless they are scarcely relevant to the two parties, that exist between the significant shareholders or those represented on the board and the directors, or their representatives, in the case of legal entity administrators.

Explain, where appropriate, how significant shareholders are represented. Specifically, give details of those directors who have been appointed on behalf of significant shareholders, those whose appointment would have been promoted by significant shareholders, or who are linked to significant shareholders and/or entities of their group, with a specification of the nature of such relationships. In particular, to mention shall be made, where appropriate, of the existence, identity and position of board members, or representatives of directors, of the listed company, who are, in turn, members of the administrative body, or their representatives, in companies that hold significant holdings in the listed company or in entities of the group of said significant shareholders.

Name or company name of related director or representative	Name or company name of significant related shareholder	Company name of the significant shareholder group	Description of the relationship/position
MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA	MR. JORGE MERCADER MIRÓ	HACIA, S.A.	MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA is a Director and Secretary of HACIA S.A.
MR. ÁLVARO DE LA SERNA CORRAL	MRS. MARÍA DEL CARMEN ESCASANY MIQUEL	ENKIDU INVERSIONES, S.L.	MR. ÁLVARO DE LA SERNA CORRAL is a Joint Director of ENKIDU INVERSIONES, S.L.

Name or company name of	Name or company	Company name of	Description of the relationship/position
related director or	name of significant	the significant	
representative	related shareholder	shareholder group	
JOANFRA, S.A.	MRS. BERNADETTE MIQUEL VACARISAS	JOANFRA, S.A.	JOANFRA S.A. is a society controlled by MRS. BERNADETTE MIQUEL VACARISAS, where she is the Director and Secretary.

- **A.7.** Indicate whether the Company has been notified of shareholders agreements that affect it as per Article 530 and 531 of the Corporate Enterprises Act. Where applicable, give a brief description and list the shareholders associated with the agreement:
 - [] Yes

[√] No

Indicate whether or not the Company is aware of the existence of concerted actions between its shareholders. If so, briefly describe them:

[] Yes [√] No

If any modification or cancellation of said agreements or concerted actions has taken place during the year, indicate accordingly:

The Company is not aware of the existence of pacts, agreements, or concerted actions among its shareholders.

A.8. Indicate whether any individual or legal entity currently exercise control or could exercise control over the company in accordance with article 5 of the Securities Market Act. If so, identify.

[] Yes [√] No

A.9. Fill in the following tables regarding the company's treasury stock:

At the year-end:

Number of direct shares	Number of indirect shares (*)	% of total capital	
1,507,489		3.77	

(*) Through to:

Name or company name of the direct shoulder of the participation	Number of direct shares	
No data		

Explain the significant changes over the year:

Details of significant changes

A.10. Give details of the terms and conditions corresponding to the General Meeting of Shareholder's current mandate to the Board of Directors buy back and transfer treasury stock:

The acquisitions of the Company's own shares are underpinned by the General Meeting of Shareholders held on 22 June 2021 as follows:

Authorize the Board of Directors so that both Miquel and Costas & Miquel, S.A. as its majority-owned subsidiaries, may acquire by purchase, exchange or any other means for consideration admitted by law and dispose of, with the intervention of authorized mediators, shares of the Company up to the maximum amount permitted by law at any time and with in accordance with the provisions of the Internal Code of Conduct of the Company, the Share Repurchase Program in force at any time and other applicable regulations. The equivalent value for which they may be acquired must be established within the limits always established by the regulations or regulations applicable.

This authorization is granted for a period of five (5) years from the date thereof, observing in any event the provisions of Article 148 of the Companies Capital Act.

Leave the authorization granted to the Board of Directors by the Ordinary and Extraordinary General Meeting of June 20, 2018 without effect.

The Board of Directors are authorized to allocate, totally or partially, the shares acquired as part of the implementation of compensation programs aimed at or involving the delivery of shares or share options or based in any way on the evolution of the share price as set out in Article 146.1 a) of the Capital Companies Act.

The Board of Directors, in its meeting held on 22nd June 2021 adopted the agreement to execute the authorization of the General Meeting.

A.11. Estimated floating capital:

	%
Estimated floating capital	44.81

A.12. Indicate whether there is any restriction (statutory, legislative or of any other nature) on the transferability of securities and/or any restrictions on the voting rights. In particular, the existence of any type of restrictions that may make it difficult to take control of the company through the acquisition of its shares in the market, as well as those authorisation or prior notification systems that apply to acquisitions or transfers of financial instruments of the company through sectorial regulations, will be reported.

[] Yes

- [√] No
- **A.13.** Indicate whether the General Meeting of Shareholders has agreed to adopt measures to neutralise a takeover bid by virtue of the provisions laid down in Act 6/2007:
 - [] Yes
 - [√] No

Where applicable, explain the measures that have been adopted and the terms under which the inefficiency of the restrictions:

- A.14. Indicate whether the company has issued securities not traded in a regulated market of the European Union.
 - [] Yes [√] No

If appropriate, indicate the different types of shares and, for each type of share, the rights and obligations conferred:

B. GENERAL MEETING

- **B.1.** Indicate, and where applicable give details, whether there are any differences from the minimum standards established under the Corporate Enterprises Act (CEA) with respect to the quorum and constitution of the General Meeting.
 - [] Yes
 - [√] No
- **B.2.** Indicate, and where applicable give details, whether there are any differences from the minimum standards established under Corporate Enterprises Act (CEA) for the adoption of corporate resolutions:
 - [] Yes
 - [√] No

B.3. Indicate the rules applicable to amendments of the company bylaws. In particular, report the majorities established to amend the bylaws, and the rules, if any, to safeguard shareholder's rights when amending the bylaws.

The rules applicable to amendments of the company bylaws correspond to those contained in the Company's Capital Act.

B.4. Indicate the data on attendance at general meetings held during the year to which this report refers and the previous year:

	Attendance data				
Date of General Meeting	% physical	% represented	% remote v	Total	
Date of General Meeting	represented	70 represented	Electronic vote	Others	rotar
20/06/2018	43.62	36.45	0.00	0.00	80.07
Of the floating capital	1.90	31.88	0.00	0.00	33.78
20/06/2019	43.51	23.89	0.00	4.19	71.59
Of the floating capital	3.51	18.63	0.00	4.19	26.33
30/06/2020	48.99	23.77	0.00	0.00	72.76
Of the floating capital	7.99	19.21	0.00	0.00	27.20
22/06/2021	50.30	18.59	0.00	0.00	68.89
Of the floating capital	5.86	10.33	0.00	0.00	16.19
21/06/2022	44.76	17.41	0.00	21.14	83.31
Of the floating capital	0.92	11.05	0.00	19.39	31.36

- **B.5.** Indicate whether there was any item on the agenda at the general meetings held during the year that, for any reason, was not approved by the shareholders:
 - [] Yes
 - [√] No
- **B.6.** Indicate whether there is a statutory restriction to the minimum number of shares required to attend the General Meeting.
 - [√] Yes []

No

Number of shares necessary to attend the General Meeting	100
Number of shares required to vote remotely	

- **B.7.** Indicate whether it has been established that certain decisions, other than those established by Law, which involve the acquisition, disposal, the contribution to another company of essential assets or other similar corporate operations must be submitted to approval of the general meeting of shareholders.
 - [] Yes
 - [√] No
- **B.8.** Indicate the address and means of access through the company website to the information on corporate governance and other information on the general meetings that must be made available to shareholders over the company's website.

The corporate website of the Company, "<u>www.miquelycostas.com</u>". Its content responds to all information which they are considered of interest to shareholders and investors and incorporates all the content required by the regulations.

The "Corporate Information" section contains information on Corporate Governance and General Meetings, which can be accessed from the home page via the following route: Corporate Information / Corporate Governance.

C. COMPANY'S ADMINISTRATION STRUCTURE

C.1. Board of Directors

C.1.1 Maximum and minimum number of directors provided for in the bylaws and the number set by the general meeting:

Maximum number of directors	15
Minimum number of directors	5
Number of directors set by the General Meeting	10

C.1.2 Complete the following details on the members of the Board:

Name of director	Representative	Type of directorship	Office on the board	Date of first appointm.	Date of last appointm.	Election of procedure
MR. JOAQUÍN COELLO BRUFAU		Other External	DIRECTOR	26/06/2008	20/06/2019	SHAREHOLDERS MEETING AGREEMENT
MR. JOSÉ CLAUDIO ARANZADI MARTÍNEZ		Independent	DIRECTOR	20/06/2019	20/06/2019	SHAREHOLDERS MEETING AGREEMENT
MR. JAVIER BASAÑEZ VILLALUENGA		Other External	DIRECTOR	28/07/2008	20/06/2019	SHAREHOLDERS MEETING AGREEMENT
MRS. MARTA LACAMBRA PUIG		Independent	DIRECTOR	20/06/2019	20/06/2019	SHAREHOLDERS MEETING AGREEMENT
MR. JOAQUÍN FAURA BATLLE		Independent	COORDINATING INDEPENDENT DIRECTOR	29/10/2013	20/06/2019	SHAREHOLDERS MEETING AGREEMENT
MR. JORGE MERCADER MIRÓ		Executive	CHAIRMAN	05/11/1991	20/06/2019	SHAREHOLDERS MEETING AGREEMENT

Name or Company's name	Represent- tative	Director's Category	Board Position	First appointment date	Last appointment date	Election procedure
MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA		Executive	VICECHAIRMAN	27/06/2012	21/06/2022	SHAREHOLDER S MEETING AGREEMENT
MR. EUSEBIO DÍAZ-MORERA PUIG-SUREDA		Other External	DIRECTOR	18/04/1997	21/06/2022	SHAREHOLDER S MEETING AGREEMENT
MR. ÁLVARO DE LA SERNA CORRAL		External Proprietary Directors	DIRECTOR	28/07/2008	20/06/2019	SHAREHOLDER S MEETING AGREEMENT
JOANFRA,S.A.	MR. JOSÉ MIQUEL VACARISAS	External Proprietary Directors	DIRECTOR	25/10/1999	20/06/2019	SHAREHOLDER S MEETING AGREEMENT
Total number of directors 10						

Indicate the removals from office due to resignation, dismissal or for any other reason that have occurred on the Board of Directors during the reporting period:

Name or Company's name	Director's category during cessation time	Last appointment date	Date of vacancy	Specialized commissions where was member	Indicate if the termination occurred before the end of the mandate
No data					

C.1.3 Provide the following details of the Members of the Board and their status:

	EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS			
Name or Company's name	Position in the organization chart of the company	Profile		
MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA	EXECUTIVE VICEPRESIDENT	Industrial Engineer, specialty Chemistry; MBA from IESE (Institute of Higher Studies of the Company); CEIBS Exchange Program. Shanghai (China). Currently he is Executive Vice-President at Miquel y Costas & Miquel S.A. Additionally, Director of Hacia, S.A., Trustee of the Princesa de Girona Foundation, Member of the Advisory Council of UEA (Unió Empresarial Anoia) and Member of the Executive Committee of the IESE Alumni Association.		

	EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS			
Name or Company's name	Position in the organization chart of the company	Profile		
MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA	EXECUTIVE VICEPRESIDENT	Industrial Engineer, specialty Chemistry; MBA from IESE (Institute of Higher Studies of the Company); CEIBS Exchange Program. Shanghai (China). Currently he is Executive Vice-President at Miquel y Costas & Miquel S.A. Additionally, Director of Hacia, S.A., Trustee of the Princesa de Girona Foundation, Member of the Advisory Council of UEA (Unió Empresarial Anoia) and Member of the Executive Committee of the IESE Alumni Association.		

Total number of executive directors	2
% of the entire board	20.00

EXTERNAL PROPIERTARY DIRECTORS				
Name of Director or Company Name	Name or company name of the significant shareholder whom it represents or who has proposed his appointment	Profile		
MR. ÁLVARO DE LA SERNA CORRAL	ENKIDU INVERSIONES, S.L.	Graduate in Economics and Business Administration from the Autonomous University of Madrid and Master in Economics & Business from IESE (Institute of Higher Business Studies). He is currently a Director of Credit Suisse AG.; Advisor at Sasekilia S.L. and Miquel y Costas & Miquel S.A.; Joint Director and Deputy of Enkidu Inversiones S.L., and unique Administrator of Gilgamesh Inmoinversión SLU. and Cynamon 2005 S.L.		
JOANFRA, S.A.	JOANFRA, S.A.	The representative natural person of Joanfra S.A., is licensed in Industrial Engineer at the Universidad Politécnica of Catalonia; Postgraduate in eBusiness Management by the Universidad Pompeu Fabra. International Business Economics Master at the Westminster Business School of London; a PDG from IESE, and Coorporate Compliance from ESADE. He is currently Internal Audit & Compliance Director at Grupo Eugin; Advisor and individual representative at Joanfra S.A; Advisor member at the Board of Directors at Miquel y Costas & Miquel S.A.		

Total number of external proprietary directors	2
% of the entire board	20.00

INDEPENDENT EXTERNAL DIRECTOR		
Name of Director or Company Name	Profile	
MR. JOSÉ CLAUDIO ARANZADI MARTÍNEZ	Industrial Engineer from the Higher School of Industrial Engineers of Bilbao and Bachelor of Economic Sciences from the University of Paris 1. He is currently Coordinator of the publication of the Ministry of Defence "Energy and Geostrategy", Member of the Advisory Committee of the GED company and Advisor member of the Board of Directors at Miquel y Costas & Miquel S.A.	
MRS. MARTA LACAMBRA I PUIG	Degree in Economic Sciences and Master in Economic Theory and Quantitative Methods from the Autonomous University of Barcelona; II Training program for managers by EAPC / IESE; Master in Economics and Management of the Autonomous and local Treasury from the Faculty of Economic Sciences of the University of Barcelona; Senior Management Program (PADE) by IESE. She is currently the General Director of the Fundación Cataluña - La Pedrera, CEO of Món St. Benet S.L., Member of the Board of the Culture Circle; Member of the Academic Council of the Chair of Leadership and Democratic Governance of ESADE and Advisor member of the Board of Directors at Miquel y Costas & Miquel S.A.	
MR. JOAQUÍN FAURA BATLLE	Law degree from the University of Barcelona and Master in Economics and Business Management from IESE (Institute of Higher Business Studies). He is currently Strategic Advisor of Telefónica de España, Chairman of the bilateral Hispano-Korean Committee Advisor member of the Board of Directors at Miquel y Costas & Miquel y Costas & Miquel, S.A.	

Total number of Independent external directors	3
% of the entire board	30,00

The Independent Directors have only received from the Company, in addition to their remuneration as Directors, the dividends corresponding to their shareholding, the amount of which is reflected in section D.3 of this report.

Indicate whether any director considered and independent director is receiving from the company or from its group any amount or benefit under item that is not the remuneration for his/her directorship, or maintains or has maintained over the last year, a business relationship with the company or any company in its group, whether in his/her own name or as a significant shareholder, director or senior manager of an entity that maintains or has maintained such a relationship.

Where applicable, include a reasoned statement from the board with the reasons why it deems that this director can perform his / her duties as an independent director.

Name of Director or Company Name	Description of relationship	Reasons
MR. JOAQUÍN FAURA BATLLE	Telefónica España, a company that provides ancillary communications	The Council considers no incompatibility in the performance of its function as Independent Director because the mentioned relationship constitutes an activity linked to the ordinary commercial business or traffic of the Company and its Group and as a Strategic Advisor cannot make binding decisions.

OTHER EXTERNAL DIRECTORS					
Identify all other external Directors and explain why these cannot be considered proprietary or independent Directors and detail their relationships with the company, its executives, or its shareholders.					
Name of Director or Company Name	Reasons		Profile		
MR. EUSEBIO DÍAZ-MORERA PUIG-SURERDA	Counsellor initially independent that, with reason having reached the limit legally established in the continued exercise of your position, in accordance with section 4.i) of Article 529 duodecíes of the Law of Capital Companies in the moment of his reelection for the General Shareholders' Meeting held on June 20, 2018, happened to belong to this typology.	OTHER SHAREHOLDERS OF THE COMPANY	Bachelor of Science Economics and MBA from IESE (Institute of Higher Studies of the Company). Currently he is Vice President & Advisor of EDM Gestion SAU SGIIC.; Advisor member of the Board of Directors at Miquel y Costas & Miquel S.A., and Others IIC Societies.		
MR. JOAQUIN COELLO BRUFAU	Initially independent director who, due to exceeding the legally established limit in the continued exercise of his position, in accordance with section 4.i) of article 529 duodecíes of the Capital Companies Act, on June 20, 2020, became a member of this typology.	NONE	Naval Engineer from the Technical School of Naval Engineers of Madrid in both career specialties: Shipbuilding and Exploitation and Maritime Transport and MBA from IESE (Institute of Higher Studies of the Company). At present he is President of Asoport (State Association of Port Operating Companies). Full member of the Royal Academy of Engineering. Advisor member of the Board of Directors at Meta Engineering (formerly Audingintraesa) and Petronor, and Advisor member of the Board of Directors at Openchip and Miquel y Costas & Miquel S.A		

Name of Director or Company Name	Reasons		Profile
MR. JAVIER BASAÑEZ VILLANUENGA	Initially Executive advisor member of the Board of Directors who changed to the "Other External" typology after the term agreed with the Company for the exercise of the executive functions assigned to the General Secretariat had elapsed. The Board of Directors following a favorable report from the Human Resources Appointments and Remuneration Committee favorably reported his continuity as Director of the Company with the category of "Other External" until the end of the period of his appointment, taking into account the value contributed by Mr. Javier Basañez to the administrative body and the great knowledge he has of the Company and your sector of activity.	NONE	Graduate in Political, Economic and Commercial Sciences from the Central University of Barcelona; Registered, non- practicing auditor of the Accounting Institute and Account Auditors; Certified for transportation services management. He is currently Secretary General of the Miquel y Costas Group and President of Bacesa de Inversiones, SICAV, S.A. as well as Director of Miquel y Costas & Miquel S.A, and President at Desvi S.A.

Total number of Other external directors	3
% of the entire board	30.00

Indicate any changes in the status of each director during the period in the type of directorship of each director:

Name of Director or Company Name	Date of change	Previous category	Current category
MR. JAVIER BASAÑEZ VILLALUENGA	21/06/2022	Executive	Other External

C.1.4 Fill in the following table with information regarding the number of female directors over the last 4 years, and the nature of their directorships:

	Number of female directors			% of the	total numbe	er of directors	in each	
					cate	gory		
	Exercise	Exercise	Exercise	Exercise	Exercise	Exercise	Exercise	Exercise
	2022	2021	2020	2019	2022	2021	2020	2019
Executives					0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Proprietary		1	1	1	0.00	10.00	10.00	10.00
Independent	1	1	1	1	10.00	10.00	1.00	0.00
Others External					0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total:	1	2	2	2	10.00	20.00	20.00	20.00

C.1.5 Indicate whether the company has diversity policies in relation to the Board of Directors of the company with regards to issues such as age, gender, disability, or professional training and experience. Small and medium-sized enterprises, in accordance with the definition contained in the Accounts Auditing Law, will at least have to report the policy they have established in relation to gender diversity.

[√]	Yes
[]	No
[]	Partial policies

If yes, describe these diversity policies, their objectives, the measures, and the way in which they have been applied and their results over the year. Also indicate the specific measures adopted by the Board of Directors and the Appointments and Remuneration Committee to achieve a balanced and diverse presence of directors.

If the company does not apply a diversity policy, explain the reasons why.



The Board's Diversity policy is based on the principles of: adequate composition of the Board; Promotion of Diversity in its composition; non-discrimination and equal treatment; and compliance with current legislation.

To this end, in order to guarantee that different opinions concur within the Board of Directors, the responsible bodies must bear in mind at all times the principle of diversity, in particular, gender as well as, among others, training, knowledge and professional experience, aptitudes or age, as well as the principle of non-discrimination and equal treatment, ensuring that with respect to the candidates proposed for appointment or re-election as members of the Board of Directors, the selection of candidates of the sex is facilitated least represented and avoid any kind of discrimination in this regard.

To this end, in order to promote diversity, the Company will establish measures aimed at promoting the adequate number of members, so as to achieve a composition of the same. appropriate, diverse, and balanced as a whole, and that enrich taking process decision and contributes plural points of view to the debate on matters within its competence.

For this, the Human Resources, Appointments and Remuneration Committee must ensure that the selection procedures, when they take place, do not suffer from implicit biases that may imply any discrimination, among others, for reasons of gender, ethnic origin, age, or disability. In particular, among the potential candidates for Director, at least one woman who meets the professional profile sought will be included, without prejudice to the essential criteria of merit and capacity that must govern these processes, with the objective that the percentage of female Directors be comply with the provisions of the Law.

Candidates for Director of the Company must meet the qualification and professional and personal honor requirements. They must be prestigious, suitable people with recognized professional solvency, competence, experience, qualifications, training, availability. and commitment to their role, with a personal and professional record of respect for the laws and good commercial practices and they must necessarily comply with the precepts always established by law, in order to be part of an administrative body.

C.1.6 Explain the measures which, where appropriate, have been agreed by the Appointments Committee so that the selection procedures are unaffected by any implicit bias that hampers the selection of female directors, and which shows that the company purposefully seeks and includes women that satisfy the professional profile sought among the potential candidates and to achieve a balanced presence of women and men. Also indicate whether these measures include encouraging the company to have a significant number of senior managers:

Explanation of measures

The Regulations of the Board of Directors of the Company include, among the basic responsibilities of the Human Resources, Appointments and Remuneration Committee, that of informing the Board on issues of gender diversity, and that of proposing a representation objective for the Board of Directors. sex less represented on the Board of Directors and develop guidelines on how to achieve this objective.

The election or appointment of Directors must be preceded by a proposal of the Committee on Human Resources, Nominations and Remuneration Committee, when it comes of independent directors, and a report in the case of the other Directors.

The Company's labor and Human Resources development policy applicable to all personnel, including Senior Management, has always been governed by the principle of non-discrimination, with respect for the rights and dignity of people being one of its pillars (regardless of gender). In keeping with this principle and following the spirit of current legislation to achieve effective equality between men and women, the Company has an equality plan with the objective of contributing to the elimination of discriminatory behaviors in the workplace based on gender and includes, among others, the implementation of measures that favor the incorporation, permanence, and development of people with the purpose of achieving balanced participation among women and men at all levels of the organization.

When, despite the measures, if any, have been taken are few or no female directors, explain the reasons justifying:

Explanation of measures

In financial year 2022, there has been a process of changing the natural person representing the legal entity of a Proprietary Director, becoming a man, the natural person representative of the Director.

When in particular there are vacancies to fill and in all other cases, the selection of Board members and female directors is done in an objective manner, taking into consideration both sexes who fulfil the necessary conditions and capacities, depending on their prestige, knowledge and professional experience of the duties of the position.

C.1.7. Explain the Appointments Committee's on the verification of compliance with the policy aimed at promoting an appropriate composition of the Board of Directors

The Company, and particularly its Board and the Human Resources, Appointments and Remuneration Committee, considers it essential in the selection of Board members to evaluate the candidate's competence, knowledge, experience and aptitudes to actively collaborate with the Company, ensuring that during the aforementioned selection process, there is no discrimination on the basis of gender.

C.1.8 Explain, where applicable, the reasons why proprietary directors have been appointed at the behest of a shareholder whose holding is less than 3% of the capital:

Name or company name of shareholder	Justification
Non data	

Indicate whether formal petitions have been ignored for presence on the board from shareholders whose holding is equal to or higher than others at whose behest proprietary directors were appointed. Where applicable, explain why these petitions have been ignored:

[] Yes [√] No

C.1.9. Indicate, where they exist, the powers and powers delegated by the board of directors, including those relating to the possibility of issuing or repurchasing shares in directors or on-board committees:

Name or company name of the Director or committee	Brief outline
MR. JORGE MERCADER MIRÓ	He has extensive powers according to his functions as President of the Company.
MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA	He has extensive powers according to his functions as the Executive Vice President of the Company.

C.1.10. Identify, where applicable, the Board members holding positions of Administrators or Executives in other Companies forming part of the Group of the listed Company:

Name or Company name of director	Company name of Group entity	Position	Does the director hold executive Functions?
MR. JAVIER BASAÑEZ VILLALUENGA	DESVI, S.A.	CHAIRMAN	NO
MR. JORGE MERCADER MIRÓ	CELULOSA DE LEVANTE, S.A.	DIRECTOR	NO
MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA	MIQUEL Y COSTAS DEUTSCHLAND, GMBH	SOLE DIRECTOR	YES
MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA	PAPELES ANOIA, S.A.	CHAIRMAN	NO
MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA	CELULOSA DE LEVANTE, S.A.	DIRECTOR	NO
MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA	S.A. PAYA MIRALLES	DIRECTOR	NO
MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA	CLARIANA, S.A.	DIRECTOR (PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE)	NO
MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA	SOCIEDAD ESPAÑOLA ZIG ZAG S.A.	CHAIRMAN	NO
MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA	DESVI S.A.	DIRECTOR	NO
MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA	MB PAPELES ESPECIALES, S.A.	CHAIRMAN (PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE)	NO

Name or Company name of director	Company name of Group entity	Position	Does the director hold executive Functions?
MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA	MIQUEL Y COSTAS ENERGIA Y MEDIO AMBIENTE, S.A.	CHAIRMAN	NO
MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA	MIQUEL Y COSTAS TECNOLOGIAS, S.A.	CHAIRMAN	NO
MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA	TERRANOVA PAPERS, S.A.	CHAIRMAN (PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE)	NO
MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA	MIQUEL Y COSTAS LOGÍSTICA, S.A.	CHAIRMAN (PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE)	NO
MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA	FOURTUBE, S.L.	DIRECTOR (PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE)	NO

C.1.11. List any directorships, directorships or directorships held by directors or representatives of directors who are members of the company's board of directors in other entities, wether or not they are listed companies:

Name or Company name of director	Company name of the Group entity	Position
MR. JOAQUÍN COELLO BRUFAU	PORTEL TECHNOLOGIES S.A.	MEMBER OF THE BOARD
MR. JORGE MERCADER MIRÓ	HACIA S.A.	CHAIRMAN
MR JORGE MERCADER BARATA	HACIA S.A.	MEMBER OF THE BOARD
MS MARTA LACAMBRA I PUIG	MÓN ST. BENET S.L.	CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
MR JOAQUÍN COELLO BRUFAU	OPENCHIP & TECHNOLOGIES S.L	CEO
MR ÁLVARO DE LA SERNA CORRAL	ENKIDU INVERSIONES S.L.	JOINT DIRECTOR
MR ÁLVARO DE LA SERNA CORRAL	SASEKILIA S.L.	MEMBER OF THE BOARD
MR EUSEBIO DÍAZ-MORERA PUIGSUREDA	EDM GESTION SAU SGIIC	CHAIRMAN
JOANFRA, S.A.	CELLER CAL COSTAS S.L.U.	MEMBER OF THE BOARD
MR. JOSÉ MIQUEL VACARISAS	JOANFRA S.A.	MEMBER OF THE BOARD
MR. JAVIER BASAÑEZ VILLALUENGA	DESVI S.A	CHAIRMAN

Indicate, if applicable, any other remunerated activities of the directors or representatives of the directors, whatever their nature representatives of directors, whatever their nature, other than those indicated in the table above

Identification of the director or representative	Other gainful activities
No data	

C.1.12. Indicate and, where appropriate, explain whether the company has established rules about the maximum number of company Boards on which its directors may sit, identifying how this is regulated where appropriate:

[√] Yes [] No

Explanation of the rules and identification of the document where it is regulated

The Regulations of the Board of Directors establish that for the Director to be able to dedicate the time and effort necessary to perform his function effectively, he may not be part of a number of boards of more than four.

For the purposes of calculating the number of Councils referred to in the preceding paragraph, the following rules shall be considered:

a) Those Boards of which he forms part as a proprietary Director proposed by Miquel y Costas y Miquel S.A. will not be counted. or by any company of its Group.

b) All the Boards of Companies that are part of the same group will be computed as a single Board, as well as those of which he is a part as a proprietary Director of any Company of the group, even if the participation in the capital of the company or its degree control does not allow it to be considered as a member of the group.

c) Those Boards of holding companies or those that constitute vehicles or complements for the professional practice of the director himself, his spouse or a similar emotional relationship, or his close relatives will not be counted.

d) Those Boards of companies that, although of a commercial nature, their purpose is complementary or accessory to another activity that for the Director supposes a leisure activity, assistance or help to third parties or any other that does not imply for the Director, will not be considered for their computation. a proper and true dedication to a mercantile business.

C.1.13 Indicate the amounts of the following items relating to the overall remuneration of the Board of Directors:

Overall remuneration earned by the Board of Directors during the year (thousands of euros)	3,042
Amount of funds accumulated by current directors for long-term savings	
schemes with vested economic rights (thousands of euros)	
Amount of funds accumulated by current directors for long-term savings	974
schemes with non-consolidated economic rights (thousands of euros)	974
Amount of funds accumulated by former directors through long-term	
savings schemes (thousands of euros)	

C.1.14 Identify members of the senior management that are not in turn executive directors, and indicate the total remuneration accruing to them during the year:

Name (person or company)	Position (s)
MRS. OLGA ENCUENTRA CATALÁN	GROUP CONTROLLING DIRECTOR
MR. JAVIER GARCÍA BLASCO	COMMERCIAL MANAGER OF THE ROLLING PAPERS DIVISION
MRS. MARINA JURADO SALVADO	COMMERCIAL MANAGER OF THE SMOKING DIVISION.
MR. JORDI PRAT CANADELL	GROUP FINANCE DIRECTOR
MR. IGNASI NIETO MAGALDI	DEPUTY GENERAL MANAGER
MR. JOSE MARIA MASIFERN VALÓN	MANAGER OF THE BESÓS FACTORY.
MRS. VICTORIA LACASA ESTÉBANEZ	GROUP LEGAL DIRECTOR
MR. JOSEP PAYOLA BASETS	MANAGER OF MB PAPELES ESPECIALES, S.A.
MR. JAVIER ARDIACA COLOMER	MANAGER OF THE MISLATA FACTORY.

number of women in senior management	3
Percentage of the total members of senior management	33.33
Total senior management remuneration (thousand of €)	1,892

C.1.15 Indicate whether or not there has been any modification to the regulations of the board during the year:

[√] Yes [] No

Description of modifications

At its meeting on April 25, 2022, the Board of Directors unanimously agreed, following a favorable report from the Audit Committee, to amend the various articles of the Regulations of the Board of Directors with the aim of regulating the form of the Company, in order to (I) adapt its content to the Capital Companies Law (ii) to accommodate its wording to the modification of the Corporate Bylaws and eliminate duplication between both documents and (iii) make some technical improvements in its wording.

Specifically, the modified articles have been the following:

- Article 4 of Chapter II ("MISSION OF THE BOARD"), regarding the General Supervisory Function, amended in order to try to adjust the list of matters reserved to the Board to the content of the Capital Companies Law, adding certain powers and decisions.

- Articles 11 and 12 of Chapter IV ("STRUCTURE OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS"), relating to the Audit Committee and the Human Resources, Appointments and Remuneration Committee, respectively.

In relation to the Audit Committee, its functions are expanded.

In relation to the Human Resources, Appointments and Remuneration Committee, section 2 of Article 12 adds among others, the responsibility of establishing a representation objective for the least represented sex on the Board of Directors and preparing guidelines on how to achieve said objective.

- Article 13 of Chapter V ("OPERATION OF THE BOARD"), regarding the Meetings of the Board of Directors, amended in order to broaden the powers of the Lead Director.

- Article 18 of Chapter VIII ("BOARD REMUNERATION"), relating to Director Remuneration, eliminating the different types of remuneration included in the Bylaws and the Remuneration Policy approved by the General Meeting, to which it is referred.

C.1.16 Indicate the procedures for the appointment, re-election, assessment, and removal of directors. Provide details of the competent bodies, the procedures to be followed and the criteria applicable in each procedure.

The Regulations of the Board of Directors, regarding the appointment of Directors, establish:

- Directors will be elected by the General Meeting or appointed by the Board of Directors in the event of co-optation, in accordance with the provisions contained in the Law on Capital Companies and the Bylaws. The election or appointment of Directors must be preceded by the corresponding proposal from the Human Resources, Appointments and Remuneration Committee in the case of independent Directors and by a report in the case of the remaining Directors.

- The Directors appointed must meet the requirements set forth in the bylaws for the exercise of the position and may not be involved in the legally established causes of disqualification.

- Directors will hold office for the term provided in the Bylaws and may be re-elected.

The Bylaws are stable, in relation to the Ministers, that they will not need to hold the status of shareholder and will always be elected and renewed by the General Meeting and will exercise the writ for four-year terms. The Regulations of the Board of Directors on the removal of Directors also establishes that:

- 1. Directors will cease to hold office when the period for which they have been appointed has elapsed and when the General Meeting decides in use of the powers granted by Law.
- 2. The Board will propose to the General Meeting the dismissal of Directors, among others, in the following cases:
 - a. When they are involved in incompatibility or legal prohibition.
- b. When their permanence on the Board could jeopardize the interests of the Company or when the reasons for which they were appointed disappear. It will be understood that this last circumstance occurs with respect to a proprietary Director when the disposal of the total shareholding of which he is the owner or whose interests he represents is carried out and when said participation decreases to a level that requires the reduction of the number of its proprietary Directors.
- 3. When a Director ends his term or for any other reason ceases to perform his position, he may not provide services in another entity that has relations with competitors of companies of the Miquel y Costas Group within a period of two years.
- 4. If the dismissal occurs before the end of his mandate, he will explain the reasons in a letter that will be sent to all members of the Council. The cessation will be communicated to the CNMV as a relevant fact, and it will be reported in the I.A.G.C.

C.1.17 Explain to what degree the self-assessment has led to significant changes in its internal organization and the procedures applicable to its activities:

Description of changes

On basis of the conclusions reached from the evaluation of the Council's activities and the discussions on them, this Body has considered that it is not necessary to adopt a specific plan that corrects the statements made.

Describe the evaluation process and the areas evaluated by the Board of Directors, assisted by an outsourced consultant, regarding the operation and composition of its committees, and any other area or aspect that has been subject to evaluation.

Description of the evaluation process and areas evaluated

In order to comply with the provisions of the Capital Companies Law, in the Regulations of the Company's Board of Directors and based on the recommendations established by the Code of Good Governance regarding the annual evaluation of the operation of the governing bodies. administration during the fiscal year, in January 2023, the Directors, have evaluated the performance of the functions of the Board of Directors, its Committees, those of the President and those of the Executive Vice President.

It is concluded from the annual evaluation that the overall result of the self-evaluation has been positive and that the Directors consider satisfactory (i) the quality and efficiency of the operation of the Board of Directors, (ii) the operation and composition of its committees, (iii) the diversity in the composition and powers of the Board; (iv) the development of the Chairman of the Board and his functions and (v) the development of the Executive Vice President of the Company.

C.1.18 Explain, for any of the years in which the evaluation has been assisted by an external advisor, the business relationship the adviser or any group company maintains with the company or any group company.

In accordance with the recommendation contained in the Code of Good Coorporative Governance in the exercise of the Board, it has not been assisted by an external consultant.

C.1.19 Indicate the circumstances under which directors are obliged to resign.

The Regulations of the Board of Directors establish that the Board will propose to the General Meeting the dismissal of the Directors in the cases in which they are involved in incompatibility or legal prohibition, when their permanence on the Board may put at risk the interests of the Company or when the reasons for which they were appointed disappear, understanding that the latter circumstance occurs with respect to a proprietary Director when the sale of the total shareholding of which he is the owner or whose interests he represents and also when said participation takes place decrease to a level that requires the reduction of the number of your proprietary Directors.

The Regulations also provide that, in relation to the Director's Information Duties, the latter must inform the Company of those personal circumstances that affect or may affect the Company's credit or reputation, especially the criminal cases in which it appears, as accused and its relevant procedural vicissitudes. The Board may require the Director, after examining the situation that the latter presents, to resign and this decision must be accepted by the Director.

Additionally, the Board may require the Director to resign due to non-observance of his general obligations established in said Regulations.

C.1.20 Are reinforced majorities other than those applicable by law required for any type of decision?

[] Yes [√] No

Where applicable, describe the differences.

C.1.21 Explain whether there are specific requirements, other than those regarding directors, to be appointed chairman of the board.

[]	Yes
[√]	No

C.1.22 Indicate whether the Articles of Association or the Board Regulations establish any age limit for directors:

[] Yes [√] No

C.1.23 Indicate whether the Articles of Association or the Board regulations set a limited term, or other requirements stricter than those legally determined, of office for independent directors different to the one established in the regulations.

[] Yes [√] No C.1.24 Indicate whether the bylaws or the board regulations establish specific standards for proxy voting in the board of directors, the way this is done and the maximum number of proxies a director may have, and whether it is mandatory to grant proxy to a director of the same type. If so, briefly give details on such standards.

The Bylaws establish that, in the event of inability to attend a Board meeting, each of its components may delegate their representation and vote to a director in writing and with special character for each session.

For its part, the Regulations of the Board of Directors establish that the representation in another Director will be conferred with instructions about the determinations to be adopted in the treatment of the different items on the agenda of the meeting.

There is no maximum number of delegations established or limitation regarding the categories in which it is possible to delegate beyond the limitations imposed by legislation.

C.1.25 Indicate the number of meetings that the Board of Directors has held over the year. Also indicate, where applicable, how many times the Board has met without the Chairman being present. In calculating this number, proxies, given with specific instructions will be counted as attendance.

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Number of meetings of the Board	12
Number of Board meetings without the Chairman attending	0

Indicate the number of meetings held by the lead director with the other directors, without the assistance or representation of any executive director:

Number of meetings

Indicate the number of meetings held by the different Board Committees over the year:

Number of meetings held by the AUDIT COMMITTEE	7
Number of meetings held by the	
HUMAN RESOURCES, NOMINATIONS AND	4
REMUNERATIONS	

C.1.26 Indicate the number of meetings held by the Board of Directors during the year attended by all its members:

Number of meetings attended in person by at least 80% of the directors	12
% of attendance over the total number of votes during the vear	97.50
Number of meetings with attendance in person, or	
representations made with specific instructions of all the	11
directors	
% votes cast with attendance in person and representations	
made with specific instructions, on total votes during the	98.30
year	
made with specific instructions, on total votes during the	98.3

C.1.27 Indicate if the individual and consolidated Annual Accounts submitted for approval to the Board are previously certified:

[√] Yes [] No

Identify, where applicable, the person(s) who has/have certified the Company's individual and consolidated Annual Accounts in order to be formulated by the Board:

Name	Position	
MRS. MARTA LACAMBRA I PUIG	PRESIDENT OF AUDIT COMMITTEE	
MR. JOAQUÍN FAURA BATLLE	MEMBER OF AUDIT COMMITTEE	
MR. ÁLVARO DE LA SERNA CORRAL	MEMBER OF AUDIT COMMITTEE	

C.1.28 Explain the mechanisms, if any, established by the Board of Directors to prevent the individual and consolidated annual accounts it prepares from being laid before the General Meeting of Shareholders with a qualified audit report.

The Company and the Group Companies of Miquel y Costas prepare their annual accounts following the legal precepts and faithfully applying the generally accepted principles of accounting under the supervision of the financial-economic department and the monitoring of the Audit Committee.

Each year those in charge of the economic-financial department together with the auditors will carry out an inspection and monitoring of the recommendations which arise from the work carried out in the auditing of accounts.

In the fulfilment of its powers, the Audit Committee meets with the external auditors in order to be informed about all those matters related to the process of conduct of the auditing of accounts and to deal with those matters which might give rise to possible reservations so as to make available the necessary steps to prevent them.

Finally, the Audit Committee takes the annual accounts to the Board of Directors for their formulation.

C.1.29 Is the Secretary of the Board a director?

[] Yes

[√] No

Complete if the Secretary is not also a Director:

Name or corporate name of the secretary	Representant
MRS. VICTORIA LACASA ESTEBANEZ	NONE

C.1.30 Indicate the specific mechanisms introduced by the company to preserve the independence of the external auditors, as well as, if any, mechanisms to preserve the independence of financial analysts, investment banks and rating agencies, including how the legal provisions have been implemented in practice

In accordance with the Regulations of the Directors Board of the Company, the Audit Committee issues annually, both prior to the issuance of the financial audit report, a report in which it expresses its opinion on the independence of the auditors. This Regulation includes, among the basic responsibilities of the Audit Committee, that of maintaining adequate relations with the external auditors for information on those questions that may pose a risk to the independence of these, by examination by the Committee, and any other relations as well as the development process of the financial audit and, when it is missing, the authorization of the different services of the prohibits in accordance with the applicable regulations, also with those other communications foreseen in the accounts audit legislation and in the technical norms audit. In all cases, the Audit Committee will provide the auditors with annual written confirmation of the current independence of the Company or entities linked to it directly or indirectly, as well as detailed and individualized information on the additional services of any class of providers and the corresponding honoraries are received by these entities for the auditing entities, or by the persons or entities linked to these entities, according to the provisions of the legislation on auditing of the financials.

In relation to financial analysts, investment banks and rating agencies, the Company preserves its independence by making available to the market, in public disclosure, all the Company information that is provided to say agents without giving any preferential treatment to none of them. The aforementioned Regulation establishes that the Council will inform the public immediately about the following matters:

- a) Relevant information capable of sensitively influencing the formation of stock prices.
- b) Changes to the ownership structure of the Company, such as variations in significant holdings, syndication agreements, and other forms of coalition, of which it has knowledge;
- c) Significant changes to the rules of governance of the Company;
- d) The own shares policies which intends to adopt for the Company subject to powers obtained at the General Meeting.

Likewise, the Internal Code of Conduct contemplates and determines the causes and conditions of information release to the different financial agents.

C.1.31 Indicate whether the external auditor has been changed during the year. Where applicable, identify the incoming and outgoing auditors.

[] Yes [√] No

In the case of disagreements with the outgoing auditor, explain the content of said disagreements:

[] Yes [√] No

C.1.32 Indicate if the audit Company performs other tasks for the Company and/or its Group other than auditing activities, and if so, state the amount of the fees received for said activities and their percentage of the fees billed to the Company and/or its Group.

[√] Yes

[] No

	Company	Group	Total
Number of tasks other than audit services (thousands of euros).	14	16	30
Number of tasks other than audit services / total amount invoiced by the Audit Company (in %)	15.68	19.49	35.17

C.1.33 Indicate if the auditor's report on the annual accounts corresponding to the previous year involves reservations or exceptions. Where applicable, indicate the reasons given by the Chairman of the Audit Committee to explain the content and scope of the said reservations or exceptions.

[] Yes

[√] No

C.1.34 Indicate the number of years that the current audit firm has been auditing the company's individual and/or consolidated annual accounts without interruption. Also, indicate the percentage that the number of years audited by the current audit firm represents over the total number of years in which the annual accounts have been audited:

	Individual	Consolidated
Number of years without interruption	21	21
	Individual	Consolidated

C.1.35. Indicate and, where applicable, provide details of whether there is a procedure whereby directors can have external assessment:

[√]	Yes
[]	No

Details of the procedure

The Regulations of the Board of Directors establishes in relation to the meetings of this Board that:

"La convocatoria incluirá siempre el Orden del Día de la sesión que deberá contemplar, entre otros puntos, los relativos a las informaciones de las sociedades filiales y de las Comisiones del Consejo, así como las propuestas y sugerencias que formulen el Presidente y los demás miembros del Consejo que serán cursadas con una antelación no menor a cinco días hábiles a la fecha del propio Consejo, de acuerdo con lo establecido en los Estatutos Sociales."

Each Director has a dossier for each Board meeting that is explained and, where appropriate, discussed, which contains detailed information on all the topics that are dealt with in the session. Those points of greater complexity, such as the annual budget, investment plan, strategic plan, and others of special significance, receive this treatment in a reinforced way. The Directors, in the period between councils, can consult and request as much necessary information as they require.

C.1.36 Indicate and, where appropriate, detail whether the company has established rules that oblige directors to inform and, where appropriate, to resign when situations affect them, related or not to their performance in the company itself. that may harm its credit and reputation:

[√] Yes [] No

Explain the rules

The Regulations of the Board of Directors, in relation to the information duties of the Director, establish that:

"El Consejero deberá informar a la Sociedad de aquellas circunstancias personales que afecten o puedan afectar al crédito o reputación de la Sociedad, en especial, de las causas penales en que aparezca como imputado y de sus vicisitudes procesales relevantes, de todo lo cual se dará cuenta en el I.A.G.C.. El Consejo podrá exigir al Consejero después de examinar la situación que éste presente, su dimisión y esta decisión deberá ser acatada por el Consejero". C.1.37 Unless there are special circumstances that have been recorded in the minutes, indicate whether the Board has been informed of or has otherwise become aware of any situation that affects a director, whether it is related to his or her actions in the company, that could damage the company's credit and reputation:

[] Yes [√] No

C.1.38 Detail the significant agreements that the company has entered into and that enter into force, are modified or conclude in the event of a change of control of the company as a result of a takeover bid, and its effects.

There are no significant agreements entered into by the Company that come into force, are modified, or terminate in the event of a change of control as a result of a takeover bid.

C.1.39 Detail the significant agreements that the company has entered into and that enter into force, are modified or conclude in the event of a change of control of the company as a result of a takeover bid, and its effects.

Number of beneficiaries:	5
Type of beneficiary	Description of agreement:
Executive Directors and Other Senior Executive	Two Executive Directors: the contractual conditions determine that in the event of involuntary cessation of executive functions, except for serious breach, they will be entitled to compensation equivalent to a gross annuity. An equivalent indemnity is provided for in the event of a change of control for an executive Director. Both indemnities, that is, the one foreseen for the case of involuntary termination and the one foreseen for the case of change of control, are mutually exclusive and involve the recognition of one year of salary. Additionally, if once the termination occurs, the Company restricts the Director's ability to attend, the Director will be entitled to compensation equivalent to 50% of the gross monthly salary for a period of two years. Three Senior Managers: It is planned that if the Company restricts the Manager's ability to compete, he will be entitled to compensation equivalent to 50% of the gross monthly salary for a period of two years.

Indicate whether, beyond the cases stipulated by the regulations, these contracts must be reported and/or approved by the bodies of the company or its group. If so, specify the procedures, assumptions foreseen and the nature of the bodies responsible for their approval or communication:

	Board of directors	General Meeting
Body authorising the clauses	✓	

	Yes	No
The general meeting of the		✓

clauses is reported?		
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There is nothing established beyond the assumptions foreseen in the regulations.

C.2. Committees of the Board of Directors

C.2.1 Detail all the board committees, their members and the proportion of proprietary directors and independent directors sitting on them:

HUMAN RESOURCES, NOMINATIONS AND REMUNERATIONS COMMITTEE			
Name Position Type			
MR. JOAQUÍN COELLO BRUFAU	BOARD MEMBER	Other External	
MR. JOSÉ CLAUDIO ARANZADI MARTÍNEZ CHAIRMAN Independent			
MR. EUSEBIO DÍAZ-MORERA PUIG-SUREDA	BOARD MEMBER	Other External	
JOANFRA, S.A. SECRETARY Proprietary Director			
MRS. MARTA LACAMBRA I PUIG BOARD MEMBER Independent			

% executive directors	0.00
% proprietary directors	20.00
% independent directors	40.00
% other external	40.00

Explain the functions, including, where appropriate, additional ones to those provided by law, that this commission is assigned to, and describe the procedures and rules for its organization and operation. For each of these functions, indicate your most important actions during the year and how you have exercised each of the functions assigned to you in practice, whether by law or in the bylaws or in other corporate agreements.

The regulation of the Human Resources, Nominations and Remuneration Committee, are in of the Articles of Association and of the Regulations of the Board of the Company.

As of December 31^{st,} 2022, it is composed of five Directors, two of whom are independent and is chaired by a Director of this last Category.

The Regulation of the Board of Directors establishes that the Committee will meet at least once a year and will adopt its decisions by majority and report the content of its sessions to the Board of Directors.

The Regulation states that "the Human Resources, Appointments and Remuneration Committee, in matters not foreseen in the present standards, will be governed by the operating guidelines of the Board of Directors ".

The basic duties attributed of the Human Resources, Nominations and Remuneration Committee is:

a) Propose to the Board of Directors the appointment of independent Directors for their appointment by co-optation or for their submission to the decision of the General Meeting, as well as the re-election or removal of said Directors by the General Meeting; the remuneration of Directors and the salary policy for senior management personnel; the individual remuneration of the executive Directors and the other conditions of their contracts; the basic conditions of senior management contracts; the general policy regarding Human Resources of the Group Companies; propose to the Board of Directors a representation objective for the least represented sex in that body and prepare guidelines on how to achieve said objective.

b) Inform the Board of Directors of the naming of proprietary Directors and executives for appointment by co-optation or for submission to the decision of the Shareholders General Meeting, and their re-election or removal by the Shareholders General Meeting; the appointment of the Chairman of the Board of Directors; the appointments and removals of top management and the basic terms of their contracts; issues of gender diversity; appointments and removals of the top executives which the chief executive proposes to the Board; the appointment and removal of the Secretary of the Board of Directors. c) Evaluate the profile of the most suitable people to form part of the different Commissions, in accordance with their knowledge, skills and experience, defining for this purpose the necessary functions and skills of the candidates who must cover each vacancy and evaluating the time and dedication necessary for them to be able to carry out their mission effectively; the competence, knowledge and aptitudes of the candidates for Directors; the succession of the Chairman and the chief executive and, where appropriate, formulate proposals to the Board of Directors so that said succession occurs in an orderly and planned manner; compliance with internal codes of conduct and corporate governance rules.

During 2022, the Human Resources, Appointments and Remuneration Committee has met four times to discuss, among others, the following topics: structure and evolution of the workforce, examination of directors' remuneration; inform of the proposed re-election of the Councilors to whom he has explained his mandate; to propose to the Council the modification of the directors' remuneration policy for the years 2022, 2023 and 2024 as well as the preparation of the specific Report in this regard; inform the Board of Directors of the proposed appointment of the new natural person representative of Joanfra S.A.; to approve the General Social Provision Plan 2022-2024.

AUDIT COMMITTEE			
Name Position Type			
MRS. MARTA LACAMBRA I PUIG	PRESIDENT	Independent	
MR. JOAQUÍN FAURA BATLLE MEMBER Independent			
MR. ÁLVARO DE LA SERNA CORRAL	MEMBER	External Proprietary Director	

% executives directors	0.00
% proprietary directors	33.33
% independent directors	66.67
% other external	0.00

Explain the functions, including, if applicable, those additional to those legally envisaged, which have been attributed to this committee, describe the procedures and rules for the organization and functioning of the same. For each of these functions, indicate its most important actions during the year and how it has exercised in practice each of the functions attributed to it either in the law or in the articles of association or other corporate resolution.

Procedures of Audit Committee, are regulated in of the Articles of Association and provisions of the Regulations of the Board of the Company.

As December 31st of 2022, it is composed of three Directors, two independent and presided over by one Director of this category.

The basic duties attributed of the Audit Committee are:

a) To inform the General Assembly of Shareholders on matters raised there by the shareholders on matters within its jurisdiction and in particular on the outcome of the audit, explaining how it has contributed to the integrity of the financial information and the role that the Audit Committee has played in this process.

b) Establish and supervise a procedure that allows employees to communicate, in a confidential manner, and if deemed anonymous anonymity, irregularities of special importance, particularly financial and accounting that they notice wider Society.

c) Supervise the effectiveness of the Internal Audit's Company; control and risk management systems including control systems over financial reporting and discuss with auditors or external audit firms the significant weaknesses of the internal control system detected in the Company. Development of the audit, without breaking their independence. Know and supervise the process of preparation and presentation of regulated financial information. Prior to the adoption of the corresponding resolution by the Board, the Audit Committee shall inform the Board about the periodic financial information.

d) Other information that the Company must disclose to the markets and its supervisory bodies, presenting, where appropriate, recommendations or Proposals aimed at safeguarding the integrity of such information.

e) Maintain adequate relationships with external auditors or audit companies to receive information on those matters that may jeopardize their independence, for consideration by the Committee, and any other related to the process of developing the audit of accounts, and, where appropriate, the authorization of services other than those prohibited under applicable regulations, as well as those other communications provided for in the auditing legislation and in the technical auditing standards.

In any case, the Audit Committee must receive annually from the auditors or external audit companies, the written confirmation of their independence from the Company or entities directly or indirectly related to it, as well as detailed and individualized information on the additional services of any kind provided and the corresponding fees received from these entities by the aforementioned external auditors or audit companies, or by the persons or entities related to them in accordance with the provisions of the legislation on audit of accounts.

f) The Committee must issue an annual report, prior to the release of the audit report, expressing an opinion about the auditors' or auditing firms' independence. This report must in any case pronounce on the provision of the additional services referred to in the previous section e).

g) Establish and supervise a procedure that allows employees to communicate, in a confidential manner, and if deemed anonymous anonymity, irregularities of special importance, particularly financial and accounting that they notice wider Society.

h) Inform on related-party transactions that must be approved by the General Meeting or the Board of Directors and supervise the internal procedure that, if applicable, the Company has established for those whose approval has been delegated.

During financial year 2022, the Audit Committee have meet seven times in order to discuss, among others, the following issues: supervision of the Financial Statements and management information of the Company and the consolidated Group; review and information to the Council on the Periodic Public Information consisting of the semi-annual and intermediate reports; analysis and study of financial policy reporting it to the Board of Directors; examine the communications received throughout the Ethical Channel; examine the Internal control for the prevention of criminal risks; Issue the Report on the Operation and Activities of the Committee in fiscal year 2021; Issue the Report on the Independence of the Auditors; Proposal for the reelection of the Auditors of Accounts of the Company and its Group; To know the Corporate Social Responsibility Report for the year 2021; report favorably to the Board of Directors on the proposal to modify various articles of the Regulations of the Board; authorize the contracting of services other than the audit of accounts; appoint its president; examine and inform the Board of Directors of the proposal to update the Code of Ethics.

Identify the directors who are members of the Audit Committee who have been appointed Chairman on the basis of knowledge and experience of accounting or auditing, or both, and state the date that said director was appointed Chairman.

Name of directors with experience	MRS. MARTA LACAMBRA PUIG / MR. JOAQUÍN FAURA BATLLE / MR. ÁLVARO DE LA SERNA CORRAL
Date of appointment as Chairman	25/07/2022

C.2.2 Fill in the following table with information on the number of female directors sitting on board committees over the last four years.

	Number of female directors							
	Exercis	e 2022	Exercise 2021		Exercise 2020		Exercise 2019	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
HUMAN RESOURCES, NOMINATIONS AND REMUNERATIONS COMMITTEE	1	20.00	2	40.00	1	25.00	1	16.70
AUDIT COMMITTEE	1	33.33	1	33.30	0	0.00	0	0.00

The number of female directors that make up the Human Resources, Appointments and Remuneration Committee in 2022 has been reduced because of the change in the natural person representative of the proprietary director Joanfra S.A., communicated to the Company in September and reported favorably by the Human Resources, Appointments and Remuneration Committee.

C.2.3 Indicate, where applicable, the existence of Committee regulations, the location at which they are available for consultation, and the modifications that have been made during the financial year. Also indicate whether any annual report on each Committee's activities has been voluntarily drafted.

The powers and operating rules of the Human Resources, Appointments and Remuneration Committee and those of the Audit Committee are regulated in the Company Bylaws and in the Regulations of the Company's Board of Directors, the texts of which are available on the corporate website. Various modifications have been made during the year on its regulations with regards to the Human Resources, Appointments and Remuneration Committee, article 12 of the Administration Regulations and the article 23 of the Bylaws. Regarding the Audit Committee: article 11 of the Regulations of the Board of Directors and article 23 of the Bylaws have been amended.

The Audit Committee prepares an Annual Activity Report.

During the year, the working groups within the Board of Directors have met on various occasions:": "Energy and Environment Committee", "R+D+i and Commercial Committee" and "Inorganic Growth Committee ".

D. RELATED-LINKED TRANSACTIONS AND INTRA-GROUP

D.1. Explain, if applicable, the procedure and competent bodies for the approval of related-party and intragroup transactions, indicating the general internal criteria and rules of the company governing the abstention obligations of the directors or shareholders affected and detailing the internal reporting and periodic control procedures established by the company in relation to those related-party transactions whose approval has been delegated by the board of directors.

In accordance with the provisions of the Regulations of the Board of Directors, the Audit Committee has, among its basic responsibilities, that it must approve the General Meeting or the Board of Directors and supervise the internal procedure that, if applicable, the Company has established for those whose approval will correspond to the Board has been delegated.

The Company, in order to comply with the provisions of the regulations in force in relation to the inclusion of information on related parties in the Half-Yearly Financial Report to be sent to the National Securities Market Commission sends in January and July of each year a form in which the Director must list all those transactions that the Director himself and his parties have been able to carry out with the Company or with any other company of the Group during the period inform. Statements made by Directors are reviewed by the Audit Committee.

Otherwise, the Internal Regulations of the Company establish that Affected Persons for the material, who have carried out per own account any operation of subscription, purchase or sale of Affected Values, have to formulate, after the fifteen days following each fi calendar month, a detailed communication addressed to the secretary of the Board of Director's comprehensive of the operations required, stating that this communication must be anticipated in accordance with the applicable regulations, being equivalent to the operations for own account, both obliged to be declared , the realities for the linked people.

On the other hand, the Regulations of the Board of Director's foresee in chapter IX the "Rules of Director" in matters related to confidentiality, non-competition, regarding the non-public information of the Company or the business opportunities, established I know that these obligations are also required, that the circumstances that are foreseen in each case refer to companies in which the Minister has a significant participation than to any person linked to the Advisor of the Board of directors in terms that affect their independence or criteria.

D.2. Detail on an individual basis significant transaction for the amount or relevant to their subject matter carried out between the company or its subsidiaries and shareholders holding 10% or more of the voting rights or represented on the Board of Directors of the company, indicating which has been the competent body for its approval and whether any shareholder or director affected has abstained. If the board has been competent, indicate whether the proposed resolution has been approved by the Board without a vote against by most of the independents.

	Name or denomination shareholder or any other company of their subsidiaries	% particip ation	Name or denomination social of society a dependent entity	Amount (thousa nds of euros)	Body that has it approved	Identification of the shareholder significant o counsellor that would have abstained	The proposal to the board, if any, has been approved by the Council without a vote against the majority of independents
(1)	MRS. MARÍA DEL CARMEN ESCASANY MIQUEL	12.47	MIQUEL Y COSTAS & MIQUEL, S.A.	2,075	Board of Directors with the approval of the Board		YES
(2)	MRSBERNADETTE MIQUEL VACARISAS	12.57	MIQUEL Y COSTAS & MIQUEL, S.A.	2,095	Board of Directors with the approval of the Board		YES

	Name or denomination shareholder or any other company of their subsidiaries	% particip ation	Name or denomination social of society a dependent entity	Amount (thousa nds of euros)	Body that has it approved	Identification of the shareholder significant o counsellor that would have abstained	The proposal to the board, if any, has been approved by the Council without a vote against the majority of independents
(3)	INDUMENTA PUERI, S.L	14.65	MIQUEL Y COSTAS & MIQUEL, S.A.	2,444	Board of Directors with the approval of the Board		YES
(4)	MR. JORGE MERCADER MIRO	17.26	MIQUEL Y COSTAS & MIQUEL, S.A.	2,861	Board of Directors with the approval of the Board		YES

	Name or denomination shareholder or any other company of their subsidiaries	Nature of the relationship	Type of operation and other information needed to evaluate it
(1)	MRS. MARÍA DEL CARMEN ESCASANY MIQUEL	CORPORATE	Dividends and other distributed profit
(2)	MRS. BERNADETTE MIQUEL VACARISAS	CORPORATE	Dividends and other distributed profit
(3)	INDUMENTARIA PUERI, S. L	CORPORATE	Dividends and other distributed profit
(4)	MR. JORGE MERCADER MIRÓ	CORPORATE	Dividends and other distributed profit

D.3. List individually the transactions that are significant due to their amount or relevant due to their subject matter carried out by the company or its subsidiaries with the directors or executives of the company, including those transactions carried out with entities that the director or executive controls or jointly controls, indicating which body was competent to approve them and whether any shareholder or director affected abstained. In the event that the board was competent, indicate whether the proposed resolution was approved by the board without the majority of independent directors voting against

	Name(s) or company name(s) of the director(s) or executive(s) or their entity(ies) entities controlled or under joint control	Name or corporate name of the company or body corporate or subsidiary	Linkage	Amount (thousands of euros)	Aproving body	Identification of the shareholder or director who abstained from voting	The proposal to the board, if any, has been approved by the board without the majority of independent voting against.
(1)	MR. ÁLVARO DE LA SERNA CORRAL	MIQUEL Y COSTAS & MIQUEL, S.A.	MEMBER OF THE BOARD	18	Board of Directors with the approval of the Board		YES
(2)	MR. EUSEBIO DÍAZ- MORERA PUIG- SUREDA	MIQUEL Y COSTAS & MIQUEL, S.A.	MEMBER OF THE BOARD	48	Board of Directors with the approval of the Board		YES
(3)	MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA	MIQUEL Y COSTAS & MIQUEL, S.A.	MEMBER OF THE BOARD	82	Board of Directors with the approval of the Board		YES
(4)	MRS. MARINA JURADO SALVADÓ	MIQUEL Y COSTAS & MIQUEL, S.A.	DIRECTOR	24	Board of Directors with the approval of the Board		YES
(5)	MR. JAVIER ARDIACA COLOMER	MIQUEL Y COSTAS & MIQUEL, S.A.	DIRECTOR	14	Board of Directors with the approval of the Board		YES
(6)	MR. JOSEP PAYOLA BASETS	MIQUEL Y COSTAS & MIQUEL, S.A.	DIRECTOR	19	Board of Directors with the approval of the Board		YES
(7)	MR. JAVIER GARCÍA BLASCO	MIQUEL Y COSTAS & MIQUEL, S.A.	DIRECTOR	19	Board of Directors with the approval of the Board		YES

	Name(s) or company name(s) of the director(s) or executive(s) or their entity(ies) entities controlled or under joint control	Name or corporate name of the company or body corporate or subsidiary	Linkage	Amount (thousands of euros)	Aproving body	Identification of the shareholder or director who abstained from voting	The proposal to the board, if any, has been approved by the board without the majority of independent voting against.
(8)	MRS OLGA ENCUENTRA CATALÁN	MIQUEL Y COSTAS & MIQUEL, S.A.	DIRECTOR	8	Board of Directors with the approval of the Board		YES
(9)	MR. JOSÉ MARÍA MASIFERN VALÓN	MIQUEL Y COSTAS & MIQUEL, S.A.	DIRECTOR	14	Board of Directors with the approval of the Board		YES
(10)	MR. IGNASI NIETO MAGALDI	MIQUEL Y COSTAS & MIQUEL, S.A.	DIRECTOR	4	Board of Directors with the approval of the Board		YES
(11)	MR. JORDI PRAT CANADELL	MIQUEL Y COSTAS & MIQUEL, S.A.	DIRECTOR	2	Board of Directors with the approval of the Board		YES
(12)	MR. JAVIER BASAÑEZ VILLALUENGA	MIQUEL Y COSTAS & MIQUEL, S.A	MEMBER OF THE BOARD	47	Board of Directors with the approval of the Board		YES

	Name or corporate name of the directors or managers or their controlled or jointly controlled entities	Nature of the operation and other information necessary to evaluate it
(1)	MR. ÁLVARO DE LA SERNA CORRAL	Dividends and other distributed profit
(2)	MR. EUSEBIO DÍAZ-MORERA PUIG-SUREDA	Dividends and other distributed profit

	Name or corporate name of the directors or managers or their controlled or jointly controlled entities	Nature of the operation and other information necessary to evaluate it
(3)	MR. JORGE MERCADER BARATA	Dividends and other distributed profit
(4)	MRS. MARINA JURADO SALVADÓ	Dividends and other distributed profits
(5)	MR. JAVIER ARDIACA COLOMER	Dividends and other distributed profits
(6)	MR. JOSEP PAYOLA BASETS	Dividends and other distributed profits
(7)	MR. JAVIER GARCÍA BLASCO	Dividends and other distributed profits
(8)	MRS. OLGA ENCUENTRA CATALÁN	Dividends and other distributed profits
(9)	MR. JOSÉ MARÍA MASIFERN VALÓN	Dividends and other distributed profits
(10)	MR. IGNASI NIETO MAGALDI	Dividends and other distributed profits
(11)	MR. JORDI PRAT CANADELL	Dividends and other distributed profits
(12)	MR. JAVIER BASAÑEZ VILLALUENGA	Dividends and other distributed profit

D.4. Report on an individual basis on significant intra-group transactions due to their amount or relevant due to their subject matter carried out by the company with its parent company or with other entities belonging to the parent company's group, including the listed company's own subsidiaries, unless no other related party of the listed company has an interest in such subsidiaries or such subsidiaries are wholly owned, directly or indirectly, by the listed company.

Under all circumstances, report any intra-group transaction performed with entities established in countries or territories considered to be a tax haven:

Company Name of the Entity of the Group	Brief description of operation and other necessary information for its assessment	Amount (Thousand Euros)
No Dates		

D.5 List individually any transactions that are significant in amount or material in terms of their subject matter carried out by the company or its subsidiaries with other related parties in accordance with International Accounting Standards as adopted by the EU, which have not been reported under the preceding headings.

Company Name of the Entity of the Group	Brief description of the operation and other necessary information for its assessment:	Amount (Thousand Euros)
No Dates		

D.6. List the mechanisms established to detect, determine, and resolve any possible conflicts of interest between the company and/or its group, and its directors, management or significant shareholders or other related parties.

In accordance with the Internal Rules of Conduct, people subject to it must inform the Secretary of the Board of Directors about the possible conflicts of interest to which they are subject, or whoever with a linkage that it is subject, as a result of their family relations, their personal property or for any other reason. Any doubt about the possibility of a conflict of interest, must be brought to the Secretary of the Board before adopting any decision which might be affected by the said conflict of interest.

On the other hand, the Regulations of the Administration Council established that the Minister, in order to accept what he did, went directly to another company or entity that could represent a conflict of interest, must consult the Human Resources Commission, Appointments and Remuneration.

In addition to all exposed, annually all the members of the Board of Directors with independence that is not informed at the moment in which you make a request, an express declaration regarding the situation of the conflicts of interest, both referred to the ministers related to title staff with the serves linked parts, ratifying it later in a session of the Administration Council, of which the Secretary records in writing the free register of conflicts of interest of the Company.

D.7. Indicate whether the company is controlled by another entity within the meaning of Article 42 of the Commercial Code, whether listed or not, and has, directly or through its subsidiaries, business relationships with such entity or any of its subsidiaries (other than those of the listed company) or carries out activities related to those of any of them.

[]	Yes
[√]	No

E. RISK CONTROL AND MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS

E.1. Explain the scope of the Company's Financial and Non-Financial Risk Control and Management System, including those of a fiscal nature.

The Audit Committee complying tasks set out in the Bylaws and the Regulations of the Board of Directors business risk controls, supervises and directs the actions of the Internal Control Service relative risks the business in general and in particular those relating to information and observation of legality in its commercial, penal and tax issues.

E.2. Identifies the bodies of the company responsible for the elaboration and execution of the Control and Management System for Financial and Non-Financial Risks, including the public prosecutor.

1. - Human Resources, Nominations and Remunerations Committee: Under its supervision and control are all aspects of the personnel providing the services: prevention and security, retention, replacement, etc.

2. - Audit Committee:

Understand and supervise the financial reporting and Internal Control Systems of the Company as well as the internal control report for the risk prevention of the Company.

3. - Managing Committee:

Belongs to the managerial level and control the industrial operational areas, both productive and logistics general, including environmental and trade.

4. - Risk and Control Committee:

Have assigned the functions of control economic, financial, and legal and credit risk control and risk of accidents in their prevention and insurance.

5. - Investments and Environment Committee

Belongs to the management level monitoring of risks associated with investments in fixed assets in all its considerations: management, environment, etc.

6. - Area Committees:

Monitoring the operational and commercial aspects of each of the business areas of the Group.

7.- Compliance Officer:

Control, measures, evidence and, where appropriate, mitigating actions.

E.3. Indicate the main risks, financial and no financial, including fiscal, to the extent that those derived from corruption are significant (the latter being understood to be within the scope of Royal Decree Law 18/2017) which may prevent the company from achieving its business targets.

The principal risks identified and managed in the Miquel y Costas Group are summarised below:

Macro-economic risks: Raw Materials and Energy Economic and financial environment Legal and regulatory in civil, commercial, and tax matters among others.

Operations and Markets: Sector concentration Quality and quality assurance Research and development of new products

Facilitation: Integrity of assets IT systems Human resources

Taxation

Penalty Risks Environment and sustanibility

E.4. Identify whether the entity has a risk tolerance level including tax-related risks.

The Company considers that it has sufficient capacity and that it is adequately prepared to withstand and manage the risks it has identified.

The Board Regulations establish that it is the function of the Audit Committee to supervise the effectiveness of the internal audit control and risk management systems of the Company, particularly the internal control systems over financial information, and to discuss with the auditors of accounts or companies. external auditors, the significant weaknesses of the internal control system detected in the course of the audit, without violating its independence.

The Regulations of the Board also provide that the Audit Committee, in the development of the powers attributed to it, will identify the different types of risk that the Company faces, the level of risk that the Company considers acceptable, the measures provided to mitigate its impacts and the systems to control and manage the aforementioned risks, the application of which it will propose to the Board of Directors.

Likewise, the Audit Committee submits them to the audit examination and with it compares the established risk assessment processes, the description of those identified with an indication of the tolerance and the assessment that each one of them presents.

E.5 Indicate which financial and non-financial risks, including tax risks, have materialised during the year.

Risk materialized in the exercise: Legal. In the ongoing litigation that the Company maintains with a former distributor in Italy, Tobacco's Import – Export SPA, the Suprem Court has rejected the appeal filed by the aforementioned distributor against the judgment of the Provincial Court of Barcelona confirming the origin of the termination of the distribution contract by the Parent Company and condemning the distributor to pay the corresponding compensation for damages by paying 1,999 thousand euros. Said sentence is in process of execution in Italy in case of favorable resolution to guarantee its payment.

Materialized risk within the exercise: Prosecutor. Filing of administrative contentious appeals before the National Court, against the resolution issued by the Central Economic and Administrative Court that dismisses the administrative economic claim filed against the liquidation agreement of the tax inspectorate in relation to the tax of companies from 2012 to 2015.

Materialized risk within the exercise: Filing of two economic-administrative claims from the Central Economic-Administrative Tribunal against the Liquidation Agreements of the Tax Agency in relation to the parcial exemption in the tax on the electricity of the 2016 and 2017 years for a band, and of the exercise 2018. The Company has proceeded provisionally to the payment of the settlements collected by the cited settlement agreements.

Materialized risk within the year: Filing of a contentious-administrative appeal against the resolution of the Regional Economic Administrative Court of Catalonia, within the framework of the procedure for requesting the refund of undue income for the Hydrocarbons Tax quotas for the periods between September 2014 and September 2018, both inclusive.

E.6. Explain the response and supervision plans for the principal risks faced by the company including tax-related risks.

The Company monitors all legislation that affects you through its Committees, its Executive Committee, of its internal and external collaborators of its advisory services. As soon as he is known, the channels through areas responsibility should be aware of it for proper compliance.

Additionally, the Board of Directors and, where appropriate, its Delegate Committees, carry out selective monitoring of the application, adaptation and observance of the aforementioned regulations.

Also, in the field of taxation, it maintains a constant update of the tax regulations through its advisers, analyses the economic facts to treat them with the greatest guarantees in the responsible Committees and activates the action procedures in cases where the Administration Tax so I asked.

F. SYSTEMS OF INTERNAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING (ICFR)

Describe the mechanisms comprising the risk management and control systems for financial reporting (ICFR) in the entity.

F.1. The entity's control environment

Give information, describing the key features of at least:

F.1.1 which bodies and/or functions are responsible for: (i) the existence and maintenance of an adequate and effective ICFR; (ii) its implementation; and (iii) its supervision.

Audit Committee, with regards to what is statet within the Regulations of the Board of Directors of the Company, which lists basic responsibilities entrusted with the monitoring of the effectiveness of internal audit control of the Company, as well as knowledge and monitoring the process of preparing and presenting the Financial Information Regulated. Under his direction operates the internal audit service.

F.1.2 whether, especially in the process of drawing up the financial information, the following elements exist:

Departments and/or mechanisms responsible for: (i) the design and review of the organisational structure; (ii) the clear definition of lines of responsibility and authority, with an adequate distribution of tasks and functions; and (iii) ensuring that sufficient procedures exist for their correct dissemination within the entity.

The goal of the Human Resources, Nomination and Remuneration Committee is the review and definition of the organizational structure and reporting and submission to the Board of Directors. Council acting by delegation, the General Management is responsible for implementing the resolutions of the Board in relation to the Group's organizational structure.

The Company has documented internal procedures to ensure the correct development of the assigned functions.

 Code of conduct, approval body, degree of dissemination and instruction, principles and values included (indicating whether specific mention is made of recording the transactions and drawing up of the financial information), body in charge of analysing non-compliance and proposing corrective measures and sanctions.

The Company has an internal Code of Conduct approved by the Board of Directors which defines the principles and standards of practice in Stock Markets. Company's staffs are familiar with and understand such regulations, and a copy of the Code of Conduct is available in the corporate website and the CNMV website.

That regulation, since its original version, has been adapted how many legislative changes or other has been required, having adopted its current wording in the meeting of the Board of Directors in 20th of June 2022, and comunicated in CNMV.

Additionally, it has procedures that establish the action guidelines and give the treatment to sensitive information.

Whistleblowing channel, which enables communication to be sent to the Audit and Control Committee
concerning any irregularities of a financial and accounting nature, along with any possible breaches of the
Code of Conduct and irregular activity within the organisation, and state whether said channel is confidential
whether it allows for anonymous communications while respecting the rights of the complainant and the
accused.

The Audit Committee has an ethical channel in place through which the Organization's staff can transmit their suggestions or make recommendations on any matter whose content is related to the Group, as well as report on compliance irregularities or process complaints about illegal activities or suspect.

The communications and complaints that, for this channel and for these purposes, the staff transmits may be anonymous or have their identification at the option of their author, and will receive in all circumstances the qualification and treatment of confidentials.

It is also established that foreign staff linked to the organization can file serious complaints.

 Periodic training and refresher courses for employees involved in preparing and revising the financial information, and in ICFR assessment, covering at least accounting standards, audit, internal control and risk management.

The staff involved in the preparation and review of Financial Information and who are responsible for the evaluation of Internal Control Systems participate in training programs and are regularly updated in relation to accounting standards, internal control and risk management.

These training programs are mainly promoted by the directives of areas, with the Human Resources Department responsible for the supervision and mentoring.

F.2. Financial reporting risk assessment

Give information on at least:

F.2.1 the key features of the risk identification process, including error and fraud risks, with respect to:

• If the process exists and is documented.

For corporate risk management, the Company has designed a comprehensive risk map of the most important processes involved in determining Financial Information. This document is based on the model proposed by the COSO report and is updated on an on-going basis within the Internal Audit Plan.

This document establishes that corporate risk management is a process undertaken by the Board of Directors and the Committees, together with Management and other staff of the Company, and that its basic function is the identification and evaluation of potential occurrences that could jeopardize the attainment of the Company's objectives.

 Whether the process covers all the objectives of financial reporting (existence and occurrence; completeness; valuation; presentation, disclosure and comparability; and rights and obligations), whether the information is updated and with what frequency.

The framework for corporate risk management is aimed primarily at achieving the objectives of the Company from the perspective of financial reporting and as part of the on-going process of risk evaluation includes verification of compliance with the following principles:

- Integrity.
- Appropriate registry.
- Proper valuation.
- Adequate cut-off on operations.
- Adequate presentation and classification.
- The existence of a process for identifying the consolidation perimeter, taking into account aspects including the possible existence of complex corporate structures, instrumental or special purpose vehicles.

Financial Management carries out an on-going identification process of the scope of consolidation of the Group, continuously for which has multidepartment information sources.

• Whether the process takes into account the effects of other types of risks (operational, technological, financial, legal, reputational, environmental, etc.) insofar as they impact the financial statements.

Internal Control System is focused on assessing the risk of achieving the objectives related to the category Financial Information; however, the evaluation process includes objectives related to operational and regulatory compliance. An evaluation of risks related to the environment, quality, knowledge, development, intellectual and industrial property and reputation is included within these operational objectives and their performance.

• Which of the entity's governance bodies supervises the process.

Ultimately, the Board of Directors, in addition to what is carried out by the Audit Committee, which has been delegated, among others, the powers of periodically supervising the internal audit, internal control systems and risk management systems of the Company.

F.3. Control activities

Give information on the main features, if at least the following exist:

F.3.1 Procedures for review and authorisation of the financial information and the description of the ICFR, to be published on the securities markets, indicating who is responsible for it, and the documentation describing the activity and controls flows (including those concerning risk of fraud) for the different types of transactions that may materially impact the financial statements, including the procedure for closing the accounts and the specific review of the relevant judgements, estimates, valuations and projections.

The Interim Half Year Financial Reporting is analysed by the Audit Committee, in accordance with the authority delegated by the Board of Directors.

The Board of Directors is the body that decides, based on the Audit Committee's report, the terms of the Financial-Economic Information that the Company must make public.

The Accounting and Consolidation Department together with the Management Control Department prepare monthly Financial Information of all Group companies, manage and monitor the transactions supporting documentation and processes in response to risk prevention. This Financial Information is reviewed and analysed, together with estimates and valuations, within the Management Committee and the Committee of Control and Risk Management.

General Management presents to the Board of Directors at least monthly, the information of the period.

F.3.2 Internal control policies and procedures on information systems (inter alia, on access security, control of changes, operation thereof, operating continuity and separation of functions) which support the relevant processes of the company in drawing up and publishing financial information.

The Company has updated and disseminated internal policies and procedures on the operation of Information Systems and access security, the segregation of duties, as well as the development or maintenance of computer applications.

The management of access to Information Systems is assigned to the Information Systems Department, which has adequate human and technical resources for its correct performance, following the established organizational guidelines.

Regarding the control mechanisms for data recovery and ensuring the continuity of operations, the Group has a Contingency Plan that is permanently reviewed and updated.

The annual review of Internal Control carried out by the Group's external Auditors includes the verification of the Information Systems controls.

F.3.3 Internal control procedures and policies designed to supervise the management of activities subcontracted to third parties, and those aspects of the valuation, calculation and assessment outsourced to independent experts, which may materially impact the financial statements.

The processes of valuation, judgments or calculations to be carried out for the preparation and publication of the Financial Statements are carried out by the Internal Services as well as those other processes that may be relevant for the purposes of preparing said Financial Information.

Verification, auditing, evaluation services, etc. that affect different activities are, according to their idiosyncrasy, carried out with the periodicity established by external services, such as the Non-Financial Information Statement and the Evaluation of the Board of Directors, among others, and on industrial activity on specific topics.

F.4. Information and communication

Give information on the main features, if at least the following exist:

F.4.1 A specific function to define and keep the accounting policies updated (accounting policy department or area) and deal with queries or conflicts stemming from their interpretation, ensuring fluent communication with those in charge of operations in the organisation, and an up-to-date manual of accounting policies, communicated to the units through which the entity operates.

The Accounting and Management Control Department is responsible for defining and keeping up to date the accounting policies of Group MCM, as well as keeping those responsible for the applicable areas informed of any changes or updates to such policies, and resolving conflicts related to their interpretation.

The accounting policies applied by the Company are based on the framework established in the Code of Commerce, the General Accounting Plan in force and other corporate legislation, as well as the International Financial Reporting Standards and European Directives and Regulations in this regard taken by the European Union.

F.4.2 Mechanisms to capture and prepare the financial reporting in standardised formats, for application and use by all the units of the entity or the group, that support the main financial statements and the notes, and the information detailed on ICFR.

The Group's information systems are mainly supported by an integrated corporate application (ERP) allowing a centralised and automated management of the different areas such as production, orders, sales, purchases, logistics, stock and control of warehousing, accounting, payroll, etc., and that provides reliability in the processes and a certain degree of security regarding the integrity, reliability and uniformity of the financial information obtained.

Affiliated companies that form part of the Consolidated Group in Spain, follow a single chart of accounts and homogeneous. The information is processed by the integrated management system which enables automatic capture of Financial Information and its preparation by the Corporate Accounting Department. The companies not integrated in this associated computer system and some of the foreign companies follow the criterion of maximum homogeneity and additionally the Group has implemented control measures that guarantee that the financial data collected by these companies are complete, accurate and timely in a timely manner.

F.5. Supervision of the system's operation

Give information, describing the key features of at least:

F.5.1 The ICFR supervision activities carried out by the Audit Committee and whether the entity has an internal audit function whose powers include providing support to the Audit Committee in its task of supervising the internal control system, including the ICFR. Likewise, give information on the scope of the ICFR assessment carried out during the year and of the procedure by which the person in charge of performing the assessment communicates its results, whether the entity has an action plan listing the possible corrective measures, and whether its impact on the financial reporting has been considered.

The Audit Committee: Its functions are focused on evaluating the proper design, implementation and effective functioning of all processes of the Company, as well as risk management systems and internal control, including SCIIF.

The Audit Committee approves the annual work Plan and performs periodic monitoring. At its meetings, the Audit Committee discusses the evaluations and recommendations that the control service has issued and proposes appropriate corrective measures and evaluates the effects of implementation.

F.5.2 Whether there is a discussion procedure by which the auditor (in line with the technical auditing notes), the internal audit function and other experts can inform the senior management and the audit committee or the directors of the entity of significant weaknesses in the internal control encountered during the review processes for the annual accounts or any others within their remit. Likewise, give information of whether there is an action plan to try to correct or mitigate the weaknesses observed.

The Audit Committee keeps in regular contact with the External Auditor and the Internal Supervision Services. The Committee is the body that keeps the Board of Directors informed about the matters dealt with and the actions taken.

During the Committee's meetings with the External Auditor it is discussed the work programme and conclusions thereof regarding the internal control carried out during the audit process of the annual accounts.

The Committee monitors the activity carried out and the compliance with the agreed action plans to reduce any weaknesses in the sector.

Financial management keeps in regular contact with the External Auditor to corroborate actions taken to prevent or redirect any weaknesses identified.

F.6. Other relevant information

F.7. External auditor report

Report of:

F.7.1 Whether the ICFR information disclosed to the markets has been submitted to review by the external auditor, in which case the entity must attach the corresponding report as an annex. Otherwise, explain the reasons why it was not.

The Company considers that the implanted systems offer a sufficient guarantee of the quality of the other Financial Information and informs in all the communications that it is appropriate.

G. DEGREE OF COMPLIANCE OF THE CORPORATE GOVERNANCE RECOMMENDATIONS

Indicate the Company's degree of compliance with the recommendations given in the Unified Code of Good Governance.

Should any recommendation not be followed or be only partially followed, a detailed explanation should be given of the reasons so that the shareholders, investors, and the market in general have sufficient information to assess the way the company works. General explanations will not be acceptable.

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.

Complies 🗹 Explain 🗆

- 2. When the listed company is controlled, pursuant to the meaning established in Article 42 of the Commercial Code, by another listed or non-listed entity, and has, directly or through its subsidiaries, business relationships with that entity or any of its subsidiaries (other than those of the listed company) or carries out activities related to the activities of any of them, this is reported publicly, with specific information about:
 - a) The respective areas of activity and possible business relationships between, on the one hand, the listed company, or its subsidiaries and, on the other, the parent company or its subsidiaries.
 - b) The mechanisms established to resolve any conflicts of interest that may arise.

Complies \Box Complies partially \Box Explain \Box Not applicable Z

- **3.** During the annual general meeting the chairman of the board should verbally inform shareholders in sufficient detail of the most relevant aspects of the company's corporate governance, supplementing the written information circulated in the annual corporate governance report. In particular:
 - a) Changes taking place since the previous annual general meeting.
 - b) The specific reasons for the company not following a given Good Governance Code recommendation and any alternative procedures followed in its stead.

Complies \square Complies partially \square Explain \square

4. The company should define and promote a policy for communication and contact with shareholders and institutional investors within the framework of their involvement in the company, as well as with proxy advisors, that complies in full of the rules on market abuse and gives equal treatment to shareholders who are in the same position. The company should make said policy public through its website, including information regarding the way in which it has been implemented and the parties involved or those responsible its implementation.

Further, without prejudice to the legal obligations of disclosure of inside information and other regulated information, the company should also have a general policy for the communication of economic-financial, non-financial and corporate information through the channels it considers appropriate (media, social media, or other channels) that helps maximise the dissemination and quality of the information available to the market, investors and other stakeholders.

Complies □ Complies partially ☑ Explain □

The Company has established rules of action in relation to communication policy, which respect the legislation in force and the treatment appropriate to each recipient of information. These standards are included in various regulatory texts that are published on the corporate website.

The dissemination of information through the media is articulated through an external agency. Prior to dissemination through this channel, the information that will be made available to the market, investors and other stakeholders is rigorously reviewed internally by the Company in order to ensure that it is clear and truthful.

Additionally, the Company holds meetings with the agents who request it in order to clarify and explain the information disclosed through the different channels, counting on this with a single centralized internal "spokesperson" that manages communications with financial analysts, investors and others. interest groups.

5. The board of directors should not make a proposal to the general meeting for the delegation of powers to issue shares or convertible securities without pre-emptive subscription rights for an amount exceeding 20% of capital at the time of such delegation.

When a board approves the issuance of shares or convertible securities without pre-emptive subscription rights, the company should immediately post a report on its website explaining the exclusion as envisaged in company legislation.

Complies \square Complies partially \square Explain \square

- **6.** Listed companies drawing up the following reports on a voluntary or compulsory basis should publish them on their website well in advance of the ordinary general meeting, even if their distribution is not obligatory:
 - a) Report on auditor independence.
 - b) Reports on the operation of the Audit and Control Committee and the Appointments and Remuneration Committee.
 - c) Audit Committee report on related party transactions.

Complies \Box — Complies partially \Box — Explain ${\boldsymbol{ \ensuremath{\mathcal{D}}}}$

The Company prepares annually most of the reports included in this Recommendation.

7. That the company transmit live, through its website, the holding of general shareholders' meetings.

And that the company has mechanisms that allow the delegation and the exercise of the vote by telematic means and even, in the case of companies with high capitalization and to the extent that it is proportionate, the attendance and active participation in the General Meeting.

Complies □ Complies partially ☑ Explain □

At the moment, the Company does not consider it necessary to broadcast live, through its website, the holding of general meetings due to the complexity and use of media required to do so.

The Regulations of the General Meeting stipulate that when it is agreed to attend the General Meeting electronically in accordance with the provisions of the law, the Board:

1. It will arbitrate the appropriate procedures, so that the Company and the attendees of the meeting can make use of all those electronic means that facilitate communication and effective participation (by exercising their rights both previously in the Board and in real time in the same and to follow the interventions of the other attendees), these means must guarantee the identity and legitimacy of the shareholders and their representatives.

2. It shall provide, as appropriate, information on the systems that facilitate remote monitoring or assistance to the General Meeting through the established telematic means, and any other information that is considered convenient and useful for the shareholder for this purpose.

3. It shall determine all the necessary extremes to allow the orderly development of the meeting, within the framework of the provisions of the Law.

In any case, it is the Company's preference to hold the General Meeting in person, as it understands that it is the best method of participation for the attendees.

8. The Audit and Control Committee should strive to ensure that the financial statements that the board of directors presents to the general shareholders' meeting are drawn up in accordance to accounting legislation. And in those cases where the auditors include any qualification in its report, the chairman of the Audit and Control Committee should give a clear explanation at the general meeting of their opinion regarding the scope and content, making a summary of that opinion available to the shareholders at the time of the publication of the notice of the meeting, along with the rest of proposals and reports of the board.

Complies \square Complies partially \square Explain \square

9. The company should disclose its conditions and procedures for admitting share ownership, the right to attend general meetings and the exercise or delegation of voting rights and display them permanently on its website.

Such conditions and procedures should encourage shareholders to attend and exercise their rights and be applied in a non-discriminatory manner.

- **10.** When an accredited shareholder exercises the right to supplement the agenda or submit new proposals prior to the general meeting, the company should:
 - a) Immediately circulate the supplementary items and new proposals.
 - b) Disclose the model of attendance card or proxy appointment or remote voting form duly modified so that new agenda items and alternative proposals can be voted on in the same terms as those submitted by the board of directors.
 - c) Put all these items or alternative proposals to the vote applying the same voting rules as for those submitted by the board of directors, with particular regard to presumptions or deductions about the direction of votes.
 - d) After the general meeting, disclose the breakdown of votes on such supplementary items or alternative proposals.

Complies \Box Complies partially \Box Explain \Box Not applicable \Box

11. That, if the company plans to pay attendance bonuses at the general shareholders' meeting, it establishes, in advance, a general policy on such bonuses and that said policy is stable.

Complies \Box Complies partially \Box Explain \Box Not applicable \square

12. The board of Directors should perform its duties with unity of purpose and independent judgement, according to the same treatment to all shareholders in the same position. It should be always guided by the company's best interest, understood as the creation of a profitable business that promotes its sustainable success over time, while maximising its economic value.

In pursuing the corporate interest, it should not only abide by laws and regulations and conduct itself according to principles of good faith, ethics and respect for commonly accepted customs and good practices, but also strive to reconcile its own interests with the legitimate interests of its employees, suppliers, clients, and other stakeholders, as well as with the impact of its activities on the broader community and the natural environment.

Complies ☑ Complies partially □ Explain □

13. The Board of Directors should have an optimal size to promote its efficient functioning and maximize participation. The recommended range is accordingly between five and fifteen members.

Complies 🗹 Explain 🗆

- **14.** The board of directors should approve a policy aimed at promoting an appropriate composition of the board that:
 - a) Is concrete and verifiable.
 - b) Ensures that appointment or re-election proposals are based on a prior analysis of the Board's needs.
 - c) Favours diversity of knowledge, experience, age, and gender. Therefore, measures that encourage the company to have a significant number of female senior managers are considered to favour gender diversity.

The results of the prior analysis of competences required by the board should be written up in the nomination committee's explanatory report, to be published when the general shareholders' meeting is convened that will ratify the appointment and re-election of each director.

The Appointments Committee should run an annual check on compliance with this Policy and set out its findings in annual corporate governance report.

Complies \Box Complies partially $\mathbf{\nabla}$ Explain \Box

The diversity policy of the Board followed by the company meets the requirements indicated in letters a) b) and c).

The selection process is aimed at ensuring that the members of the Board of Directors are endowed with the experience and knowledge necessary to fulfil their functions and responsibilities and to provide adequate specialization to cover the different committees set up by the Board.

Said selection process must always comply with the pillars of the Company and therefore, avoiding that during the same produces any type of discrimination based on age or gender; compliance with this is verified and endorsed by the Human Resources, Appointment and Remuneration Committee.

15. Proprietary and independent directors should constitute an ample majority on the Board of Directors, while the number of executive directors should be the minimum practical bearing in mind the complexity of the corporate group and the ownership interests, they control.

Further, the number of female directors should account for at least 40% of the members of the board of directors before the end of 2022 and thereafter, and not less than 30% previous to that.

Complies □ Complies partially ☑ Explain □

The Company partially complies with the first part of the recommendation; the Executive Directors constitute the minimum number of Directors. It is highlighted that in the 2022 financial year, the number of directors in this category has been reduced, going from three to two. The proprietary and independent Directors, two and three respectively, together constitute half of the members of the Council, it being important to highlight that two of the directors who respond to the typology of "other externals", were initially incorporated Independent Councils, and obliged to to modify its original condition due to the term of its permanence in the heart of the same in accordance with the description of the Law of Companies.

The Board of Directors currently has a female Director who represents 10% of the members of the Board. The established objective is that the number of female directors represents, at least, 40% of the total members of the Board legally aligned within the term; To achieve this objective, the Human Resources, Appointments and Remuneration Committee must ensure that the selection procedures do not suffer from implicit biases that may imply any discrimination, among others, for reasons of gender, so that when there are vacancies to be filled, It must include among the potential candidates for Director at least one woman who meets the professional profile sought, without prejudice to the essential criteria of merit and capacity that must govern these processes.

16. The percentage of proprietary directors out of all non-executive directors should be no greater than the proportion between the ownership stake of the shareholders they represent and the remainder of the company's capital.

This criterion can be relaxed:

- a) In large cap companies where few or no equity stakes attain the legal threshold for significant shareholdings.
- b) In companies with a plurality of shareholders represented on the board but not otherwise related.

Complies 🗹 🛛 Explain 🗆

17. Independent directors should be at least half of all board members.

However, when the company does not have a large market capitalisation, or when a large cap company has shareholders individually or concertedly controlling over 30 percent of capital, independent directors should occupy, at least, a third of board places.

Complies ☑ Explain □

- **18.** Companies should disclose the following director particulars on their websites and keep them regularly updated:
 - a) Background and professional experience.
 - b) Directorships held in other companies, listed or otherwise, and other paid activities they engage in, of whatever nature.
 - c) Statement of the director class to which they belong, in the case of proprietary directors indicating the shareholder they represent or have links with.
 - d) Dates of their first appointment as a board member and subsequent re-elections.
 - e) Shares held in the company, and any options on the same.

Complies ☑ Complies partially □ Explain □

19. Following verification by the nomination committee, the annual corporate governance report should disclose the reasons for the appointment of proprietary directors at the urging of shareholders controlling less than 3 percent of capital; and explain any rejection of a formal request for a board place from shareholders whose equity stake is equal to or greater than that of others applying successfully for a proprietary directorship.

Complies \Box Complies partially \Box Explain \Box Not applicable \blacksquare

20. 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.

Complies \square Complies partially \square Explain \square Not applicable \square

21. The Board of Directors should not propose the removal of independent directors before the expiry of their tenure as mandated by the Bylaws, except where they find just cause, based on a proposal from the Nomination Committee. In particular, just cause will be presumed when directors take up new posts or responsibilities that prevent them allocating sufficient time to the work of a board member or are in breach of their fiduciary duties or come under one of the disqualifying grounds for classification as independent enumerated in the applicable legislation.

The removal of independent directors may also be proposed when a takeover bid, merger or similar corporate transaction alters the company's capital structure, provided the changes in board membership ensue from the proportionality criterion set out in recommendation 16.

Complies 🗹 Explain 🗆

22. Companies should establish rules obliging directors to disclose any circumstance that might harm the organisation's name or reputation, related or not to their actions within the company, and tendering their resignation as the case may be, and, in particular, to inform the board of any criminal charges brought against them and the progress of any subsequent trial.

When the board is informed or becomes aware of any of the situations mentioned in the previous paragraph, the board of directors should examine the case as soon as possible and, attending to the particular circumstances, decide, based on a report from the nomination and remuneration committee, whether or not to adopt any measures such as opening of an internal investigation, calling on the director to resign or proposing his or her dismissal. The board should give a reasoned account of all such determinations in the annual corporate governance report, unless there are special circumstances that justify otherwise, which must be recorded in the minutes. This is without prejudice to the information that the company must disclose, if appropriate, at the time it adopts the corresponding measures.

Complies ☑ Complies partially □ Explain □

23. Directors should express their clear opposition when they feel a proposal submitted for the board's approval might damage the corporate interest. Independents and other directors not subject to potential conflicts of interest should strenuously challenge any decision that could harm the interests of shareholders lacking board representation.

When the board makes material or reiterated decisions about which a director has expressed serious reservations then he or she must draw the pertinent conclusions. Directors resigning for such causes should set out their reasons in the letter referred to in the next recommendation.

The terms of this recommendation also apply to the secretary of the board, even if he or she is not a director.

Complies \square Complies partially \square Explain \square Not applicable \square

24. Directors who give up their position before their tenure expires, through resignation or resolution of the general meeting, should state the reasons for this decision, or in the case of non-executive directors, their opinion of the reasons for the general meeting resolution, in a letter to be sent to all members of the board.

This should all be reported in the annual corporate governance report, and if it is relevant for investors, the company should publish an announcement of the departure as rapidly as possible, with sufficient reference to the reasons or circumstances provided by the director.

Complies \square Complies partially \square Explain \square Not applicable \square

25. The nomination committee should ensure that non-executive directors have sufficient time available to discharge their responsibilities effectively.

The board of director's regulations should lay down the maximum number of company boards on which directors can serve.

Complies \square Complies partially \square Explain \square

26. The board should meet with the necessary frequency to properly perform its functions, eight times a year at least, in accordance with a calendar and agendas set at the start of the year, to which each director may propose the addition of initially unscheduled items.

Complies ☑ Complies partially □ Explain □

27. Director absences should be kept to a strict minimum and quantified in the Annual Corporate Governance Report. In the event of absence, directors should delegate their powers of representation with the appropriate instructions.

Complies \square Complies partially \square Explain \square

28. When directors or the secretary express concerns about some proposal or, in the case of directors, about the company's performance, and such concerns are not resolved at the meeting, they should be recorded in the minute book if the person expressing them so requests.

Complies \square Complies partially \square Explain \square Not applicable \square

29. The company should provide suitable channels for directors to obtain the advice they need to carry out their duties, extending, if necessary, to external assistance at the company's expense.

Complies *✓* Complies partially *□* Explain *□*

30. Regardless of the knowledge directors must possess to carry out their duties, they should also be offered refresher programmes when circumstances so advise.

Complies ☑ Explain □ Not Applicable □

31. The agendas of board meetings should clearly indicate on which points directors must arrive at a decision, so they can study the matter beforehand or gather the material they need.

For reasons of urgency, the chairman may wish to present decisions or resolutions for board approval that were not on the meeting agenda. In such exceptional circumstances, their inclusion will require the express prior consent, duly minuted, of the majority of directors present.

Complies \square Complies partially \square Explain \square

32. Directors should be regularly informed of movements in share ownership and of the views of major shareholders, investors and rating agencies on the company and its group.

Complies ☑ Complies partially □ Explain □

33. The chairman, as the person charged with the efficient functioning of the board of directors, in addition to the functions assigned by law and the company's bylaws, should prepare and submit to the board a schedule of meeting dates and agendas; organise and coordinate regular evaluations of the board and, where appropriate, the company's chief executive officer; exercise leadership of the board and be accountable for its proper functioning; ensure that sufficient time is given to the discussion of strategic issues, and approve and review refresher courses for each director, when circumstances so advise.

Complies ☑ Complies partially □ Explain □

34. When a lead independent director has been appointed, the Bylaws or Board of Directors regulations should grant him or her the following powers over and above those conferred by law: chair the board of directors in the absence of the chairman and vice chairmen give voice to the concerns of non-executive directors; maintain contacts with investors and shareholders to hear their views and develop a balanced understanding of their concerns, especially those to do with the company's corporate governance; and coordinate the chairman's succession plan.

Complies 🗆 Complies partially 🗹 Explain 🗆 Not Applicable 🗆

The powers granted to the Coordinating Director of the Company are those provided for in current legislation.

35. The board secretary should strive to ensure that the board's actions and decisions are informed by the governance recommendations of the Good Governance Code of relevance to the company.

Complies ☑ Explain □

- **36.** The board in full should conduct an annual evaluation, adopting, where necessary, an action plan to correct weakness detected in:
 - a) The quality and efficiency of the board's operation.
 - b) The performance and membership of its committees.
 - c) The diversity of board membership and competences.
 - d) The performance of the chairman of the board of directors and the company's chief executive.
 - e) The performance and contribution of individual directors, with particular attention to the chairmen of board committees.

The evaluation of board committees should start from the reports they send the board of directors, while that the board itself should start from the report of the nomination committee.

Every three years, the board of directors should engage an external facilitator to aid in the evaluation process. This facilitator's independence should be verified by the nomination committee.

Any business dealings that the facilitator or members of its corporate group maintain with the company or members of its corporate group should be detailed in the annual corporate governance report.

The process followed and areas evaluated should be detailed in the annual corporate governance report.

Complies \square Complies partially \square Explain \square

37. When there is an executive committee, there should be at least two nonexecutive members, at least one of whom should be independent; and its secretary should be the secretary of the board of directors.

Complies \Box Complies partially \Box Explain \Box Not Applicable \square

38. The board of directors should be kept fully informed of the business transacted and decisions made by the executive committee. To this end, all board members should receive a copy of the committee's minutes.

Complies □ Complies partially □ Explain □ Not Applicable ☑

39. All members of the Audit and Control Committee, particularly its chairman, should be appointed regarding their knowledge and experience in accounting, auditing, and risk management matters, both financial and non-financial.

40. Listed companies should have a unit in charge of the internal audit function, under the supervision of the audit committee, to monitor the effectiveness of reporting and control systems. This unit should report functionally to the board's non-executive chairman or the chairman of the audit committee.

Complies □ Complies partially ☑ Explain □

The organic structure of the Company offers guarantees of supervision of the Information Systems and Internal Control and is complemented by the SCIIF control and criminal risk prevention service, which supervises the Information Systems and Internal Control and reports directly to the Audit Committee.

41. The head of the unit handling the internal audit function should present an annual work programme to the Audit and Control Committee, for approval by this committee or the board, inform it directly of any incidents or scope limitations arising during its implementation, the results and monitoring of its recommendations, and submit activities report at the end of each year.

Complies \Box Complies partially \blacksquare Explain \Box Not Applicable \Box

SCIIF control service and Criminal Risk Prevention defined according to the organizational dimension of the Company, it is included in recommendation 40 and, in its control function, submits to the Audit Committee for approval, its annual work plan, informs it of its execution, including incidents and limitations in its development, results and monitoring of your recommendations; Every six months it submits an activity report for your consideration.

- **42.** The Audit and Control Committee have the following functions over and above those legally assigned:
 - 1. With respect to internal control and reporting systems:
 - a) Monitor and evaluate the preparation process and the integrity of the financial and non-financial information, as well as the control and management systems for financial and non-financial risks related to the company and, where appropriate, to the group including operating, technological, legal, social, environmental, political and reputational risks or those related to corruption reviewing compliance with regulatory requirements, the accurate demarcation of the consolidation perimeter, and the correct application of accounting principles.
 - b) Monitor the independence of the unit handling the internal audit function; propose the selection, appointment and removal of the head of the internal audit service; propose the service's budget; approve or make a proposal for approval to the board of the priorities and annual work programme of the internal audit unit, ensuring that it focuses primarily on the main risks the company is exposed to (including reputational risk); receive regular report-backs on its activities; and verify that senior management are acting on the findings and recommendations of its reports.
 - c) Establish and supervise a mechanism that allows employees and other persons related to the company, such as directors, shareholders, suppliers, contractors or subcontractors, to report irregularities of potential significance, including financial and accounting irregularities, or those of any other nature, related to the company, that they notice within the company or its group. This mechanism must guarantee confidentiality and enable communications to be made anonymously, respecting the rights of both the complainant and the accused party.
 - d) In general, ensure that the internal control policies and systems established are applied effectively in practice
 - 2. With regards to the External Auditor:
 - a) In the event of resignation of the External Auditor, the Committee should investigate the issues giving rise to the resignation.
 - b) Ensure that the remuneration of the external auditor does not compromise its quality or independence.
 - c) Ensure that the company notifies any change of external auditor through the CNMV, accompanied by a statement of any disagreements arising with the outgoing auditor and the reasons for the same.
 - d) Ensure that the External Auditor has a yearly meeting with the Board in plenary session to inform them of the work undertaken and developments in the company's risk and accounting positions.
 - e) Ensure that the company and the external auditor adhere to current regulations on the provision of non-audit services, limits on the concentration of the auditor's business and other requirements concerning auditor independence.

43. The audit committee should be empowered to meet with any company employee or manager, even ordering their appearance without the presence of another senior officer.

Complies \square Complies partially \square Explain \square

44. The Audit Committee should be informed of any fundamental changes or corporate transactions the company is planning, so the committee can analyse the operation and report to the board beforehand on its economic conditions and accounting impact and, when applicable, the exchange ratio proposed.

Complies \checkmark Complies partially \square Explain \square Not Applicable \square

- **45.** The risk control and management policies should identify at least:
- a) The different types of financial and non-financial risk the company is exposed to (including operational, technological, financial, legal, social, environmental, political, and reputational risks, and risks relating to corruption), with the inclusion under financial or economic risks of contingent liabilities and other off-balance-sheet risks.
- b) A risk control and management model based on different levels, of which a specialised risk committee will form part when sector regulations provide, or the company deems it appropriate.
- c) The level of risk that the company considers acceptable.
- d) The measures in place to mitigate the impact of identified risk events should they occur.
- e) The internal control and reporting systems to be sued to control and manage the above risks, including the contingent liabilities and off-balance sheet risks.

Complies \square Complies partially \square Explain \square

- **46.** Companies should establish a risk control and management function in the charge of one of the company's internal department or units and under the direct supervision of the audit committee or some other dedicated board committee. This function should be expressly charged with the following responsibilities:
 - a) Ensure that risk control and management systems are functioning correctly and, specifically, that major risks the company is exposed to are correctly identified, managed and quantified
 - b) Participate actively in the preparation of risk strategies and in key decisions about their management.
 - c) Ensure that risk control and management systems are mitigating risks effectively in the frame of the policy drawn up by the board of directors.

47. Appointees to the nomination and remuneration committee – or of the nomination committee and remuneration committee, if separately constituted – should have the right balance of knowledge, skills, and experience for the functions they are called on to discharge. Most of their members should be independent directors.

Complies □ Complies partially ☑ Explain □

This recommendation is observed by the Company, insofar as the members of the Human Resources, Appointments and Remuneration Committee have the knowledge, skills, and experience appropriate to the functions they have to perform within it. In accordance with the provisions of the Capital Companies Act, the Committee is made up entirely of non-executive Directors and is chaired by an independent Director.

The option marked responds to the fact that the number of independent members is 40%, although it should be mentioned that two of the five members of the Committee respond to the typology of "Other External", whose previous condition was that of independent, modified in accordance with applicable regulations.

48. Large cap companies should operate separately constituted nomination and remuneration committees.

Complies □ Explain □ Not Applicable 🖌

49. The Nomination Committee should consult with the company's Chairman and chief executive, especially on matters relating to executive Directors.

When there are vacancies on the board, any Director may approach the Nomination Committee to propose candidates that it might consider suitable.

Complies ☑ Complies partially □ Explain □

- **50.** The remuneration committee should operate independently and have the following functions in addition to those assigned by law:
 - a) Propose to the board the standard conditions for senior officer contracts.
 - b) Monitor compliance with the remuneration policy set by the company.
 - c) Periodically review the remuneration policy for directors and senior officers, including share-based remuneration systems and their application, and ensure that their individual compensation is proportionate to the amounts paid to other directors and senior officers in the company.
 - d) Ensure that conflicts of interest do not undermine the independence of any external advice the committee engages.
 - e) Verify the information on director and senior officers' pay contained in corporate documents, including the annual directors' remuneration statement.

51. The remuneration committee should consult with the company's chairman and chief executive, especially on matters relating to executive directors and senior officers.

Complies ☑ Complies partially □ Explain □

- **52**. The terms of reference of supervision and control committees should be set out in the board of directors regulations and aligned with those governing legally mandatory board committees as specified in the preceding sets of recommendations. They should include at least the following terms:
 - a) Committees should be formed exclusively by non-executive directors, with most independents.
 - b) They should be chaired by independent directors.
 - c) The board should appoint the members of such committees with regard to the knowledge, skills and experience of its directors and each committee's terms of reference; discuss their proposals and reports; and provide report-backs on their activities and work at the first board plenary following each committee meeting.
 - d) They may engage external advice when they feel it necessary for the discharge of their functions.
 - e) Meeting proceedings should be minuted and a copy made available to all board members.

Complies 🗆 Complies partially 🗆 Explain 🗆 Not Applicable 🗹

53. The task of supervising compliance with the policies and rules of the company in the environmental, social and corporate governance areas, and internal rules of conduct, should be assigned to one board committee or split between several, which could be the Audit and Control Committee, the nomination committee, a committee specialised in sustainability or corporate social responsibility, or a dedicated committee established by the board under its powers of self-organisation. Such a committee should be made up solely of non-executive directors, the majority being independent and specifically assigned the following minimum functions.

Complies \Box Complies partially $\mathbf{\nabla}$ Explain \Box

The Company fully complies with the first part of the recommendation as the powers are redistributed between its two committees, both made up of non-executive directors. However, the members that make up the Human Resources, Appointments and Remuneration Committee are not mostly independent.

It should be noted that the Company's Board of Directors has a working group, which was established in the 2021 financial year, which is supported by the preparation of the contents and the work plan in the executive directors. Group is made up entirely of independent directors; during the financial year 2022 it has met twice.

- **54.** The minimum functions referred to in the previous recommendation are as follows:
- a) Monitor compliance with the company's internal codes of conduct and corporate governance rules and ensure that the corporate culture is aligned with its purpose and values.
- b) Monitor the implementation of the general policy regarding the disclosure of economic-financial, nonfinancial and corporate information, as well as communication with shareholders and investors, proxy advisors and other stakeholders. Similarly, the way in which the entity communicates and relates with small and medium-sized shareholders should be monitored.
- c) Periodically evaluate the effectiveness of the company's corporate governance system and environmental and social policy, to confirm that it is fulfilling its mission to promote the corporate interest and catering, as appropriate, to the legitimate interests of remaining stakeholders.
- d) Ensure the company's environmental and social practices are in accordance with the established strategy and policy.
- e) Monitor and evaluate the company's interaction with its stakeholder groups.

Complies \square Complies partially \square Explain \square

- **55.** Environmental and social sustainability policies should identify and include at least.
- a) The principles, commitments, objectives and strategy regarding shareholders, employees, clients, suppliers, social welfare issues, the environment, diversity, fiscal responsibility, respect for human rights and the prevention of corruption and other illegal conducts.
- b) The methods or systems for monitoring compliance with policies, associated risks, and their management.
- c) The mechanisms for supervising non-financial risk, including that related to ethical aspects and business conduct.
- d) Channels for stakeholder communication, participation, and dialogue.

e) Responsible communication practices that prevent the manipulation of information and protect the company's honour and integrity.

Complies \square Complies partially \square Explain \square

56. Director remuneration should be sufficient to attract individuals with the desired profile and compensate the commitment, abilities, and responsibility that the post demands, but not as high as to compromise the independent judgement of non-executive directors.

Complies 🗹 🛛 Explain 🗆

57. Variable remuneration linked to the company and the director's performance, the award of shares, options or any other right to acquire shares or to be remunerated on the basis of share price movements, and membership of long-term savings schemes such as pension plans should be confined to executive directors.

The company may consider the share-based remuneration of non-executive directors provided they retain such shares until the end of their mandate. This condition, however, will not apply to shares that the director must dispose of to defray costs related to their acquisition.

Complies \square Complies partially \square Explain \square

58. In the case of variable awards, remuneration policies should include limits and technical safeguards to ensure they reflect the professional performance of the beneficiaries and not simply the general progress of the markets or the company's sector, or circumstances of that kind.

Variable remuneration items should meet the following conditions:

- a) Be subject to predetermined and measurable performance criteria that factor the risk assumed to obtain a given outcome.
- b) Promote the long-term sustainability of the company and include non-financial criteria that are relevant for the company's long-term value, such as compliance with its internal rules and procedures and its risk control and management policies.
- c) Be focused on achieving a balance between the delivery of short, medium, and long-term objectives, such that performance-related pay rewards on going achievement, maintained over sufficient time to appreciate its contribution to long-term value creation. This will ensure that performance measurement is not based solely on one-off, occasional, or extraordinary events.

Complies ☑ Complies partially □ Explain □ Not Applicable □

59. The payment of the variable components of remuneration is subject to sufficient verification that previously established performance, or other, conditions have been effectively met. Entities should include in their annual directors' remuneration report the criteria relating to the time required and methods for such verification, depending on the nature and characteristics of each variable component.

Additionally, entities should consider establishing a reduction clause ('malus') based on deferral for a sufficient period of the payment of part of the variable components that implies total or partial loss of this remuneration if prior to the time of payment an event occurs that makes this advisable.

Complies ☑ Complies partially □ Explain □ Not Applicable □

60. Remuneration linked to company earnings should bear in mind any qualifications stated in the external auditor's report that reduces their amount.

Complies ☑ Complies partially □ Explain □ Not Applicable □

61. A major part of executive directors' variable remuneration should be linked to the award of shares or financial instruments whose value is linked to the share price.

Complies 🗹 Complies partially 🗆 Explain 🗆 Not Applicable 🗆

62. Following the award of shares, options or financial instruments corresponding to the remuneration schemes, executive directors should not be able to transfer their ownership or exercise them until a period of at least three years has elapsed.

Except for the case in which the director maintains, at the time of the transfer or exercise, a net economic exposure to the variation in the price of the shares for a market value equivalent to an amount of at least twice his or her fixed annual remuneration through the ownership of shares, options or other financial instruments.

The foregoing shall not apply to the shares that the director needs to dispose of to meet the costs related to their acquisition or, upon favourable assessment of the nomination and remuneration committee to address an extraordinary situation.

Complies
Complies partially
Explain
Not Applicable

The Company has only granted share option powers. These stock options are personal and non-transferable and cannot be disposed of. The assigned options must be held until the end of the 5-year vesting period. Only once the shares are acquired are, they are freely available and disposed of.

The Company is considering the adaptation of the regulation itself of the instrument that is decided at any time, where the requirements set forth in the second part of the recommendation are incorporated.

63. Contractual arrangements should include provisions that permit the company to reclaim variable components of remuneration when payment was out of step with the Director's actual performance or based on data subsequently found to be misstated.

Complies 🗹 Complies partially 🗆 Explain 🗆 Not Applicable 🗆

64. Termination payments should not exceed a fixed amount equivalent to two years of the director's total annual remuneration and should not be paid until the company confirms that he or she has met the predetermined performance criteria.

For the purposes of this recommendation, payments for contractual termination include any payments whose accrual or payment obligation arises as a consequence of or on the occasion of the termination of the contractual relationship that linked the director with the company, including previously unconsolidated amounts for long-term savings schemes and the amounts paid under post-contractual noncompete agreements.

Complies 🗹 Complies partially 🗆 Explain 🗆 Not Applicable 🗆

H. OTHER INFORMATION OF INTEREST

- 1. If there is any other aspect relevant to the corporate government in the company or in the group entities that has not been reflected in the rest of the sections of this report, but is necessary to include to provide more comprehensive and well-grounded information on the corporate governance structure and practices in your entity or its group, detail them briefly.
- **2.** This section may also include any other relevant information, clarification or detail related to previous sections of the report insofar as they are relevant and not reiterative.

Specifically indicate whether the company is subject to corporate governance legislation from a country other than Spain and, if so, include the mandatory information to be provided when different from that required by this report.

3. The company may also indicate if it has voluntarily signed up to other international, industry-wide or any other codes of ethical principles or best practices. Where applicable, the code in question will be identified along with the date of signing. In particular, mention will be made as to whether it has adhered to the Code of Best Tax Practices (Código de Buenas Prácticas Tributarias) of 20 July 2010.

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The figures presented correspond to those communicated by the holder to the CNMV and to the Company and, where appropriate, once adjusted for the corporate operations that have taken place. For these reasons, the values reported may not exactly match the reality of the participation.

It is also stated that the information that has been provided by an indirect owner to the Company, if it includes that of the direct titles, this is the one that is reported.

According to the Instructions for completing this report, only the direct holders who exceed 3% of the total voting rights are identified (1% if they are resident in a tax haven), so there may be discrepancies between the total of the indirect participation and the sum of the corresponding direct participations that are reported.

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The content mentioned in this report referred to the Spanish local legislation as well as the other information published by Miquel y Costas & Miquel, S.A. in Spain are available in the Company's corporate website (www.miquelycostas.com) and in the Comisión Nacional del Mercado de Valores (C.N.M.V.) website (www.cnmv.es).

The Company has not adhered to the Code of Good Tax Practices of July 20, 2010.

This annual report on corporate governance has been approved by the Company's Board of Directors on

27/03/2023

Indicate whether any board members have voted against or abstained with respect to the approval of this report.

[] Yes [√] No

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