

Removal of restriction on agenda items earlier required to be transacted only at physical meeting of Board of Directors

MCA has omitted Rule 4 of Companies (Meetings of Board and its Powers), 2014 by its notification dated 15.06.2021. This rule contained matters which earlier could not be dealt through video confercing or other audio visual mode.

These restricted matters as per Rule 4 were:

- i. the approval of the annual financial statements;
- ii. the approval of the Board's report;
- iii. the approval of the prospectus;
- iv. the Audit Committee Meetings for consideration of accounts;
- v. the approval of the matter relating to amalgamation, merger, demerger, acquisition, and takeover.

Through this amedment the matters mentioned above could now be done through video meetings.

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