# **Cello World Limited**

Consumerware | India

**IPO** | 27 October 2023

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# A consumer brand product for every individual

# **About the Company**

Cello World Limited (CWL) business is broadly divided into two categories, consumer house ware and consumer glassware, a prominent player in the consumer ware market in India with presence in the consumer house ware, writing instruments and stationery, moulded furniture and allied products and consumer glassware categories. The six decades of experience of the Promoters (through their family) in the consumer products industry has enabled us to better understand the preferences and needs of consumers in India, diversify the product portfolio on a regular basis and grow through a strong multi-channel distribution network. CWL operates through 13 manufacturing facilities across five locations in India, and is currently establishing a glassware manufacturing facility in Rajasthan endeavoring to maintain high quality standards and good manufacturing practices as of June 30, 2023.

#### Popular products and diversified portfolio across price points

CWL manufacturing capabilities allow them to manufacture a diverse range of products inhouse (79% in FY23), which in turn enables them to scale up production quickly to meet increased demand, reduce time taken to launch new products in the market compared to peers , they aim to expand their product portfolio in their consumer house ware product category, by focusing on introducing new range of products in the kitchenware, porcelain, appliances, cookware, glassware, writing instruments, and stationery spaces.

# Pan India distribution network building a strong brand

CWL has a strong footprint of 3,322 distributors catering to 1, 26,382 retailers achieving economies of scale improving the supply chain network and demand of each region. It has a presence across distribution channel mix with general trade, modern trade, export and online supported by 721 member sales team to respond traders understanding consumer preferences balancing the product availability deploying the inventory levels in an efficient manner.

# New business to multifold revenues in next few years

CWL is expected to become the only domestic consumer products company which has presence across all material types to have an in-house glassware manufacturing facility in Rajasthan with European based machinery that enables high productivity and precision in design and finish scaling up the consumer glassware and opal ware business which registered revenue CAGR of 36% over FY21-23. The writing and instruments business has achieved scale over the last 4 years with the highest EBITDA margins among writing instruments business and will achieve further growth both in domestic and exports increasing the capacities by 60% and distribution network over the next few years.

#### **Financials in Brief**

On the financial front, the company reported a turnover of Rs1049 Crs, Rs1359 Crs and Rs1797 Crs for FY21, FY22 and FY23 respectively, on a consolidated basis. It posted net profit of Rs 166 Crs, Rs220 Crs and Rs 285 Crs with steady net margins at 16% average respectively for the aforementioned period. Revenues and PAT both registered a CAGR of ~30% over FY21-23. CWL revenues, ebitda and net margins are better than peers across its various lines of business embarking on a strong strategy and track record.

#### **Our View**

CWL has demonstrated its manufacturing and production capabilities with continuous innovation of products in various categories across age groups, categories of consumer house ware growing the wallet share and consumer base over the years. CWL has scaled up the branding attracting new customers, increasing market share in its respective product categories moving up the value chain for every segment. CWL has developed a strong brand identity through effective brand advertisements and marketing campaigns, including "Cello – Companion for Life", "Cello – Rishta Zindagi Bhar Ka", "Hot Chahiye Toh Cello" and "Don't Just Write, Glide". We believe CWL would be a prominent player in its respective business verticals with a large addressable market growth of average 16%, strong financials, debt free company offers a growth play in the long term. **Therefore we recommend a SUBSCRIBE to the issue.** 

| IPO Details                  |                     |
|------------------------------|---------------------|
| Price Band (Rs)              | 617-648             |
| Face Value (Rs)              | 5                   |
| Issue Open/Closing Date      | 30-Oct-23/01-Nov-23 |
| Fresh Issues (Crs)           | -                   |
| OFS (Crs)                    | 1,900.0             |
| Total Issue (Crs)            | 1,900.0             |
| Minimum Bid Qty. (Nos)       | 23                  |
| QIB / HNI / Retail           | 50%/15%/35%         |
| Implied Market Cap (Rs Crs)* | 13,753              |

\*At higher band

#### Object of the Issue

 Achieve the benefits of listing of equity shares enhancing visibility and brand image

#### **Strengths**

- Well-established brand name and strong market positions;
- Diversified product portfolio across price points catering to diverse consumer requirements
- Pan-India distribution network with a presence across multiple channels.
- Ability to manufacture a diverse range of products and maintain optimal inventory levels

#### **Key Risk**

- ▶ Sharp rise in input costs of plastic polymer prices
- ► Trademarks of key brands

| Shareholding (%) | Pre-Issue | Post-Issue |  |  |  |
|------------------|-----------|------------|--|--|--|
| Promoters        | 91.9      | 78.1       |  |  |  |
| Others           | 8.1       | 21.9       |  |  |  |

#### **Key Financials**

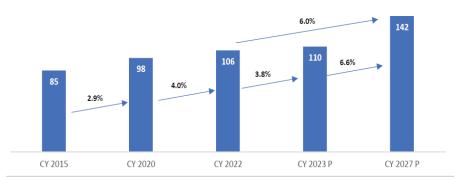
| (Rs Crs)          | FY21  | FY22  | FY23  |
|-------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Revenue           | 1,049 | 1,359 | 1,797 |
| EBITDA            | 287   | 350   | 437   |
| EBITDA Margin (%) | 27.3  | 25.7  | 24.3  |
| PAT               | 166   | 220   | 285   |
| PAT Margin (%)    | 15.8  | 16.2  | 15.9  |
| EPS (Rs)          | 7.8   | 10.5  | 13.2  |
| RocE (%)          | 58.7  | 40.9  | 44.5  |
| RoE (%)           | 52.2  | 45.9  | 39.9  |
| NAV (Rs.)         | 14.9  | 22.8  | 34.1  |
| Networth          | 290   | 444   | 666   |

Source: RHP

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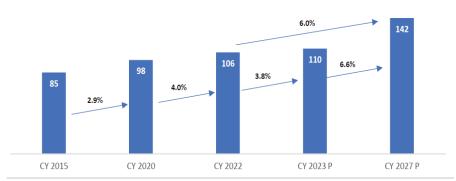
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Exhibit 1: Market size of Global Consumerware Industry (In USD Bn)



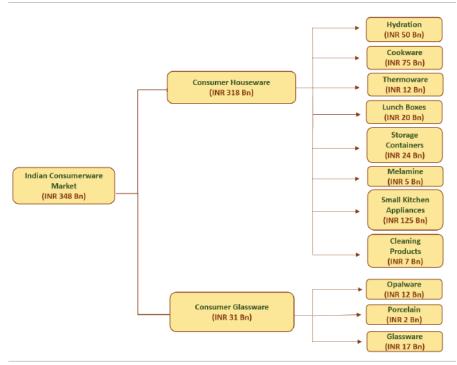
Source: RHP, Technopak Analysis

Exhibit 2: Market size of Indian Consumerware Industry (In INR Bn)



Source: RHP, Technopak Analysis

Exhibit 3: Category wise segmentation of Indian Consumerware Market. Market size-FY 2022



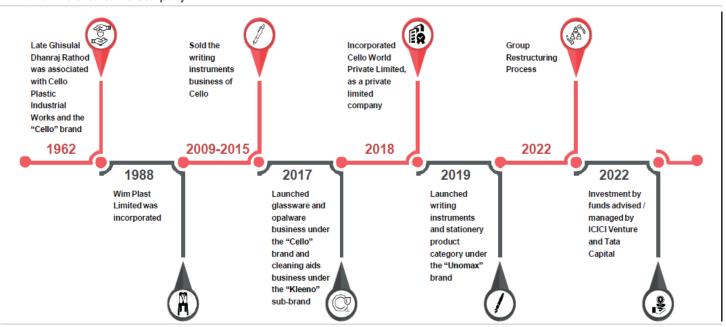
Source: RHP, Technopak Analysis

Exhibit 4: Share of Branded and Unbranded in Consumer Glassware Market



Source: RHP

**Exhibit 5: Evolution of the Company** 



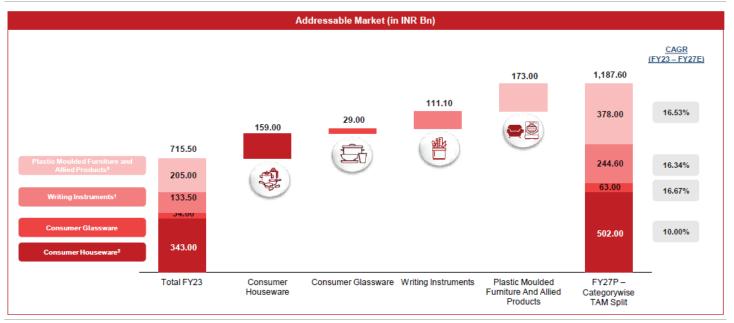
Source: RHP

Exhibit 6: Prominent Player In The Consumerware Market in India

| Business Vertical                   | Consumer Houseware  | Consumer Glassware                   | Writing Instruments <sup>2</sup>                | Moulded Furniture and Allied<br>Products <sup>3</sup> |  |  |  |
|-------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|--|--|
| FY23 Market Size (INR Bn)           | 343.00  | 34.00                                | 133.50  | 205.00  |  |  |  |
| FY15-23 CAGR of branded segment (%) | 9.34%   | 12.41%                               | 11.72%  | 11.68%  |  |  |  |
| Product Categories                  | Houseware     Insulatedware     Cleaning Aids     Electronic Appliances | Glassware     Opalware     Porcelain | Pen Pencil Highlighters Markers Correction Pens | Moulded Furniture     Allied Products     Air Coolers |  |  |  |
| Our Brands                          | cello   | cello                                | UNOMAX®   | cello   |  |  |  |
| Revenue Contribution¹ (%)           | 65.   | 74%                                  | 15.86%  | 18.40%  |  |  |  |
| EBIT (%)1                           | 22.:  | 50%                                  | 22.99%  | 16.84%  |  |  |  |

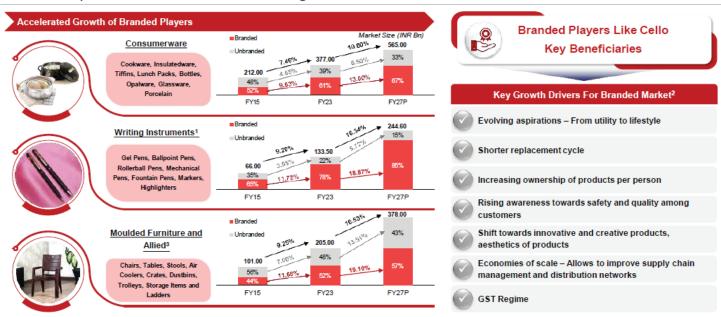
Source: RHP

**Exhibit 7: Addressable Market Across Multiple Categories** 



Source: RHP

**Exhibit 8: Multiple Drivers In Place For Growth Across Categories** 



Source: RHP, Technopak Industry Report Note: 1. Does not include exports

2. Industry Report from Technopak

3. Includes plasticmoulded furniture and air cooler market

# **Exhibit 9: Diversified Product Portfolio (1/2)**



Source: RHP; Note: 1. Industry Report from Technopak 2. As of June 30, 2023. SKUs denote the number of units available for sale at any point in time. Our SKUs may be either individual products, products packaged together or of a different colours. Hence, our number of SKUs and products are not equivalent.

# Exhibit 10: Diversified Product Portfolio (2/2)



Diversified product portfolio, which caters to a wide range of consumer uses across different age groups, festive seasons and occasions

Source: RHP

preferences



# **Exhibit 11: Catering To Diverse Consumer Requirements**

| Key Players  | Drinkware |                    |       |                  | Insulated<br>ware | i                  | 2     | Dinnerware and Serveware |          |           | Glassware |         |                   | Cookware     |          |                   | Small         | 415<br>(UI)             | ès                         |            |                      |                      |                |
|--------------|-----------|--------------------|-------|------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------|--------------------------|----------|-----------|-----------|---------|-------------------|--------------|----------|-------------------|---------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------|
|              | Plastic   | Plastic +<br>Steel | Steel | Glass/<br>Copper | Plastic           | Plastic +<br>Steel | Steel | Opal -<br>ware           | Melamine | Porcelain | Steel     | Plastic | Borosi-<br>licate | Soda<br>lime | Vitrelle | Hard-<br>Anodised | Non-<br>Stick | Stain-<br>less<br>Steel | Kitchen<br>Appli-<br>ances | Stationery | Cleaning<br>Supplies | Moulded<br>Furniture | Air<br>Coolers |
| cello        | 1         | 1                  | 1     | 1                | 1                 | 1                  | 1     | 1                        | 1        | 1         | 1         | ✓       | 1                 | 1            |          | 1                 | 1             | 1                       | 1                          | 1          | 1                    | 1                    | 1              |
| Milton       | <b>√</b>  | ✓                  | ✓     | ✓                | 1                 | ✓                  | ✓     |                          | √        |           |           |         | 1                 | ✓            |          | ✓                 | ✓             | 1                       |                            | ✓          | ✓                    |                      |                |
| LaOpala      |           |                    |       |                  |                   |                    |       | ✓                        |          |           |           |         | ✓                 |              |          |                   |               |                         |                            |            |                      |                      |                |
| Borosil      |           |                    | ✓     | ✓                |                   |                    | ✓     | ✓                        |          |           |           |         | ✓                 | ✓            |          |                   | ✓             | ✓                       | ✓                          |            |                      |                      |                |
| Corelle      |           |                    |       |                  |                   |                    |       |                          |          |           |           |         |                   | 1            | ✓        |                   |               |                         |                            |            |                      |                      |                |
| LocknLock    | ✓         |                    | ✓     |                  | 1                 |                    | ✓     |                          |          |           |           |         |                   |              |          |                   | ✓             |                         |                            |            |                      |                      |                |
| Tupperware   | ✓         |                    | ✓     |                  | 1                 |                    |       |                          |          |           |           |         |                   |              |          |                   |               | ✓                       |                            |            |                      |                      |                |
| Signoraware  | ✓         |                    | ✓     | ✓                | 1                 | ✓                  | ✓     |                          |          |           |           | ✓       | ✓                 |              |          |                   | ✓             | ✓                       |                            |            |                      |                      |                |
| Roxx         |           |                    | ✓     | ✓                |                   |                    | ✓     | 1                        |          | √         |           |         | 1                 |              |          |                   |               |                         |                            |            |                      |                      |                |
| Prestige     |           |                    | ✓     | ✓                |                   |                    | ✓     |                          |          |           | ✓         |         |                   |              |          | ✓                 | ✓             | ✓                       | ✓                          |            | ✓                    |                      | 1              |
| lawkins      |           |                    |       |                  |                   |                    |       |                          |          |           |           |         |                   |              |          | ✓                 | ✓             | ✓                       |                            |            |                      |                      |                |
| Gala         |           |                    |       |                  |                   |                    |       |                          |          |           |           |         |                   |              |          |                   |               |                         |                            |            | ✓                    |                      |                |
| Scotch-Brite |           |                    |       |                  |                   |                    |       |                          |          |           |           |         |                   |              |          |                   |               |                         |                            |            | ✓                    |                      |                |
| Camlin       |           |                    |       |                  |                   |                    |       |                          |          |           |           |         |                   |              |          |                   |               |                         |                            | ✓          |                      |                      |                |
| Luxor        |           |                    |       |                  |                   |                    |       |                          |          |           |           |         |                   |              |          |                   |               |                         |                            | √          |                      |                      |                |
| LINC         |           |                    |       |                  |                   |                    |       |                          |          |           |           |         |                   |              |          |                   |               |                         |                            | ✓          |                      |                      |                |
| DOMS         |           |                    |       |                  |                   |                    |       |                          |          |           |           |         |                   |              |          |                   |               |                         |                            | ✓          |                      |                      |                |
| Flair        |           |                    |       |                  |                   |                    |       |                          |          |           |           |         |                   |              |          |                   |               |                         |                            | √          |                      |                      |                |
| Supreme      |           |                    |       |                  |                   |                    |       |                          |          |           |           |         |                   |              |          |                   |               |                         |                            |            |                      | ✓                    |                |
| Nilkamal     |           |                    |       |                  |                   |                    |       |                          |          |           |           |         |                   |              |          |                   |               |                         |                            |            |                      | ✓                    |                |
| Stovekraft   |           |                    | 1     |                  |                   | ✓                  | √     |                          |          |           |           |         |                   |              |          |                   | ✓             | √                       | ✓                          |            | √                    |                      |                |

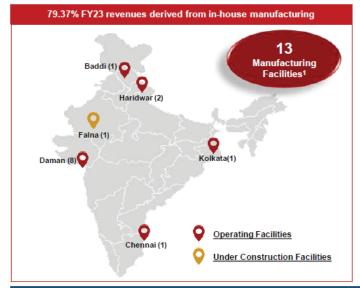
consumers

Source: RHP

portfolio across materials

Exhibit 12: Ability To Manufacture A Diverse Range Of Products..

seasonality





Cello is expected to become the only domestic consumer products company which has presence across all material types to have an in-house glassware manufacturing unit in India<sup>2</sup>

Source: RHP



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