

## **Dr. Y.S.P. Thorat**

### *Independent Director*

#### **Brief profile of the Director including directorship and full-time positions in other body corporates:**

Dr. Y.S. P. Thorat holds a distinction in Law and is a doctorate in Economics and D.Litt. He started his career with the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) in 1972 and was appointed as its Executive Director in 2003. He retired as Chairman, NABARD in November 2007 and was an Executive Chairman of the Dry Land Farming Commission and Chairman of the Agriculture Universities Recruitment Board, Government of Maharashtra. Earlier, he was associated with the Planning Commission, Government of India for the 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> Five Year Plans. He was Chief Executive of the Rajiv Gandhi Trust and Foundation, New Delhi and served on the Board of the National Institute of Bank Management, Pune.

He is a University ranker having received the prestigious Gopal Krishna Gokhale Award for being adjudged the best student of Political Science amongst all universities in Maharashtra. His main contribution has been in the field of policy support for agriculture finance, urban cooperative banks, cooperative policy and credit.

#### **List of Other Directorships:**

- The Bombay Dyeing and Manufacturing Company Limited
- Britannia Industries Ltd
- Go Airlines (India) Limited