# ADVANCE PETROCHEMICALS LIMITED

(CIN L23200GJ1985PLC008013)

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### NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the 34<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of the members of Advance Petrochemicals Limited will be held on Monday, September 30, 2019 at 04.00 p.m. at Plot No,167, Pirana Approach Village Piplej, Ahmedabad: 382405 to transact the following business:

# **Ordinary Business**

- 1. To receive, consider and adopt the audited Financial Statement for the year ended on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2019 and the Reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon.
- 2. To appoint a director in place of Mr. Arvind Goenka (DIN 00093200) who retires by rotation and being eligible offers himself for re appointment.
- 3. To appoint a director in place of Mr. Shaileshsingh Rajput (DIN 00176962) who retires by rotation and being eligible offers himself for re appointment.

### **Special Business**

4. To consider and if thought fit to pass with or without modification the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT, pursuant to the provision of Section 161 of the Companies Act, 2013 and other applicable provision, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and of rules made there under, Mr. Mohmmadhanif Sherkahan Nagori who was appointed as an additional director by the Board of Directors of the Company with effect from 24<sup>th</sup> June, 2019 and in respect of whom a notice has been received in writing from a member of the Company signifying his intention to propose him as a independent director of the Company, be and is hereby appointed as a independent director for a period of five years upto 23<sup>rd</sup> June, 2024

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT, independent director shall not liable to retire by rotation"

5. To consider and if thought fit to pass with or without modification the following resolution as an Special resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149, 152 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Act and the Companies (Appointment and Qualifications of Directors) Rules, 2014, read with Schedule IV to the Act, as amended from time to time, Shri Nirish J. Parikh (DIN 03506494), who was appointed as an Independent Director and who holds office as an Independent Director upto March 31, 2019 and being eligible, be and is hereby re-appointed as an Independent Director of the Company, not liable to retire by rotation and to hold office for a Second term of 5 (Five) Consecutive years, i.e. up to March, 2024"

Arvind Goenka Chairman DIN 00093200

Registered Office: 36, Kothari Market, Ahmedabad – 380 022

Place: Ahmedabad Date: 22/08/2019

### **NOTES:**

- 1. A member entitle to attend and vote at the meeting is entitled to appoint one or more proxy to attend and vote instead of himself/herself and such proxy need not be a member of the Company. The proxy form in order to be effective must be received by the company not less than 48 hours before the commencement of the meeting.
- 2. A person can act as a proxy on behalf of members not exceeding fifty (50) and holding in the aggregate not more than ten percent of the total share capital of the Company carrying voting rights. A Member holding more than ten percent of the total share capital of the Company carrying voting rights may appoint a single person as a proxy and such person shall not act as proxy for any other person or member. A Proxy form is enclosed herewith.
- 3. The relevant statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 (the Act, if any set out above is annexed hereto.
- 4. Corporate Members intending to send their authorized representatives to attend the Meeting pursuant to Section 113 of the Companies Act, 2013 are requested to send to the Company, a certified copy of the relevant Board Resolution authority, as applicable together with their respective specimen signatures authorizing their representative(s) to attend and vote on their behalf at the Meeting.
- 5. The Register of Members and the share transfer book of the company will remain closed from **September 23, 2019 to September 30, 2019** (both days inclusive)
- 6. Members are requested to notify immediately any change in their address with the Company's Share Transfer Agents M/s. Bigshare Services Private Limited, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Bharat Tin Works Building, Opp. Vasant Oasis, Makwana Road, Marol, Andheri East, Mumbai: -400059.

- 7. Members/proxies should bring their attendance slips duly filled in for attending the meeting.
- 8. Shareholders seeking any information on account or operations are requested to write to the company at an early date so as to enable the management to keep the information ready.
- 9. Members holding shares in more than one folio in identical order of names are requested to write to the registered office of the company enclosing their share certificates to enable us to consolidate their holdings in one folio, to facilitate better service.
- 10. Members who have not forwarded details of their bank account number and the name and address of the bank are requested again to send the same along with their PAN.
- 11. Relevant documents referred in accompanying notice and statement are open for inspection by members at the Registered office of the company on all working days, except Sundays, during the business hours upto the date of the Meeting.
- 12. To support the green initiative, members who have not registered their e-mail addresses so far are requested to register their e-mail address with M/s. Bigshare Services Private Limited for receiving all communication including annual report, notice, circular etc. from the company electronically.
- 13. Members may also note that the Notice of AGM will be available on the company's website viz. www.advancepetro.com

### 14. Voting through electronic means

- (a) Pursuant to Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rules 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 as amended and Regulation 44 of SEBI Listing Regulation and Secretarial Standards on General Meeting (SS2) issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India, the Company is pleased to provide its members the facility to exercise their right to vote at the 34<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting (AGM) by electronic means. The business set out in the notice will be transacted through e-voting Services provided by Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL). The members may cast their votes using an electronic voting system from a place other than the venue of the Meeting ('remote e-voting').
- (b) The remote e-voting period begins on **September 27, 2019** at 9.00 a.m. and ends on **September 29, 2019** at 5.00 p.m. During this period shareholders' of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date which is **September 23, 2019**, may cast their vote electronically. The

- voting rights of Shareholders shall be in proportion to their shares in the paid up equity share capital of the Company as on this cut-off date. The e-voting module shall be disable by CDSL for voting after 5.00 p.m. on **September 29, 2018**.
- (c) The facility for voting through electronic voting system or poll or ballot paper shall be made available at the meeting and the members who have not cast their voting through remote e voting shall be able to vote at the meeting.
- (d) The members who have cast their vote through remote e-voting may attend the meeting but shall not entitled to cast their vote again.
- (e) A person, whose name is recorded in the register of members or in the register of beneficial owners maintained by the depositories as on the cut-off date, i.e. **September 23, 2019** only shall be entitled to avail the facility of voting.
- (f) Any person who becomes a member of the Company after dispatch of the Notice of the Meeting and holding shares as on the cut-off date i.e. **September 23, 2019**, shall follow the instructions for e-voting as mentioned below for FIRST TIME USER. In case of any query shareholders may contact the Registrar & Share Transfer Agent viz M/s. Bigshare Services Private Limited 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Bharat Tin Works Building, Opp. Vasant Oasis, Makwana Road, Marol, Andheri East, Mumbai: -400059.
- (g) A person who is not a member of the Company as on the cut-off date i.e. **September 23, 2019**, shall treat this notice for information purpose only.

## (h) Instructions for e-voting:

# (A) In case Members receiving Notice of AGM by email and who wish to vote using the remote e-voting facility

- (a) The shareholders should log on to the e-voting website <u>www.evotingindia.com</u>.
- (b) Click on Shareholders.
- (c) Now Enter your User ID
  - a. For CDSL: 16 digits beneficiary ID,
  - b. For NSDL: 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digits Client ID,
  - c. Members holding shares in Physical Form should enter Folio Number registered with the Company.
- (d) Next enter the Image Verification as displayed and Click on Login.
- (e) If you are holding shares in demat form and had logged on to <a href="https://www.evotingindia.com">www.evotingindia.com</a> and voted on an earlier voting of any company, then your existing password is to be used.
- (f) If you are a **FIRST TIME USER** follow the steps given below:

| For     | <b>Holding shares in Demat</b> | <b>Holding Shares in physical</b> |
|---------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Members | Form                           | Form                              |
| User ID | For NSDL: 8 Character DP       | Folio Number registered with the  |
|         | ID followed by 8 Digits Client | Company                           |
|         | ID                             |                                   |
|         | For CDSL: 16 digits            |                                   |
|         | beneficiary ID                 |                                   |

PAN Enter your 10 digit alpha-numeric \*PAN issued by Income Tax Department (Applicable for both demat shareholders as well as physical shareholders)

- Members who have not updated their PAN with the Company/Depository Participant are requested to use the first two letters of their name and the 8 digits of the sequence number in the PAN Field.
- In case the sequence number is less than 8 digits enter the applicable number of 0's before the number after the first two characters of the name in CAPITAL letters. Eg. If your name is Ramesh Kumar with sequence number 1 then enter RA00000001 in the PAN field.

DOB Enter the Date of Birth as recorded in your demat account or in the company records for the said demat account or folio in dd/mm/yyyy format.

Dividend Enter the Dividend Bank Details as recorded in your demat Bank account or in the company records for the said demat account or Details folio.

- Please enter the DOB or Dividend Bank Details in order to login. If the details are not recorded with the depository or company please enter the member id / folio number in the Dividend Bank details field as mentioned in instruction (c).
- (g) After entering these details appropriately, click on "SUBMIT" tab.
- (h) Members holding shares in physical form will then directly reach the Company selection screen. However, members holding shares in demat form will now reach 'Password Creation' menu wherein they are required to mandatorily enter their login password in the new password field. Kindly note that this password is to be also used by the demat holders for voting for resolutions of any other company on which they are eligible to vote, provided that company opts for e-voting through CDSL platform. It is strongly

recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential.

- (i) For Members holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for e-voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.
- (j) Click on the EVSN for the relevant of **Advance Petrochemicals Limited** from drop down menu and click on submit.
- (k) On the voting page, you will see "RESOLUTION DESCRIPTION" and against the same the option "YES/NO" for voting. Select the option YES or NO as desired. The option YES implies that you assent to the Resolution and option NO implies that you dissent to the Resolution.
- (l) Click on the "RESOLUTIONS FILE LINK" if you wish to view the entire Resolution details.
- (m) After selecting the resolution you have decided to vote on, click on "SUBMIT". A confirmation box will be displayed. If you wish to confirm your

- vote, click on "OK", else to change your vote, click on "CANCEL" and accordingly modify your vote.
- (n) Once you "CONFIRM" your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
- (o) You can also take out print of the voting done by you by clicking on "Click here to print" option on the Voting page.
- (p) If Demat account holder has forgotten the same password then Enter the User ID and the image verification code and click on Forgot Password & enter the details as prompted by the system.
- (q) Note for Non Individual Shareholders and Custodians
- (r) Shareholders can also cast their vote using CDSL's mobile app m-Voting available for android based mobiles. The m-Voting app can be downloaded from Google Play Store. I Phone and Windows phone users can download the app from the App Store and the Windows Phone Store respectively on or after 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2016. Please follow the instructions as prompted by the mobile app while voting on your mobile.

# (B) In case of Members receiving Notice of AGM by post and who wish to vote using the remote e-voting facility:

Please follow all steps mentioned above, to cast your vote.

### (C) Note for Non-Individual Shareholders and Custodians

- Non-Individual shareholders (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) and Custodian are required to log on to <a href="www.evotingindia.com">www.evotingindia.com</a> and register themselves as Corporate.
- A scanned copy of the Registration Form bearing the stamp and sign of the entity should be emailed to <a href="helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com">helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</a>.
- After receiving the login details a compliance user should be created using the admin login and password. The Compliance user would be able to link the account(s) for which they wish to vote on.
- The list of accounts should be mailed to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com and on approval of the accounts they would be able to cast their vote.
- A scanned copy of the Board Resolution and Power of Attorney (POA) which they have issued in favour of the Custodian, if any, should be uploaded in PDF format in the system for the scrutinizer to verify the same.

- In case you have any queries or issues regarding e-voting, you may refer the
  Frequently Asked Questions ("FAQs") and e-voting manual available at
  www.evotingindia.com, under help section or write an email to
  helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com.
- 15. Mr. Alkesh Jalan, Practicing Company Secretary has been appointed as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner.
- 16. The Scrutinizer shall, after the conclusion of the AGM, first count the votes cast at the meeting and thereafter unlock the votes cast through remote evoting in the presence of at least two (2) witnesses not in the employment of the Company. The Scrutinizer shall, within a period of not later than three (3) days from the conclusion of the AGM, prepare a consolidated Scrutinizer's Report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, and submit it to the Chairman or any person authorized by him in writing, who shall countersign the same and declare the results of the voting.
- 17. The Result shall be declared on or after the Annual General Meeting (AGM). The result declared along with the Scrutinizer's Report shall be placed on the Company's website and on the website of CDSL within three (3) days of passing of the resolutions at the AGM of the Company and communicated to the Stock Exchanges.

## Kindly note EVSN is 19003040

# Details of Directors seeking appointment / re appointment / revision in term of appointment/remuneration in ensuing annual general meeting.

| Name of Director  | Mr. Arvind Goenka   | Mr. Shaileshsingh Rajput   |
|---|---|--|
| DIN   | 00093200  | 00176962   |
| Date of Birth   | 01.07.1962  | 19.05.1967   |
| Date of appointment   | 20.11.1997  | 16.02.2001   |
| Expertise in specific functional area                                       | 29 years exp. Chemical and Rubber industry.   | 30 years of experience in production and quality control.  |
| Qualification   | Master of Science   | Bachelor of Science  |
| No. of Equity Shares held   | 10810   | Nil  |
| List of Outside Company<br>Directorship held                                | -Advance Multitech LtdSidhath Agencies LtdKashi Welfab Pvt. Ltd.                                    | Advance Multitech Ltd.   |
| Chairman / Member of<br>Committees of Board Of<br>Directors of the Company. | Member- Audit Committee, Nomination and Remuneration committee, Chairman- Stakeholders Relationship | Chairman of Stakeholders Committee of Advance Multitech Limited.  Member of Nomination and Remuneration Committee of Advance |

|                                 | Committee                   | Multitech Limited.           |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|
|                                 |                             | Member of Audit Committee of |
|                                 |                             | Advance Multitech Limited.   |
|                                 |                             |                              |
| Chairman / Member of            | Member- Stakeholders        |                              |
| Committees of Board of          | Relationship Committee      |                              |
| Directors of the Companies in   |                             |                              |
| which he/she is director, Audit |                             |                              |
| Committee, Stakeholders         |                             |                              |
| Relationship Committee,         |                             |                              |
| Nomination & Remuneration       |                             |                              |
| Committee.                      |                             |                              |
| Relationship with other         | Relatives - Aanchal Goenka, | None                         |
| Director                        |                             |                              |

# **Expalanatory Statement in respect of special business**

#### Item No. 4

Mr. Mohmmadhanif Sherkahan Nagori Independent Director, who was also appointed as an additional director of the Company by the Board of Directors in meeting held on June 24, 2019, based on the recommendation of nomination and remuneration committee. Pursuant to provision of Section 161 of the Companies Act, 2013 an additional director holds office upto the annual general meeting of the Company.

Based on recommendation of Nomination and Remuneration Committee and in terms of provisions of Sections 149, 152 read with Schedule IV and any other applicable provisions of the Act and Regulation 16 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, Mr. Mohmmadhanif Sherkahan Nagori , being eligible for appointment as an Independent Director and offering himself for appointment and in respect of whom a notice in writing has been received from a member of the Company signifying his intention to propose him as a director of the Company for a period of five years be and is proposed to be re-appointed as an Independent Director for period upto 23<sup>rd</sup> June, 2024.

The Company has received declaration from him stating that he meets the criteria of Independence as prescribed under sub-section (6) of Section 149 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation16(1) (b) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. He has also given his consent to continue to act as Independent Director of the Company, if so appointed by the members.

In the opinion of the Board, Mr. Mohmmadhanif Sherkahan Nagori fulfils the conditions specified under Section 149 (6) of the Act, the Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014 and Regulation 16(1) (b) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 for his appointment as an Independent Director of the Company and is independent of the management. Copy of the draft letter for appointment of Mr. Mohmmadhanif Sherkahan Nagori as an Independent Non-Executive Director setting out terms and conditions would be available for inspection without any fee by the members at the Registered Office of the Company during normal business hours on any working day, except Saturday, upto and including the date of AGM of the Company.

The Board considers that his continued association would be of immense benefit to the Company and it is desirable to continue to avail services of Mr. Mohmmadhanif Sherkahan Nagori as an Independent Director.

Disclosure under Regulation 36(3) of the Listing Regulations and Secretarial Standard-2 issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India are set out in the Annexure to the Explanatory Statement.

Accordingly, the Board recommends passing of the Special Resolution in relation to re-appointment of Mr. Mohmmadhanif Sherkahan Nagori as an Independent Director for another term of five consecutive years with effect from April 01, 2019 to March 31, 2024, for the approval by the shareholders of the Company.

Except Mr. Mohmmadhanif Sherkahan Nagori, being an appointee and his relatives, none of the Directors and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives are concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the resolution set out at Item No. 4 of the accompanying Notice of the AGM. Mr. Mohmmadhanif Sherkahan Nagori is not related to any Director of the Company.

| Director Identification Number (DIN)  | : | 08490516   |
|---|---|--|
| Nationality   | : | Indian   |
| Date of Birth   | : | 10/10/1954   |
| Age   | : |  |
| Date of Appointment on the Board  | : | 24 <sup>th</sup> June, 2019  |
| Qualification   | : | He is 12 <sup>th</sup> Pass  |
| Nature of Expertise in functional areas   | : | He has wide experience in rubber technology.   |
| Number of Board Meetings attended during the year                                   | : | Nil  |
| Terms and Conditions of Appointment / Re-appointment                                | : | Not liable to retire by rotation. Appointment for a period of five years upto 23 <sup>rd</sup> June, 2024. |
| Details of remuneration sought to be paid   | : | Nil  |
| Last drawn remuneration   | : | Nil  |
| Shareholding in the Company as on March 31, 2019                                    | : | Nil  |
| Relationship with other Directors /<br>Key Managerial Personnel                     | : | None   |
| Number of meetings of the Board attended during the year                            | : | Nil  |
| Directorships of other Boards as on March 31, 2019                                  | • | Nil  |
| Membership / Chairmanship* of<br>Committees of other Boards as on<br>March 31, 2019 | : | Nil  |

### Item No. 5

Mr. Nirish Parikh was appointed as an Independent Director of the Company by members in Annual General Meeting held on September 30, 2014 for the period of 5 Consecutive year's upto March 31, 2019. As per Section 149(10) of the Act, an Independent Director shall hold office for a term of upto five consecutive years on the board of the Company, but shall be eligible for re-appointment on passing a special resolution by the Company for another term of upto five consecutive years on the Board of the Company.

Based on recommendation of Nomination and Remuneration Committee and in terms of provisions of Sections 149, 152 read with Schedule IV and any other applicable provisions of the Act and Regulation 16 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, Mr. Nirish Parikh, being eligible for re-appointment as an Independent Director and offering himself for reappointment, is proposed to be re-appointed as an Independent Director for Second term of Five Consecutive years till March 31, 2024.

The Company has received declaration from him stating that he meets the criteria of Independence as prescribed under sub-section (6) of Section 149 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation16(1) (b) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. He has also given his consent to continue to act as Independent Director of the Company, if so appointed by the members. In the opinion of the Board, Mr. Nirish Parikh fulfils the conditions specified under Section 149 (6) of the Act, the Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014 and Regulation 16(1) (b) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 for his reappointment as an Independent Director of the Company and is independent of the management. Copy of the draft letter for appointment of Mr. Nirish Parikh as an Independent Non-Executive Director setting out terms and conditions would be available for inspection without any fee by the members at the Registered Office of the Company during normal business hours on any working day, except Saturday, upto and including the date of AGM of the Company.

The Board considers that his continued association would be of immense benefit to the Company and it is desirable to continue to avail services of Mr. Nirish Parikh as an Independent Director.

Disclosure under Regulation 36(3) of the Listing Regulations and Secretarial Standard-2 issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India are set out in the Annexure to the Explanatory Statement.

Accordingly, the Board recommends passing of the Special Resolution in relation to re-appointment of Mr. Nirish Parikh as an Independent Director for another term of five consecutive years with effect from April 01, 2019 to March 31, 2024, for the approval by the shareholders of the Company.

Except Mr. Nirish Parikh, being an appointee and his relatives, none of the Directors and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives are concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the resolution set out at Item No. 5 of the accompanying Notice of the AGM. Mr. Nirish Parikh is not related to any Director of the Company.

| Director Identification Number (DIN) | : | 03506494   |
|--------------------------------------|---|------------|
| Nationality                          | : | Indian     |
| Date of Birth                        | : | 02-07-1955 |
| Age                                  | : | 64 years   |