

62nd ANNUAL REPORT 2022-2023



DUNCAN ENGINEERING LIMITED

"Formerly Known as Schrader Duncan Limited"

AN ISO 9001:2008 Company

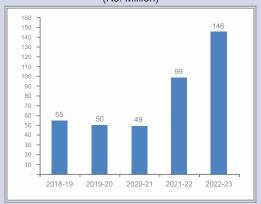
Duncan Engineering Limited

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Key Financial Indicators Five Years













Ten Year Review

Rs. Million Accounting Year 2013-14 2014-15 2015-16 2016-17 2017-18 2018-19 2019-20 2020-21 2021-22 2022-23 407.21 **Total Revenue** 342.13 707.99 641.44 635.13 444.56 433.80 414.82 557.68 700.95 Profit /(Loss) from continuing 0.10 (78.79) (60.74)(36.11)1.03 31.01 33.03 37.49 84.75 129.27 operations before tax ** Profit /(Loss) from discontinuing (22.79)0.44 operations before tax Profit /(Loss) from continuing 0.97 (60.48) (69.29) (36.09)1.03 27.79 32.63 79.87 62.45 99.04 operations after tax Profit/(Loss) from discontinuing (22.79)0.44 operations after tax "EBITDA (excl. exceptional item and 23.45 (0.56)11.99 3.58 34.00 54.54 50.22 49.30 99.05 145.63 Loss from discontinuing operations)" Net Worth* 351.89 291.41 222.11 163.23 164.80 191.85 223.65 303.81 366.69 464.10 Earning per share* Rs. 0.26 (16.36)(18.75)(15.93)0.40 7.52 8.83 21.61 16.90 26.80 Return on Investment % 0.28 (18.80) (26.99)(18.73)0.63 14.49 15.71 30.28 18.63 23.84

* Earning per share and net worth for FY 2016-17 is inclusive of discontinuing operations

** Includes exceptional expenses on VRS to employees

CORPORATE INFORMATION

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Mr. J P Goenka, DIN: 00136782 Mr. Arvind Goenka, DIN: 00135653 Mr. Akshat Goenka, DIN: 07131982 Mr. O P Dubey, DIN: 00228441 Mr. Nitin Kaul, DIN: 01718619 Mrs. Arti Kant, DIN: 03218058 Mr. B B Tandon, DIN: 00740511 Mr. Mahesh Krishna, DIN: 00909208

REGISTERED OFFICE & PLANT

F-33, Ranjangaon MIDC Karegaon, Tal. Shirur Pune 412 220

BRANCH OFFICE

14th Floor, Tower-B, World Trade Tower Plot no. C-1, Sector-16, Noida-201301

Office No.12, 2nd Floor, City Vista, Fountain Road, Kharadi, Pune-411014

BANKER State Bank of India Kotak Mahindra Bank

LISTED AT BSE Limited (Bombay Stock Exchange)

WEBSITE www.duncanengg.com

Email (Investor Relations): complianceofficer@duncanengg.com

CIN: L28991PN1961PLC139151

Non-Executive Director & Chairman Non-Executive Director Managing Director Independent Director Independent Director Independent Director (resigned w.e.f. 19.07.2022) Independent Director (appointed w.e.f. 16.05.2023)

STATUTORY AUDITORS

S S Kothari Mehta & Co. Chartered Accountants

SECRETARIAL AUDITORS

Vaishnav Associates Practicing Company Secretary

CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

Mr. K Raghu Raman (till 17.05.2022) Mr. Kamal Saria (w.e.f. 18.05.2022)

COMPANY SECRETARY

Mr. Rajib Kumar Gope (till 19.07.2022) Ms. Sayalee Yengul (w.e.f. 01.11.2022)

REGISTRAR & SHARE TRANSFER AGENT

Link Intime India Private Limited Block No. 202, 2nd Floor Akshay Complex, Near Ganesh Temple Off Dhole Patil Road, Pune- 411001 Tel : 020 - 4601 4473

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the 62nd Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Members of Duncan Engineering Limited (the "Company") will be held on Thursday, 27th day of July 2023 at 2.00 p.m. (IST) through Video Conferencing ('VC') or Other Audio-Visual Means ('OAVM') facility to transact the following business:

ORDINARY BUSINESS:

ITEM NO.1:

To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the Financial Year ended 31st March 2023 and the Reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon.

ITEM NO.2:

To declare dividend on equity shares of the Company for the financial year ended 31st March 2023.

SPECIAL BUSINESS:

ITEM NO.3:

To consider and if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT the vacancy caused by retirement of Mr. Jagdish Prasad Goenka (DIN-00136782), Chairman of the Board, a Director liable to retire by rotation, who does not offer himself for re-appointment, be not filled."

ITEM NO.4:

To consider the appointment of Mr. Mahesh Krishna (DIN-00909208) as an Independent Director of the Company.

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as a Special Resolution:

"**RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149, 150 and 152 read with Schedule IV and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules made thereunder, Regulation 16 (1) (b), 17 (1C), 25 (2A) and 25(8) including such other applicable provisions of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, (including any statutory amendment, modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force) and based on the recommendation of Nomination and Remuneration Committee, Mr. Mahesh Krishna (DIN 00909208), who was appointed as an Additional Director by the Board of Directors of the Company with effect from 16.05.2023 and who holds office of Director up to the date of ensuing Annual General Meeting pursuant to Section 161 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rules thereof including amendments thereunder read with Articles of Association of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rules thereof including amendments thereunder, proposing his candidature for the office of Director, be and is hereby appointed as an Independent Director of the Company to hold office for a first term of 5 (Five) consecutive years with effect from 16.05.2023."

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company be and is hereby authorised to modify the terms and conditions of appointment of Mr. Mahesh Krishna (DIN 00909208) as may be recommended by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee of the Company, from time to time, subject to such approvals as may be required under the applicable provisions of the Act, 2013 and SEBI Listing Regulations.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company be and is hereby severally authorised to take such steps and to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be required to give effect to the foregoing resolution."

ITEM NO.5:

To consider the appointment of Ms. Sheila Singla (DIN 02266630) as an Independent Director of the Company.

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as a Special Resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149, 150 and 152 read with Schedule IV and other applicable



provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules made thereunder, Regulation 16 (1) (b), 17 (1C), 25 (2A) and 25(8) including such other applicable provisions of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, (including any statutory amendment, modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force) and based on the recommendation of Nomination and Remuneration Committee, Ms. Sheila Singla (DIN 02266630), in respect of whom the Company has received a notice in writing from a member under Section 160 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rules thereof including amendments thereunder, proposing her candidature for the office of Director, be and is hereby appointed as an Independent Director of the Company to hold office for a first term of 5 (Five) consecutive years with effect from 27.07.2023."

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company be and is hereby authorised to modify the terms and conditions of appointment of Ms. Sheila Singla (DIN 02266630) as may be recommended by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee of the Company, from time to time, subject to such approvals as may be required under the applicable provisions of the Act, 2013 and SEBI Listing Regulations.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company be and is hereby severally authorised to take such steps and to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be required to give effect to the foregoing resolution.

ITEM NO.6:

To consider revision in the remuneration of Mr. Akshat Goenka, Managing Director of the Company.

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as a Special Resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 196, 197, 203 read with Schedule V and other applicable provisions, if any of the Companies Act, 2013 & Rules made thereunder, Regulation 17 and other applicable provisions, if any if the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force), Articles of Association of the Company based on the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, Audit Committee and the Board of Directors of the Company, approval of the Members of the Company be and is hereby accorded for revision of remuneration payable to Mr. Akshat Goenka (DIN: 07131982), Managing Director w.e.f. 1st April 2023 as specified below.

1. Commission up to maximum of 5% of Profits Before Tax

or

- Rs. 1 crore for Financial Year 2023-24 a.
- b. Rs.1.1 core for Financial Year 2024-25
- Rs.1.21 crore for Financial Year 2025-26 C.
- Rs.1.33 crore for Financial Year 2026-27 (prorated for the period of remaining tenure i.e. up to 08.02.2027) d.

whichever is higher.

2. In addition to above, Rs. 1 crore shall be paid in the Financial Year 2024-25 based on current performance of the Company and performance over next two years, i.e. FY 2023-24 and 2024-25.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT, all other terms and conditions of the appointment of Mr. Akshat Goenka, Managing Director shall continue to be the same.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT Mr. Akshat Goenka, Managing Director shall be entitled to receive remuneration as approved by the members by way of this aforesaid resolution, notwithstanding the fact that such remuneration may exceed the limit under clause (i) of the first proviso to sub section (1) of section 197 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rules and Schedule V of the Companies Act, 2013 and the limit under regulation 17(6)(e) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors and the Company Secretary be and are hereby severally authorised to do all such acts, deeds and things as may be necessary from time to time to give effect to the above resolution."

By Order of the Board of Directors For Duncan Engineering Limited

Sd/-Name: Sayalee Yengul Designation: Company Secretary Membership no.: A37267 Regd. Office: F33, Ranjangaon MIDC Karegaon, Tal Shirur Pune 412209

Place: Pune Date: 16.05.2023



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NOTES:

 Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013, which sets out details of material facts relating to the Special businesses to be transacted at this Annual General Meeting (AGM), is annexed hereto. Information, pursuant to Para 1.2.5 of SS-2 ("Secretarial Standard on General Meetings") and Regulation 36(3) of the SEBI Listing Regulations is included in the explanatory statement.

Pursuant to the the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act') and Rules thereof read with the General Circular No. 14/2020 dated 8th April 2020, General Circular No. 17/2020 dated 13th April 2020, General Circular No. 20/2020 dated 5th May 2020, General Circular No. 02/2021 dated 13th January 2021, General Circular No. 19/2021 dated 8th December 2021, General Circular No. 21/2021 dated 14th December 2021, General Circular No. 2/2022 dated 5th May 2022 and General Circular No. 10/2022 dated 28th December 2022 issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (hereinafter referred to as "MCA Circulars") and the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, read with the SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD1/CIR/P/2020/79 dated 12th May 2020, SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/P/2021/11 dated 15th January 2021, SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/P/2022/62 dated 13th May 2022 and SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/PoD-2/P/CIR/2023/4 dated 5th January, 2023 (hereinafter referred to as "SEBI Circulars") prescribes the procedures and manner of conducting the Annual General Meeting through VC/OAVM. In terms of the said Circulars, the 62nd Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the members of the Company will be held through VC/OAVM.

For detailed procedure for participating in the AGM through VC/OAVM please refer point no. 26 below.

2. Since this AGM is being held pursuant to the MCA Circulars through VC / OAVM, physical attendance of Members has been dispensed with. Accordingly, the facility for appointment of proxies by the Members will not be available for the AGM and hence the Proxy Form and Attendance Slip are not annexed to this Notice.

Only a member of the Company will be entitled to attend and vote at the AGM of the Company which will be held through VC or OAVM and no member will be entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote instead of himself/herself.

- 3. Corporate Member(s) intending to appoint their authorized representative(s) to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM are requested to send a duly certified copy of their Board Resolution authorizing their representatives to attend and vote at the AGM, pursuant to Section 113 of the Companies Act, 2013, and Rules thereof including amendments thereunder, to the Scrutinizer by e-mail at <u>shaswati.vaishnav@gmail.com</u> with a copy marked to <u>complianceofficer@duncanengg.com</u>.
- 4. The facility for participation at the AGM through VC/OAVM is limited and on a first-come-first-serve basis. The same shall open 15 minutes before the time scheduled for the AGM and close after the expiry of 15 minutes from the scheduled time for the AGM. However, the participation of members holding 2% or more shareholding, Promoters, Institutional Investors, Directors, Key Managerial Personnel, the Chairpersons of the Audit Committee, Nomination and Remuneration Committee and Stakeholders Relationship Committee, Auditors, etc. who are allowed to attend the AGM is not restricted on account of first come first serve basis.
- 5. The attendance of the Members attending the AGM through VC / OVAM will be counted to reckon the quorum under Section 103 of the Companies Act, 2013.
- 6. The statement setting out the material facts pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013, including amendments thereunder relating to the special business to be transacted at the meeting is annexed hereto.
- 7. Details pursuant to SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, including amendments thereunder, in respect of directors seeking appointment / retirement at the AGM, form part of this Notice.
- 8. The Register of Members and Share Transfer Books of the Company will remain closed Friday, 21st July 2023 to Thursday, 27th July 2023 (both days inclusive) for the AGM and declaration of final dividend, if any.
- 9. The dividend, if declared at the AGM, will be paid to those members, whose name appear as Beneficial Owners as at the end of the business hours on 20th July 2023, in the list of Beneficial Owners to be furnished by National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) and Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL) in respect of equity shares held in electronic form; and whose name appear as Members in the Register of Members of the Company on 20th July 2023.
- 10. In case members wish to ask for any information about accounts and operations of the Company, they are requested to send their queries by providing full name, DP ID and Client ID / Folio Number, and contact number at email address viz. complianceofficer@duncanengg.com at least 7 days in advance of the date of this meeting so that the information can be made available at the time of this meeting.
- 11. Pursuant to the provisions of Sections 124 and 125 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rules thereunder, including

amendments thereof, any money transferred to the unpaid dividend account, which remains unpaid or unclaimed for 7 years from the date of such transfer is required to be transferred to the 'Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF)'.

Pursuant to the provisions of IEPF (Accounting, Audit, Transfer, and Refund) Rules, 2016 and its amendments thereon, all shares in respect of which the dividend has not been paid or claimed for 7 consecutive years or more, are required to be transferred to IEPF.

The dividend till the year 2009-10 which remained unpaid or unclaimed for 7 years has been transferred to the IEPF Authority (IEPF Account). All shares in respect of which dividend has remained unpaid or unclaimed for 7 consecutive years are also transferred to the IEPF Authority. The company has not declared dividends from the financial year 2010-11 till financial year 2021-22.

As the aforesaid shares/dividend is transferred to IEPF, the concerned shareholders can claim the same by making an application in the prescribed form and manner to the IEPF Authority.

12. Register National Electronic Clearing Service (NECS) Mandate

Regulation 12 and Schedule I of SEBI Listing Regulation, 2015, including amendments thereunder requires all companies to use the facilities of electronic clearing services for payment of dividend. In order to get your dividend through electronic mode or NECS, members who are holding shares in physical form are requested to inform their Bank account details such as the name of the Bank, branch, its address, account number, 9 digit MICR code, IFSC code and type of account i.e. Savings or Current or Cash Credit etc. to Link Intime India Private Limited, R & T Agent of the Company having its office at 'Akshay' Complex, Block No. 202, 2nd Floor, Off Dhole Patil Road, Near Ganesh Temple, Pune – 411 001.

Members holding shares in dematerialised form are requested to inform their bank account particulars to their respective Depository Participant (DP) and not to the R & T Agent of the Company. Those Members who do not opt for NECS facility may inform only bank account number and bank name for printing the same on the dividend warrant to ensure safety.

As per SEBI vide circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/DOP1/CIR/P/2018/73 dated 20th April 2018, unpaid/unclaimed dividend will be processed through electronic mode only.

- Members are requested to register their email addresses with the Company / the R & T Agent viz. Link Intime India Private Limited in case of holding of shares in physical form and with the concerned DPs in case of shares held in dematerialised form.
- 14. Permanent Account Number (PAN)

Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has mandated the submission of PAN by every participant in the securities market. Members are requested to submit their PAN to their DPs (in case of shares held in dematerialised form) or to the Company / R & T Agent viz. Link Intime India Private Limited (in case of shares held in physical form).

- 15. Members are requested to inform change in address or Bank mandate to their respective DPs with whom they are maintaining their Demat accounts and with the R & T Agent or the Company for the shares held in physical form by a written request duly signed by the member for receiving all communications in future.
- 16. Dematerialisation of Shares and Share Transfer

Trading in the shares of the Company can be done in dematerialized form only. Members are requested to avail the facility of dematerialisation by opening Depository accounts with the DPs of either National Securities Depository Limited or Central Depository Services (India) Limited and get the equity share certificates held by them dematerialised to ensure safe and speedy transactions in securities.

Securities and Exchange Board of India has amended relevant provisions of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, including amendments thereunder, to disallow listed companies from accepting requests for transfer of securities which are held in physical form, with effect from 1st April 2019. The Members who continue to hold shares of listed companies in physical form even after this date, will not be able to lodge the shares with Company / its R & T Agent for further transfer. They will need to convert them to demat form compulsorily if they wish to effect any transfer.

In addition to the above, pursuant to SEBI Circular no. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD_RTAMB/P /CIR/2022/8 dated 25th January 2022 regarding 'Issuance of Securities in dematerialized form' which is effective from 25th January 2022, in case of Investor Service Requests viz. Issue of duplicate securities certificate, Claim from Unclaimed Suspense Account, Renewal / Exchange of securities certificate, Endorsement, Subdivision / Splitting of securities certificate, Consolidation of securities certificates/folios, Transmission, Transposition, the listed companies shall issue the securities in dematerialized form only. Accordingly, the Company has processed the aforementioned requests by issuance of Letter of Confirmation to the shareholders, for converting their shares to demat form.



- 17. Since the securities of the Company are compulsorily tradable in electronic form to ensure better investor service and elimination of risk of holding securities in physical form, it is requested that the members holding shares in physical form get their shares dematerialised at the earliest.
- 18. To prevent fraudulent transactions, members are advised to exercise due diligence and notify the Company of any change in address or demise of any member as soon as possible. Members are also advised not to leave their demat account(s) dormant for long. A periodic statement of holdings should be obtained from the concerned Depository Participant and holdings should be verified.
- 19. Members having multiple folios are requested to intimate to the Company / R & T Agent such folios, to consolidate all shareholdings into one folio.
- 20. Nomination

Members desirous of making a nomination are requested to submit Nominations in prescribed Form SH-13 to R & T Agent in case of holding of shares in physical form and with their respective DPs, in case of shares held in dematerialised form. The Nomination Form SH-13 is available with the R & T Agent of the Company and on the website of the Company **www.duncanengg.com**.

21. Register E-mail Address

Members are requested to register their e-mail addresses with R & T Agent viz. Link Intime India Private Limited in case of holding of shares in physical form and with concerned DPs in case of shares held in dematerialised form.

To receive the correspondence, Members are requested to register their e-mail address(es) or changes therein, if any, at the earliest, to receive the aforesaid AGM Notice, Annual Report, and login ID & password for e-voting electronically. Shareholders holding shares in dematerialized mode are requested to register their email addresses and mobile numbers with their relevant depositories through their depositary participants. Shareholders holding shares in physical mode are requested to furnish their email addresses and mobile numbers with the Company at **complianceofficer@duncanengg.com** or its R&T Agent viz. Link Intime India Private Limited at **pune@linkintime.co.in**.

Members (in case of holding shares in physical form) who have not updated their bank account details for receiving the dividend, if any, directly in their bank accounts through electronic mode may update their bank account details through the aforesaid email addresses of the Company and the R&T Agent by providing necessary documents and information. Members (in case of holding shares in dematerialized form) are requested to contact DPs to update bank account details.

SEBI vide its Circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD_RTAMB/P/CIR/2021/655 dated 3rd November 2021 and clarification on the same dated 14th December 2021, on Common and Simplified Norms for processing Investor's Service Request by RTAs, has mandated the furnishing of PAN, Address with PIN code, Email address, Mobile No., Bank Account details, Specimen Signature & Nomination by holders of physical securities. For more details, please visit the web link: <u>https://web.linkintime.co.in/KYC-downloads.html</u>.

22. In compliance with the aforesaid MCA Circulars and SEBI Circulars, Notice of the AGM along with the Annual Report, is being sent only through electronic mode to those Members whose email addresses are registered with the R&T Agent /Company / Depositories.

Members may note that the Notice and Annual Report will also be available on the Company's website <u>www.duncanengg.com</u>, on the website of the Stock Exchange i.e., BSE Limited at <u>www.bseindia.com</u> and on the website of the e-Voting service provider at <u>www.linkintime.co.in</u>.

23. Inspection Documents

Electronic copy of relevant documents referred to in the Notice and Explanatory Statement will be made available through email for inspection by the Members. A Member is requested to send an email to **complianceofficer@duncanengg.com** for the same.

Electronic copies of necessary statutory registers and auditors' reports/certificates will be available for inspection by the Members at the time of AGM.

- 24. Since the AGM will be held through VC / OAVM in accordance with the Circulars, the route map, proxy form, and attendance slip are not attached to this Notice.
- 25. Link Intime India Private Limited ("Link Intime") will provide facility for voting through remote e-Voting, for participation in this AGM through VC / OAVM facility, and e-Voting during this AGM.
- 26. Instructions for e-voting and procedure for joining the AGM through VC/OAVM



I. In compliance with provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 and as amended from time to time, Regulation 44 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, including amendments thereunder and Secretarial Standard on General Meetings (SS2) issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India, including amendments thereunder and the circulars issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, the Company is providing facility of remote e-voting and e-voting on the date of AGM to its Members in respect of the business to be transacted at the 62nd Annual General Meeting.

For this purpose, the Company has engaged the services of Link Intime India Private Limited ("Link Intime") for facilitating voting through electronic means, as the authorized agency. The facility of casting votes by a member using remote e-voting system as well as voting on the date of the AGM will be provided by Link Intime.

II. The members who have cast their vote by remote e-voting prior to the AGM may also attend the AGM through VC/OAVM but shall not be entitled to cast their vote again.

III. THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR REMOTE E-VOTING AND JOINING GENERAL MEETING ARE AS UNDER:

Remote e-Voting Instructions for shareholders:

As per the SEBI circular dated December 9, 2020, individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode can register directly with the depository or will have the option of accessing various ESP portals directly from their demat accounts.

Login method for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode is given below:

1. Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL

- 1. Existing IDeAS user can visit the e-Services website of NSDL viz... <u>https://eservices.nsdl.com</u> either on a personal computer or on a mobile. On the e-Services home page click on the "Beneficial Owner" icon under "Login"" which is available under 'IDeAS' section, this will prompt you to enter your existing User ID and Password. After successful authentication, you will be able to see e-Voting services under Value added services. Click on "Access to e-Voting" under e-Voting services and you will be able to see e-Voting page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider name i.e. LINKINTIME and you will be re-directed to "InstaVote" website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period.
- 2. If you are not registered for IDeAS e-Services, option to register is available at <u>https://eservices.nsdl.com</u> Select "Register Online for IDeAS Portal" or click at <u>https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp</u>
- 3. Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/ either on a personal computer or on a mobile. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder/Member' section. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID (i.e. your sixteen-digit demat account number hold with NSDL), Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen. After successful authentication, you will be redirected to NSDL Depository site wherein you can see e-Voting page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider name i.e. LINKINTIME and you will be redirected to "InstaVote" website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period.

2. Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL

- 1. Users who have opted for CDSL Easi / Easiest facility, can login through their existing user id and password. The option will be made available to reach e-Voting page without any further authentication. The users to login Easi / Easiest are requested to visit CDSL website www.cdslindia.com and click on login icon & New System Myeasi Tab and then use your existing my easi username & password.
- 2. After successful login the Easi / Easiest user will be able to see the e-Voting option for eligible companies where the evoting is in progress as per the information provided by the company. On clicking the evoting option, the user will be able to see e-Voting page of the e-Voting service provider i.e. LINKINTIME for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting. Additionally, there are also links provided to access the system of all e-Voting Service Providers, so that the user can visit the e-Voting service providers' website directly.
- 3. If the user is not registered for Easi/Easiest, the option to register is available at CDSL website www.cdslindia.com and click on login & New System Myeasi Tab and then click on registration option.
- 4. Alternatively, the user can directly access the e-Voting page by providing Demat Account Number and PAN No. from a e-Voting link available on <u>www.cdslindia.com</u> home page. The system will authenticate the user



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by sending OTP on registered Mobile & Email as recorded in the Demat Account. After successful authentication, the user will be able to see the e-Voting option where the evoting is in progress and also able to directly access the system of all e-Voting Service Providers.

- 3. Individual Shareholders (holding securities in demat mode) login through their depository participants
- 4. You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your Depository Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for e-Voting facility. After Successful login, you will be able to see e-Voting option. Once you click on e-Voting option, you will be redirected to NSDL/CDSL Depository site after successful authentication, wherein you can see e-Voting feature. Click on the company name or e-Voting service provider name i.e. LinkIntime and you will be redirected to e-Voting service provider website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period.

Login method for Individual shareholders holding securities in physical form/ Non-Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode is given below:

Individual Shareholders of the company, holding shares in physical form / Non-Individual Shareholders holding **securities** in demat mode as on the cut-off date for e-voting may register for e-Voting facility of Link Intime as under:

- 1. Open the internet browser and launch the URL: <u>https://instavote.linkintime.co.in</u>
- 2. Click on "Sign Up" under 'SHARE HOLDER' tab and register with your following details: -
 - A. User ID:

Shareholders holding shares in physical form shall provide Event No + Folio Number registered with the Company. Shareholders holding shares in NSDL demat account shall provide 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client ID; Shareholders holding shares in CDSL demat account shall provide 16 Digit Beneficiary ID.

- B. PAN: Enter your 10-digit Permanent Account Number (PAN) (Shareholders who have not updated their PAN with the Depository Participant (DP)/ Company shall use the sequence number provided to you, if applicable.
- C. DOB/DOI: Enter the Date of Birth (DOB) / Date of Incorporation (DOI) (As recorded with your DP / Company in DD/MM/YYYY format)
- **D.** Bank Account Number: Enter your Bank Account Number (last four digits), as recorded with your DP/Company.

*Shareholders holding shares in **physical form** but have not recorded 'C' and 'D', shall provide their Folio number in 'D' above

*Shareholders holding shares in NSDL form, shall provide 'D' above

Set the password of your choice (The password should contain minimum 8 characters, at least one special Character (@!#\$&*), at least one numeral, at least one alphabet and at least one capital letter).

- Click "confirm" (Your password is now generated).
- 3. Click on 'Login' under **'SHARE HOLDER'** tab.
- 4. Enter your User ID, Password and Image Verification (CAPTCHA) Code and click on 'Submit'.

Cast your vote electronically:

- 1. After successful login, you will be able to see the notification for e-voting. Select 'View' icon.
- 2. E-voting page will appear.
- 3. Refer the Resolution description and cast your vote by selecting your desired option '**Favour / Against**' (If you wish to view the entire Resolution details, click on the '**View Resolution**' file link).
- 4. After selecting the desired option i.e. Favour / Against, click on **'Submit'**. A confirmation box will be displayed. If you wish to confirm your vote, click on **'Yes'**, else to change your vote, click on **'No'** and accordingly modify your vote.

Guidelines for Institutional shareholders:

Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) and Custodians are required to log on the e-voting system of LIIPL at <u>https://instavote.linkintime.co.in</u> and register themselves as 'Custodian / Mutual Fund / Corporate Body'. They are also required to upload a scanned certified true copy of the board resolution /authority letter/power of attorney etc. together with attested specimen signature of the duly authorised representative(s) in PDF format in the