

Emami Paper Mills Limited

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Notice

NOTICE is hereby given that the Forty-First Annual General Meeting ("AGM/41st AGM") of the Members of Emami Paper Mills Limited ("the Company") will be held on Tuesday, 12th September, 2023 at 11:00 A.M. (IST) through Video Conferencing ("VC") / Other Audio-Visual Means ("OAVM") facility to transact the following business:

ORDINARY BUSINESS:

- To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the financial year ended on 31st March, 2023, together with the Reports of the Board of Directors and the Auditors thereon.
- 2. To declare dividend @ 8% p.a., i.e. ₹ 8/- per Preference Share of the face value of ₹ 100/- each and @ 80% i.e. ₹ 1.60 per Equity Share of the face value of ₹ 2/- each for the financial year 2022-23.
- 3. To appoint a Director in place of Mr. Manish Goenka (DIN: 00363093), who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment.

SPECIAL BUSINESS:

4. Ratification of Remuneration to Cost Auditors for the financial year 2023-24.

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

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 148 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013, read with Rule 14 of the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof for the time being in force), consent of the Members of the Company be and is hereby accorded for payment of remuneration of ₹ 1,50,000/-(Rupees One Lakh Fifty Thousand only) plus applicable taxes and out of pocket expenses, for conducting audit of the cost accounting records of the Company for the financial year 2023-24 as may be applicable to the Company, to

M/s. V.K.Jain & Co., Cost Accountants (Firm's Registration No: 00049) who were re-appointed as Cost Auditors of the Company by the Board of Directors of the Company at its meeting held on 26th May, 2023".

 Re-appointment of Mr. Manish Goenka (DIN: 00363093) as a Whole-time Director, liable to retire by rotation, and payment of remuneration.

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

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of the Sections 196, 197, 203 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, if any, read with relevant Rules and Schedule V made thereunder ("Act") (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof), the Articles of Association of the Company and applicable Regulations under SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations"), recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and approval of the Audit Committee and Board of Directors, the consent of the Members of the Company be and is hereby accorded to the re-appointment of Mr. Manish Goenka (DIN:00363093) as Whole-time Director, liable to retire by rotation, for a period of approx. 3 (three) years from 15th July, 2023 to 30th June, 2026, designated as Vice Chairman of the Company w.e.f. 9th August, 2023 on the terms and conditions including payment of remuneration as set out in the explanatory statement annexed to this Notice convening this meeting and as enumerated in the Agreement dated 26th May, 2023 and supplemental agreement dated 9th August, 2023 respectively entered into between the company and Mr. Manish Goenka, which has been submitted to this meeting and are also be and are hereby specifically approved.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT where in any financial year during the currency of the tenure of Mr. Manish Goenka, the Company has no profits or its profits are inadequate, the Company shall pay the remuneration as set out in the explanatory statement and Agreement dated 26th May,

2023 and supplemental agreement dated 9th August, 2023 as minimum remuneration notwithstanding that such remuneration is in excess of the limits specified in the Act or Listing Regulations (including any statutory modification(s) thereof from time to time).

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT re-appointment of Mr. Manish Goenka as a Director of the Company immediately on retirement by rotation shall not be deemed to constitute a break in his appointment/service as Whole-time Director of the Company.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors (hereinafter referred to as "the Board" which term shall be deemed to include Nomination and Remuneration Committee of the Board) be and is hereby authorized to alter and vary the terms and conditions of the said appointment and / or remuneration of Mr. Manish Goenka as it may deem fit and as may be acceptable to him and to do all acts, deeds and things as it may in its absolute discretion deem necessary, as may be deemed proper and expedient to give effect to this aforesaid Resolution and to settle any question or doubt that may arise in the said regard."

6. Revision in the terms of remuneration of Mr. Aditya V. Agarwal (DIN - 00149717), Executive Chairman of the Company.

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

"RESOLVED THAT in partial modification of the Resolution passed by the Shareholders of the Company at the Thirty-Ninth Annual General Meeting of the Company held on Friday, 27th August, 2021, for the re-appointment of Mr. Aditya V. Agarwal (DIN: 00149717) as the Whole-time Director, designated as "Executive Chairman", for a period of 3 (three) years w.e.f. 1st November, 2021 on the terms and conditions including remuneration mentioned therein and pursuant to the provisions of the Sections 196, 197, 203 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, if any, read with relevant Rules and Schedule V made thereunder ("Act") (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof), the Articles of Association of the Company and applicable Regulations under SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations"), recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and approval of the Audit Committee and Board of Directors, the consent of the Members of the Company be and is hereby accorded to the revision in remuneration of Mr. Aditya V. Agarwal with effect from 1st April, 2023, as set out in the explanatory statement and supplemental agreement dated 9th August, 2023, entered into between the Company and Mr. Aditya V. Agarwal which has been submitted to this meeting and is also be and is hereby specifically approved.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT except for the revision in the remuneration as set out in the explanatory statement and supplemental agreement dated 9th August, 2023, all other terms and conditions of appointment and remuneration, as approved by the Shareholders at the Thirty-Ninth Annual

General Meeting of the Company held on Friday, 27th August, 2021, shall remain unchanged and continue to be effective.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT where in any financial year during the currency of the tenure of Mr. Aditya V. Agarwal, the Company has no profits or its profits are inadequate, the Company shall pay the remuneration as set out in the explanatory statement and supplemental agreement dated 9th August, 2023 as minimum remuneration notwithstanding that such remuneration is in excess of the limits specified in the Act or Listing Regulations (including any statutory modification(s) thereof from time to time).

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors (hereinafter referred to as "the Board" which term shall be deemed to include Nomination and Remuneration Committee of the Board) be and is hereby authorized to alter and vary the terms and conditions of the said appointment and / or remuneration of Mr. Aditya V. Agarwal as it may deem fit and as may be acceptable to him and to do all acts, deeds and things as it may in its absolute discretion deem necessary, as may be deemed proper and expedient to give effect to this aforesaid Resolution and to settle any question or doubt that may arise in the said regard."

 Re-appointment of Mr. Vivek Chawla (DIN:02696336) as a Whole-time Director, liable to retire by rotation, designated as Whole-time Director & Chief Executive Officer (CEO) and payment of remuneration.

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

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of the Sections 196, 197, 203 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, if any, read with relevant Rules and Schedule V made thereunder ("Act") (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof), the Articles of Association of the Company and applicable Regulations under SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations"), recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and approval of the Audit Committee and Board of Directors, the consent of the Members of the Company, be and is hereby accorded to the re-appointment of Mr. Vivek Chawla (DIN:02696336) as Whole-time Director, liable to retire by rotation, designated as Whole-time Director & Chief Executive Officer (CEO) for a period of 3 (three) years from 2nd December, 2023 to 1st December, 2026 on the terms and conditions including payment of remuneration as set out in the explanatory statement annexed to this Notice convening this meeting and as enumerated in the Agreement dated 9th August, 2023 entered into between the company and Mr. Vivek Chawla, which has been submitted to this meeting and is also be and is hereby specifically approved.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT where in any financial year during the currency of the tenure of Mr. Vivek Chawla, the Company has no profits or its profits are inadequate, the Company shall pay the remuneration as set out in the explanatory statement and Agreement dated 9th August, 2023 as minimum remuneration notwithstanding that such

remuneration is in excess of the limits specified in the Act or Listing Regulations (including any statutory modification(s) thereof from time to time).

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT re-appointment of Mr. Vivek Chawla as a Director of the Company immediately on retirement by rotation shall not be deemed to constitute a break in his appointment/service as Whole-time Director of the Company.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors (hereinafter referred to as "the Board" which term shall be deemed to include Nomination and Remuneration Committee of the Board) be and is hereby authorized to alter and vary the terms and conditions of the said appointment and / or remuneration of Mr. Vivek Chawla as it may deem fit and as may be acceptable to him and to do all acts, deeds and things as it may in its absolute discretion deem necessary, as may be deemed proper and expedient to give effect to this aforesaid Resolution and to settle any question or doubt that may arise in the said regard."

8. Approval under Regulation 17(6)(ca) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations,2015 for payment of remuneration to Mr. Pitamber Sharan Patwari (DIN:00363356) as Non-Executive Non-Independent Director of the Company for the financial year 2023-24.

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

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Regulation 17(6)(ca) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 [including any statutory modification(s) or amendment(s) thereto or re-enactment(s) thereof, for the time being in force], the consent of the members of the company be and is hereby accorded for payment of remuneration to Mr. Pitamber Sharan Patwari (DIN:00363356) as Non-Executive Non-Independent Director of the Company for the financial year 2023-24, as approved by the shareholders of the Company by passing special resolution through Postal Ballot (remote e-voting), being an amount exceeding fifty percent of the total annual remuneration payable to all the Non-Executive Directors of the Company for the financial year 2023-24.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT approval of the members of the Company be and is hereby accorded to the Board of Directors of the Company (including any Committee thereof) to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things and to take all such steps as may be required in this connection including seeking all necessary approvals to give effect to this Resolution and to settle any questions, difficulties or doubts that may arise in this regard."

By order of the Board of Directors For **Emami Paper Mills Limited**

Debendra Banthiya

Kolkata 9th August,2023 Company Secretary M.No.: FCS 7790

NOTES:

- The Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA), vide its General Circular No. 14/2020, 17/2020, 20/2020, 02/2021, 19/2021, 2/2022 and 10/2022 dated April 8, 2020, April 13, 2020, May 5, 2020, January 13, 2021, December 8, 2021, May 5, 2022 and December 28, 2022, respectively, ("MCA Circulars") and Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI") also vide its Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD1/CIR/P/2020/79 dated May 12, 2020, SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/CIR/P/2021/11 dated January 15, 2021, Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD2/ CIR/P/2022/62 dated May 13, 2022, and Circular No. SEBI/ HO/CFD/PoD-2/P/CIR/2023/4 dated January 5, 2023, ("SEBI Circulars") has permitted the companies to conduct the Annual General Meeting through Video Conferencing facility/ Other Audio Visual Means ("VC/OAVM"). In compliance with the provision of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act"), the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations") and MCA/SEBI Circulars, the 41st AGM of the Company is being held through VC/OAVM. The Registered Office of the Company shall be deemed to be the venue for the AGM.
- 2. Generally, a Member entitled to attend and vote at the meeting is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote on a poll instead of himself and the proxy need not be a Member of the Company. Since this AGM is being held through VC/OAVM pursuant to the MCA and SEBI Circulars, 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, Attendance Slip, and Route Map of AGM Venue are not annexed hereto.

Institutional/Corporate Members are entitled to appoint authorized representative(s) pursuant to Section 113 of the Act to attend the Meeting. In this regard, they are requested to send a scanned copy of the Board Resolution/Authority letter authorizing its representative to attend the AGM through VC /OAVM on its behalf and to vote through e-voting. The said Resolution/Authorization should be sent to the Scrutinizer by email through registered email address of the member to sandipkej2@gmail.com with a copy marked to investor.relations@emamipaper.com.

3. Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act") relating to the business to be transacted at the meeting under Items No. 4,5,6,7 & 8 is annexed as Annexure I to this Notice. The relevant details as required under Regulation 36(3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and Secretarial Standard on General Meetings (SS-2) issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI) in respect of Directors seeking appointment/re-appointment and/or fixation of remuneration including variation in the terms of remuneration at the AGM forms part of this Notice and is also annexed as Annexure II. Information pursuant to Section II of Part II of Schedule V of the Companies Act,2013 in relation to items no. 5,6 & 7 forms part of this Notice and is also annexed as Annexure III.

- 4. Voting through electronic means: Pursuant to the provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 (as amended), Regulation 44 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015 (as amended), and Secretarial Standard on General Meetings (SS-2) issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India ("ICSI"), the Company is providing the facility of remote e-Voting/e-Voting to its Members in respect of the business to be transacted at the AGM.
 - For this purpose, the Company has appointed Central Depository Services (India) Limited ("CDSL") for facilitating voting through electronic means, as the authorized e-voting agency. The facility of casting votes by a Member using remote e-voting as well as the e-voting system on the date of the AGM will be provided by CDSL. The Company has engaged the services of CDSL also for the purpose of holding 41st AGM of the Company through VC/OAVM.
- 5. Members who have questions or seeking clarifications on the Annual Report or on the proposals as contained in this Notice are requested to send e-mail to the Company on investor.relations@emamipaper.com on or before Tuesday, 5th September,2023. This would enable the Company to compile the information and provide the replies at the meeting. The Company will allot time for members to express their views or give comments during the meeting.

The members who wish to speak at the meeting need to register themselves as a speaker by sending an e-mail from their registered e-mail ID mentioning their name, DP ID and Client ID/Folio number and mobile number, on e-mail ID investor.relations@emamipaper.com on or before Tuesday, 5th September, 2023. Depending on the availability of time, the Company reserves the right to restrict the number of speakers at the meeting.

- The Shareholders can join the AGM in the VC/OAVM mode 15 minutes before the scheduled time of the commencement of the Meeting by following the procedure mentioned in the Notice. The facility to join the meeting shall be kept open throughout the Proceedings of AGM for the convenience of the Shareholders and for proper conduct of the AGM. The facility of participation at the AGM through VC/OAVM will be made available to at least 1.000 Shareholders on a first-come-first-served basis. This will not include large Shareholders i.e. Shareholders 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 without restriction on account of first-come-first- served basis.
- 7. The attendance of the Shareholders attending the AGM through VC/OAVM will be counted to ascertain the quorum under Section 103 of the Companies Act, 2013.

Dispatch of Annual Report through Electronic Mode: In compliance with the MCA Circulars and SEBI Circulars, Notice of the AGM along with the Annual Report 2022-23 is being sent only through electronic mode to those Members whose e-mail address is registered with the Depository Participants/RTA, unless any member has requested for a physical copy of the same. Members may note that the Notice and Annual Report 2022-23 will also be available on the Company's website at www.emamipaper.in, websites of the Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com, respectively. The AGM Notice is also disseminated on the website of CDSL (agency for providing the Remote e-Voting facility and e-Voting system during the AGM) i.e. at www.evotingindia.com.

The transcript of the forthcoming AGM to be held on Tuesday, 12th September, 2023 shall be made available on the website of the Company at www.emamipaper.in as soon as possible after the meeting is over.

- 9. The Register of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel and their shareholding maintained under Section 170 of the Act, Register of Contracts or Arrangements in which Directors are interested maintained under Section 189 of the Act, would be available electronically for inspection by the Members during the AGM. All documents referred to in the Notice shall be made available for inspection electronically, from the date of circulation of this Notice, until the date of AGM, on receipt of a request by the Company at investor.relations@emamipaper.com.
- 10. The Register of Members and Share Transfer Book of the Company will remain closed from Wednesday, 6th September, 2023 to Tuesday, 12th September, 2023 (both days inclusive) for the purpose of AGM and payment of dividend, if approved at the Meeting.
- 11. Those shareholders who have registered/not registered their e-mail address or registered an incorrect e-mail address and mobile numbers including address and bank details may please contact and validate/update their details with the Depository Participants in case of shares held in electronic form and with M/s. Maheshwari Datamatics Private Limited, Registrar & Transfer Agent of the Company ("RTA") in case of shares are held in physical form.
- 12. The holders of Physical shares, who have not yet registered/ updated their email address, PAN, address, mobile number, bank account details, specimen signature and nomination are requested to kindly register/update the same by sending relevant documents in Form ISR-1.
- 13. Payment of dividend as recommended by the Board of Directors, if approved at the meeting, will be made to those members whose names are on the Company's Register of Members at the close of business hours on Tuesday, 5th September, 2023 and those whose names appear as Beneficial Owners as at the close of the business hours on Tuesday, 5th September, 2023 as per the details to be furnished by the Depositories, viz. National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) and Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL)

- for this purpose and the same will be paid within the statutory limit of 30 days. The withholding tax rates would vary depending on the residential status of every shareholder and the eligible documents submitted by them and accepted by the Company/RTA. Members are hereby requested to refer to the separate communication made in this regard along with this notice and take necessary actions, if required.
- 14. Pursuant to the amendments in the Income Tax Act, dividend income is taxable in the hands of the shareholders from 1st April 2020 and the Company is required to deduct tax at source ("TDS") from the dividend paid to the Members at the prescribed rates in the Income Tax Act, 1961("the IT Act"). In general, to enable compliance with TDS requirements, Members are requested to complete and/or update their Residential Status, PAN, Category as per IT Act with their Depository Participants or in cases shares are held in physical form, with the Company by sending an email to the Company's e-mail address at investor.relations@emamipaper.com or the RTA at mdpldc@yahoo.com. The Shareholders are requested to refer to the Finance Act, 2020 and amendments thereof for prescribed rates for various categories of Shareholders.
- SEBI vide circular dated 16th March,2023 has mandated shareholders holding securities in physical form to furnish/ update their PAN, Nomination Details, Contact Details (Address with PIN, mobile number, email address), bank account details and specimen signature for availing any investor service. Folios wherein any of the above information is not available by 1st October,2023, shall be frozen. PAN to be furnished should be mandatorily linked with Aadhaar number of the holder by 30th June,2023 or any other date as may be specified by Central Board of Direct Taxes. The folios in which PANs are not linked within the specified date shall also be frozen. Further w.e.f. 1st April, 2024, dividend in respect of such frozen folios shall be paid electronically only, upon complying with the aforesaid requirements. Further w.e.f. 31st December, 2025, the frozen folios shall be referred by the RTA/ the Company to the administering authority under the Benami Transactions (Prohibitions) Act, 1988 and/ or Prevention of Money Laundering Act, 2002. The relevant forms prescribed by SEBI for furnishing the above information are available on the website of the Company http://www.emamipaper.in. The concerned shareholders are requested to update the above details by submitting the prescribed forms to the RTA of the Company i.e M/s. Maheshwari Datamatics Private Limited having its office at 23 R. N. Mukherjee Road, 5th Floor, Kolkata – 700001.
- 16. Members holding shares in physical mode may avail the facility of nomination in terms of Section 72 of the Act, by nominating any person to whom their shares in the Company shall vest on occurrence of events stated in Form SH-13. Form SH-13 is to be submitted in duplicate to M/s. Maheshwari Datamatics Limited, RTA of the Company. The prescribed Form is available on Company's website at http://www.emamipaper.in and on the website of the RTA at www.mdpl.in. In case of shares held in dematerialized form, the nomination has to be lodged with the respective Depository Participant.

- 17. Pursuant to Regulation 40 of the SEBI Listing Regulations, the securities of listed companies can be transferred only in the dematerialized mode w.e.f. 1st April,2019. An investor is not prohibited from holding the shares in physical mode even after the said date, however, any investor desirous of transferring shares (which are held in physical mode) can do so only after the shares are dematerialized.
 - Physical Shareholders are advised to dematerialise their shareholding to avail numerous benefits of dematerialisation, which include transferability, easy liquidity, trading, and elimination of any possibility of a loss of documents.
- 18. Members holding shares in the same name or in the same order of names but in several folios are requested to consolidate them into one folio.
- 19. Non-Resident Indian Shareholders are requested to inform the RTA of the Company immediately regarding:
- (a) Change in their residential status on return to India for permanent settlement.
- (b) Particulars of their bank account, maintained in India with complete name, branch, account type, account number and address of the bank with a pin code number, if not furnished earlier.
- 20. The Shareholders as on the cut-off date viz. Tuesday, 5th September 2023 shall only be eligible to vote on the resolutions mentioned in the Notice of the AGM.
- 21. The Shareholders shall have one vote per equity share held by them. The facility of voting would be provided once for every folio/client id, irrespective of a number of joint holders. In case of joint holders, the Members whose name appears as the first holder in the order of names, as per the Register of Members of the Company will be entitled to vote electronically at the AGM.
- 22. Any person, who acquires shares of the Company and becomes a member of the Company after dispatching of the Notice of the 41st Annual General Meeting and holding shares as on the cut-off date i.e. Tuesday, 5th September, 2023 may obtain the Login ID and password by sending a request at helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com. However, if a person is already registered with CDSL for e-Voting then existing User ID and password can be used for casting vote.
- 23. In this Notice, the terms Member(s) or Shareholder(s) are used interchangeably.
- 24. The Company's Statutory Auditors, M/s. S K Agrawal and Co Chartered Accountants LLP, Chartered Accountants, (Firm Registration No. 306033E/E300272), were appointed as the Statutory Auditors of the Company for a period of 5 years at the 40th Annual General Meeting held on August, 19, 2022 i.e. upto the conclusion of the 45th Annual General Meeting to be held in the calendar year 2027 on the remuneration to be determined by the Board of Directors.
- 25. In order to provide protection against fraudulent encashment of dividend warrants, the Shareholders, holding shares in physical form are requested to provide, if not already provided, their bank account number, name and address of the Bank and Branch.

- 26. In case the shares are held in dematerialized form, the above intimation, along with any request for effecting changes in the details provided earlier, should only be forwarded to the respective depository participants.
- 27. Shareholders are requested to immediately notify the Company their change of Address, Mandate Bank Particulars, etc. to ensure prompt action. Shareholders are requested to clearly mention their Registered Folio Number in every correspondence with the Company. In case the shares are held in dematerialized form, the abovementioned intimation is to be forwarded to the respective depository participants.
- 28. Those Shareholders who have not encashed their dividend warrants for the Financial years 2015-16 and onwards may return the time-barred dividend warrants to the Company's Share Transfer Agents, M/s Maheshwari Datamatics Pvt. Ltd., 23 R. N. Mukherjee Road, 5th Floor, Kolkata-700 001 for the issue of duplicate dividend warrants.
- 29. In terms of Section 124(5) of the Act, dividend amount for the FY 2015-16 which remaining unclaimed for a period of 7 (seven) years shall become due for transfer in 16th September, 2023 to the Investor Education and Protection Fund ("IEPF") established by the Central Government. Further, in terms of Section 124(6) of the Act, in case of Shareholders whose dividends are unpaid for a continuous period of 7 (seven) years, the corresponding shares shall be transferred to the IEPF's demat account. Members who have not claimed dividends from FY 2016 onwards are requested to approach the Company/RTA for claiming the same at the earliest to avoid transfer of relevant shares to IEPF's demat account. The Company has uploaded the details of unpaid and unclaimed amounts lying with the Company as on 31st March, 2023 on the website of the Company i.e.www.emamipaper.in.
- 30. Unclaimed/Uncashed dividend upto the years ended 31st March, 2015 have already been transferred to the IEPF. The Statement containing the details of Name, Folio No. and Number of Shares transferred to IEPF Suspense Account is available on company's website. Shareholders can claim the transferred shares along with dividends from the IEPF Authority in Form IEPF 5 (available on iepf.gov.in) as per the procedure prescribed in the IEPF Rules.
- 31. The Board vide its resolution passed on 26th May, 2023 have appointed Mr. Sandip Kumar Kejriwal (CP No. 3821) Practicing Company Secretary as the Scrutinizer and M/s P. Sarawagi & Associates (CP No. 4882), Company Secretaries, as the alternate Scrutinizer for conducting the e-Voting process in a fair and transparent manner.
- 32. The Scrutinizer will submit his final and consolidated report to the Chairman of the Company within two working days after the conclusion of the Annual General Meeting. The Scrutinizer's decision on the validity of all kinds of voting will be final.

33. The results of the remote e-Voting/e-Voting at Annual General Meeting shall be declared by the Chairman or his authorized representative or any one Director of the Company after the Annual General Meeting within the prescribed time limits. The results along with the Scrutinizers Report shall be placed on the website of the Company i.e. www.emamipaper.in and on the website of CDSL i.e. www.evotingindia.com immediately after declaration of results. The Results will also be forwarded to the Stock Exchanges where the shares of the Company are listed.

PROCEDURES FOR THE SHAREHOLDERS FOR REMOTE E-VOTING:

THE INTRUCTIONS OF SHAREHOLDERS FOR REMOTE E-VOTING:

Step 1: Access through Depositories CDSL/NSDL e-Voting system in case of individual shareholders holding shares in demat mode.

Step 2: Access through CDSL e-Voting system in case of shareholders holding shares in physical mode and non-individual shareholders in demat mode.

- (i) The voting period begins on Saturday, 9th September, 2023 at 10:00 a.m. and ends on Monday, 11th September, 2023 at 05:00 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 i.e. Tuesday, 5th September, 2023 may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter.
- (ii) Shareholders who have already voted prior to the meeting date would not be entitled to vote at the meeting venue.

(iii) Pursuant to SEBI Circular No. **SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD/ CIR/P/2020/242 dated 09.12.2020**, under Regulation 44 of
Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, listed entities are required to provide remote e-voting facility to its shareholders, in respect of all shareholders' resolutions.

However, it has been observed that the participation by the public non-institutional shareholders/retail shareholders is at a negligible level.

Currently, there are multiple e-voting service providers (ESPs) providing e-voting facility to listed entities in India. This necessitates registration on various ESPs and maintenance of multiple user IDs and passwords by the shareholders.

In order to increase the efficiency of the voting process, pursuant to a public consultation, it has been decided to enable e-voting to all the demat account holders, by way of a single login credential, through their demat accounts/ websites of Depositories/ Depository Participants. Demat account holders would be able to cast their vote without having to register again with the ESPs, thereby, not only facilitating seamless authentication but also enhancing ease and convenience of participating in e-voting process.

Step 1: Access through Depositories CDSL/NSDL e-Voting system in case of individual shareholders holding shares in demat mode.

(iv) In terms of SEBI circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD/CIR/P/2020/242 dated December 9, 2020 on e-Voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode are allowed to vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants. Shareholders are advised to update their mobile number and email Id in their demat accounts in order to access e-Voting facility.

Pursuant to abovesaid SEBI Circular, Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meetings for Individual shareholders holding securities in Demat mode CDSL/NSDL is given below:

Type of	Login Method	
shareholders	Login Method	
Individual	1) Users who have opted for CDSL Easi / Easiest facility, can login through their existing user id and	
Shareholders	password. Option will be made available to reach e-Voting page without any further authentication.	
holding securities in	The URL for users to login to Easi / Easiest are https://web.cdslindia.com/ myeasinew/home/login or	
Demat mode with	visit <u>www.cdslindia.com</u> and click on Login icon and select New System Myeasi.	
CDSL Depository	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 company. On clicking the evoting option, the user will be able to see e-Voting page of the e-Voting service provider for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting. Additionally, there is also links provided to access the system of all e-voting Service Providers i.e. CDSL/NSDL/KARVY/LINKINTIME, so that the user can visit the e-voting service providers' website directly.	
	3) If the user is not registered for Easi/Easiest, option to register is available at https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasinew/Registration/EasiRegistration .	
	4) Alternatively, the user can directly access e-Voting page by providing Demat Account Number and PAN No. from a e-Voting link available on www.cdslindia.com/Evoting/EvotingLogin . The system will authenticate the user by sending OTP on registered Mobile & Email as recorded in the Demat Account. After successful authentication, 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.	

Type of shareholders	Login Method
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL Depository	1) If you are already registered for NSDL IDeAS facility, please visit the e-Services website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: https://eservices.nsdl.com either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. Once the home page of e-Services is launched, click on the "Beneficial Owner" icon under "Login" which is available under 'IDeAS' section. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID and Password. After successful authentication, you will be able to see e-Voting 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 and you will be re-directed to e-Voting service provider website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.
	2) If the user is not registered for IDeAS e-Services, option to register is available at https://eservices.nsdl.com . Select "Register Online for IDeAS "Portal or click at https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp
	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 and you will be redirected to e-Voting service provider website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.
Individual Shareholders (holding securities in demat mode) login through	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 company name or e-Voting service provider name and you will be redirected to e-Voting service provider website for casting your
their Depository Participants (DP)	vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.

Important note: Members who are unable to retrieve User ID/ Password are advised to use Forget User ID and Forget Password option available at abovementioned website.

Helpdesk for Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode for any technical issues related to login through Depository i.e. CDSL and NSDL

Login type	Helpdesk details
Individual Shareholders holding securities in	Members facing any technical issue in login can
Demat mode with CDSL	contact CDSL helpdesk by sending a request at
	helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or contact at toll free no. 1800
	22 55 33
Individual Shareholders holding securities in	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact NSDL
Demat mode with NSDL	helpdesk by sending a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in or call at
	toll free no.: 022-4886 7000 and 022-2499 7000

Step 2: Access through CDSL e-Voting system in case of shareholders holding shares in physical mode and non-individual shareholders in demat mode.

- (i) Login method for e-voting and joining virtual meetings for Physical shareholders and shareholders other than individual holding in Demat form.
 - 1) The shareholders should log on to the e-voting website <u>www.evotingindia.com</u>.
 - 2) Click on "Shareholders" module.
 - 3) 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. Shareholders holding shares in Physical Form should enter Folio Number registered with the Company.

- 4) Next enter the Image Verification as displayed and Click on Login.
- 5) If you are holding shares in demat form and had logged on to www.evotingindia.com and voted on an earlier e-voting of any company, then your existing password is to be used.
- 6) If you are a first-time user follow the steps given below:

	For Physical shareholders and other than individual shareholders holding shares in	
	Demat.	
PAN	Enter your 10 digit alpha-numeric *PAN issued by Income Tax Department (Applicable for both demat shareholders as well as physical shareholders)	
	• Shareholders who have not updated their PAN with the Company/Depository Participant are requested to use the sequence number sent by Company/RTA or contact Company/RTA.	
Dividend Bank Details OR	Enter the Dividend Bank Details or Date of Birth (in dd/mm/yyyy format) as recorded in your	
Date of Birth (DOB)	demat account or in the company records in order to login.	
	• If both the details are not recorded with the depository or company, please enter the member id / folio number in the Dividend Bank details field.	

- (ii) After entering these details appropriately, click on "SUBMIT" tab.
- (iii) Shareholders holding shares in physical form will then directly reach the Company selection screen. However, shareholders 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.
- (iv) For shareholders holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for e-voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.
- (v) Click on the EVSN for the relevant Emami Paper Mills Limited on which you choose to vote.
- (vi) 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.
- (vii) Click on the "RESOLUTIONS FILE LINK" if you wish to view the entire Resolution details.
- (viii) 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.
- (ix) Once you "CONFIRM" your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
- (x) You can also take a print of the votes cast by clicking on "Click here to print" option on the Voting page.
- (xi) If a demat account holder has forgotten the login password then Enter the User ID and the image verification code

- and click on Forgot Password & enter the details as prompted by the system.
- (xii) There is also an optional provision to upload BR/POA if any uploaded, which will be made available to scrutinizer for verification.
- (xiii) Additional Facility for Non Individual Shareholders and Custodians –For Remote Voting only.
 - Non-Individual shareholders (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) and Custodians are required to log on to www.evotingindia.com and register themselves in the "Corporates" module.
 - A scanned copy of the Registration Form bearing the stamp and sign of the entity should be emailed to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com.
 - 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 linked in the login will be mapped automatically & can be delink in case of any wrong mapping.
 - It is Mandatory that, 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.
 - Alternatively Non Individual shareholders are required mandatory to send the relevant Board Resolution/ Authority letter etc. together with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer at email id: sandipkej2@gmail.com and to the Company at the email address viz; investor.relations@emamipaper.com, if they have voted from individual tab & not uploaded same in the CDSL e-voting system for the scrutinizer to verify the same.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SHAREHOLDERS ATTENDING THE AGM THROUGH VC/OAVM & E-VOTING DURING MEETING ARE AS UNDER:

- The procedure for attending meeting & e-Voting on the day of the AGM is same as the instructions mentioned above for e-voting.
- The link for VC/OAVM to attend meeting will be available where the EVSN of Company will be displayed after successful login as per the instructions mentioned above for e-voting.
- Shareholders who have voted through Remote e-Voting will be eligible to attend the meeting. However, they will not be eligible to vote at the AGM.
- Shareholders are encouraged to join the Meeting through Laptops / IPads for better experience.
- Further shareholders will be required to allow Camera and use Internet with a good speed to avoid any disturbance during the meeting.
- Please note that Participants Connecting from Mobile Devices
 or Tablets or through Laptop connecting via Mobile Hotspot
 may experience Audio/Video loss due to Fluctuation in their
 respective network. It is therefore recommended to use Stable
 Wi-Fi or LAN Connection to mitigate any kind of aforesaid glitches.
- Those shareholders who have registered themselves as a speaker will only be allowed to express their views/ask questions during the meeting.
- 8. Only those shareholders, who are present in the AGM through VC/OAVM facility and have not casted their vote on the Resolutions through remote e-Voting and are otherwise not barred from doing so, shall be eligible to vote through e-Voting system available during the AGM.
- 9. If any votes are cast by the shareholders through the e-voting available during the AGM and if the same shareholders have not participated in the meeting through VC/OAVM facility, then the votes cast by such shareholders may be considered invalid as the facility of e-voting during the meeting is available only to the shareholders attending the meeting.

PROCESS FOR THOSE SHAREHOLDERS WHOSE EMAIL/MOBILE NO. ARE NOT REGISTERED WITH THE COMPANY/DEPOSITORIES.

- For Physical shareholders- please provide necessary details like Folio No., Name of shareholder, scanned copy of the share certificate (front and back), PAN (self attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) by email to the RTA at mdpldc@yahoo.com.
- For Demat shareholders Please update your email id & mobile no. with your respective Depository Participant (DP)
- For Individual Demat shareholders Please update your email id & mobile no. with your respective Depository Participant (DP) which is mandatory while e-Voting & joining virtual meetings through Depository.

If you have any queries or issues regarding attending AGM & e-voting from the CDSL e-Voting System, you can write an email to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or contact at toll free no. 1800 22 55 33

All grievances connected with the facility for voting by electronic means may be addressed to Mr. Rakesh Dalvi, Sr. Manager, (CDSL) Central Depository Services (India) Limited, A Wing, 25th Floor, Marathon Futurex, Mafatlal Mill Compounds, N M Joshi Marg, Lower Parel (East), Mumbai - 400013 or send an email to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or call at toll free no. 1800 22 55 33

By order of the Board of Directors For **Emami Paper Mills Limited**

Debendra Banthiya

Kolkata 9th August,2023 Company Secretary M.No.: FCS 7790