# GUJCHEMDISTILLERS INDIA LIMITED 81<sup>st</sup> ANNUAL REPORT

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#### **CORPORATE INFORMATION**

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MRS. RAJASVEE SHAH, (MANAGING DIRECTOR) (W.e.f. 30/08/2019) MR. SAGAR SHAH, DIRECTOR (W.e.f. 30/08/2019) MR. MANISH MEHTA, DIRECTOR (W.e.f. 30/08/2019) MR. RAMESHBHAI DATHIA, DIRECTOR (W.e.f. 30/08/2019)

# CHIEF FINANCIALOFFICERMR. SAGAR SHAH(W.e.f. 12/02/2020)

### COMPLIANCE OFFICERMS. BHAVIKA LALWANI(W.e.f. 29/07/2020)

STATUTORY AUDITOR	M/S. S.N. SHAH & ASSOCIATES
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	Ahmedabad, Gujarat -380009

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# **REGISTRAR AND SHARE**

TRANSFER AGENT	Link Intime India Pvt. Ltd.
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	Off C. G. Road, Ahmedabad - 380 009.
	Phone : 079-2646 5179

# NOTICE

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NOTICE is hereby given that the 81<sup>st</sup>Annual General Meeting of the Members of the Company will beheld on Friday, 25<sup>th</sup>September, 2020 at 4.00 P.M. through Video Conferencing / Other Audio-Visual to transactthe following business:

# **ORDINARY BUSINESS:**

- 1 To receive, consider and adopt the audited financial statements of the Company including Balance Sheet as at 31<sup>st</sup>March, 2020, Statement of Profit and Loss and Cash Flow statement for the year ended on that date together with the Directors' Report and Auditors' Report thereon.
- 2 To appoint a Director in place of Mr. Sagar Samir Shah (DIN: 03082957) who retire by rotation and being eligible offers Himself for re appointment.

# **SPECIAL BUSINESS:**

3 To approve increase in remuneration of Mrs. Rajasvee Sagar Shah(DIN: 08265565), Managing Director of the Company.

"**RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to the recommendation of the Nomination and remuneration Committee and pursuant to Section 196, 197, 188 and 203 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the rules made thereunder (including any statutory modification or re-enactment thereof) read with Schedule- V of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Articles of Association of the Company, the consent of the shareholders be and is hereby accorded toincrease remuneration of Mrs. Rajasvee Sagar Shah (DIN: 08265565), Managing Director of the Company w.e.f. 25/09/2020 till remainder of duration of her tenure as Managing Director of the Company as approved and recommended by the Nomination and remuneration Committee of the Company i.e.from uptoRs.50,000 per month to uptoRs.100,000 per month:

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT**the remuneration as se out in the explanatory statement forming part of this resolution payable to Mrs. Rajasvee Sagar Shah (DIN: 08265565), Managing Director, w.e.f. 25/09/2020 shall be subject to following conditions:

 the total remuneration payable in any financial year by way of salary, perquisites, commission and other allowances shall not exceed the overall limit of five percent (5%) of the net profits of the Company as applicable to each of the Managing/Whole time Directors of the Company and/or ten percent (10%) of the net profits of the Company for all Managing/ Whole-time Directors in accordance with the provisions of Sections 197, 198 and other applicable provisions,

if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 read (2) with Schedule V including any statutory amendments, modifications or re-enactment thereof, as may be made thereto and for the time being in force or

 if the Remuneration exceeds the limits as prescribed in the provisions of Section 197, 198 of the Companies Act, 2013, the remuneration payable shall be within the maximum permissible limits specified under Section II of Part II of Schedule V to the Companies Act, 2013 without obtaining the approval of the Central Government in case of no profits/inadequate profits.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** notwithstanding anything contained in Section 197, 198 and Schedule V of the Companies Act, 2013 or any amendment/re-enactment thereof or any revised/new schedule thereof, in the event of absence of profits or inadequate profits in any financial year, the salary, perquisites and statutory benefits, as set out in the explanatory statement forming part of this resolution be paid as minimum remuneration to Mrs. Rajasvee Sagar Shah(DIN: 08265565),,Managing Director.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board of Directors of the Company (including its committee thereof) of the Company, be and are hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be considered necessary, desirable or expedient to give effect to this resolution."

By Oder of Board of Directors For, Gujchem Distillers India Ltd

Rajasvee Sagar Shah (DIN: - 08265565) Chairman & Managing Director

Date:28/08/2020 Place: Ahmedabad Registered Office: Office No 6 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, National Chamber, Nr. City Gold, Ashram Road, Ahmedabad-380009

NOTES:

- 1. In view of the massive outbreak of the COVID-19 pandemic, social distancing is a norm to be followed, the Government of India, Ministry of Corporate Affairs allowed conducting Annual General Meeting through Video Conferencing (VC) or Other Audio-Visual Means (OAVM) and dispended the personal presence of the members at the meeting. Accordingly, the Ministry of Corporate Affairs issued Circular No. 14/2020 dated April 08, 2020, Circular No. 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020 and Circular No. 20/2020 dated May 05, 2020 prescribing the procedures and manner of conducting the Annual General Meeting through VC/OAVM. In terms of the said circulars, the 81<sup>st</sup> Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the members will be held through VC/OAVM. Hence, members can attend and participate in the AGM through VC/OAVM only. The detailed procedure for participation in the meeting through VC/OAVM is as per note no. 17 and available at the Company's website www.guichemdistillers.com.
- Information regarding appointment/re-appointment of Directors and Explanatory Statement in respect
  of special businesses to be transacted pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 and/ or
  Regulation 36(3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 is
  annexed hereto.
- **3.** Pursuant to the Circular No. 14/2020 dated April 08, 2020, issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, the facility to appoint proxy to attend and cast vote for the members is not available for this AGM. However, the Body Corporates are entitled to appoint authorized representatives to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM and participate thereat and cast their votes through e-voting.
- **4.** The attendance of the Members attending the AGM through VC/OAVM will be counted for the purpose of reckoning the quorum under Section 103 of the Companies Act, 2013.
- 5. In line with the aforesaid Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) Circulars, the Notice of AGM along with Annual Report 2019-20 is being sent only through electronic mode to those Members whose email addresses are registered with the Company/ Depositories. Member may note that Notice and Annual Report 2019-20 has been uploaded on the website of the Company at <u>www.guichemdistillers.com</u>. The Notice can also be accessed from the websites of the Stock Exchange i.e. Bombay Stock Exchange at www.bseindia.com respectively.
- 6. The Register of members and share transfer books of the Company will remain closed from Friday, 18<sup>th</sup>September, 2020 to Friday, 25th September, 2020 (both days inclusive) for the purpose of Annual General Meeting.
- **7.** Members seeking any information with regard to accounts are requested to write to the Company at least 10 days before the meeting so as to enable the management to keep the information ready.
- 8. Members holding the shares in physical mode are requested to notify immediately the change of their address and bank particulars to the R & T Agent of the Company. In case shares held in dematerialized form, the information regarding change of address and bank particulars should be given to their respective Depository Participant.
- **9.** In terms of Section 72 of the Companies Act, 2013, nomination facility is available to individual members holding shares in the physical form. The members who are desirous of availing this facility, may kindly write to Company's R & T Agent for nomination form by quoting their folio number.

- 10. The Register of Directors' and Key Managerial Personnel and their shareholding maintained under Section 170 of the Companies Act, 2013, the Register of contracts or arrangements in which the Directors are interested under Section 189 of the Companies Act, 2013 and all other documents referred to in the Notice will be available for inspection in electronic mode.
- **11.** The Members can join the AGM through the VC/OAVM mode 15 minutes before and after the scheduled time of the commencement of the Meeting by following the procedure mentioned in the Notice. The facility of participation at the AGM through VC/OAVM will be made available for 1,000 members on first come first served basis. This will not include large Shareholders (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.
- **12.** Process and manner for members opting for voting through Electronic means:
  - I. 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) and Regulation 44 of SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015 (as amended), and the Circulars issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs dated April 08, 2020, April 13, 2020 and May 05, 2020 the Company is providing facility of remote e-voting to its Members in respect of the business to be transacted at the AGM. For this purpose, the Company has entered into an agreement with Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL), as the Authorized e-voting agency for facilitating voting through electronic means. The facility of casting votes by a member using remote e-voting as well as e-voting system on the date of the AGM will be provided by CDSL.
  - II. Members whose names are 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. Friday, 18th September, 2020, shall be entitled to avail the facility of remote e-voting as well as e-voting system on the date of the AGM. Any recipient of the Notice, who has no voting rights as on the Cut-off date, shall treat this Notice as intimation only.
  - III. A person who has acquired the shares and has become a member of the Company after the dispatch of the Notice of the AGM and prior to the Cut-off date i.e. Friday, 18th September, 2020, shall be entitled to exercise his/her vote either electronically i.e. remote e-voting or e-voting system on the date of the AGM by following the procedure mentioned in this part.
  - IV. The remote e-voting will commence on Tuesday, 22ndSeptember, 2020 at 9.00 a.m. and ends on Thursday, 24th September, 2020 at 5.00 p.m. During this period, the members of the Company holding shares either in physical form or in demat form as on the Cut-off date i.e. Friday 18th September, 2020may cast their vote electronically. The members will not be able to cast their vote electronically beyond the date and time mentioned above and the remote e-voting module shall be disabled for voting by CDSL thereafter.
  - V. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the member, he/she shall not be allowed to change it subsequently or cast the vote again. The voting rights of the members shall be in proportion to their share in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the Cut-off date i.e. Cut-off date i.e. Friday18th September, 2020

- 13. The Company has appointed CS Devesh Khandelwal, Practicing Company Secretary (Membership No. FCS: 4202; CP No: 6897), to act as the Scrutinizer for conducting the remote e-voting process as well as the e-voting system on the date of the AGM, in a fair and transparent manner.
- **14.** Process for those shareholders whose email ids are not registered:
  - For members holding shares in Physical mode please provide necessary details like Folio No., Name of shareholder by email to <a href="mailto:sagarsamirshah1997@gmail.com">sagarsamirshah1997@gmail.com</a>.
  - Members holding shares in Demat mode can get their E-mail ID registered by contacting their respective Depository Participant or by email to <u>sagarsamirshah1997@gmail.com</u>.
- **15.** The instructions for shareholders for remote voting are as under:
  - The voting period begins on Tuesday, 22nd September, 2020 at 9.00 a.m. and ends on Thursday, 24th September, 2020 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 i.e. Friday18th September, 2020may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter. Shareholders who have already voted prior to the meeting date would not be entitled to vote at the meeting.
  - The shareholders should log on to the e-voting website <u>www.evotingindia.com</u>.
    - Click on Shareholders.
    - Now Enter your User ID
       For CDSL: 16 digits beneficiary ID
       For NSDL: 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digits Client ID,
    - Members holding shares in Physical Form should enter Folio Number registered with the Company
    - Next enter the Image Verification as displayed and Click on Login.
    - If you are holding shares in demat form and had logged on to www.evotingindia.com and voted on an earlier voting of any company, then your existing password is to be used.
    - If you are a first-time user follow the steps given below:

	For Members holding shares in Demat Form and Physical Form		
PAN	<ul> <li>Enter your 10 digit alpha-numeric PAN issued by Income Tax Department (Applicable for both dematshareholders as well as physical shareholders)</li> <li>Members who have not updated their PAN with the Company/Depository Participant are requested to use the sequence number which is printed on Postal Ballot / Attendance Slip indicated in the PAN field.</li> </ul>		
Dividend	• Enter the Dividend Bank Details or Date of Birth (in		
Bank	dd/mm/yyyy format) as recorded in your demat		
Details OR	account or in the company recordsin order to login.		
Date of	<ul> <li>If both the details are not recorded with the</li> </ul>		
Birth	depository or company please enter the member id /		

(DOB) folio number in the Dividend Bank details field.

- After entering these details appropriately, click on "SUBMIT" tab.
- 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.
- For Members holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for e-voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.
- Click on the EVSN of the Company –GUJCHEM DISTILLERS INDIA LIMITED on which you choose to vote.
- 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.
- Click on the "RESOLUTIONS FILE LINK" if you wish to view the entire Resolution details.
- 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.
- Once you "CONFIRM" your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
- You can also take a print of the votes cast by clicking on "Click here to print" option on the Voting page.
- 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.
- Shareholders can also cast their vote using CDSL's mobile app m-Voting. The m-Voting app can be downloaded from Google Play Store. Apple and Windows phone users can download the app from the App Store and the Windows Phone Store respectively. Please follow the instructions as prompted by the mobile app while voting on your mobile.
- Note for Non Individual Shareholders and Custodians
- A. Non-Individual shareholders (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) and Custodian are required to log on to www.evotingindia.com and register themselves as Corporates.
- B. A scanned copy of the Registration Form bearing the stamp and sign of the entity should be emailed to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com
- C. 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.

- D. The list of accounts linked in the login should be mailed to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com and on approval of the accounts they would be able to cast their vote.
- E. A scanned copy of the Board Resolution and Power of Attorney (POA) which they have issued in favor of the Custodian, if any, should be uploaded in PDF format in the system for the scrutinizer to verify the same.
- F. 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. Please follow the instructions as prompted by the mobile app while voting on your mobile. 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 email to an helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com.

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 or call 1800225533.

All grievances connected with the facility for voting by electronic means may be addressed to Mr. Rakesh Dalvi, 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 1800225533.

- **16.** The instructions for shareholders voting on the day of the AGM on e-voting system are as under:
- A. The procedure for e-Voting on the day of the AGM is same as the instructions mentioned above for Remote e-voting.
- B. Only those Members/ shareholders, who will be 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 in the AGM.
- C. If any Votes are cast by the members through the e-voting available during the AGM and if the same members have not participated in the meeting through VC/OAVM facility, then the votes cast by such members shall be considered invalid as the facility of e-voting during the meeting is available only to the members participating in the meeting.
- D. Members who have voted through Remote e-Voting will be eligible to attend the AGM. However, they will not be eligible to vote at the AGM.
- 17. The results declared along with the Scrutinizer's Report shall be placed on the Company's website www.gujchemdistillers.com within three days of the passing of the Resolutions at the 81st Annual General Meeting of the Company and shall also be communicated to the Stock Exchanges where the shares of the Company are listed.
- **18.** Instructions for members for attending the AGM through VC / OAVM are as under: