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BOARD OF DIRECTORS Mr. Kantilal L. Haria Chairman & Managing Director

Mr. Utsav Jaysukh Maru Joint Managing Director

Mr. Nitin V. Oza Director
Mrs. Nehaben Joy Kothari Director
Mr. Mohit Ramamurthy Suddala Director

AUDITORS M/s. Kanak Rathod & Co. Chartered Accountants

BANKERS Punjab National Bank & Others

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the FORTY - SEVENTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Members of HARIA EXPORTS LIMITED will be held on Thursday, 28th September, 2017 at 09:00. A.M. at its Registered Office at 8, Subhash Road, Vile Parle (East), Mumbai – 400057 to transact the following business:

Ordinary Business:

- 1. To receive, consider, approve and adopt the Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the year ended March 31, 2017, together with the Reports of the Board of Directors & Auditors thereon.
- **2.** To appoint a Director in place of Mr. Kantilal Lakhamsi Haria (DIN: 00585400), who retires by rotation at this Annual General Meeting and being eligible, offer himself for re-appointment.
- 3. To appoint Auditors and to fix their remuneration and in this regard to consider and, if thought fit, to pass, the following resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution:**

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 139 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, as amended from time to time, the Company hereby ratifies the appointment of "M/s. Kanak Rathod & Co. (FRN. 104700W)" Chartered Accountants, as Statutory Auditors of the Company to hold office from the conclusion of this Annual General Meeting (AGM) till the conclusion of the next AGM of the Company to be held in 2021 at such remuneration as may be mutually agreed between the Board of Directors of the Company and the Auditors"

Special Business:

4. To appoint Ms. Nehaben Joy Kothari (DIN: 0753569) as Director and in this regard to consider and, if thought fit, to pass, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 161 and all other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force), Ms. Nehaben Joy Kothari (DIN: 0753569), who was appointed as an Additional Director by the Board of Directors of the Company w.e.f. March 30, 2017 and who holds office till the date of this AGM, in respect of whom the Company has received a notice in writing under Section 160 of the Companies Act, 2013 from a member proposing her candidature for the office of Director, be and is hereby appointed as a Director of the Company.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company be and is hereby authorised to do all acts and take all such steps as may be necessary, proper or expedient to give effect to this resolution."

5. To appoint Ms. Nehaben Joy Kothari (DIN: 0753569) as an Independent Director and in this regard to consider and, if thought fit, to pass, the following resolution as an **Ordinary Resolution.**

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149, 152 read with Schedule IV and all other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014



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(including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force) and Regulation 17 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015., Ms. Nehaben Joy Kothari (DIN: 0753569), who was appointed as an Additional Director by the Board of Directors of the Company w.e.f March 30, 2017 and who holds office till the date of this AGM, in respect of whom the Company has received a notice in writing under Section 160 of the Companies Act, 2013 from a member proposing her candidature for the office of Director, be and is hereby appointed as an Independent Director of the Company, not liable to retire by rotation and to hold office for 5 (five) consecutive years.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company be and is hereby authorised to do all acts and take all such steps as may be necessary, proper or expedient to give effect to this resolution."

6. To appoint Mr. Utsav Jaisukh Maru (DIN: 07752233) as Director and in this regard to consider and, if thought fit, to pass, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 161 and all other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force), Mr. Utsav Jaisukh Maru (DIN: 07752233), who was appointed as an Additional Director by the Board of Directors of the Company w.e.f. March 30, 2017 and who holds office till the date of this AGM, in respect of whom the Company has received a notice in writing under Section 160 of the Companies Act, 2013 from a member proposing his candidature for the office of Director, be and is hereby appointed as a Director of the Company.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company be and is hereby authorised to do all acts and take all such steps as may be necessary, proper or expedient to give effect to this resolution."

7. To appoint Mr. Utsav Jaisukh Maru (DIN: 07752233) as Joint managing Director designated as Chief Financial Officer and in this regard to consider and, if thought fit, to pass, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

RESOLVED THAT in accordance with the provisions of Sections 196, 197 and 203 read with Schedule V and all other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Companies (Appointment and Remuneration of Managerial Personnel) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force), and in accordance with the provisions of Articles of Association of the Company, on the recommendation of Nomination and Remuneration Committee of the Board, and subject to the approval of members, consent of the Board be and is hereby accorded to the appointment of Mr. UTSAV MARU (DIN: 07752233) as Joint Managing Director designated as Chief Financial Officer of the Company, for a period of 5 (five) years with effect from 1st April, 2017 on the terms and conditions including remuneration as per below details, with liberty to the Board of Directors on the recommendation of Nomination and Remuneration Committee to alter and vary the terms and conditions of the said re-appointment and / or remuneration as it may deem fit, subject to the same not exceeding the limits specified under Section 197, read with Schedule V to the Companies Act, 2013 or any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof;

- A. SALARY: Rs. NIL Per month with annual increment at such rate as may be approved by the Board of Directors of the Company on the recommendation of Nomination and Remuneration Committee based on merit and taking into account the Company's performance
- **B. BONUS:** As may be decided by the Board of Directors.



C. PERQUISITES & ALLOWANCE:

- i. In addition to the salary, Mr. Utsav Maru (DIN: 07752233) will be also entitled to perquisites and allowances including medical reimbursement and leave travel concessions for self and family; telephone expenses at residence, club fees and personal accident insurance ,accommodation (furnished or otherwise) or house rent allowance in lieu thereof; house maintenance allowance together with reimbursement of expenses and / or allowances for utilisation of gas, electricity, water, furnishing and repairs or such other perquisites and/or cash compensation in accordance with the rules applicable to other senior executives of the company. For the purposes of calculating the above, perquisites shall be evaluated as per Income tax Rules wherever applicable.
- ii. Company's contribution to provident fund, superannuation fund and annuity fund to the extent these are ,either singly or put together, not taxable under the Income tax act; gratuity as per the Rules of the company and encashment of leave at the end of the tenure will not be included for the purpose of computation of the overall ceiling of remuneration.
- iii. Car used on the company's business and telephone and other communication facilities at residence will not be considered as perquisites. Any increment in salary and perquisite & allowance, as may be determined by the 'Board shall be within the limits specified under Section 197, read with Schedule V to the Companies Act, 2013 or any statutory modification(s)" or re-enactment thereof.
 - **D. REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES:** Reimbursement of actual entertainment expenses, expenses incurred for travelling, board and lodging including for their respective spouses and attendant(s) during business trips, any medical assistance provided including for their respective family members; and provision of cars for use on the Company's business and, fuel expenses, insurance premium or other out of pocket expenses incurred in course of the official duties shall be reimbursed at actual and not considered as perquisites.

E. NATURE OF DUTIES:

- i. He will perform his duties with regard to all work of the Company and he will manage and attend to such business and carry out the orders and directions given by the Board from time to time in all respects and conform to and comply with all such directions and regulations as may from time to time be given and made by the Board and the functions of the Whole-time Director will be under the overall authority of the Managing Director.
- **ii.** He will act in accordance with the Articles of Association of the Company and shall abide by the provisions contained in Section 166 of the Act with regard to duties of directors.
- iii. He will adhere to the Company's Code of Business Conduct & Ethics for Directors and Management Personnel.
 - **F.** TERMINATION: The office of Mr. Utsav Maru (DIN: 07752233) will be terminated forthwith by notice in writing on the vacation of office of Director by virtue of section 167,169 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 or by giving 6 months notice in writing by either party.

Resolved further that in the event of loss or inadequacy of profits in any financial year, the Company may pay to Mr. Utsav Maru (DIN: 07752233) the above remuneration by way of salary, bonus and other allowances as a minimum remuneration but not exceeding the limits specified under Section II of Part II of Schedule V to the Companies Act, 2013, or any statutory modifications therein or enactment thereof, as may be agreed by the Board of Directors and Mr. Utsav Maru (DIN: 07752233).



Resolved further that the any Director of the Company be and is hereby authorised to do all acts and take all such steps as may be necessary, proper or expedient to give effect to this resolution.

Notes:

- 1. A member entitled to attend and vote at the meeting is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote instead of him and a proxy need not be a member of the company. Proxies, in order to be effective, must be received at the Company's Registered Office not less than 48 hours before the Meeting. Proxies submitted on behalf of companies, societies, partnership firms, etc. must be supported by appropriate resolution/ authority, as applicable, issued on behalf of the nominating organization. Members are requested to note that a person can act as a proxy on behalf of members not exceeding 50 and holding in the aggregate not more than 10% of the total share capital of the Company carrying voting rights. In case a proxy is proposed to be appointed by a Member holding more than 10% of the total share capital of the Company carrying voting rights, then such proxy shall not act as a proxy for any other person or shareholder.
- **2. Corporate Members:** Corporate Members intending to send their authorized representatives are requested to send a duly certified copy of the Board Resolution authorizing the representatives to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting.
- **3.** A Statement pursuant to Section 102(1) of the Companies Act, 2013, relating to the Special Business to be transacted at the Meeting is annexed hereto.
- **4.** Members/ Proxies should bring the enclosed attendance Slip duly filled in, for attending the Annual General Meeting, along with their copy of the Annual Report. Copies of the Annual Report will not be distributed at the Meeting.
- 5. The Register of Members and Share Transfer Books of the Company will remain closed from Thursday, 21st September, 2017 to Thursday, 28th September, 2017 (both days inclusive)
- **6.** Members are requested to notify any change in their address/ mandate/bank details immediately to the share transfer Agent of the Company- M/S. LINK INTIME INDIA PVT LTD
- 7. Members holding shares in physical form are requested to advise any change of address immediately to the Company's Share Registrars and Transfer Agents. Members holding shares in electronic form must send the advice about change in address to their respective Depository Participant only and not to the Company or the Company's Share Registrars and Transfer Agents.
- 8. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has mandated the submission of Permanent Account Number (PAN) by every participant in the securities market. Members holding shares in electronic form are, therefore, requested to submit their PAN details to their respective Depository Participants. Members holding shares in physical form are requested to submit their PAN details to the Share Registrars and Transfer Agents.
- **9.** Members holding shares in physical form are requested to consider converting their holdings to dematerialized form to eliminate risks associated with physical shares and for ease in portfolio management. Members can contact the Company's Share Registrars and Transfer Agents for assistance in this regard.
- **10.** All documents referred to in the Notice are open for inspection at the Registered Office of the Company on all workings days except Saturdays and Public Holidays between 11.00 A.M. and 1.00 P.M. up to the date of the Annual General Meeting.



- 11. Members who have not registered their e-mail addresses so far, are requested to register their e-mail address for receiving all communication including Annual Report, Notices, Circulars, etc. from the Company electronically.
- 12. In terms of and in compliance with the provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013, read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 as amended by the Companies (Management and Administration) Amendment Rules, 2015, and Regulation 44 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the Company is pleased to offer remote e-voting facility as an alternate to all its Members to enable them to cast their vote electronically instead of casting the vote at the Meeting. The Members who have cast their votes by remote e-voting may participate in the Meeting even after exercising their right to vote through remote e-voting but shall not be allowed to cast vote again at the Meeting. For this purpose, the Company has entered into an agreement with CDSL for facilitating e-voting to enable the Shareholders to cast their votes electronically. The Company is also providing facility for voting by Ballot at the Annual General Meeting apart from providing remote e-voting facility for all those members who are present at the general meeting but have not cast their votes by availing the remote e-voting facility.
- 13. The remote e-voting facility shall be opened from, Monday, 25th September, 2017 at 9.00 a.m. to Wednesday, 27th September, 2017 till 5.00 p.m., both days inclusive. The remote e-voting facility shall not be allowed beyond 5.00 p.m., on Wednesday, 27th September, 2017. During the period when facility for remote e-voting is provided, the members of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date/entitlement date, may opt for remote e-voting. Provided that once the vote on a resolution is cast by the member, he shall not be allowed to change it subsequently or cast the vote again.
- 14. The Company has fixed **Thursday**, **September 21st 2017** as the cut-off date for identifying the Shareholders for determining the eligibility to vote by electronic means or in the Meeting by Ballot. Instructions for exercising voting rights by remote e-voting are attached herewith and forms part of this Notice. A person whose name is recorded in the Register of Members or in the Register of Beneficial Owners maintained by the depositories as on the cut-off/ entitlement date only shall be entitled to avail the facility of remote e-voting as well as voting at the Annual General Meeting.
- **15.** Any person who becomes a member of the Company after the dispatch of the Notice of the Meeting and holding shares as on the cut-off date i.e., **Thursday, September 21st 2017.** May obtain the User ID and Password by sending an email. Members may also send a request to Mr. Kantilal Haria, Compliance Officer, by writing to him at 8, Subhash Road, Vile Parle (East), Mumbai 400 057.
- 16. The Voting Rights will be reckoned on the paid-up value of shares registered in the name of shareholders on **Thursday**, **September 21st 2017**, the cut-off date/entitlement date for identifying the Shareholders for determining the eligibility to vote by electronic means or at the Meeting by Ballot
- 17. The Notice of the Meeting is being placed on the website of the Company viz., www.hariagroup.com and on the website of CDSL viz., www.cdslindia.com.
- **18.** Mr. Milind Nirkhe, Company Secretary in Whole Time Practice, (CP No. 2312) has been appointed as a Scrutinizer for conducting the voting by Ballot at the Meeting and remote e-voting process in a fair and transparent manner.



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19. The Scrutinizer shall, immediately after the conclusion of voting at the AGM, first count the votes cast at the AGM, and thereafter unblock the votes cast through remote e-voting, in the presence of at least two (2) witnesses not in the employment of the Company. The Scrutinizer will collate the votes cast at the AGM and votes downloaded from the e-voting system and make, not later than twenty four hours from the conclusion of the AGM, a consolidated Scrutinizer's Report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, to the Chairman or a person authorized by him in writing, who shall countersign the same. The Chairman or the person authorized by him in writing shall forthwith on receipt of the consolidated Scrutinizer's Report, declare the result of the voting. The results declared along with the report of the Scrutinizer shall be placed on the website of the Company at www.hariagroup.com and on the website of CDSL at www.cdslindia.com, immediately after the results are declared by the Chairman.

20. The instructions for members for voting electronically are as under:-

The voting period begins on Monday, 25th September, 2017 at 9.00 a.m. to Wednesday, 27th September, 2017 till 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, Thursday, September 21st, 2017 may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter.

A. In case of members receiving e-mail:

- i. Log on to the e-voting website www.evotingindia.com
- ii. Click on "Shareholders" tab.
- iii. Now, select the "COMPANY NAME" from the drop down menu and click on "SUBMIT"
- iv. Now Enter your User ID
 - For CDSL: 16 digits beneficiary ID
- v. Next enter the Image Verification as displayed and Click on Login.
- vi. 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.
- vii. If you are a first time user follow the steps given below:

	For Members holding shares in Demat Form and Physical Form
PAN	Enter your 10 digit alpha-numeric *PAN issued by Income Tax Department (Applicable for
	both demat shareholders as well as physical shareholders)
	• Members who have not updated their PAN with the Company/Depository Participant are
	requested to use the first two letters of their name and the 8 digits of the sequence number
	(refer serial no. printed on the name and address sticker/Postal Ballot Form/mail) in the
	PAN field.
	• In case the sequence number is less than 8 digits enter the applicable number of 0's before
	the number after the first two characters of the name in CAPITAL letters. Eg. If your name
	is Ramesh Kumar with serial number 1 then enter RA00000001 in the PAN field.
DOB	Enter the Date of Birth as recorded in your demat account or in the company records for the
	said demat account or folio in dd/mm/yyyy format.
Dividend	Enter the Dividend Bank Details as recorded in your demat account or in the company
Bank	records for the said demat account or folio.
Details	• Please enter the DOB or Dividend Bank Details in order to login. If the details are not
	recorded with the depository or company please enter the member id / folio number in the
	Dividend Bank details field.



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- viii. After entering these details appropriately, click on "SUBMIT" tab.
- ix. Members holding shares in physical form will then reach directly 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 evoting 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.
- **x.** For Members holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for e-voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.
- xi. Click on the EVSN for the relevant <Company Name> on which you choose to vote.
- **xii.** 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.
- xiii. Click on the "RESOLUTIONS FILE LINK" if you wish to view the entire Resolution details.
- **xiv.** 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.
- xv. Once you "CONFIRM" your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
- xvi. You can also take out print of the voting done by you by clicking on "Click here to print" option on the Voting page.
- **xvii.** If Demat account holder has forgotten the changed password then Enter the User ID and the image verification code and click on Forgot Password & enter the details as prompted by the system.
 - Non-Individual shareholders (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are required to log on to https://www.evotingindia.com and register themselves as Corporates.
 - They should submit a scanned copy of the Registration Form bearing the stamp and sign of the entity to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com.
 - After receiving the login details they have to create a user who would be able to link the account(s) which they wish to vote on.
 - The list of accounts should be mailed to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com and on approval of the accounts they would be able to cast their vote.
 - They should upload a scanned copy of the Board Resolution and Power of Attorney (POA) which they have issued in favour of the Custodian, if any, in PDF format in the system for the scrutinizer to verify the same.
 - **B.** In case of members receiving the physical copy:
 - **a.** Please follow all steps from sl. no. (i) to sl. no. (xvii) above to cast vote.
 - **b.** 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.

By Order of the Board of Directors For Haria Exports Limited

Date: 30/05/2017 Place: Mumbai KANTILAL LAKHAMSHI HARIA CHAIRMAN DIN No. 00585400



STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 102(1) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013 ("the Act")

The following Statement sets out all material facts relating to the Special Business mentioned in the accompanying Notice:

Item No. 4 & 5:

As per the provisions of Section 149 of the Companies Act 2013 (Act), and Regulation 17 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the Company should have at least one Woman Director. The Board of Directors at their meeting held on March 30, 2017 appointed, Mrs. NehaBen Joy Kothari (DIN: 07543569) as an Additional Director w.e.f from March 30, 2017.

The Company has received a notice in writing from a member along with the deposit of requisite amount under Section 160 of the Act proposing the candidature of Mrs. NehaBen Joy Kothari (DIN: 07543569) for the office of Director of the Company.

Mrs. Neha Ben Joy Kothari (DIN: 07543569) is not disqualified from being appointed as a Director in terms of Section 164 of the Act and has given her consent to act as a Director.

Section 149 of the Act inter alia stipulates the criteria of independence .As per the said Section 149, an independent director shall not be included in the total number of directors for retirement by rotation.

The Company has received a declaration from Mrs. NehaBen Joy Kothari (DIN: 07543569) that she meets with the criteria of independence as prescribed both under sub-section (6) of Section 149 of the Act and under Regulation 17 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

In the opinion of the Board, Mrs. NehaBen Joy Kothari (DIN: 07543569) fulfils the conditions for her appointment as an Independent Director as specified in the Act and rules made there under and the Listing Regulation. Mrs. NehaBen Joy Kothari (DIN: 07543569) is an independent of the management.

Brief resume of Mrs. NehaBen Joy Kothari (DIN: 07543569), nature of her expertise in specific functional areas and names of companies in which she holds directorships and memberships / chairmanships of Board Committees and shareholding, if any, as stipulated under Regulation 17 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 with the Stock Exchanges, are provided in the notice convening this meeting.

Keeping in view her vast expertise and knowledge, it will be in the interest of the Company that Mrs. NehaBen Joy Kothari (DIN: 07543569) is appointed as an Independent Director.

Save and except Mrs. NehaBen Joy Kothari (DIN: 07543569) and her relatives, to the extent of their shareholding interest, if any, in the Company, none of the other Directors / Key Managerial Personnel of the Company / their relatives are, in any way, concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the resolution set out at Item No. 4 & 5 of the Notice.

The Board commends the Ordinary Resolution set out at Item 4 & 5 of the Notice for approval by the shareholders.