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HAVELLS INDIA LIMITED

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NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the 37th (Thirty Seventh) Annual General Meeting of Havells India Limited will be held on 22nd June, 2020, Monday at 10:00 am through Video Conferencing (VC) or Other Audio Visual Means (OAVM) for which purpose the Registered Office of the Company situated at 904, 9th Floor, Surya Kiran Building, K G Marg, Connaught Place, New Delhi – 110001 shall be deemed as the venue for the Meeting and the proceedings of the AGM shall be deemed to be made thereat, to transact the following business:

ORDINARY BUSINESS

1. To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 2020, the Reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon and the Audited Consolidated Financial Statements of the Company for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 2020 and the Report of Auditors thereon.
2. To confirm the payment of Interim Dividend of Rs. 4 per equity share already paid during the year as the Final Dividend for the Financial Year 2019-20.
3. To appoint a Director in place of Shri T. V. Mohandas Pai (DIN:00042167), who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment.
4. To appoint a Director in place of Shri Puneet Bhatia (DIN:00143973), who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment.

SPECIAL BUSINESS

5. Ratification of Cost Auditor's Remuneration

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution as an **ORDINARY RESOLUTION**:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 148 and all other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act') and the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s), enactment(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof, for the time being in force), the Cost Auditors appointed by the Board of Directors of the Company, to conduct the audit of the cost records of the Company for the Financial Year ending 31st March, 2021, be paid the remuneration as set out in the Statement annexed to the Notice convening this Meeting."

6. Re-appointment of Shri Vellayan Subbiah (DIN:01138759) as an Independent Director for a Second Term

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution as a **SPECIAL RESOLUTION**:

"RESOLVED THAT Shri Vellayan Subbiah (DIN:01138759), who was appointed as an Independent Director by the

Shareholders in the Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Company held in year 2017 for a term of 3 (Three) years upto the forthcoming AGM of 2020 and who meets the criteria of Independence as provided under section 149(6) of the Act and who is eligible for re-appointment and is recommended by the Board of Directors upon the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee for the office of Director as an Independent Director, be and is hereby re-appointed, in accordance with Sections 149, 150, 152 read with Schedule IV and any other applicable provisions of the Act and the corresponding rules framed thereunder, as an Independent Director for a further period of 5 (Five) years with effect from the date of this Annual General Meeting."

7. Appointment of Shri B Prasada Rao (DIN:01705080) as an Independent Director

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following Resolution as an **ORDINARY RESOLUTION**:

"RESOLVED THAT Shri B Prasada Rao (DIN:01705080), who was appointed as an Additional Director on the Board of Directors of the Company in terms of Section 161(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act') and whose term of office expires at the ensuing Annual General Meeting and who meets the criteria of Independence as provided under Section 149(6) of the Act and who is eligible for appointment and is recommended by the Board of Directors upon the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee for the office of Director as an Independent Director, be and is hereby appointed, in accordance with Sections 149, 150, 152 read with Schedule IV and any other applicable provisions of the Act and the corresponding Rules framed thereunder, as an Independent Director to hold office for a term of 5 (Five) years with effect from the date of this Annual General Meeting."

8. Appointment of Shri Subhash S Mundra (DIN:00979731) as an Independent Director

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following Resolution as an **ORDINARY RESOLUTION**:

"RESOLVED THAT Shri Subhash S Mundra (DIN:00979731), who was appointed as an Additional Director on the Board of Directors of the Company in terms of Section 161(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act') and whose term of office expires at the ensuing Annual General Meeting and who meets the criteria of Independence as provided under Section 149(6) of the Act and who is eligible for appointment and is recommended by the Board of Directors upon the

recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee for the office of Director as an Independent Director, be and is hereby appointed, in accordance with Sections 149, 150, 152 read with Schedule IV and any other applicable provisions of the Act and the corresponding Rules framed thereunder, as an Independent Director to hold office for a term of 5 (Five) years with effect from the date of this Annual General Meeting."

9. Appointment of Shri Vivek Mehra (DIN:00101328) as an Independent Director

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification(s), the following Resolution as an **ORDINARY RESOLUTION**:

"RESOLVED THAT Shri Vivek Mehra (DIN:00101328), who was appointed as an Additional Director on the Board of Directors of the Company in terms of Section 161(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act') and whose term of office expires at the ensuing Annual General Meeting and who meets the criteria of Independence as provided under Section 149(6) of the

Act and who is eligible for appointment and is recommended by the Board of Directors upon the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee for the office of Director as an Independent Director, be and is hereby appointed, in accordance with Sections 149, 150, 152 read with Schedule IV and any other applicable provisions of the Act and the corresponding Rules framed thereunder, as an Independent Director to hold office for a term of 5 (Five) years with effect from the date of this Annual General Meeting."

By Order of the Board
For **Havells India Limited**

Sanjay Kumar Gupta
Company Secretary
Membership No. F3348

Delhi, May 12, 2020

Registered Office:
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NOTES

- In view of the massive outbreak of the COVID-19 pandemic, social distancing is a norm to be followed and pursuant to the Circular No. 14/2020 dated 8th April, 2020, Circular No.17/2020 dated 13th April, 2020 issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs followed by Circular No. 20/2020 dated 5th May, 2020, physical attendance of the Members to the AGM venue is not required and Annual General Meeting (AGM) be held through Video Conferencing (VC) or Other Audio Visual Means (OAVM). Hence, Members can attend and participate in the ensuing AGM through VC/OAVM.
- Pursuant to the Circular No. 14/2020 dated 8th April, 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 authorised representatives to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM and participate thereat and cast their votes through e-voting.
- The Members can join the AGM in 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 1000 members on first come first served basis. However, this number does not include the 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.
- 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.
- 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 8th April, 2020, 13th April, 2020 and 5th May, 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 National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) for facilitating voting through electronic means, as the authorized agency. The facility of casting votes by a member using remote e-voting system as well as e-voting on the day of the AGM will be provided by NSDL.
- The Notice calling the AGM has been uploaded on the website of the Company in the Investor Relations Section under Financials in the Annual Reports tab. The complete Annual Report is also available in the same section. The Notice can also be accessed from the websites of the Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE Ltd and National Stock Exchange of India Limited at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com respectively and the AGM Notice is also available on the website of NSDL (agency for providing the Remote e-Voting facility) i.e. www.evoting.nsdl.com.
- This AGM has been convened through VC/OAVM in compliance with applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 read with MCA Circular No. 14/2020 dated 8th April, 2020 and MCA Circular No. 17/2020 dated 13th April, 2020 and MCA Circular No. 20/2020 dated 5th May, 2020.
- The recorded transcript of the forthcoming AGM on 22nd June, 2020, shall also be made available on the website of the Company www.havells.com in the Investor Relations Section, as soon as possible after the Meeting is over.
- All documents referred to in the accompanying Notice and the Explanatory Statement can be obtained for inspection by writing to the Company at its email ID investors@havells.com till the date of AGM.
- i) Members holding shares in physical form are requested to immediately intimate any change in their residential address to Link Intime India Private Limited, Noble

Heights, 1st floor, Plot No NH-2, C-1 Block, LSC, Near Savitri Market, Janakpuri, New Delhi - 110058, Registrars and Transfer Agent of the Company, so that change could be effected in the Register of Members.

- ii) Members who are holding shares in demat mode are requested to notify any change in their residential address, Bank A/c details and/ or email address immediately to their respective Depository Participants.
 - iii) Members who have not opted for ECS facility earlier are requested to fill up the enclosed KYC form and return it to the Corporate Office of the Company, to avail the ECS facility otherwise they are requested to intimate their Savings Account/ Current Account No. and the name of Bank with whom such account is held. Please refer to the KYC Form being enclosed with this Notice.
 - iv) To ensure all communications/ monetary benefits are received promptly, all shareholders holding shares in physical form are requested to notify to the Company, his/ her PAN/change in their address/bank details / email id/mobile number instantly by filling the KYC Form and by sending at the Corporate Office of the Company at QRG Towers, 2D, Sector-126, Expressway, Noida (U.P.)- 201 304.
11. The SEBI has mandated the submission of the Permanent Account Number (PAN) by every participant in the securities market. Members holding shares in electronic form are, therefore, requested to submit their PAN to their depository participant(s). Members holding shares in physical form are required to submit their PAN details to the Registrar and Share Transfer Agents.
12. During the year, amount of Un-claimed Dividend for the financial year 2011-12 has been deposited in the Investors Education and Protection Fund. Further, amount of Unclaimed Final Dividend for financial year 2012-13 is due for deposit to the Investors Education and Protection Fund on 11th August, 2020.
- The Company also transmitted 11,120 Equity Shares of the Company into the DEMAT Account of the IEPF Authority held with NSDL (DPID/ Client ID IN300708/10656671) in terms of the provisions of section 124(6) of the Companies Act, 2013 and the IEPF Authority (Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Rules, 2016, as amended from time to time. These Equity Shares were the Shares of such Shareholders whose unclaimed/ unpaid dividend pertaining to financial year 2011-12 had been transferred into IEPF and who have not encashed their dividends for 7(Seven) subsequent financial years.
- Concerned Shareholders may still claim the shares or apply for refund to the IEPF Authority in Web Form No. IEPF-5 available on www.iepf.gov.in
13. In case the Dividend has remained unclaimed in respect of financial year 2012-13 to 2019-20 the Shareholders may approach the Company with their dividend warrants for revalidation with the Letter of Undertaking for issue of duplicate dividend warrants. The Company regularly sends letters/ emails to this effect to the concerned Shareholders.
14. The annual accounts of the subsidiary companies along with the related detailed information are available for inspection at the Corporate Office of the Company and of the subsidiaries

concerned and copies will be made available to Shareholders of Havells India Limited and its subsidiary companies upon request.

15. To prevent fraudulent transactions, Members are advised to exercise due diligence and notify the Company of any change in address or demise of any member as soon as possible. Members are also advised not to leave their demat account(s) dormant for long. Periodic statement of holdings should be obtained from the concerned Depository Participant and holdings should be verified.
16. Pursuant to the requirements of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 on Corporate Governance, the information about the Directors proposed to be appointed/ re-appointed at the Annual General Meeting is given in the Annexure to the Notice.
17. An Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 in respect of the Special Businesses specified above is annexed hereto.
18. Corporate Members are encouraged to attend the AGM through their Authorized Representatives. They are requested to send by email, a certified copy of the Board Resolution/ Power of Attorney authorizing their representatives to attend and vote on their behalf in the Meeting.
19. Pursuant to Section 72 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 19(1) of the Rules made thereunder, Shareholders are entitled to make nomination in respect of shares held by them in physical form. Shareholders desirous of making nominations are requested to send their requests in Form SH.13, which is available on the website of the Company.
20. 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 8th April, 2020, 13th April, 2020 and 5th May, 2020 the Company is providing facility for voting by electronic means for all its Members to enable them to cast their vote electronically and the business may be transacted through such e-voting.

A member may exercise his/her vote at the General Meeting by electronic means and the Company may pass any resolution by electronic voting system in accordance with the provisions of the aforesaid Rule.

For this purpose, the Company has entered into an agreement with National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) for facilitating voting through electronic means, as the authorized agency.

The facility of casting votes by a member using remote e-voting system as well as e-voting on the day of the AGM will be provided by NSDL.

The Members attending the AGM who have not already cast their vote by remote e-voting shall be able to exercise their right at the meeting.

The Members who have cast their vote by remote e-voting prior to the Meeting may also attend the AGM but shall not be entitled to cast their vote again.

Members may contact Shri Sanjay Kumar Gupta, Company Secretary, for any grievances connected with electronic means at investors@havells.com, Tel. # 0120-3331000.

21. The remote e-voting period commences on 19th June, 2020, Friday (8:30 am) and ends on 21st June, 2020, Sunday (5:00 pm).

- Members of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date i.e. 15th June, 2020, Monday may opt for remote e-voting and cast their vote electronically.
- A person, whose name is recorded in the register of members or in the register of beneficial owners maintained by the depositories as on cut-off date only shall be entitled to avail the facility of remote e-voting or e-voting at the Meeting.
- Any person, who acquires shares of the Company and becomes member of the Company after sending of the Notice and holding shares as of the cut-off date i.e. 15th June, 2020 may obtain the login ID and password by sending an email to evoting@nsdl.co.in or investors@havells.com by mentioning their Folio No. / DP ID and Client ID No. However, if you are already registered with NSDL for e-voting then you can use your existing user ID and password for casting your vote. If you forget your password, you can reset your password by using "Forget User Details/Password" option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com
- Once the vote on a Resolution is cast by the Member, the Member shall not be allowed to change it subsequently or cast the vote again.
- Member may participate in the AGM even after exercising his right to vote through remote e-voting but shall not be allowed to vote again.
- At the end of remote e-voting period, the facility shall forthwith be blocked.

22. The Board vide its Resolution passed on 12th May, 2020 has appointed Ms Balika Sharma, Practicing Company Secretary (Membership No. F4816, COP No. 3222), as Scrutinizer for conducting the e-voting process in accordance with the law and in a fair and transparent manner.

The Scrutinizer shall immediately after the conclusion of voting at the AGM, unblock the votes cast through remote e-voting and e-voting on the date of the AGM, in the presence of at least two witnesses not in the employment of the Company and make, not later than 48 hours of the conclusion of the Meeting, a consolidated Scrutinizer's Report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, forthwith to the Chairman of the Company or any person authorized by him in writing and the Results shall be declared by the Chairman or any person authorized by him thereafter.

The Results declared along with the Scrutinizer's Report shall be placed on the website of the Company www.havells.com and on the website of NSDL immediately after the declaration of Result by the Chairman or any person authorized by him in writing. The results shall also be forwarded to the stock exchanges where the shares of Company are listed.

THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR REMOTE E-VOTING ARE AS UNDER:-

The remote e-voting period begins on 19th June, 2020, Friday at 08:30 A.M. and ends on 21st June, 2020, Sunday at 05:00 P.M. The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter.

How do I vote electronically using NSDL e-Voting system?

The way to vote electronically on NSDL e-Voting system consists of "Two Steps" which are mentioned below:

Step 1: Log-in to NSDL e-Voting system at

<https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/>

Step 2: Cast your vote electronically on NSDL e-Voting system.

Details on Step 1 is mentioned below:

How to Log-in to NSDL e-Voting website?

1. 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.
2. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholders' section.
3. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID, your Password and a Verification Code as shown on the screen.
Alternatively, if you are registered for NSDL eservices i.e. IDEAS, you can log-in at <https://eservices.nsdl.com/> with your existing IDEAS login. Once you log-in to NSDL eservices after using your log-in credentials, click on e-Voting and you can proceed to Step 2 i.e. Cast your vote electronically.
4. Your User ID details are given below :

Manner of holding shares i.e. Demat (NSDL or CDSL) or Physical	Your User ID is:
a) For Members who hold shares in demat account with NSDL.	8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client ID For example if your DP ID is IN300*** and Client ID is 12***** then your user ID is IN300***12*****.
b) For Members who hold shares in demat account with CDSL.	16 Digit Beneficiary ID For example if your Beneficiary ID is 12***** then your user ID is 12*****.
c) For Members holding shares in Physical Form.	EVEN Number followed by Folio Number registered with the company For example if folio number is 001*** and EVEN is 101456 then user ID is 101456001***

5. Your password details are given below:
 - a) If you are already registered for e-Voting, then you can use your existing password to login and cast your vote.
 - b) If you are using NSDL e-Voting system for the first time, you will need to retrieve the 'initial password' which was communicated to you. Once you retrieve your 'initial

password', you need to enter the 'initial password' and the system will force you to change your password.

- c) How to retrieve your 'initial password'?
- If your email ID is registered in your demat account or with the company, your 'initial password' is communicated to you on your email ID. Trace the email sent to you from NSDL from your mailbox. Open the email and open the attachment i.e. a .pdf file. Open the .pdf file. The password to open the .pdf file is your 8 digit client ID for NSDL account, last 8 digits of client ID for CDSL account or folio number for shares held in physical form. The .pdf file contains your 'User ID' and your 'initial password'.
 - If your email ID is not registered, please follow steps mentioned below in **process for those shareholders whose email ids are not registered**
6. If you are unable to retrieve or have not received the "Initial password" or have forgotten your password:
- Click on **"Forgot User Details/Password?"** (If you are holding shares in your demat account with NSDL or CDSL) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
 - Physical User Reset Password?"** (If you are holding shares in physical mode) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
 - If you are still unable to get the password by aforesaid two options, you can send a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in mentioning your demat account number/folio number, your PAN, your name and your registered address.
 - Members can also use the OTP (One Time Password) based login for casting the votes on the e-Voting system of NSDL.
7. After entering your password, tick on Agree to "Terms and Conditions" by selecting on the check box.
8. Now, you will have to click on "Login" button.
9. After you click on the "Login" button, Home page of e-Voting will open.

Details on Step 2 is given below:

How to cast your vote electronically on NSDL e-Voting system?

- After successful login at Step 1, you will be able to see the Home page of e-Voting. Click on e-Voting. Then, click on Active Voting Cycles.
- After click on Active Voting Cycles, you will be able to see all the companies "EVEN" in which you are holding shares and whose voting cycle is in active status.
- Select "EVEN" of company for which you wish to cast your vote.
- Now you are ready for e-Voting as the Voting page opens.
- Cast your vote by selecting appropriate options i.e. assent or dissent, verify/modify the number of shares for which you wish to cast your vote and click on "Submit" and also "Confirm" when prompted.
- Upon confirmation, the message "Vote cast successfully" will be displayed.
- You can also take the printout of the votes cast by you by clicking on the print option on the confirmation page.

8. Once you confirm your vote on the Resolution(s), you will not be allowed to modify your vote.

General Guidelines for shareholders:

- Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are required to send scanned copy (PDF/JPEG Format) of the relevant Board Resolution/ Authority letter etc. with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory(ies) who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer by e-mail to csbalikasharma.h@gmail.com with a copy marked to evoting@nsdl.co.in.
- It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential. Login to the e-voting website will be disabled upon five unsuccessful attempts to key in the correct password. In such an event, you will need to go through the "Forgot User Details/Password?" or "Physical User Reset Password?" option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com to reset the password.
- In case of any queries, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Shareholders and e-voting user manual for Shareholders available at the download section of www.evoting.nsdl.com or call on toll free no.: 1800-222-990 or send a request to Ms. Pallavi Mhatre at evoting@nsdl.co.in

Process for those shareholders whose email ids are not registered with the depositories for procuring user id and password and registration of email ids for e-voting for the resolutions set out in this notice:

- In case shares are held in physical mode please provide 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 investors@havells.com
- In case shares are held in demat mode, please provide DPID-CLID (16 digit DPID + CLID or 16 digit beneficiary ID), Name, client master or copy of Consolidated Account statement, PAN (self attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) to investors@havells.com

THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR E-VOTING ON THE DAY OF THE AGM ARE AS UNDER:-

- The procedure for e-Voting on the day of the AGM is same as the instructions mentioned above for remote e-voting.
- 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 in the AGM.
- 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.
- The details of the person who may be contacted for any grievances connected with the facility for e-Voting on the day of the AGM shall be the same person mentioned for Remote e-voting.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR ATTENDING THE AGM THROUGH VC/OAVM ARE AS UNDER:

- Members will be provided with a facility to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM through the NSDL e-Voting system. Members may access the same at <https://www.evoting.nsdl.com>

[com](#) under shareholders/members login by using the remote e-voting credentials. The link for VC/OAVM will be available in shareholder/members login where the EVEN of Company will be displayed. Please note that the members who do not have the User ID and Password for e-Voting or have forgotten the User ID and Password may retrieve the same by following the remote e-Voting instructions mentioned in the notice to avoid last minute rush. Further members can also use the OTP based login for logging into the e-Voting system of NSDL.

2. Members are encouraged to join the Meeting through Laptops for better experience.
3. Further Members will be required to allow Camera and use Internet with a good speed to avoid any disturbance during the meeting.
4. 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.

5. Members who would like to express their views or ask questions during the AGM may register themselves as a speaker by sending their request from their registered email address mentioning their Name, DP ID and Client ID/ Folio Number, PAN, Mobile Number at investors@havells.com atleast 48 hours before the start of the AGM. Those Members who have registered themselves as a speaker will only be allowed to express their views/ ask questions during the AGM. The Company reserves the right to restrict the number of speakers depending on the availability of time for the AGM.

By Order of the Board
For **Havells India Limited**

Sanjay Kumar Gupta
Company Secretary
Membership No. F3348

Delhi, May 12, 2020

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EXPLANATORY STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 102 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013

ITEM NO. 5

The Board, on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, in its Meeting held on 12th May, 2020 has approved the appointment and remuneration of M/s. Sanjay Gupta & Associates, Cost Accountants, (Registration No. 00212), as the Cost Auditors of the Company to conduct the audit of the cost records of the Company for the Financial Year 2020-21 at a fee of ₹ 9.00 Lakhs subject to TDS, GST etc., as applicable, apart from out of pocket expenses, as remuneration for cost audit services for the Financial Year 2020-21.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 148 of the Act read with the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors has to be ratified by the shareholders of the Company.

Accordingly, consent of the members is being sought for passing an Ordinary Resolution as set out at Item No. 5 of the Notice for ratification of the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors for the Financial Year ending 31st March, 2021.

None of the 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. 5 of the Notice.

The Board recommends the Ordinary Resolution set out at Item No. 5 of the Notice for approval by the shareholders.

ITEM NO. 6

Shri Vellayan Subbiah (DIN:01138759) was appointed as an Independent Director on the Board of Directors of the Company in the Annual General Meeting (AGM) held in the Calendar year 2017 to hold office for a period of 3 (Three) years with effect from 7th July, 2017 (the date of AGM 2017).

In terms of Section 149 of the Companies Act, 2013, an Independent Director is eligible for re-appointment on passing of Special Resolution.

Shri Vellayan Subbiah being eligible and offering himself for re-appointment, is proposed to be appointed as an Independent Director for a Second Term of 5 (Five) years from the date of end of his tenure of the First Term.

In the opinion of the Board, Shri Vellayan Subbiah fulfills the conditions specified in the Act and rules made thereunder for his re-appointment as an Independent Director of the Company and is independent of the Management.

In the Performance Evaluation conducted for the year 2019-20, the performance of Shri Vellayan Subbiah was evaluated satisfactory in the effective and efficient discharge of his role and responsibilities as an Independent Director of the Company. The Board and its allied Committees have benefitted from his relevant specialisation and expertise. Details on his attendance of various Board and Committee Meetings held during the last financial year are included in the Corporate Governance Report of the Annual Report.

The Board upon the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, in its Meeting held on 12th May, 2020, has approved the re-appointment of Shri Vellayan Subbiah as an Independent Director and recommends the same for the approval by the Shareholders of the Company by way of Special Resolution.

Except Shri Vellayan Subbiah, no other Director and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives is concerned or interested, financial or otherwise, in the Resolution set out at Item No. 6 of this Notice.

Disclosure u/r 36(3) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 is set out in the annexure to the Explanatory Statement. Other details as required under ICSI Secretarial Standard SS-2 are also included in the Corporate Governance Report of the Annual Report of the Company.

ITEM NO. 7

The Board of Directors upon the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, appointed Shri B Prasada Rao (DIN:01705080) as an Additional Director with effect from 12th May, 2020 pursuant to Section 161(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 and as an Independent Director pursuant to Section 149 of the Companies Act, 2013. In terms of the provisions of Section 161(1) of the Companies Act, 2013, Shri B Prasada Rao will hold office only upto the date of ensuing Annual General Meeting.

The Company has received consent in writing to act as Director in Form DIR-2 and intimation in Form DIR-8 to the effect that he

is not disqualified u/s 164(2) to act as Director. The Company has also received declaration from him that he meets the criteria of independence as prescribed u/s 149(6) of the Companies Act, 2013. In the opinion of the Board, Shri B Prasada Rao fulfils the conditions specified in the Act and rules made thereunder for his appointment as an Independent Director of the Company and is independent of the management.

Shri B Prasada Rao, being eligible and offering himself for appointment, is proposed to be appointed as an Independent Director for a First Term of 5 (Five) years from the date of this AGM.

Copy of the draft letter for appointment of Shri B Prasada Rao as an Independent Director setting out the terms and conditions would be available for inspection without any fee by the Members at the Registered Office of the Company during normal business hours on any working day till the date of AGM.

The Board upon the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, in its Meeting held on 12th May, 2020 has approved the appointment of Shri B Prasada Rao as an Independent Director and recommends the same for the approval by the Shareholders of the Company.

Except Shri B Prasada Rao, no other Director and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives is concerned or interested, financial or otherwise, in the Resolution set out at Item No. 7 of this Notice.

Disclosure u/r 36(3) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 are set out in the annexure to the Explanatory Statement. Other details as required under ICSI Secretarial Standard SS-2 are also included in the Corporate Governance Report of the Annual Report of the Company.

ITEM NO. 8

The Board of Directors upon the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, appointed Shri Subhash S Mundra (DIN:00979731) as an Additional Director with effect from 12th May, 2020 pursuant to Section 161(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 and as an Independent Director pursuant to Section 149 of the Companies Act, 2013. In terms of the provisions of Section 161(1) of the Companies Act, 2013, Shri Subhash S Mundra will hold office only upto the date of ensuing Annual General Meeting.

The Company has received consent in writing to act as Director in Form DIR-2 and intimation in Form DIR-8 to the effect that he is not disqualified u/s 164(2) to act as Director. The Company has also received declaration from him that he meets the criteria of independence as prescribed u/s 149(6) of the Companies Act, 2013. In the opinion of the Board, Shri Subhash S Mundra fulfils the conditions specified in the Act and rules made thereunder for his appointment as an Independent Director of the Company and is independent of the management.

Shri Subhash S Mundra, being eligible and offering himself for appointment, is proposed to be appointed as an Independent Director for a First Term of 5 (Five) years from the date of this AGM.

Copy of the draft letter for appointment of Shri Subhash S Mundra as an Independent Director setting out the terms and conditions would be available for inspection without any fee by the Members at the Registered Office of the Company during normal business hours on any working day till the date of AGM.

The Board upon the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, in its Meeting held on 12th May, 2020 has approved the appointment of Shri Subhash S Mundra as an Independent Director and recommends the same for the approval by the Shareholders of the Company.

Except Shri Subhash S Mundra, no other Director and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives is concerned or interested, financial or otherwise, in the Resolution set out at Item No. 8 of this Notice.

Disclosure u/r 36(3) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 are set out in the annexure to the Explanatory Statement. Other details as required under ICSI Secretarial Standard SS-2 are also included in the Corporate Governance Report of the Annual Report of the Company.

ITEM NO. 9

The Board of Directors upon the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, appointed Shri Vivek Mehra (DIN:00101328) as an Additional Director with effect from 12th May, 2020 pursuant to Section 161(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 and as an Independent Director pursuant to Section 149 of the Companies Act, 2013. In terms of the provisions of Section 161(1) of the Companies Act, 2013, Shri Vivek Mehra will hold office only upto the date of ensuing Annual General Meeting.

The Company has received consent in writing to act as Director in Form DIR-2 and intimation in Form DIR-8 to the effect that he is not disqualified u/s 164(2) to act as Director. The Company has also received declaration from him that he meets the criteria of independence as prescribed u/s 149(6) of the Companies Act, 2013. In the opinion of the Board, Shri Vivek Mehra fulfils the conditions specified in the Act and rules made thereunder for his appointment as an Independent Director of the Company and is independent of the management.

Shri Vivek Mehra, being eligible and offering himself for appointment, is proposed to be appointed as an Independent Director for a First Term of 5 (Five) years from the date of this AGM.

Copy of the draft letter for appointment of Shri Vivek Mehra as an Independent Director setting out the terms and conditions would be available for inspection without any fee by the Members at the Registered Office of the Company during normal business hours on any working day till the date of AGM.

The Board upon the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, in its Meeting held on 12th May, 2020 has approved the appointment of Shri Vivek Mehra as an Independent Director and recommends the same for the approval by the Shareholders of the Company.

Except Shri Vivek Mehra, no other Director and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives is concerned or interested, financial or otherwise, in the Resolution set out at Item No. 9 of this Notice.

Disclosure u/r 36(3) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 are set out in the annexure to the Explanatory Statement. Other details as required under ICSI Secretarial Standard SS-2 are also included in the Corporate Governance Report of the Annual Report of the Company.

By Order of the Board
For **Havells India Limited**

Sanjay Kumar Gupta
Company Secretary
Membership No. F3348

Delhi, May 12, 2020

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ANNEXURE

PURSUANT TO REGULATION 36 OF THE SEBI (LISTING OBLIGATIONS AND DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS) REGULATIONS, 2015 AND SECRETARIAL STANDARD 2 ISSUED BY ICSI, INFORMATION ABOUT THE DIRECTORS PROPOSED TO BE APPOINTED/ RE-APPOINTED IS FURNISHED BELOW:

Name of Director (DIN)	Date of Birth (No. of Equity Shares held)	Qualification (Relationship with other Directors)	Nature of Expertise	Name of Companies in which he/ she holds Directorship#	Name of Committees of the Companies of which he/ she holds Membership
Shri T.V. Mohandas Pai (DIN: 00042167)	5 th November, 1958 (Nil)	FCA,LLB,B.Com (Not related with any Director/KMP of the Company)	The fundamental activist in the development of the IT services industry in India, Shri T. V. Mohandas Pai have successfully instituted several industry-firsts in the Country. Prior to this, he was a Member of the Board at Infosys Ltd., where he also served as CFO and the lead for Human Resources and Education & Research. He co-founded Aarin Capital Partners in early 2012 to fund opportunities in Health Care, Life Sciences, Education and Technology-led businesses. He is also the Chairman of SEBI Primary Markets Advisory Committee (PMAC). He was a Trustee of the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) Foundation and a Member of the Dr. Anil Kakodkar Committee on Autonomy for the IITs and the Karnataka Knowledge Commission. Pai is currently a Member on the Boards of IIT, Hyderabad. Chairperson, FICCI Higher Education Committee. He was a Member of various important national committees like the Kelkar Committee, constituted by the Ministry of Finance, GoI; the Non-Resident Taxation Committee as well as the Chair of the Karnataka ICT Group 2020. A keen philanthropist, Sh. T.V. Mohandas Pai helped set up the Akshaya Patra Foundation in Bangalore with other likeminded persons. In April 2015, the President of India awarded him the Padma Shri in recognition of his efforts for the betterment of the nation in areas of Trade and Industry.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Havells India Limited 	Havells India Limited - ERM Committee- Member
Shri Puneet Bhatia (DIN: 00143973)	16 th December, 1966 (Nil)	B.Com Honors, SRCC, MBA, IIM-Calcutta. (Not related with any Director/KMP of the Company)	Shri Puneet Bhatia is the successful Managing Director and Country Head of India for TPG Asia. Prior to joining TPG Asia in April 2002, Shri Puneet Bhatia was Chief Executive, Private Equity Group for GE Capital India, where he was responsible for conceptualizing and creating its direct and strategic private equity investment group. Before that, he was also associated with ICICI Ltd. from 1990 to 1995 in the Project and Corporate Finance group and thereafter worked as Senior Analyst with Crosby Securities from 1995 to 1996 covering the automobiles and consumer sectors. Presently Bhatia serves as the Director on the Boards of Shriram Transport Finance.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Havells India Limited Shriram Transport Finance Company Limited. Jana Capital Limited Shriram Capital Limited Sai Life Sciences Limited R.R Kabel Limited Ram Ratna Electricals Limited Jana Small Finance Bank Limited 	Shriram Transport Finance Company Limited - Nomination Remuneration & Compensation Committee-Member - Debt Issuance Committee-Member - Audit Committee-Member - Business Responsibility Committee-Member - Securities Issue/Allotment Committee-Member Shriram Capital Limited - Audit Committee-Member - Nomination and Remuneration Committee- Member Shriram Capital Limited - Audit Committee-Member - Nomination & Remuneration Committee-Member R R Kabel Limited - Nomination & Remuneration Committee- Member - CSR Committee-Member Ram Ratna Electricals Limited - Nomination & Remuneration Committee- Member Sai Life Sciences Limited - Nomination & Remuneration Committee-Member - CSR Committee-Member

Name of Director (DIN)	Date of Birth (No. of Equity Shares held)	Qualification (Relationship with other Directors)	Nature of Expertise	Name of Companies in which he/ she holds Directorship#	Name of Committees of the Companies of which he/ she holds Membership
Shri Vellayan Subbiah (DIN: 01138759)	7 th August, 1969 (Nil)	BE,MBA (Not related with any Director of the Company)	The Managing Director of Tube Investments of India Limited, Shri Vellayan Subbiah holds a Bachelor degree in Technology in Civil Engineering from IIT Madras and a Masters in Business Administration from the University of Michigan, USA. He has over 2 decades of experience in the varied fields of technology, projects and financial services. He has worked with Mckinsey and Company, Chicago, 24/7 Customer Inc. and Sundram Fasteners. He was the Managing Director of Laserwords from 2007-2010 and of Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited from 2010-17. Shri Vellayan is a recipient of the Extraordinary Entrepreneur of the Year - TiECON 2014 Award.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Havells India Limited • SRF Limited • Shanthi Gears Limited • Tube Investments of India Limited • Ambadi Investments Limited 	SRF Limited - Audit Committee(Member) Tube Investments of India Limited - Stakeholders and Investors' Grievance Committee-Member - Shares &Debenture Committee-Member - Loans Committee-Member - Risk Management Committee-Member Havells India Limited - Corporate Social Responsibility- Member - Nomination & Remuneration Committee- Chairman
Shri B Prasada Rao (DIN: 01705080)	1 st January, 1954 (Nil)	Mechanical Engineering Graduate from Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University, Kakinada, Post Graduate in Industrial Engineering from NITIE, Mumbai (Not related with any Director of the Company)	<p>Mr. B Prasada Rao served as the Chairman and Managing Director (CMD) of Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited, India till 31st December 2015, a Maharatna enterprise that ranks among the world's leading companies engaged in Power Plant Equipment (PPE) manufacture with sales spread over 76 countries. During a career spanning more than 37 years in BHEL, Mr. Rao handled a variety of assignments and has diversified, versatile and varied experience both in Strategic as well as operational areas in all business segments of BHEL. He was elevated to the Board of BHEL in 2007 and as its Chairman & Managing Director in 2009.</p> <p>Mr. Rao served as member of the Studies Group of World Energy Council for two terms. He was the Chairman of CII Public Sector Enterprises Council, was on the Board of Governors of IIM, Kashipur and is a Fellow of the Institution of Engineers (India) and Indian National Academy of Engineering. He has to his credit a number of awards and accolades, both institutional and individual.</p> <p>Post retirement from BHEL, he has taken up the responsibility as Managing Director of Steag Energy Services India, a 100% owned subsidiary of Steag Energy Services Germany- an organization involved in offering Engineering, consultancy and other services related to improvement of Energy Efficiency, in Power Sector including Operation and Maintenance of all types of Power Plants.</p> <p>Mr. Rao was conferred with the "Engineering Excellence Award by the title of "Prof. S N Mitra Memorial Award 2018" – by the Indian National Academy of Engineers. Further Mr. Rao was conferred "Honorary Doctorate" by Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University, Kakinada. Honourable Governor of Andhra Pradesh presented the same during Aug'19 at the University convocation function.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Magma FinCorp Limited • Tata Boeing Aerospace Limited • Havells India Limited 	Havells India Limited - CSR Committee- Member TATA Boeing Aerospace Limited - Audit Committee- Member - Nomination and Remuneration Committee- Chairman Magma Fincorp Limited - Nomination and Remuneration Committee- Member - IT Strategy Committee- Member - Stakeholders Relationship Committee- Chairman - CSR Committee- Member

Name of Director (DIN)	Date of Birth (No. of Equity Shares held)	Qualification (Relationship with other Directors)	Nature of Expertise	Name of Companies in which he/ she holds Directorship#	Name of Committees of the Companies of which he/ she holds Membership
Shri Subhash S Mundra (DIN: 00979731)	18 th July, 1954 (Nil)	B.Com, M.Com, Fellow Indian Institute of Banking & Finance, D. Phil (HonorisCausa) (Not related with any Director of the Company)	Mr. Subhash S Mundra retired as Deputy Governor of Reserve Bank of India on 30 th July 2017 after completing a stint of three years. Prior to that, the last position held by him was as Chairman and Managing Director of Bank of Baroda from where he superannuated in July 2014. In his banking career spanning over four decades, Mr. Mundra held several important positions including that of Executive Director of Union Bank of India, Chief Executive of Bank of Baroda (European Operations) amongst others. He also served as RBI's nominee on the Financial Stability Board (G20 Forum) and its various committees. Mr. Mundra was also the Vice-chair of OECD's International Network on Financial Education (INFE). Amity University has conferred the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy (D.Phil.), Honoris Causa, upon Mr. Mundra, in recognition of his services in the field of banking and related areas. He is now on the Board of BSE Ltd., DSP Investment Managers Pvt. Ltd., Indiabulls Housing Finance Limited, Airtel Payments Bank Limited, Acuite Ratings & Research Ltd., and Ayana Renewable Power Private Limited as Independent Director, besides being on various Advisory Boards such as of M/s. Encore Asset Reconstruction Pvt. Ltd., Global Risk Advisory Committee of PayU Global – Netherlands, India Advisory Board of Master Cards, Governing Board of IMT – Ghaziabad, to name a few.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indiabulls Housing Finance Limited • BSE Limited • Airtel Payment Bank Limited • Acuite Ratings & Research Limited • Havells India Limited 	Havells India Limited - Audit Committee- Member BSE Limited - Audit Committee- Member - Stakeholders Committee- Member Airtel Payment Bank Limited - Audit Committee- Chairman
Shri Vivek Mehra (DIN : 00101328)	21 st April, 1945 (Nil)	B. Com (Hons) from SRCC, DU, Chartered Accountant (Not related with any Director of the Company)	Mr. Vivek Mehra is a well-respected senior Chartered Accountant with an illustrious professional career spanning over 40 years and experience spanning across sectors in Tax and Regulatory domains of Merger & Acquisition specializing in Cross-border Investment and Transaction Structuring. He has held various leadership roles till April 2017 in PriceWaterhouseCoopers Private Ltd. ('PwC') as Partner/ Executive Director. He was the founder and national leader for PwC Regulatory and M&A Practices and has been elected on PwC Governance Oversight Board for two consecutive terms. He has been a fellow member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India since 1979 and has also given his valuable contribution as a member of the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI) Steering Committee and National Executive Committee.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Havells India Limited • Jubilant Life Sciences Limited • Bharat Hotels Limited • HT Media Limited • DLF Limited • Chambal Fertilisers and Chemicals Limited • Digicent Limited 	Havells India Limited - Nomination and Remuneration Committee- Member Jubilant Life Sciences Limited - Audit Committee- Member Bharat Hotels Limited - Audit Committee- Member DLF Limited - Audit Committee- Member Chambal Fertilisers and Chemicals Limited - Audit Committee- Member HT Media Limited - Audit Committee- Chairman Digicent Limited - Audit Committee- Chairman

Directorship indicates directorship in Indian Public Companies including Havells India Limited.

Note: For other details, please refer to the Corporate Governance Section of the Annual Report.