

ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2022-23

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Founder

Late Mr. Bhanwarlal Malu (1924 - 2007)

Former Chairman

Late Mr Damodarlal Malu (1946-2020)

Managing Director & CEO

Mr. Punamchand Malu

Joint Managing Director

Mr. Banwarilal Malu

Non Executive Directors

Mr. Vasudeo Malu Mr. Purshottam Malu

Independent Directors

Mr. Chandrakant Thakar Mr. Satyanarayan Rathi CA. Shrutika Inani CA. Sahil Agrawal

CFO

Mr. Prakash Modi

Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

CS. Mayuri Asawa

Bankers

Bank of India State Bank of India Axis Bank Ltd Bank of Baroda Jammu & Kashmir Bank

Statutory Auditors

M/s. Demble Ramani & Co.

Internal Auditors

M/s. Samria & Co.

Secretarial Auditors

CS. Yugandhara Kothalkar

Cost Auditors

Khanuja Patra & Associates

Registered and Corporate Office

Heera Plaza, 4th Floor, Near Telephone Exchange, Central Avenue, Nagpur 440008

Plants

Kraft Division

Village Borujwada, Nagpur Saoner Road, Taluka: Saoner, District: Nagpur

Newsprint & Writing Printing Division

Village Hetti Surla, Nagpur Bhopal Road,

Taluka: Saoner, District: Nagpur

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MALU PAPER MILLS LIMITED

Regd. Office: Heera Plaza,4th floor, Near Telephone Exchange, Central Avenue, Nagpur -400008 CIN: L15142MH1994PLC076009

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the members of Malu Paper Mills Limited that the Thirtieth (30th) Annual General Meeting of the members will be held on Wednesday, the 27th day of September 2023 at the registered office of the Company at 'Heera Plaza, 4th Floor, Near Telephone Exchange Square, Central Avenue, Nagpur at 3.00 P.M. (IST) to transact the following businesses:

ORDINARY BUSINESS:

- 1. To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Standalone Financial Results for the financial year ended on 31stMarch 2023 together with the Reports of the Board of Directors and the Auditors thereon; and
- 2. To appoint a Director in place of Shri Vasudeo Bhawarlal Malu (DIN: 00301313), who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for reappointment in this regard to consider and if thought fit, to pass the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution.

"RESOLVED THAT Shri Vasudeo Bhawarlal Malu (DIN: 00301313), who retires by rotation in terms of Section 152 of Companies Act, 2013 and being eligible be and is hereby re-appointed as Director of the Company whose office shall be liable to retirement by rotation".

SPECIAL BUSINESS

3. Ratification of Cost Auditor's Remuneration for the financial year 2023-24:

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

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 148 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013, read with Rule 14 of the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof for the time being in force), consent of the Members of the Company be and is hereby accorded for payment of remuneration of 60,000/- (Rupees Sixty Thousand only) plus applicable taxes and out of pocket expenses, for conducting audit of the cost accounting records of the Company for the financial year 2023-24 as may be applicable to the Company, to M/s Khanuja Patra & Associates, Cost Accountants (Firm Registration No.00214) who were re-appointed as Cost Auditors of the Company by the Board of Directors of the Company at its meeting held on 09th August, 2023".

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

Registered Office:

By order of the Board For MALU PAPER MILLS LIMITED

Heera Plaza, 4th floor, Central Avenue Nagpur- 440008

Mayuri Asawa

Date: 09th August, 2023 Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

NOTES:

- 1. A member entitled to attend and vote at the meeting, is entitled to a member entitled to attend and vote at the annual general meeting is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote at the annual general meeting instead of himself and such proxy need not be a member of the company. Proxies, in order to be effective, must be received at the registered office of the company, not less than forty-eight hours before the commencement of the meeting. A PROXY FORM IS APPENDED WITH THE ATTENDANCE SLIP.
- 2. The Statement pursuant to section 102(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 in respect of the business set out under the notice is annexed hereto.
- 3. The Register of Members and share transfer books of the Company will remain closed from 19th September 2023 to 26th September 2023 both days inclusive.
- 4. Documents referred to the accompanying Notice and Explanatory Statement are open for inspection at the Registered Office of the Company during office hours on all working days (Monday to Friday) between 11.00 a.m. and 1.00 p.m. upto the date of Annual General Meeting and will also be available for inspection at the meeting.
- 5. Members/Proxies should bring attendance slips duly signed for attending the meeting.
- 6. Members holding shares in dematerialised form are requested to notify all the changes with respect of their address, e-mail id, ECS mandate and bank details to their depository participant.

Members (those holding shares in the physical form only) are requested to notify / send the following to the Registrar/ Transfer Agent,

- a. Particulars of their bank account and e-mail id, in case the same have not been sent earlier:
- b. Any changes in their address/e-mail id/ECS mandate/ bank details:
- c. Share certificate(s) held in multiple accounts in identical name or joint names in the same order of names, for consolidation of such shareholding in one account.

- 7. For the convenience of the members, an attendance slip is annexed with the proxy form. Photocopies of the slip will not be entertained for issuing gate pass for attending annual general meeting. However, in case of non- receipt of notice of annual general meeting, members are requested to write to the company at its head office for issuing duplicate of the same. Members are requested to affix their signature at the space provided and fill up the particulars and hand over the attendance slip at the place of the meeting.
- 8. Any member desirous of getting any information on accounts or operations of the company is required to forward his/her queries to the company at least ten days prior to the meeting so that the required information can be made available at the meeting.
- 9. The copy of notice shall also be made available at our official website www.malupaper.com. In case any shareholder could not receive the same, he can download it or go through our website.
- 10. For any communication, the shareholders may also send requests to the Company's investor email id contacts@malupaper.com
- 11. Pursuant to the provision of section 108 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 as amended and Regulation 44 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015 (Listing Regulations), the company is pleased to provide to its members facility to exercise their right to vote on resolutions proposed to be passed in the Meeting by electronic means. The members may cast their votes using an electronic voting system from a place other than the venue of the Meeting ('remote e-voting').
- 12. The facility for voting through ballot paper shall also be made available at the meeting and members attending the meeting who have not already cast their vote by remote e-voting shall be able to exercise their right at the meeting.
- 13. The members who have cast their vote by remote e-voting prior to the AGM may also attend the AGM but shall not be entitled to cast their vote again.

THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR REMOTE E-VOTINGARE ASUNDER:-

The remote e-voting period begins on Saturday the 23rd September, 2023 at 9:00 A.M. and ends on Tuesday the 26th September, 2023 at 5:00 P.M. The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter. The Members, whose names appear in the Register of Members / Beneficial Owners as on the record date (cut-off date) i.e. Wednesday the 20th September, 2023, may cast their vote electronically. The voting right of shareholders shall be in proportion to their share in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date, being Wednesday the 20th September, 2023.

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: Access to NSDL e-Voting system

A) Login method for e-Voting for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode

In terms of SEBI circular dated December 9, 2020 on e-Voting facility provided by Listed Companies, Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode are allowed to vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants. Shareholders are advised to update their mobile number and email Id in their demat accounts in order to access e-Voting facility.

<u>Login method for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode is given</u> below:

Type of shareholders Login Method

Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL.

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

with NSDL), Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen. After successful authentication, you will be redirected to NSDL Depository site wherein you can see e-Voting page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period.

 Shareholders/Members can also download NSDL Mobile App "NSDL Speede" facility by scanning the QR code mentioned below for seamless voting experience.



Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL

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

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

Individual Shareholders (holding securities in demat mode) login through their depository participants

You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your Depository Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for e-Voting facility. upon logging in, you will be able to see e-Voting option. Click on e-Voting option, you will be redirected to NSDL/CDSL Depository site after successful authentication, wherein you can see e-Voting feature. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period.

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

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

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

B) Login Method for e-Voting for shareholders other than Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode and shareholders holding securities in physical mode.

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 'Shareholder/Member' section.
- 3. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID, your Password/OTP 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	16 Digit Beneficiary ID
demat account with CDSL.	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. Password details for shareholders other than Individual shareholders are given below:
 - a) If you are already registered for e-Voting, then you can user 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'?