

# Minolta Finance Limited

CIN: L65921WB1993PLC057502

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Mr. Dinesh Kumar Patnia Mr. Vikash Bansal Mr. Pankaj Kumar Ms. Taniya Dutta Managing Director Independent Director Independent Director Non-Executive Director

26th
Annual
Report
2017 - 2018

### **COMPLIANCE OFFICER**

Mr. D. K. Patnia

#### **AUDITORS**

M/s. M.K. Poddar & Associates Chartered Accountants

#### **BANKERS**

Axis Bank Ltd.

## **REGISTERED OFFICE**

37 A&B, Stephen House 4, B.B.D. Bagh (East) Kolkata-700 001

## **REGISTRAR & SHARE TRANSFER AGENT**

Niche Technologies Pvt. Ltd. D-511, Bagree Market 71, B. R. B. B. Road, Kolkata-700 001

## **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

Date : 29th September, 2018

Time : 10.45 A.M.

Venue : 37 A&B, Stephen House

4, B.B.D. Bagh (East) Kolkata-700 001

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Members are requested to bring their copy of Annual Report at the time of Meeting

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#### **NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that the 26th Annual General Meeting of the members of **MINOLTA FINANCE LIMITED** will be held on Saturday, 29th September, 2018 at 10.45 A.M. at 37 A&B, Stephen House, 4, B.B.D. Bagh (East), Kolkata-700 001 to transact following business as:

#### **ORDINARY BUSINESS:**

 To receive, consider and adopt the Directors' Report and Audited Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st March 2018.

#### **IMPORTANT NOTES:**

- i) A MEMBER ENTITLED TO ATTEND AND VOTE AT THE MEETING IS ENTITLED TO APPOINT A PROXY TO ATTEND AND VOTE INSTEAD OF HIMSELF AND THE PROXY NEED NOT BE A MEMBER OF THE COMPANY. IN ORDER TO BE EFFECTIVE, THE PROXY FORM DULY COMPLETED SHOULD BE DEPOSITED AT THE REGISTERED OFFICE OF THE COMPANY NOT LESS THAN FORTY - EIGHT HOURS BEFORE THE SCHEDULED TIME OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING. BLANK PROXY FORM IS ENCLOSED.
  - A person can act as proxy on behalf of members not exceeding fifty and holding in the aggregate not more than ten percentage of the total share capital of the Company carrying voting rights. A member holding more than ten percentage of the total share capital of the Company carrying voting right may appoint a single person as proxy and such person shall not act as proxy for any other person or shareholders.
- ii) The Register of Members and the Share Transfer Books of the Company will remain closed from 24th September, 2018 to 29th September, 2018 both days inclusive.
- iii) Resister of Contracts or arrangements in which the Directors are interested, maintained under section 189 of the Companies Act, 2013 will be available for inspection by the members at the AGM.
- iv) Register of Directors and key Managerial Personnel and their shareholding, maintained under Section 170 of the Companies Act, 2013 will be available for inspection by the Members at the Annual General Meeting.
- v) Shareholders desiring any information on the Accounts are requested to write to the Company in advance to enable the Company to keep the information ready.
- vi) In terms of the provisions of Section 72 of the Companies Act, 2013, nomination facility is available to individual Shareholders. Shareholders holding Shares in physical form and desirous of availing the above facility are advised to submit their Nominations in Form SH.13 prescribed under Rule 19 of the Companies (Share Capital and Debentures) Rules, 2014. Shareholders holding Shares in the dematerialised form are advised to contact their Depository Participant in this behalf.
- vii) The Company's Shares are available for dematerialisation both on National Securities Depository Limited and Central Depository Services (India) Ltd. and its ISIN No. is INE514C01018.
- viii) Shareholders, who hold Shares in dematerialised form, are requested to bring their Client ID and DPID Nos. for easier identification of attendance at the Meeting.
- ix) The Company is concerned about the environment. The Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India, through its Circular Nos.17/2011 and 18/2011, dated 21st April, 2011 and 29th April, 2011 respectively, has allowed companies to send official documents to their shareholders electronically as part of its Green Initiative.
  - Accordingly, we propose to send annual report and other documents to the email address provided by you to your depository participant/ Registrar of the Company viz. Niche Technologies Pvt. Ltd., D-511, Bagree Market, 5th Floor, 71, B.R.B. Basu Road, Kolkata-700001.
  - We request you to update your email address with your depository participant/ Registrar to ensure that the annual report and other documents reach you on your preferred email.
- x) The Securities and Exchange Board of India has mandated the submission of Permanent Account Number

- (PAN) by every participant in securities market. Members holding shares in electronic form are, therefore, requested to submit the PAN to their Depository Participants with whom they are maintaining their demat accounts. Members holding shares in physical form can submit their PAN details to the Company/ Registrar of the Company.
- xi) Members who hold shares in the dematerialized form and want to provide/change/correct the bank account details should send the same immediately to their concerned Depository Participant and not to the Company. Members are also requested to give the MICR Code of their bank to their Depository Participants. The Company will not entertain any direct request from such members for change of address, transposition of names, deletion of name of deceased joint holder and change in the bank account details. While making payment of Dividend, the Registrar and Share Transfer Agent is obliged to use only the data provided by the Depositories, in case of such demat shares.
- xii) Members holding shares in physical form are advised to submit particulars of their bank account, viz. name and address of the branch of the bank, MICR code of the branch, type of account and account number to our Registrar and Share Transfer Agent, **M/s Niche Technologies Pvt. Ltd.,** D-511, Bagree Market, 5th Floor, 71, B.R.B. Basu Road, Kolkata-700001
- xiii) Non-resident Indian shareholders are requested to inform about the following immediately to the Company or its Registrar and Share Transfer Agent or the concerned Depository Participant, as the case may be, immediately of:
  - a. The change in the residential status on return to India for permanent settlement.
  - b. The particulars of the NRE account with a Bank in India, if not furnished earlier.
- xiv) With the aim of curbing fraud and manipulation risk in physical transfer of securities, SEBI has notified the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) (Fourth Amendment) Regulations, 2018 on June 8, 2018 to permit transfer of listed securities only in the dematerialized form with a depository. In view of the above and the inherent benefits of holding shares in electronic form, we urge the shareholders holding shares in physical form to opt for dematerialization.
- xv) The Company is concerned about the environment and utilizes natural resources in a sustainable way. To receive members' communication through electronic means, including Annual Reports and notices, members are requested to kindly register/update their email address with their respective Depository Participants, where shares are held in electronic form. If, however shares are held in physical form, members are advised to register their email address with Niche Technologies Pvt. Ltd <a href="mailto:nichetechpl@nichetechpl.com">nichetechpl@nichetechpl.com</a> to enable us to send you the Annual Reports and other communication via email.
- xvi) Copies of Annual Report 2018 are being sent by electronic mode only to all the members whose email address are registered with the Company Depository Participant(s) for communication purposes unless any member has requested for a hard copy of the Annual Report.
- xvii) At the 25th Annual General Meeting of the Company held on September 28, 2017, the members approved appointment of M/s M. K. Poddar & Associates, Chartered Accountants (Registration No. 327104E) as Statutory Auditors of the Company to hold office for a period of five years from the conclusion of that Annual General Meeting till the conclusion of the 30th Annual General Meeting, subject to ratification of their appointment by members at every Annual General Meeting if so required by the Companies Act 2013. Vide notification dated May 7, 2018 the Ministry of Corporate Affairs has done away with the requirement of seeking ratification of members for appointment of auditors at every Annual General Meeting. Accordingly, no resolution is being proposed for ratification of appointment of statutory auditors at the 26th Annual General Meeting.
- xviii) Company has provided a facility to Members to exercise their right to vote by electronic means. A separate e-voting instructions slip has been sent explaining the process of e-voting with necessary user id and password along with procedure for such e-voting. Facility to vote through Physical Ballot was provided to facilitate those members present in the meeting but could not participate in the Remote E-voting to record their votes.
- xix) In terms of the provisions of Section 107 of the Companies Act, 2013, since the resolutions as set out

in this Notice are being conducted through e-voting the said resolutions will not be decided on a show of hands at the AGM. The voting right of all shareholders shall be in proportion to their share in the paid up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date i.e. 22nd September, 2018.

- xx) Voting through electronic means.
  - I. In compliance with the provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013, 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 SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosures Requirements) Regulations., 2015, the Company is pleased to provide members facility to exercise their right to vote on resolutions proposed to be considered at the Annual General Meeting (AGM) by electronic means and the business may be transacted through e-Voting Services. The facility of casting the votes by the members using an electronic voting system from a place other than venue of the AGM ("remote e-voting") will be provided by Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL).
  - II. The facility for voting through ballot paper shall be made available at the AGM and the members attending the meeting who have not cast their vote by remote e-voting shall be able to exercise their right to vote at the meeting through ballot paper. 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.
  - III. The process and manner for remote e-voting are as under:
    - 1) The remote e-voting period commences on 26th September, 2018 (09:00 A.M.) and ends on 28th September, 2018 (5:00 P.M.). During this period members of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date of 22nd September, 2018, may cast their vote by remote e-voting. The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the member, the member shall not be allowed to change it subsequently.
    - 2) The shareholders should log on to the e-voting website www.evotingindia.com during the voting period.
    - 3) Click on "Shareholders" tab.
    - 4) Now Enter your User ID
      - a. For CDSL: 16 digits beneficiary ID,
      - b. For NSDL: 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digits Client ID,
      - c. Members holding shares in Physical Form should enter Folio Number registered with the Company, excluding the special characters.
    - 5) Next enter the Image Verification as displayed and Click on Login.
    - 6) 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.
    - 7) If you are a first time user follow the steps given below:

## For Members holding shares in Demat Form and Physical Form

PAN	<ul> <li>Enter your 10 digit alpha numeric PAN issued by Income Tax Department (Applicable for both demat shareholders as well as physical shareholders)</li> <li>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 in the PAN field.</li> <li>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 sequence number 1 then enter RA00000001 in the PAN field.</li> </ul>
DOB	Enter the Date of Birth as recorded in your demat account with the depository or in the company records for your folio in dd/mm/yyyy format.
Bank Account Number (DBD)	<ul> <li>Enter the Bank Account Number as recorded in your demat account with the depository or in the company records for your folio.</li> <li>Please Enter the DOB or Bank Account Number in order to Login.</li> <li>If both the details are not recorded with the depository or company then please enter the member id / folio number in the Bank Account Number details field as mentioned in above instruction (4).</li> </ul>

- 8) After entering these details appropriately, click on "SUBMIT" tab.
- 9) Members holding shares in physical form will then directly reach the Company selection screen. However, members holding shares in demat form will now reach 'Password Creation' menu wherein they are required to mandatorily enter their login password in the new password field. Kindly note that this password is to be also used by the demat holders for voting for resolutions of any other company on which they are eligible to vote, provided that company opts for 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.
- 10) For Members holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for e-voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.
- 11) Click on the EVSN for "MINOLTA FINANCE LIMITED" on which you choose to vote.
- 12) 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.
- 13) Click on the "RESOLUTIONS FILE LINK" if you wish to view the entire Resolution details.
- 14) 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.
- 15) Once you "CONFIRM" your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
- 16) You can also take out print of the voting done by you by clicking on "Click here to print" option on the Voting page.
- 17) If Demat account holder has forgotten the same password then enter the User ID and the image verification code and click on Forgot Password & enter the details as prompted by the system.
- 18) Note for Institutional Shareholders & Custodians:
  - Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) and Custodians are required to log on to https://www.evotingindia.com and register themselves as Corporates.
  - A scanned copy of the Registration Form bearing the stamp and sign of the entity should be emailed to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com.
  - After receiving the login details they have to create a compliance user which should be created using the admin login and password. The Compliance user would be able to link the account(s) for which they wish to vote on.
  - The list of accounts should be mailed to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com and on approval
    of the accounts they would be able to cast their vote.
  - A scanned copy of the Board Resolution and Power of Attorney (POA) which they have issued in favour of the Custodian, if any, should be uploaded in PDF format in the system for the scrutinizer to verify the same.
- 19) In case you have any queries or issues regarding e-voting, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions ("FAQs") and e-voting manual available at www.evotingindia.com under help section or write an email to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or contact them at 1800 200 5533.
- 20) Shareholders can also cast their vote using CDSI's mobile app m-Voting available for android based mobiles. The m-Voting app can be downloaded from Google Play Store. iPhone and Windows phone users can download the app from the App Store and the Windows Phone Store respectively. Please follow the instructions as prompted by the mobile app while voting on your mobile.
- xxi) Institutional Members / Bodies Corporate (i.e. other than individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are required to send scanned copy (PDF/JPG Format) of the relevant Board Resolution / Authority letter etc. together with attested specimen signature of the duly authorized signatory(ies) who are authorized to vote through email at jaiswalarun82@gmail.com with a copy marked to Helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com on or before 28th September, 2018 upto 5:00 pm without which the vote shall not be treated as valid.
- xxii) The voting rights of shareholders shall be in proportion to their shares of the paid up equity share capital

- of the Company as on the cut-off date of 22nd September, 2018. A person who is not a member as on cut off date should treat this notice for information purpose only.
- xxiii) The shareholders shall have one vote per equity share held by them as on the cut-off date of 22nd September, 2018. The facility of e-voting would be provided once for every folio / client id, irrespective of the number of joint holders.
- xxiv) Since the Company is required to provide members the facility to cast their vote by electronic means, shareholders of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date of 22nd September 2018 and not casting their vote electronically, may only cast their vote at the Annual General Meeting.
- xxv) Notice of the AGM along with attendance slip, proxy form along with the process, instructions and the manner of conducting e-voting is being sent electronically to all the members whose e-mail IDs are registered with the Company / Registrar/ Depository Participant(s). For members who request for a hard copy and for those who have not registered their email address, physical copies of the same are being sent through the permitted mode.
- xxvi) Investors who became members of the Company subsequent to the dispatch of the Notice / Email and holds the shares as on the cut-off date i.e. 22nd September, 2018 are requested to send the written / email communication to the Company at minoltafinance@gmail.com by mentioning their Folio No. / DP ID and Client ID to obtain the Login-ID and Password for e-voting.
- xxvii) Shri Arun Kumar Jaiswal, Practising Company Secretary (Certificate of Practice Number: 12281) has been appointed as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the remote e-voting process and voting at the AGM in a fair and transparent manner. The Scrutinizer shall not later than 48 hours of conclusion of the AGM, will submit a consolidated Scrutinizer's Report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, to the Chairman of the Company or a person authorized by him in writing, who shall countersign the same and declare the result of the voting forthwith.
- xxviii) The Results declared along with the Scrutinizer's Report shall be placed on the Company's website www.minolta.co.in and on the website of CDSL. The same will be communicated to the Bombay Stock Exchange Limited and The Calcutta Stock Exchange Limited.

Kolkata, May 30, 2018

By order of the Board For **MINOLTA FINANCE LIMITED** 

Registered Office: 37 A&B, Stephen House 4, B.B.D. Bagh (East) Kolkata-700 001 Sd/-DINESH KUMAR PATNIA (DIN: 01709741) Managing Director

# **Directors' Report**

To

The Members,

Your Directors have pleasure in presenting the 26th Annual Report of your Company together with the Audited Statements of Accounts for the year ended March 31, 2018.

		(₹ in Lac)
Financial Results	Year Ended	Year Ended
	31.03.2018	31.03.2017
Income	51.17	46.95
Profit /(Loss) before Tax & extraordinary item	25.02	5.31
Less: Provision for Taxation	3.60	1.59
Profit / (Loss) after Tax	21.44	3.73
Less: Extra-Ordinary Items	0.00	0.00
Add: Profit/(Loss) brought forward from Previous Year	(98.80)	(102.49)
Balance of Profit / (Loss) carried forward	(77.64)	(98.80)

#### **OVERALL PERFORMANCE & OUTLOOK.**

The Company is in to the Business of Investment and Financing activities.

The company is willing to continue to be in the business of Investment in financing but is also willing to invest wisely so as the Company can be a profit making entrepreneur during the year and thus can deliver to its Shareholders.

#### DIVIDEND

In view of marginal profit as well as carried forward losses, your Directors do not recommend any Dividend for the year under review.

## SHARE CAPITAL AND RESERVES

The paid up equity share capital as on 31st March, 2018 was ₹ 99995750/-. There was no public issue, rights issue, bonus issue or preferential issue etc. during the year. The Company has not issued shares with differential voting rights, sweat equity shares nor has it granted any stock options.

## SUBSIDIARY COMPANY

The Company does not have any material non-listed Indian subsidiary whose turnover or net worth (i.e. paid-up capital and free reserves exceeding 20% of the consolidated turnover or networth respectively, of the listed holding company and its subsidiaries in the immediately preceding accounting year.

## EXTRACT OF ANNUAL RETURN

The extract of Annual Return as provided under sub-section (3) of section 92 of the Companies Act, 2013, in the prescribed Form MGT-9 is annexed as Annexure A to this Report.

## NUMBER OF MEETINGS OF THE BOARD

There were four meetings of the Board held during the year. Detailed information is given in the Corporate

Governance Report.

#### **MANAGEMENT DISCUSSIONS & ANALYSIS**

Management Discussion and Analysis comprising an overview of the financial results, operations / performance and future prospects of the Company is annexed and forms part of this Report.

#### **MANAGEMENT**

There is no change Management of the Company during the year under review.

#### DIRECTORS

There is no change in composition of Board during the Financial Year under review.

Further, none of the Directors of the Company are disqualified under sub-section (2) of Section 164 of the Companies Act, 2013.

**DIRECTORS RESPONSIBILITY STATEMENT AS REQUIRED UNDER SECTION 134(5) OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013**Pursuant to provisions of Section 134 (5) of the Companies Act, 2013 the Board hereby submits its responsibility Statement:—

- 1. In the preparation of the annual accounts, the applicable Accounting Standards had been followed alongwith proper explanation relating to material departures;
- The Directors had adopted such accounting policies and applied them consistently and made judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent so as to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company at the end of the financial year and of the profit of the Company for that period.
- 3. The Directors had taken proper and sufficient care for the maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the provisions of this Act for safeguarding the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting fraud and other irregularities.
- 4. The Directors had prepared the annual accounts on a going concern basis.
- 5. The directors have laid down internal financial controls, which are adequate and were operating effectively.
- 6. The directors had devised proper systems to ensure compliance with the provisions of all applicable laws and that such systems were adequate and operating effectively.

#### **DECLARATION BY INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS**

The Independent Directors have submitted the declaration of independence, as required pursuant to section 149(7) of the Companies Act, 2013 stating that they meet the criteria of independence as provided in subsection (6).

# DIRECTORS' REMUNERATION POLICY AND CRITERIA FOR MATTERS UNDER SECTION 178.

Information regarding Directors' Remuneration Policy and criteria for determining qualifications, positive attributes, independence of a director and other matters provided under sub-section (3) of section 178 are provided in the Corporate Governance Report.

#### **BOARD EVALUATION:**

During the financial year, the Board of Directors adopted a formal mechanism for evaluation of its performance as well as that of its Committees and individual Directors including Chairman of the Board. Through a structured evaluation process covering various aspects of the Board's functioning such as governance issues, performance of specific duties and obligations, experience and competencies. Separate exercise was carried out to evaluate the performance of individual Directors including the Chairman of the Board based on the parameters such as attendance at Board / Committee Meetings, contribution at Board / Committee Meetings and guidance given to Management and also based on questionnaire and feedback from all the Directors as a whole, Committee and self-evaluation.

A separate meeting of Independent Directors was convened during the month of March, 2018, which reviewed

the performance of the Board as a whole, the Non-Independent Directors and the Chairman of the Board. After the conclusion of the Independent Directors Meeting, the feedback of Independent Directors were discussed by the Chairman of Nomination and Remuneration Committee with the Chairman of the Board, covering the performance of the Board as a whole, performance of Non-Independent Directors and the performance of the Chairman of the Board.

The performance evaluation of the Board was carried out based on the following:

- Ø Board's structure and composition
- Ø Establishment and Delineation of responsibilities to Committees
- Ø Efficacy of communication with external stakeholders
- Ø Effectiveness of Board process, information and functioning.

#### PARTICULARS OF LOANS, GUARANTEES OR INVESTMENTS

Information regarding loans, guarantees and investments covered under the provisions of section 186 of the Companies Act, 2013 are detailed in the financial statements.

#### **RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

There were no related party transactions (RPTS) entered into by the company during the financial Year, which attracted the provisions of section 188 of the companies act, 2013. There being no 'material' related party transactions as defined under SEBI (Listing Obligations And Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, there are no details to be disclosed in form AOC-2 in that regard.

During the year 2017-18, pursuant to section 177 of the companies act, 2013 and SEBI (Listing Obligations And Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, all RPTS were placed before the audit committee for its Prior/omnibus approval.

## MATERIAL CHANGES AND COMMITMENTS

There have been no material changes and commitments, affecting the financial position of the Company, which have occurred between the end of the financial year of the Company and the date of this Report.

#### STATUTORY INFORMATION

The Company being basically in to the business of NBFC and is lending its fund to Corporate Clients and HNIs. Beside this the Company is investing its fund in the Capital Market. Due to said line of business, the requirement, regarding and disclosures of Particulars of conservation of energy and technology absorption prescribed by the rule is not applicable to us.

#### INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Your Company believes that in addition to progressive thought, it is imperative to invest in research and development to ascertain future exposure and prepare for challenges. In its endeavor to obtain and deliver the best, your Company has invested its money for acquiring latest Computer hardware and software.

#### **AUDITORS**

At the 25th Annual General Meeting of the Company held on September 28, 2017, the members approved appointment of M/s M. K. Poddar & Associates, Chartered Accountants (Registration No. 327104E) as Statutory Auditors of the Company to hold office for a period of five years from the conclusion of that Annual General Meeting till the conclusion of the 30th Annual General Meeting, subject to ratification of their appointment by members at every Annual General Meeting if so required by the Companies Act 2013. Vide notification dated May 7, 2018 the Ministry of Corporate Affairs has done away with the requirement of seeking ratification of members for appointment of auditors at every Annual General Meeting. Accordingly, no resolution is being proposed for ratification of appointment of statutory auditors at the 26th Annual General Meeting.