## **TIMKEN INDIA LIMITED**

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# Notice

Notice is hereby given that 36<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of Timken India Limited will be held on Monday, 21 August, 2023 at 3.00 PM (IST) through Video Conferencing (VC)/Other Audio-Visual Means ("OAVM") to transact the following businesses:

#### **ORDINARY BUSINESS:**

- 1. To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 31 March, 2023 and the reports of the Board of Directors and the Statutory Auditors.
- 2. To declare dividend of Rs. 1.5/- per equity share of Rs.10/- each fully paid up for the year ended 31 March, 2023.
- **3.** To appoint a Director in place of Mr. Douglas Smith (DIN: 02454618), who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment.

#### SPECIAL BUSINESS:

### 4. Appointment of Mr. Ajay Sood (DIN: 03517303) as an Independent Director of the Company

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification, the following resolution as a Special Resolution:

**"RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to provisions of Section 149, 152 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 (the 'Act') and Rules made thereunder read with Schedule-IV of the Act and Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (including any statutory modifications or amendments or re-enactments thereof) and based on recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and approval of the Board of Directors, consent of the Members be and is hereby accorded for appointment of Mr. Ajay Sood (DIN: 03517303), in whose respect a notice has been received from a Member under the provisions of Section 160 of the Act, as an Independent Director of the Company for a period of 2 years w.e.f. 1 October, 2023 to 30 September, 2025."

#### 5. Appointment of Dr. Lakshmi Lingam (DIN: 10181197) as an Independent Director of the Company

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification, the following resolution as a Special Resolution:

**"RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to provisions of Section 149, 152 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 (the 'Act') and Rules made thereunder read with Schedule-IV of the Act and Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (including any statutory modifications or amendments or re-enactments thereof) and based on recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and approval of the Board of Directors, consent of the Members be and is hereby accorded for appointment of Dr. Lakshmi Lingam (DIN:10181197), in whose respect a notice has been received from a Member under the provisions of Section 160 of the Act, as an Independent Director of the Company for a period of 2 years w.e.f. 1 October, 2023 to 30 September, 2025."

#### 6. Ratification of remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors

To consider and if thought fit, to pass with or without modification, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

**"RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to provisions of Section 148 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rules made thereunder (including any statutory modifications or amendments or re-enactments thereof) and based on recommendation of the Audit Committee and approval of the Board of Directors, remuneration of Rs. 6,30,000/-(Rupees Six Lakhs and Thirty Thousand only) plus applicable taxes and reimbursement of out-of-pocket expenses payable to M/s. Shome & Banerjee (Firm Registration No. 000001), Cost Auditors to conduct the Cost Audit for the financial year 2023-24 be and is hereby ratified and approved."

#### 7. Material Transactions with Related Party – The Timken Company

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass with or without modification, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution: **"RESOLVED** –

**THAT** pursuant to Regulation 23 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('Listing Regulations') (including any statutory modifications or amendments or re-enactments thereof) and such other applicable provisions of laws, approval of the Members of the Company be and is hereby accorded to estimated related party transactions with The Timken Company, a related party within meaning of Regulation 2(1)(zb) of the Listing Regulations, for FY 2023-24 being in ordinary course of business and on arm's length basis, as set out in explanatory statement attached hereto;

**THAT** the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors be and is hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds and things to give effect to this Resolution."

#### 8. Material Transactions with Related Party – The Timken Corporation

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass with or without modification, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

#### "RESOLVED-

**THAT** pursuant to Regulation 23 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('Listing Regulations') (including any statutory modifications or amendments or re-enactments thereof) and such other applicable provisions of laws, approval of the Members of the Company be and is hereby accorded to estimated related party transactions with The Timken Corporation, a related party within meaning of Regulation 2(1)(zb) of the Listing Regulations, for FY 2023-24 being in ordinary course of business and on arm's length basis, as set out in explanatory statement attached hereto;

**THAT** the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors be and is hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds and things to give effect to this Resolution."

#### 9. Material Transactions with Related Party – Timken Engineering and Research-India Private Limited

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass with or without modification, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

#### "RESOLVED -

**THAT** pursuant to Regulation 23 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('Listing Regulations') (including any statutory modifications or amendments or re-enactments thereof) and such other applicable provisions of laws, approval of the Members of the Company be and is hereby accorded to estimated related party transactions with Timken Engineering and Research-India Private Limited, a related party within meaning of Regulation 2(1)(zb) of the Listing Regulations, for FY 2023-24 being in ordinary course of business and on arm's length basis, as set out in explanatory statement attached hereto;

**THAT** the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors be and is hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds and things to give effect to this Resolution."

#### 10. Material Transactions with the Related Party – Timken Wuxi Bearings Co. Ltd.

To consider and, if thought fit, to pass with or without modification, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

#### "RESOLVED -

**THAT** pursuant to Regulation 23 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('Listing Regulations') (including any statutory modifications or amendments or re-enactments thereof) and such other applicable provisions of laws, approval of the Members of the Company be and is hereby accorded to estimated related party transactions with Timken Wuxi Bearings Co. Ltd., a related party within meaning of Regulation 2(1)(zb) of the Listing Regulations, for FY 2023-24 being in ordinary course of business and on arm's length basis, as set out in explanatory statement attached hereto;

**THAT** the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors be and is hereby authorized to do all such acts, deeds and things to give effect to this Resolution."

By Order of the Board

Date: 30 June, 2023 Place: Bengaluru Sd/-Mandar Vasmatkar Company Secretary & Chief - Compliance

#### NOTES :

- 1. The Ministry of Corporate Affairs vide Circular dated 28 December, 2022 read with Circulars dated 8 April, 2020, 13 April, 2020, 5 May, 2020 (collectively referred to as "MCA Circulars") has allowed to conduct Annual General Meeting ('AGM') through VC/OAVM without physical presence of the Members. In view of the same, AGM of the Company is being held through VC / OAVM. The deemed venue for the AGM shall be the Registered Office of the Company. Since physical attendance is dispensed with for this Meeting being conducted through VC/OAVM, facility of appointment of proxy is not available. In view of same, proxy form, attendance sheet and route map are not attached to this Notice.
- Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 (the 'Act') in respect of item nos. 4 to 10 is annexed hereto. Applicable details relating to Directors pursuant to Regulation 36 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ('Listing Regulations') and Secretarial Standard-2 ('SS-2') are also annexed to this Notice.
- 3. Those Members who have not encashed their dividend warrants relating to payment of dividend for FY 2015-16, 2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20, 2020-21 and 2021-22 of the Company including for erstwhile ABC Bearings Limited (amalgamated), if any, may please contact Investor Relations at <u>tilinvestor@timken.com</u> for payment in lieu of warrant not encashed by them.
- 4. The amount outstanding in unpaid dividend accounts in respect of financial years as mentioned above will be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund ("IEPF") after end of seven years from the date when the said dividend was transferred to unpaid dividend account. Accordingly, unpaid dividend for FY 2015-16 relating to Timken India Limited and ABC Bearings Limited (amalgamated) is due for transfer to IEPF in the month of September, 2023.
- 5. Dividend on equity shares, as recommended by the Board of Directors (Rs. 1.5/- per equity share of Rs.10/- each fully paid up), if declared at 36<sup>th</sup> AGM of the Company, will be paid:
  - in respect of shares held in physical form to those Members whose names will appear on the Register of Members of the Company as at the close of business on 4 August, 2023 (record date).
  - in respect of shares held in the dematerialized form to those beneficial owners whose names will appear in the statement as may be furnished by the depositories for this purpose as at the close of business on 4 August, 2023 (record date).
- 6. Shareholders may note that effective from 1 April, 2020, dividend paid or distributed by a company is taxable in the hands of the shareholders and the company is required to deduct applicable taxes at source ("TDS") from such dividend payment in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Income-tax Act, 1961 ("the IT Act"), as amended by the Finance Act, 2020.
  - To enable compliance with TDS provisions, shareholders are requested to complete and/ or update their residential status, PAN (Permanent Account Number), and type of assessee as per the IT Act with the Depository Participants.
  - Rate of applicable TDS for resident assessee in accordance with the provisions of the IT Act is as under:

Shareholders having valid PAN	10%
Shareholders not having PAN/valid PAN	20%*

\*Subject to applicability of Surcharge and Health and Education Cess

- TDS is to be deducted at the rate of 20% on dividends payable to a specified person as per Section 206AB of the Income Tax Act.
- No tax shall be deducted on the dividend payable to a resident individual shareholder, if the total dividend to be received by him/her during Financial Year 2023-24 from the company does not exceed Rs. 5,000 and, also in cases where such resident individual shareholder having a valid PAN provides a declaration in Form 15G/Form 15H subject to conditions as specified in the IT Act. Resident shareholders may also submit any other document as prescribed under the IT Act to claim a lower/Nil withholding tax, like a Certificate for deduction of TDS at a lower rate from the Income Tax Department. Necessary declarations in this regard are available on the company's website at <a href="https://www.timken.com/en-in/investors/statutory-compliances/#dividend">https://www.timken.com/en-in/investors/statutorycompliances/#dividend</a>
- For non-resident shareholders, taxes are required to be deducted in accordance with the provisions of Section 195 and other applicable sections of the IT Act, at the rates in force. TDS shall be deducted at the rate of 20% (plus applicable Surcharge and Health and Education Cess) on the amount of dividend payable. However, the rate of TDS may be reduced if such non-resident shareholder is a tax resident of a country or specified territory which has signed a Double Taxation Avoidance Agreement (DTAA) with India and such DTAA provides for a lower rate of TDS. To avail of a lower rate of TDS as per the DTAA, the non-resident shareholders will have to provide the following information/documents to the Company:

- Copy of a Tax Residency Certificate ("TRC") i.e. a certificate of being tax resident in any country or specified territory outside India from the Government of that country or specified territory, valid till December 31, 2023.
- o Copy of electronic submission of Form No. 10F
- Copy of PAN card allotted by the Indian Income Tax authorities duly attested by the shareholder.
- Self-declaration by the shareholder of having no permanent establishment or business connection in India in accordance with the applicable DTAA or the provisions of the IT Act.
- Self-declaration of beneficial ownership of shares held by the non-resident shareholder.
- Any other documents as prescribed under the IT Act for a lower rate of TDS if applicable, duly attested by the shareholder.
- Please send the documents/declarations, as applicable to the registered office of the company. The documents/declarations can be sent through email at <u>TIL.TDS@timken.com</u> by August 10, 2023, on or before 6 PM India Standard Time. In case of insufficient/incomplete documents or no documents received before the said date and time, the company will deduct TDS at the maximum applicable rate.
- 7. Beneficial Owners of shares in demat form are advised to get particulars of their bank account, email and PAN details updated with the Depository Participants.
- 8. Members may note that pursuant to Section 108 of the Act read with Rules made thereunder and Regulation 44 of Listing Regulations, the Company is providing remote e-Voting facility for voting on the resolutions proposed to be passed at the 36<sup>th</sup> AGM. This Notice contains a set of instructions for remote e-Voting and also for e-Voting on the day of AGM as per applicable provisions of law.
- 9. In compliance with MCA Circulars read with SEBI Circular dated 5 January, 2023, Annual Report and Notice of AGM are being sent only by e-mail to those Members who have registered their e-mail addresses with the Company/Depository Participant(s). Copies of Annual Report for FY 2022-23 and Notice of 36<sup>th</sup> AGM are available on the website of the Company at <u>www.timken.com/en-in</u>.
- 10. The SEBI vide circular dated 3 November, 2021 has given mandate to the members holding shares in physical forms to update PAN, KYC and Nominees details with the Company. KYC and Nomination forms are available on the Company's website at <u>https://www.timken.com/en-in/investors/statutory-compliances/#download-application</u>, Shareholders are requested to download applicable KYC forms and fill details therein, sign and submit the same to the Company. It may please be noted that the physical folios wherein any of the aforesaid documents/details is are not available with the Company, will be frozen on or after 1 October, 2023.
- 11. The Register of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel and their shareholding, the Register of Contracts or Arrangements in which the Directors are interested, will be available for inspection by the Members up to the date of AGM. Members seeking to inspect such documents can send an email to <u>tilinvestor@timken.com</u>.
- 12. Corporate Members/Institutional Members (i.e. other than individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are required to send scanned copy (PDF/JPG format) of the relevant Board Resolution, Authority letter/Power of Attorney for representative, who are authorized to attend and/or vote, to the Scrutinizer by e-mail to <a href="mailto:csa9@ygpcs.com">csa9@ygpcs.com</a> with a copy marked to <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a>.

## Annexure to the Notice - Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Act

#### Item No. 4

Based on recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, the Board has approved appointment of Mr. Ajay Sood (DIN: 03517303) ('Mr. Sood') as an Independent Director of the Company effective 1 October, 2023 for a period of two consecutive years subject to approval of the Members of the Company. The Company is in receipt of a notice under Section 160 of the Act from a Member proposing candidature of Mr. Sood for the office of Independent Director of the Company which is available on the website of the Company at <u>www.timken.com/en-in</u>.

The Company has received from Mr. Sood:

- a. Consent in writing in Form DIR-2
- b. Intimation in Form DIR-8
- c. A declaration confirming that he meets the criteria of independence in terms of Section 149(6) of the Act and Listing Regulations.

The Nomination and Remuneration Policy (NRC Policy) of the Company provides personal specifications and aspects that needs to be considered for appointment of Director. The Nomination and Remuneration Committee evaluated candidature of Mr. Sood taking into consideration personal specifications and aspects covered in NRC Policy and since he met with criteria laid down and possesses the skills and capabilities required for the role, recommended his appointment as an Independent Director of the Company.

In the opinion of the Board, Mr. Sood possess requisite expertise, skills, integrity and experience and his association and leadership will be beneficial to the Company. Further, he is independent of the management and therefore, the proposal for his appointment as an Independent Director of the Company is placed before the Members for approval as set out under item no. 4 of the accompanying Notice. The Board recommends Resolution set out under item no. 4 for approval of the Members.

#### Memorandum of Interest

No Director, Key Managerial Personnel or their relatives is concerned or interested in this Resolution.

#### Item No. 5

Based on recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, the Board has approved appointment of Dr. Lakshmi Lingam (DIN: 10181197) ('Dr. Lakshmi') as an Independent Director of the Company effective 1 October, 2023 for a period of two consecutive years subject to approval of the Members of the Company. The Company is in receipt of a notice under Section 160 of the Act from a Member proposing candidature of Dr. Lakshmi for the office of Independent Director of the Company which is available on the website of the Company at <u>www.timken.com/en-in</u>.

The Company has received from Dr. Lakshmi:

- a. Consent in writing in Form DIR-2
- b. Intimation in Form DIR-8
- c. A declaration confirming that she meets the criteria of independence in terms of Section 149(6) of the Act and Listing Regulations.

The Nomination and Remuneration Policy (NRC Policy) of the Company provides personal specifications and aspects that needs to be considered for appointment of Director. The Nomination and Remuneration Committee evaluated candidature of Dr. Lakshmi taking into consideration personal specifications and aspects covered in NRC Policy and since she met with criteria laid down and possesses the skills and capabilities required for the role, recommended her appointment as an Independent Director of the Company.

In the opinion of the Board, Dr. Lakshmi possess requisite expertise, skills, integrity and experience and her association and leadership will be beneficial to the Company. Further, she is independent of the management and therefore, the proposal for her appointment as an Independent Director of the Company is placed before the Members for approval as set out under item no. 5 of the accompanying Notice. The Board recommends Resolution set out under item no. 5 for approval of the Members.

#### Memorandum of Interest

No Director, Key Managerial Personnel or their relatives is concerned or interested in this Resolution.

#### Item No. 6

Pursuant to Section 148 of the Act read with Rules made thereunder, the Company is required to maintain cost records and get the same audited by Cost Accountant in Practice. The Board of Directors, based on recommendation of the Audit Committee, has re-appointed M/s. Shome & Banerjee (Firm Registration No. 000001), as Cost Auditors for FY 2023-24 at a remuneration of Rs.6,30,000 /- (Rupees six lakhs and thirty thousand only) plus applicable taxes and out-of-pocket expenses. Pursuant to Section 148 of the Act read with Rules made thereunder, remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors requires ratification by the Members.

This item involving payment of remuneration to the Cost Auditors is therefore, placed before the Members for ratification. The Board recommends Resolution set out under item no. 6 for ratification by the Members.

#### Memorandum of Interest

No Director, Key Managerial Personnel or their relatives is concerned or interested in this Resolution.

#### Item Nos. 7, 8, 9 & 10

Timken India Limited ('the Company') is listed on Bombay Stock Exchange and National Stock Exchange of India Limited with majority of its share capital held by Timken Singapore Pte. Limited which is a subsidiary of The Timken Company. The Timken Company has many subsidiaries across the world including The Timken Corporation and Timken Wuxi Bearings Co Ltd ('Timken Wuxi'). Timken Engineering and Research- India Pvt Ltd (TERI) is a subsidiary of Timken Singapore Pte. Limited. The Timken Company, founded over 100 years ago by Mr. Henry Timken and having its headquarters at Canton, Ohio, USA, applies its deep knowledge of materials, friction management and mechanical power transmission to improve the reliability and efficiency of industrial machinery and equipment all around the world.

The Timken Company sells products and services to a diverse customer base globally, including customers in industrial distribution, renewable energy, automation, automotive original equipment agriculture, rail, aerospace, auto/truck aftermarket, construction, metals and mining. The Timken Company manufactures and manages global supply chains for multiple product lines including engineered bearings and industrial motion products designed to operate in demanding environments. The Timken Company leverages its technical knowledge, research expertise, and production and engineering capabilities across all of its products and end markets to deliver high-performance products and services to its customers. Differentiation within these product lines is generally based on application engineering, product performance, product quality or customer service. The Timken company operates a network of technology and engineering centers to support its global customers with sites in North America, Europe and Asia. This network develops and delivers innovative engineered bearings and industrial motion solutions and technical services.

It is believed that being part of the Timken Group and the associated right to use the trademark and logo of "TIMKEN", offers the Company significant branding strength to attract key customers. The relationship with The Timken Company and the Timken Group enables the Company to benefit from the Timken Group's global supply chain to meet customer demand for the products that are not manufactured by the Company in India.

Timken Group companies provides the Company access to management talent and professionals with deep industry knowledge. The acquisitions of The Timken Company in various new and diverse businesses globally provide the Company a platform to launch new products and services in India. The Company has access to proprietary technology of The Timken Company, including without limitation, intellectual property relating to designs, product specifications, methods of manufacturing, service methods and techniques for use thereof for manufacturing various products at Jamshedpur and Bharuch Plant in order to retain the quality standard of all Timken products manufactured worldwide. Further, the Company receives administrative, sales and marketing, after-sales and service engineering related services as and when required. Likewise, the Company is also authorized to market products and services of the Timken Group companies in India. Further, the Company has entered into a trademark license agreement with The Timken Company pursuant to which the Company has a non-transferable, non-sub licensable and non-exclusive right to use the trademarks owned or controlled by The Timken Company. The Company pays royalty to The Timken Group companies is a significant advantage and that the Company will continue to benefit from its global presence, brand name and support in the future.

To sustain the quality standards of Timken Group, better customer reach and global representation, the Company purchases finished products and components from aforesaid related parties for direct sale in India and also for subsequent use in the manufacturing process. Likewise, the Company also sells finished products or components to these related parties for further sale to global customers or use in their manufacturing process.

Name of Related Party (Nature of Relationship)	Nature of Transactions	Actual transactions for year ended 31 March, 2023	Estimated transactions for FY 2023-24	Estimated transac- tion as % to turn- over of FY 2022-23
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
The Timken Company	Purchase of Goods	711.10	1,560.00	-
(Ultimate Holding Company)	Sale of Goods	1,635.28	2,080.00	-
	Expense Receivable	0.30	50.00	-
	Expense Payable	218.68	330.00	-
	Agency Commission (Income)	4.44	40.00	-
	Purchase of Property, Plant & Equipment	3.04	900.00	-
	Royalty	630.64	660.00	-
Total		3,203.48	5,620.00	20%
The Timken Corporation	Purchase of Goods	1,072.40	1,710.00	-
(Fellow Subsidiary)	Sale of Goods	4,304.85	5,590.00	-
-	Purchase of Property, Plant & Equipment	24.88	1,100.00	-
	Expense Receivable	-	40.00	-
	Expense Payable	-	80.00	-
	Agency Commission (Income)	12.13	40.00	-
Total		5,414.26	8,560.00	30%
Timken Engineering and	Expense Receivable	33.04	140.00	-
Research-India Pvt. Ltd.	Expense Payable	97.72	240.00	-
(Fellow Subsidiary)	Purchase of Goods	1,494.88	2,810.00	-
	Sale of Goods	217.19	440.00	-
	Sale of Property, Plant & Equipment	-	40.00	-
	Purchase of Property, Plant & Equipment	-	60.00	-
	Purchase of Export Licenses	-	440.00	-
Total		1,842.83	4,170.00	15%
Timken Wuxi Bearings Co. Ltd.	Purchase of goods	2,467.44	3,790.00	_
(Fellow Subsidiary)	Expense Payable	-	30.00	-
-	Expense Receivable	-	30.00	-
	Sale of Goods	20.50	50.00	-
	Purchase of Property, Plant & Equipment	-	50.00	-
Total		2,487.94	3,950.00	14%

Note: It may please be noted that approval of Members is sought for total amount of transactions mentioned in column (4) above for each related party. Amount of individual category of transactions mentioned above may vary within total amount of transactions. Further, modification in above transactions

Above transactions do not pertain to loans, advances, inter corporate deposits or investments. The Company did not rely on any external

The Timken Company, The Timken Corporation, TERI, Timken Wuxi are related parties as defined under Regulation 2(1)(zb) of Listing Regulations and with each of whom the aggregate value of transactions during the financial year 2023-24 is estimated to exceed ten per cent of annual turnover of the Company as per the last audited financial statements as on 31 March, 2023. The Audit Committee was provided with relevant information as per SEBI Circular No SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD1/CIR/P/2021/662 dated 21 November, 2022 regarding these transactions such as nature of transaction, tenure, material terms, estimated transaction values for FY 2023-24 etc. The Audit Committee, after deliberation, has approved aforesaid related party transactions. These transactions are in normal course of business and are at arm's length.

No Director, Key Managerial Personnel or their relatives is concerned or interested in the Resolutions except Mr. Hansal Patel for item nos. 7

not qualifying as material modification may be approved by the Audit Committee as specified in the Listing Regulations.

The Board recommends Resolutions set out under item nos. 7, 8, 9 and 10 for approval of Members.

Summary of material related party transactions is as under:

By Order of the Board Sd/-Mandar Vasmatkar

Date: 30 June, 2023 Place: Bengaluru

Memorandum of Interest

valuation report for these transactions.

and 8 and Mr. Sanjay Koul for item no. 9.

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**Company Secretary** & Chief - Compliance

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### **INSTRUCTIONS**

#### **INSTRUCTIONS FOR REMOTE E-VOTING:**

- 1. In compliance with the provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 (the 'Act') read with Rules made thereunder and Regulation 44 of Listing Regulations, the Company is pleased to provide to Members a facility to exercise their right to vote on resolutions proposed to be considered at 36<sup>th</sup> AGM by remote e-Voting. The facility of casting the votes by the Members through remote e-Voting will be provided by National Securities Depository Limited ("NSDL").
- 2. The facility of e-Voting on the day of AGM shall also be made available by NSDL and the Members attending the meeting who have not cast their vote by remote e-Voting shall be eligible to exercise their right to vote at AGM.
- 3. The Members who have cast their vote by remote e-Voting prior to AGM may also attend AGM but shall not be entitled to cast their vote again
- 4. The remote e-Voting facility will be available during the following period:

Commencement of e-Voting	End of e-Voting
18 August, 2023 from 9.00 A.M.	20 August, 2023 till 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 14 August, 2023 may cast their vote by remote e-Voting. The remote e-Voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the Member, the Member shall not be allowed to change it subsequently.

#### 5. 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 and joining virtual meeting 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.
- B. Login method for individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode is given below:

Type of shareholders	Login Method	
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL.	<ol> <li>Existing IDeAS user can visit the e-Services website of NSDL Viz. <u>https://eservices.nsdl.com</u> either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. On the e-Services home page click on the "Beneficia Owner" icon under "Login" which is available under 'IDeAS' section, this will prompt you the enter your existing User ID and Password. After successful authentication, you will be able to see evoting services under Value added services. Click on "Access to e-Voting" under e-Voting service and you will be able to see e-Voting page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provide 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 or joining virtual meeting &amp; voting during the meeting.</li> <li>If you are not registered for IDeAS e-Services, option to register is available and the service of the service</li></ol>	
	2. If you are not registered for iDeAs e-services, option to register is available at <u>https://eservices.nsdl.com</u> . Select " <b>Register Online for IDeAS Portal</b> " or click at <u>https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp</u>	
	3. Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: <u>https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/</u> 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 <b>e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL</b> and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.	

Type of shareholders	Login Method		
	4. Shareholders/Members can also download NSDL Mobile App " <b>NSDL Speede</b> " facility by scanning the QR code mentioned below for seamless voting experience.		
	NSDL Mobile App is available on		
	🗰 App Store 🛛 🔉 Google Play		
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL	<ol> <li>Existing users who have opted for CDSL Easi / Easiest, they can login through their existing user id and password. Option will be made available to reach e-Voting page without any further authentication. The URL for users to login to Easi / Easiest are <u>https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/home/login</u> or <u>www.cdslindia.com</u> and click on New System Myeasi.</li> </ol>		
	2. After successful login of Easi/Easiest the user will be also able to see the e-Voting Menu. The Menu will have links of <b>e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL</b> . Click on <b>NSDL</b> to cast your vote.		
	3. If the user is not registered for Easi/Easiest, option to register is available at CDSL website: <u>https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/Registration/EasiRegistration</u> and click on loging and new Myeasi tab and then click on registration option.		
	4. Alternatively, the user can directly access e-Voting page by providing demat Account Number and PAN No. from an e-Voting link available on <u>www.cdslindia.com</u> 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 provided links for the respective ESP i.e. <b>NSDL</b> where the e-Voting is in progress.		
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 or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.		

**Important note:** Members who are unable to retrieve User ID/Password are advised to use Forgot User ID and Forgot Password option available at respective websites.

# 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 securities in demat mode with NSDL	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact NSDL helpdesk by sending a request at <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u> or call at toll free no.: 022-48867000 and 022-24997000
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 <u>helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</u> or contact toll free no.: 1800-225533

# C. Login Method 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 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.

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************************************
c) For Members holding shares in Physical Form	EVEN number followed by Folio number register with the Company. For example if Folio number is 001*** and EVEN number is 101456 then user ID is 101456001***.

4. Your User ID details are given below :

- 5. Password details for shareholders other than Individual shareholders 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'?
    - i. 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 .pdf file. The password to open .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'.
    - ii. 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:
  - a. Click on "Forgot User Details/Password?" (If you are holding shares in your demat account with NSDL or CDSL) option available on <u>www.evoting.nsdl.com</u>.
  - b. "Physical User Reset Password?" (If you are holding shares in physical mode) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
  - c. If you are still unable to get the password by aforesaid two options, you can send a request at <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u> mentioning your demat account number/folio number, your PAN, your name and your registered address etc.
  - d. 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.