

UNITED CREDIT LIMITED



UNITED CREDIT GROUP

FIFTY SECOND ANNUAL REPORT 2022-2023



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**BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Mr. Ashok Kumar Dabriwala
Chairman & Managing Director
Mr. Nandanandan Mishra
Mr. Raj Mohan Choubey
Mr. Devashish Dabriwal
Mrs. Rashmi Dabriwal
Mr. Suresh Chandra Saha
(Upto - 17.10.2022)
Mr. Pramod Kumar Dhelia
(from 12.12.2022)

COMPANY SECRETARY

Ms. Deepali Gupta

CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

Mr. Samarjit Jain

AUDITORS

L. B. Jha & Co.

BANKERS

Punjab National Bank
State Bank of India

REGISTRARS & SHARE TRANSFER AGENT

C B Management Services (P) Limited
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2287-0283/4011-6700
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AUDIT COMMITTEE

Mr. Suresh Chandra Saha
(upto 17.10.2022)
Mr. Pramod Kumar Dhelia
(form. 12.12.2022)
Mr. Nandanandan Mishra
Mr. Raj Mohan Choubey

NOMINATION AND REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

Mr. Raj Mohan Choubey
Mr. Nandanandan Mishra
Mr. Suresh Chandra Saha
(upto 17.10.2022)
Mr. Pramod Kumar Dhelia
(form 12.12.2022)

STAKEHOLDERS RELATIONSHIP COMMITTEE

Mr. Raj Mohan Choubey
Mr. Ashok Kumar Dabriwala
Mr. Devashish Dabriwal

REGISTERED OFFICE

27B, Camac Street (8th Floor), Kolkata-700 016
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CIN : L65993WB1970PLC027781

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Fifty - second Annual General Meeting of the members of UNITED CREDIT LIMITED will be held on Monday, the 26th September, 2023 at 11.00 A.M. through Video Conferencing (VC) or Other Audio Visual Means (OAVM). The Company will conduct the meeting from 27B, Camac Street (8th Floor), Kolkata – 700016, which shall be deemed to be venue of the meeting 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, 2023, together with the Reports of the Board of Directors and Auditors thereon.
2. To appoint a Director in place of Mr. Devashish Dabirwal (DIN: 00037051), who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment.

SPECIAL BUSINESS

3. Appointment of Mr. Pramod Kumar Dhelia (DIN: 00649782) as an Independent Director

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

RESOLVED THAT Mr. Pramod Kumar Dhelia (DIN: 00649782), who was appointed as an Additional Director (Category: Independent Director) on the Board of Directors of the Company, in terms of Section 161 of the Companies Act, 2013 (as amended) (the "Act") w.e.f. December 12, 2022, be and is hereby appointed as a Director (Category: Independent Director) of the Company.

FURTHER RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the Sections 149, 152 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Act and Schedule IV thereto and the rules made thereunder, the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 including any amendment(s), statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof for the time being in force, and the Articles of Association of the Company, Mr. Pramod Kumar Dhelia be and is hereby appointed as an Independent Director of the Company for a term of 5 (five) consecutive years commencing from her date of appointment, i.e., December 12, 2022 upto December 11, 2027.

By Order of the Board of Directors

Sd/-

Deepali Gupta

Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Membership No. A65652

May 26, 2023
Kolkata - 700016

NOTES

- I) The Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) has vide its circular dated December 28, 2022 read together with circulars dated April 8, 2020, April 13, 2020, May 5, 2020, January 13, 2021, December 8, 2021, December 14, 2021 and May 5, 2022 (collectively referred to as "MCA Circulars"), permitted convening the Annual General Meetings (AGM) through Video Conferencing (VC) or Other Audio Visual Means (OAVM) without physical presence of the members in the venue. In accordance with the MCA Circulars and applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act read with Rules made thereunder and SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (SEBI Listing Regulations) the 52nd AGM of the Company will be conducted through VC/OAVM. The deemed venue for the 52nd AGM shall be 27B, Camac Street (8th Floor), Kolkata – 700 016.
- II) Necessary information pertaining to Directors, Mr. Devashish Dabriwal and Mr. Pramod Kumar Dheha as required under Regulation 36(3) of the Listing Regulations and the Revised Secretarial Standard on General Meetings (SS-2) issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI) is attached to this Notice as **Annexure – I** and **Annexure - II**.
- III) In order to enhance the ease of doing business for investors in the securities market and considering difficulties faced by investors with regard to certain procedural aspects, SEBI vide its Circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD-PoD1/P/CIR/2023/37 dated March 16, 2023 (the "SEBI KYC Circular") revised the norms for furnishing of PAN, full KYC details and Nomination by the holders of physical securities. The Company has intimated the concerned security holders about the folios which are incomplete in terms of the said SEBI KYC Circular. A copy of the said intimation can be downloaded from the Company's website, i.e. www.unitedcredit.ltd.com under the tab "Shareholders' Forms". As per the manner and timelines prescribed under the SEBI KYC Circular, the folios wherein the above details are not available shall be frozen and payment including dividend shall be made only through electronic mode.

Accordingly, Members are hereby requested to kindly comply with the SEBI KYC Circular.

- IV) Members may note that as per SEBI Press Release No. 12/2019 dated 27th March, 2019, except in case of transmission or transposition of securities, requests for effecting transfer of securities shall not be processed unless the securities are held in dematerialised form with a depository. This measure has come into effect from 1st April, 2019. Accordingly, members are requested to dematerialise their shares as early as possible, if not already done.
- V) **IN TERMS OF THE MCA CIRCULARS AND THE SEBI CIRCULARS, THE REQUIREMENT OF SENDING PROXY FORMS TO HOLDERS OF SECURITIES AS PER PROVISIONS OF SECTION 105 OF THE ACT READ WITH REGULATION 44(4) OF THE LISTING REGULATIONS, HAS BEEN DISPENSED WITH. THEREFORE, THE FACILITY TO APPOINT PROXY BY THE MEMBERS WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE AND CONSEQUENTLY, THE PROXY FORM AND ATTENDANCE SLIP ARE NOT ANNEXED TO THIS NOTICE CONVENING THE 52ND AGM OF THE COMPANY (THE "NOTICE").**

However, in pursuance of Section 113 of the Act and Rules framed thereunder, the corporate members are entitled to appoint authorized representatives for the purpose of voting through remote e-voting or for the participation and e-voting during the AGM, through VC or OAVM. Institutional Shareholders (i.e., other than individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are required to send scanned copy (PDF / JPG Format) of the relevant Board Resolution / Power of Attorney / appropriate Authorization Letter together with attested specimen signature(s) of the duly authorized signatory(ies) who are authorized to vote, to the Scrutinizer through e-mail at chaudhuri.indrani@gmail.com with a copy marked to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com or upload the same by clicking "Upload Board Resolution / Authority Letter" displayed under "e-Voting" tab in their login. **Further details in this regard are annexed separately and form part of this Notice.**

- VI) Since the 52nd AGM will be held through VC or OAVM, no Route Map is being provided with the Notice. The deemed venue for the 52nd AGM shall be the Registered Office of the Company.
- VII) In case of Joint-holders, the Member whose name appears as the first holder in the order of names as per the Register of Members of the Company will be entitled to vote during the AGM.
- VIII) The Company has complied with the provisions of Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Rules, 2016 by furnishing and uploading information regarding unpaid and unclaimed amount of dividends lying with the Company in Form No.IEPF-2 on the website of the Authority, www.iepf.gov.in and website of the Company, www.unitedcreditltd.com.
- IX) Members are requested to note that pursuant to the provisions of Section 124(6) of the Act read with Rule 6 of Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Rules, 2016 as amended vide Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Amendment Rules, 2017 ('IEPF Rules') all such shares in respect of which dividend has not been paid or claimed for seven consecutive years or more are also required to be transferred to IEPF Authority. The Company has transferred the shares in respect of unclaimed dividend up to the financial year 2009-2010 in favour of the IEPF Authority, on 30th November, 2017. As per record maintained by CBM, after this transfer, presently there are no shares of the Company which are required to be transferred to IEPF.

The voting rights on shares transferred to the Fund shall remain frozen until the rightful owner claims the shares.

- X) Members are informed that once the unpaid / unclaimed dividend or the shares are transferred to IEPF, the same may be claimed by the Members from the IEPF Authority by making an application in prescribed Form IEPF-5 online and sending the physical copy of the same duly signed (as per the specimen signature recorded with the Company) along with requisite documents to the Registered Office of the Company for verification of the claim. The Form IEPF-5 is available on the website of IEPF at www.iepf.gov.in.
- XI) Members are informed that the scrips of the Company have been activated both in along with Central Depository Services (India) Limited and National Securities Depository Limited and may be dematerialised under the ISIN INE858C01027.
- XII) The shareholders who have not yet surrendered their share certificates of erstwhile United Credit Financial Services Limited are requested to contact CBM for necessary action immediately.
- XIII) Members who hold shares in physical form under multiple folios in identical names or joint holding in the same order of names, are requested to send the share certificates to the Company / Registrars & Share Transfer Agent for consolidation into a single folio.
- XIV) In compliance with MCA Circulars and SEBI Circular dated May 13, 2022, Notice of the AGM along with the Annual Report 2022-23 is being sent only through electronic mode to those Members whose e-mail address is registered with the Company / Registrar and Transfer Agent/ Depository Participants / Depositories. Members may note that the Notice and Annual Report 2022-23 will also be available on the Company's website www.unitedcreditltd.com, websites of the Stock Exchanges, that is, BSE Limited and The Calcutta Stock Exchange Limited at www.bseindia.com and www.cse-india.com respectively, and on the website of Central Depository Services (India) Limited at www.evotingindia.com.

- XV) Members may note that the Notice of the 52nd AGM, along with its enclosures, will also be available on the Company's website www.unitedcreditltd.com and the website of CDSL www.evotingindia.com for their download. Register of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel and their shareholding maintained under Section 170 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act"), Register of Contracts or Arrangements in which directors are interested under Section 189 of the Act will be available for inspection during the AGM in electronic mode.
- XVI) Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL) will provide service for e-voting and participating in the Fifty – second Annual General Meeting through Video Conferencing / other Audio-Visual means.
- XVII) Instructions for Members for e-voting and participating in the 52nd AGM through Video Conference (VC) / Other Audio-Visual Means (OAVM) are as under:
1. The general meetings of the companies shall be conducted as per the guidelines issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) and SEBI Circular dated May 5, 2022 and May 13, 2022 respectively, the forthcoming AGM will thus 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.
 2. 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 MCA Circulars dated April 08, 2020, April 13, 2020 and May 05, 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 Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL) for facilitating voting through electronic means, as the authorized e-Voting's agency. The facility of casting votes by a member using remote e-voting as well as the e-voting system on the date of the AGM will be provided by CDSL.
 3. 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 to at least 1000 members on first come first served basis. This will not include large Shareholders (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.
 4. The attendance of the Members attending the AGM through VC/OAVM will be counted for the purpose of ascertaining the quorum under Section 103 of the Companies Act, 2013.
 5. Pursuant to MCA Circular No. 14/2020 dated April 08, 2020, the facility to appoint proxy to attend and cast vote for the members is not available for this AGM. However, in pursuance of Section 112 and Section 113 of the Companies Act, 2013, representatives of the members such as the President of India or the Governor of a State or body corporate can attend the AGM through VC/OAVM and cast their votes through e-voting.
 6. In line with the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) Circular No. 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020, the Notice calling the AGM has been uploaded on the website of the Company at www.unitedcreditltd.com. The Notice can also be accessed from the websites of the Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE Limited and The Calcutta Stock Exchange Limited at www.bseindia.com and www.cse-india.com respectively. The AGM Notice is also disseminated on the website of CDSL (agency for providing the Remote e-Voting facility and e-voting system during the AGM) i.e. www.evotingindia.com.

THE INTRUCTIONS OF SHAREHOLDERS FOR E-VOTING AND JOINING VIRTUAL MEETINGS ARE AS UNDER:

- (i) The voting period begins at 9.00 a.m. on Thursday, the 21st September, 2023 and ends at 5.00 p.m. on Sunday, the 24th September, 2023. During this period shareholders of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date i.e. 18th September, 2023 may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter.
- (ii) Shareholders who have already voted prior to the meeting date would not be entitled to vote at the meeting venue.
- (iii) Pursuant to SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD/CIR/P/2020/242 dated 9th December, 2020, under Regulation 44 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, listed entities are required to provide remote e-voting facility to its shareholders, in respect of all shareholders' resolutions. However, it has been observed that the participation by the public non-institutional shareholders/retail shareholders is at a negligible level.

Currently, there are multiple e-voting service providers (ESPs) providing e-voting facility to listed entities in India. This necessitates registration on various ESPs and maintenance of multiple user IDs and passwords by the shareholders.

In order to increase the efficiency of the voting process, pursuant to a public consultation, it has been decided to enable e-voting to **all the demat account holders, by way of a single login credential, through their demat accounts/ websites of Depositories/ Depository Participants**. Demat account holders would be able to cast their vote without having to register again with the ESPs, thereby, not only facilitating seamless authentication but also enhancing ease and convenience of participating in e-voting process.

- (iv) In terms of SEBI circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD/CIR/P/2020/242 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.

Pursuant to above said SEBI Circular, Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meetings for **Individual shareholders holding securities in Demat mode CDSL/NSDL** is given below:

Type of shareholders	Login Method
Individual Shareholders holding securities in Demat mode with CDSL Depository	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) 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 URL for users to login to Easi / Easiest are https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/home/login or visit www.cdslindia.com and click on Login icon and select New System Myeasi. 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 or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting. Additionally, there is also links provided to access the system of all e-Voting Service Providers i.e. 3) If the user is not registered for Easi/Easiest, option to register is available at https://web.cdslindia.com/myeas/Registration/EasiRegistration 4) 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 or click on https://evoting.cdslindia.com/Evoting/EvotingLoginThe 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 with NSDL Depository	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) If you are already registered for NSDL IDeAS facility, please visit the e-Services website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: https://eservices.nsdl.com either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. Once the home page of e-Services is launched, click on the "Beneficial Owner" icon under "Login" which is available under 'IDeAS' section. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID and Password. After successful authentication, you will be able to see e-Voting 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 name and you will be re-directed to e-Voting service provider website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting. 2) If the user is 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.jsp

	3) 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 name and you will be redirected to e-Voting service provider website for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period or joining virtual meeting & voting during the meeting.
Individual Shareholders (holding securities in demat mode) login through their Depository Participants (DP)	You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your Depository Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for e-Voting facility. After Successful login, you will be able to see e-Voting option. Once you 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 name and you will be redirected to e-Voting service provider website 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 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. CDSL and NSDL

Login type	Helpdesk details
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
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 evoting@nsdl.co.in or call at toll free no.: 1800 1020 990 and 1800 22 44 30

- (v) Login method for e-Voting and joining virtual meetings for **Physical shareholders and shareholders other than individual holding in Demat form.**

- 1) The shareholders should log on to the e-voting website www.evotingindia.com.
- 2) Click on "Shareholders" module.
- 3) 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. Shareholders holding shares in Physical Form should enter Folio Number registered with the Company.
- 4) Next enter the Image Verification as displayed and Click on Login.