











USG Tech Solutions Limited





ANNUAL REPORT 2016-2017

Registered Office:

Level 7 Maximus Towers Building 2A Mindspace Complex, Hi-Tech City Hyderabad, Telangana- 500081

Corporate office:

11B, Shiv Apartments, 7 Raj Narain Marg, Civil Lines, Delhi-110054

Website: www.usgtechsolutions.com

Email id: secretarial@usgtechsolutions.com

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Mr. Servesh Gupta

Managing Director & Chairman

Mr. Satish Kumar Gupta

Director

Mr. Anil Kumar Gupta

Independent Director (Up to 22nd March 2017)

Mr. Deepak Kumar Bansal

Additional Independent Director

Ms. Nirmal Garg

Independent Director

Ms. Geeta

Chief Financial Officer (from 22nd March 2017 to 25th April 2017)

Mr. Manish Kumar

Chief Financial Officer (from 12th August 2017)

Mrs Jagpreet Kaur

Company Secretary

AUDIT COMMITTEE

Mr. Deepak Kumar Bansal

Chairman

Ms. Nirmal Garg

Member

Mr. Servesh Gupta

Member

STAKEHOLDERS' RELATIONSHIP COMMITTEE

Mr. Deepak Kumar Bansal

Chairman

Ms. Nirmal Garg

Member

Mr. Servesh Gupta

Member

NOMINATION & REMUNERATION COMMITTEE

Mr. Deepak Kumar Bansal

Chairman

Ms. Nirmal Garg

Member

Mr. Servesh Gupta

Member

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STATUTORY AUDITORS

M/s. Udit Aggarwal & Associates.

(Chartered Accountants)

Firm Registration. No.: 026161N

201, Agarwal Plaza, D.C. Chowk, Sec-9,

Rohini, Delhi 110085

(2016-2017)

SECRETARIAL AUDITOR

K K Khurana & Associates

(Practicing Company Secretaries)

Office: A-5, First Floor,

Chottey Lal Park, Kirti Nagar,

New Delhi -110015 (2016-2017)

INTERNAL AUDITOR R.K SAH & CO.

(Chartered Accountants)

E-32, Gaurav Apartment, Madhu Vihar I.P

Extn. New Delhi-110092.

(2016-2017) (2017-2018)

REGISTRAR & TRANSFER AGENT

M/s Bigshare Services Private Limited 1st Floor, Bharat Tin Works Building, Opp. Vasant Oasis Apartments (Next To Keys Hotel), Marol Maroshi Road, Andheri East, Mumbai 400059

BANKER

HDFC Bank, New Delhi HDFC Bank, Noida YES Bank, New Delhi

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the 18th Annual General Meeting of USG Tech Solutions Limited will be held on Friday, 29th September, 2017 at 11:00 Hrs. at Oyster Airport Hotel, 5-12/1, Nehru Outer Ring Road, Brindavan Gardens, Kishanguda, Shamshabad, Hyderabad, Telangana -501218, to transact the following business:-

ORDINARY BUSINESS

- 1. Consider and adopt the Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the financial year ended March 31, 2017, the Reports of the Directors and Auditors thereon:
- 2. Re-appoint Mr. Servesh Gupta (DIN- 01451093) who retires by rotation at this meeting and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment
- 3. To appoint statutory auditors in place of Retiring Auditor and fix their remuneration.

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 139, 142 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, as may be applicable and pursuant to the recommendations of the Audit Committee, M/s. Surinder Verma Associates, Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No.006610N), be appointed as statutory auditors of the Company, in place of retiring auditors M/s. Udit Aggarwal & Associates Chartered Accountants (Firm Registration No.026161N), to hold office from the conclusion of this 18th Annual General Meeting (AGM) until the conclusion of the 19th AGM, subject to ratification by members every year, as applicable, at such remuneration and out of pocket expenses, as may be decided by the Board of Directors of the Company.

SPECIAL BUSINESS

4. Appointment of Independent Director

To consider and pass with or without modification(s), the following resolution, as an ordinary Resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Sections 149, 150, 152 and any other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 (the "Act") and the Companies (Appointment and Qualification of Directors) Rules, 2014 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force) read with Schedule IV to the Act and as per SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015, Mr. Deepak Kumar Bansal (DIN: 03081849), who was appointed as an Additional Director of the Company by the Board of Directors with effect from 22nd March, 2017, in terms of Section 161(1) of the Act and Articles of Association of the Company and whose term of office expires at the Annual General Meeting and in respect of whom the Company has received a notice in writing from a member proposing her candidature for the office of Director, be and is hereby appointed as an Independent Director of the Company to hold office for five consecutive years for a term up to 5 year.

Directorships held in other Companies Nil

5. Approval of Related Party Transactions

To consider and if thought fit, to pass the following Resolution as a Special Resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Regulation 23 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosures Requirements) Regulations 2015 (including any amendment or modification thereof) and applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 read with relevant Rules thereto [including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof, for the time being in force] and subject to such other approvals, sanctions as may be required from other authorities

under any laws or regulations or guidelines and after such alterations and modifications as may be specified by such other authorities while according the approval or sanction, wherever applicable, approval of the members of the Company be and is hereby accorded to the Board of into ongoing related party contract/arrangements/transactions with Retails Information System Pty Ltd a Foreign Wholly Owned subsidiary of the Company, relating to sale, purchase or supply of products, goods or materials or availing or rendering of services and leasing of property of any kind (movable or immovable) up to an amount 15 Crores (fifteen Crore only) for the financial year 2017-18 on such terms and conditions as may be decided by the Board."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company be and are hereby authorized to do and perform all such acts, matters, deeds and things as may be necessary, without further referring to the Members of the Company in order to give effect to this resolution."

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT all actions taken by the Board in connection with any matter referred to or contemplated in any of the foregoing resolution are hereby approved ratified and confirmed in all respects.

6. Approval / ratification of the Related Party Transactions of the Company

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

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 188 and all other applicable provisions of the Companies

Act, 2013 read with rules made there under (including any statutory modifications (s) or re-enactment thereof, for the

Time being in force) and Regulation 23 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015,confirmation/ approval of the members be and is hereby accorded for continuing the existing related party transactions in the nature of Investment for FY 2017-18 entered by the Company in the FY 2016-17 in favor of M/s ZEAL APPARTMENT LLP, Investment to the extent of Rs. 8,85,00,000/- (Eight Crores eighty five lakhs Only)) at an interest rate prescribed in the LLP agreement Dated 24th August 2015 & Supplement agreement Dated 07th May 2016.

"RESOLVED FURTHER THAT the Board of Directors of the Company be and is hereby authorized to do, all such

acts, matters, deeds and things, settle any queries/ difficulties/doubts arise from it, and execute such addendum contracts/ arrangements/ transactions, documents and writings and make such changes to the terms and conditions of these contracts/arrangements/transactions as may be considered necessary, proper or expedient to give effect to this resolution and for matters connected herewith or incidental there to in the best interest of the Company."

By the order of the Board of Directors For USG Tech Solutions Limited

> SD/-Mr. Servesh Gupta 11B, Shiv Apartments, 7 Raj Narain Marg, Civil Lines, Delhi-110054

Date: 12.08.2017

Notes:

- 1. The relative Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act") setting out material facts concerning the business under Item Nos. 4 and 5 of the Notice, is annexed hereto. The relevant details as required under Regulation 36(3) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations").
- 2. A Member entitled to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting (AGM) is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote instead of himself and the proxy need not be a Member of the Company. The instrument appointing the proxy, in order to be effective, must be deposited at the Company's Registered Office, duly completed and signed, not less than FORTY-EIGHT HOURS before the commencement of the AGM. Proxies submitted on behalf of limited companies, societies etc., must be supported by appropriate resolutions / authority, as applicable. A person can act as proxy on behalf of Members not exceeding fifty (50) and holding in the aggregate not more than 10% of the total share capital of the Company. In case a proxy is proposed to be appointed by a Member holding more than 10% of the total share capital of the Company carrying voting rights, then such proxy shall not act as a proxy for any other person or shareholder.
- 3. The Register of Members and Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed on Members, Proxies and Authorized Representatives are requested to bring to the meeting, the Attendance Slip enclosed herewith, duly completed and signed, mentioning therein details of their DP ID and Client ID / Folio No.
- 4. The Notice of the AGM along with the Annual Report 2016-17 is being sent by electronic mode to those Members whose e-mail addresses are registered with the Company/Depositories, unless any Member has requested for a physical copy of the same. For Members who have not registered their e-mail addresses, physical copies are being sent by the permitted mode.
- 5. Members holding shares in dematerialized form are requested to intimate all changes pertaining to their bank details, National Electronic Clearing Service (NECS), Electronic Clearing Service (ECS), mandates, nominations, power of attorney, change of address, change of name, e-mail address, contact numbers, etc., to their Depository Participant (DP). Changes intimated to the DP will then be automatically reflected in the Company's records which will help the Company and the Company's Registrars and Transfer Agents (RTA), big share Services Pvt Ltd to provide efficient and better services. Members holding shares in physical form are requested to intimate such changes to RTA.
- 6. Members holding shares in physical form are requested to consider converting their holding to dematerialized form to eliminate all risks associated with physical shares and for ease of portfolio management. Members can contact the Company or RTA for assistance in this regard.
- 7. Members holding shares in physical form in identical order of names in more than one folio are requested to send to the Company or RTA, the details of such folios together with the share certificates for consolidating their holding in one folio. A consolidated share certificate will be returned to such Members after making requisite changes thereon.
- 8. Members / Proxies should bring the Attendance slip duly filled in for attending the meeting along with their copy of the Annual Report.
- 9. In accordance with section 20 of the Companies Act, 2013 service of documents on members by a company is allowed through electronic mode. Accordingly, as a part of Green Initiative, soft copy of the Annual Report for the year ended March 31, 2017 has been sent to all the members whose email address (es) are registered with the Company/Depository Participant(s) unless any member has requested for a hard copy of the same. Further, in terms of SEBI Circular No. CIR/CFD/DIL/7/2011 dated 05.10.2011 the hard copies of Annual Report have been sent to all other

members who have not registered their email address (es). Members, who have not yet registered their email address with the Company/RTA/Depository Participant, are requested to do the same at the earliest. Members holding shares in dematerialized form are requested to register their email address with their Depository Participant only. Even after registering for e-communication, members are entitled to receive such communication in physical form, upon receipt of request for the same, free of cost. The Notice of the Annual General Meeting and the Annual Report for 2016-17 will also be available on the Company's website www.usgtechsolutions.com for download by the members. The physical copies of the aforesaid documents will also be available at the Company's Registered Office for inspection during business hours.

- 10. The route map showing directions to reach the venue of the 18th AGM is given on Back Over.
- 11. All documents referred to in the accompanying Notice and Explanatory Statement shall be open for inspection at the registered office of the Company.

12. VOTING THROUGH ELECTRONIC MEANS FOR ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

In compliance with the provisions of Section 108 of the Act and the Rules framed thereunder, as amended from time to time, and Regulation 44 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the Members are provided with the facility to cast their vote electronically, through the e-voting services provided by CDSL, on all the resolutions set forth in this Notice. The instructions for e-voting are given herein below. Resolution(s) passed by Members through e-voting is/are deemed to have been passed as if they have been passed at the AGM.

- A. A.The Board of Directors has appointed Simarjeet Singh & Associates, Company Secretaries, Member Ship No.-40311, COP No. 18054, Registered Office: WZ 27A, Tilak Nagar, New Delhi 110018, Mob No.: +91 95824 56496, +91-95824 56557 for conducting the evoting process in a fair and transparent manner.
- B. Members are requested to carefully read the instructions for e-voting before casting their vote.
- C. The e-voting facility will be available during the following voting period after which the portal will be portal will be blocked and shall be available for e-voting.

Commencement of e-voting	26/09/2017 at 09:00 a.m.
End of e-voting	28/09/2017 at 5:00 p.m.

D. The cut-off date (i.e. the record date) for the purpose of e-voting is 22.09.2017 In compliance of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013

THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR SHAREHOLDERS VOTING ELECTRONICALLY ARE AS UNDER

- 1. The voting period begins on 26/09/2017 at 09:00 a.m. and ends on 28/09/2017 at 5:00 p.m. During this period shareholders' of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date (record date) 22.09.2017 may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter.
- 2. Log on to the e-voting website www.evotingindia.com
- 3. Click on Shareholders / Members
- 4. Now Enter your User ID
 - For CDSL: 16 digits beneficiary ID,
 - For NSDL: 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digits Client ID,
 - Members holding shares in Physical Form should enter Folio Number registered with the Company.

- 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	Enter your 10 digit alpha-numeric PAN issued by Income Tax Department (Applicable for both demat shareholders as well as physical shareholders)
	• 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 (refer serial no. printed on the name and address sticker/Postal Ballot Form/mail) in the PAN Field.
	• 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. E.g. If your name is Ramesh Kumar with serial number 1 then enter RA00000001 in the PAN field.
Dividend Bank Detail OR Date of Birth (DOB)	Enter the Dividend Bank Details OR Date of Birth (DOB) Enter the Dividend Bank Details or Date of Birth (in dd/mm/yyyy format) as recorded in your demat account or in the company records in order to login. C If both the details are not recorded with the depository or company please enter the member id / folio number in the Dividend Bank details field as mentioned in instruction (4).

- 8. After entering these details appropriately, click on "SUBMIT" tab.
- 9. Members holding shares in physical form will then reach directly 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 the USG TECH SOLUTIONS 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 changed 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. Shareholders can also cast their vote using CDSL's mobile app m-Voting available for android based mobiles. The m-Voting app can be downloaded from Google Play Store. Apple 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.
- 19. Note for Non Individual Shareholders and Custodians
- 20. Non-Individual shareholders (i.e. other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) and Custodian are required to log on to www.evotingindia.com and register themselves as Corporates.
- 21. A scanned copy of the Registration Form bearing the stamp and sign of the entity should be emailed to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com.
- 22. After receiving the login details a Compliance User 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.
- 23. The list of accounts linked in the login should be mailed to helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com and on approval of the accounts they would be able to cast their vote.
- 24. 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.
- 25. 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.

IN CASE OF MEMBERS RECEIVING THE PHYSICAL COPY:

- 1. Please follow all steps from sl. no. (1) to sl. no. (25) Above to cast vote.
- 2. The voting period 26/09/2017 at 09:00 a.m. and ends on 28/09/2017 at 5:00 p.m. During this period shareholders' of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialized form, as on the cut-off date (record date) of 22.09.2017, may cast their vote electronically. The e-voting module shall be disabled by CDSL for voting thereafter.
- 3. 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.

Explanatory Statement (Pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013)

As required by Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act"), the following explanatory statement sets out all material facts relating to the business mentioned under Item Nos. 4 and 5 of the accompanying Notice:

Item 4- Section 149 of the Companies Act, 2013, provides that every listed public company shall have at least one third of the total number of directors as independent directors. The independent Director can be appointed for any period up to 5 years but can be reappointed for other term of not more than 5 years by passing a special resolution. Pursuant to Section 160 of the Companies Act, 2013, the company has received notice in writing from Mr. Deepak Kumar Bansal for appointment as independent Director on the Board of the Company, The application received from the aforesaid persons, was accompanies with the relevant documents declaring that, if appointed, they shall be considered independent for the purpose of Section 149, read with Schedule IV of the Companies Act, 2013 and the rules made there under. The Board has undertaken due diligence of aforesaid person to determine their eligibility for appointment as Independent Directors on the Board, bases upon their qualification, expertise, track record integrity etc. recommended their appointment to the shareholders for a period of five years, i.e. up to 21st March. 2022. Further "In the opinion of the Board, the independent directors proposed to be appointed fulfill the conditions specified in the Act and the rules made there under and that the proposed directors are independent of management."

Item No- 5

M/s. Retails Information System Pty Ltd (RIS) is a foreign wholly owned subsidiary of USG Tech Solutions Limited and is a 'Related Party' within the meaning of Section 2(76) of the Companies Act, 2013 and 2 (ZB) of SEBI (LODR) Regulations 2015.

In terms of the proviso to Regulation 23 of SEBI (LODR) Regulations 2015, all transactions with related parties, which are material in nature, are subject to the approval of the Members of the Company by way of Special Resolution and the related parties shall abstain from voting on such resolutions.

For this purpose, the term "Material transaction" means any transaction entered either individually or taken together with previous transactions during a financial year, that exceeds ten percent of the annual consolidated turnover of the Company as per the last audited financial statements of the Company. Moreover, the estimated value of the transactions relating to ongoing sale, purchase, or receipt of products, goods and materials or availing or rendering of services and leasing of property of any kind (movable or immovable) with RIS during the financial year 2017-18 are likely to exceed the threshold prescribed under Regulation 23 of SEBI (LODR) Regulations 2015 and will be considered material and therefore would require the approval of shareholders of the Company by a Special Resolution.

The particulars of the Contracts/Arrangements/Transactions pursuant to sub-rule (3) of Rule 15 of Companies (Meetings of Board and its Powers) Rules, 2014 are as follows:

Name of Related Party: Retails Information System Pty Ltd

Name of Director or Key Management Personnel who is related: Mr. Servesh Gupta is Director of RIS.

Item No- 6

The following statement sets out the material facts relating to the Special Business mentioned in the accompanying Notice:

The Companies Act, 2013 aims to ensure transparency in the transactions and dealings with the related parties of the Company. The provisions of Section 188(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Regulation 23 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 that govern the Related Party Transactions, requires that for entering into any contract or arrangement with the related party, the Company shall obtain prior approval of the Board of Directors and prior approval of the shareholders by way of an Special Resolution. The said transaction is not in the ordinary course of business and not at arm's length price or exceeding the prescribed limits. To have more transparency in related parties' transactions the Board is seeking shareholders' approval / ratification for the said transaction.