

March 17, 2025

PPL/POSTALBALLOT/2025

National Stock Exchange of India Limited Exchange Plaza, C-1, Block G, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E) MUMBAI - 400 051 BSE Limited, Floor 25, Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street MUMBAI - 400 001

Dear Sir/Madam,

Company's Scrip Code in BSE Company's Symbol in NSE ISIN : 543530 : PARADEEP : INE088F01024

Sub: Postal Ballot Notice - Disclosure under Reg 30 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of Postal Ballot Notice pursuant to Regulation 30 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, which is being sent to the Members of the Company for seeking their approval by remote e-voting process ("e-voting") for below mentioned business:

• Re-appointment of Mr. Subhrakant Panda (DIN: 00171845) as a Non-executive Independent Director of the Company

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 108, 110 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and rules made thereunder read with General Circulars No.14/2020 dated April 08, 2020, No. 17 /2020 dated April 13, 2020, No. 22/2020 dated June 15, 2020, No. 33/2020 dated September 28, 2020, No. 39/2020 dated December 31, 2020, No. 10/2021 dated June 23, 2021, No. 20/2021 dated December 08, 2021, No. 3/2022 dated May 05, 2022, No. 11/2022 dated December 28, 2022, No. 09/2023 dated September 25, 2023 and No. 09/2024 dated September 19, 2024 ("MCA Circulars") issued by Ministry of Corporate Affairs and SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof for the time being in force, and as amended from time to time), and pursuant to other applicable laws and regulations, if any, the Notice is being sent only by email to all its members who have registered their email addresses with the Company or depository(ies)/ depository participants/ MUFG Intime India Private Limited (formerly known as Link Intime India Pvt Limited) (RTA) and whose names are recorded in the Register of Members/ Beneficial owners of the Company as on the Cut-off date i.e. March 07, 2025. Accordingly, a physical copy of the Notice along with Postal Ballot Form and pre-paid business reply envelope are not being sent to the members for this Postal Ballot.

The Company has engaged the services of MUFG Intime India Private Limited (MIIPL) to provide e-voting facility to its members. The e-voting shall commence on **March 18, 2025 at 10.00 A.M. (IST) and end on April 16, 2025 at 5.00 P.M. (IST).** The e-voting facility shall be disabled by MIIPL thereafter. The voting rights of the members 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. March 07, 2025.

PARADEEP PHOSPHATES LIMITED

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The members, whose email addresses are not registered, are requested to register/update the details in their demat account, as per the process advised by respective Depository Participant.

The resolutions, if passed by requisite majority, shall be deemed to have been passed on April 16, 2025 i.e. last day of the e- voting period.

The result of the e-voting by Postal Ballot will be announced within two working days from the date of conclusion of e-voting period.

The Postal ballot Notice is uploaded on the website of the Company at www.paradeepphosphates.com

Please take the above information on record.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully, For Paradeep Phosphates Limited

Sachin Patil Company Secretary

Encl: As above

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NOTICE OF POSTAL BALLOT

[Pursuant to Section 110 of the Companies Act, 2013, read with Rules 20 and 22 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014]

To The Members,

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Section 108, 110 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act"), Rule 20 and Rule 22 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 (including any amendment(s), statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force), read with the General Circular No.14/2020 dated April 8, 2020, General Circular No. 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020, 20/2020 dated May 05, 2020, 22/2020 dated June 15, 2020, 33/2020 dated September 28 2020, 39/2020 dated December 31, 2020, 10/2021 dated June 23, 2021, 20/2021 dated December 8, 2021, 3/2022 dated May 5, 2022, 11/2022 dated December 28, 2022, 09/2023 dated September 25, 2023, and 09/2024 dated September 19, 2024, issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") (hereinafter collectively referred to as "MCA Circulars"), and pursuant to the provisions of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI (LODR) Regulations") (including any statutory modification(s) or reenactment(s) thereof for the time being in force, and as amended from time to time), and Secretarial Standard on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India ("SS-2") and pursuant to other applicable laws rules, circulars notifications and regulations, if any, the resolution as setout hereunder is proposed for the approval of the members through Postal Ballot ("the Postal Ballot") only by remote e-voting process ("e-voting").

An Explanatory Statement pursuant to Sections 102, 110 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Act, pertaining to the said resolution setting out the material facts and reasons thereof, is appended to this Postal Ballot Notice ("the Notice" or "the Postal Ballot Notice").

Further, in terms of the MCA Circulars, this Postal Ballot Notice is sent only through electronic mode to those members who have registered their email addresses with the Company or depository/depository participants. In compliance with the provisions of Sections 108 and 110 of the Act read with Rule 20 and 22 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules 2014, Regulation 44 of the SEBI (LODR) Regulations, and SS-2, the Company has provided e-voting facility to its members to cast their votes electronically. The Company has engaged MUFG Intime India Private Limited (Formerly Link Intime India Pvt Limited) (MUFG Intime), to provide remote e-voting facility to the Members. The communication of assent (FOR)/dissent (AGAINST) of the Members shall only take place through the remote e-voting system. The Board of Directors of the Company (the "Board") has appointed Mr. Shivaram Bhat, (Membership No. FCS 10454, COP No. 7853), Practising Company Secretary, as the Scrutinizer ("the Scrutinizer") for conducting the Postal Ballot through remote e-voting process. Members are requested to record their assent (FOR) or dissent (AGAINST) through remote e-voting which commences from 10.00 a.m. (IST) on Tuesday, March 18, 2025 and ends at 5.00 p.m. (IST) on Wednesday, April 16, 2025. Remote e-voting shall be disabled by MUFG Intime immediately thereafter and will not be allowed beyond the said date and time. Upon completion of the scrutiny of the remote e-voting data provided by MUFG Intime, the Scrutinizer will submit his report to the Chairman of the Company, or any other person authorized by him. The result of the Postal Ballot shall be announced within two days from the conclusion of the e-voting i.e. on or before Friday, April 18, 2025. The said results along with the scrutinizer's report shall be displayed on Company website https://www.paradeepphosphates.com, communicated to the stock exchanges and will be displayed simultaneously on the website of the Stock exchanges, RTA and on the Notice Board of the Company.

The last date of e-voting, i.e. **Wednesday, April 16, 2025**, shall be the date on which the resolution would be deemed to have been passed, if approved by the requisite majority. The resolution passed by the members through postal ballot are deemed to have been passed as if it is passed at a General Meeting of the members.

Members desiring to exercise their votes are requested to carefully read the instructions indicated in this Notice and record their assent (FOR) or dissent (AGAINST) by following the procedure as stated in <u>Annexure-B</u>, forming part of the Notice.

SPECIAL BUSINESS:

1. Re-appointment of Mr. Subhrakant Panda (DIN: 00171845) as a Non-executive Independent Director of the Company:

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

"**RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to the provisions of Section 149, 150, 152 and any other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, ("the Act") and the Rules framed thereunder (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment(s) thereof for the time being in force) read with Schedule IV of the Act and the applicable provisions of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI (LODR) Regulations") and based on the recommendation of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and the Board of Directors, Mr. Subhrakant Panda (DIN: 00171845),who meets the criteria for independence under Section 149(6) of the Act and the Rules made thereunder and Regulation 16(1)(b) of the SEBI (LODR) Regulations and in respect of whom the Company has received a notice in writing from a member under Section 160 of the of the Act, proposing his candidature for re-appointment as an Independent Director, be and is hereby re-appointed as a Non-executive Independent Director of the Company, for a second term of 5 (five) years with effect from January 31, 2025 up to January 30, 2030 and that he shall not be liable to retire by rotation.

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

By Order of the Board of Directors
For Paradeep Phosphates Limited

Registered Office: 5th Floor, OSHWC Building, Pandit J N Marg, Bhubaneswar – 751 001. Date: February 03, 2025 Sd/-Sachin Patil Company Secretary & Compliance Officer Membership No.: A31286

NOTES:

- 1. The Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act") is annexed hereto along with the additional information in respect of the Director seeking re-appointment.
- 2. In line with the MCA Circulars, the Postal Ballot Notice is being sent only by email to those shareholders who have registered their e-mail addresses with the Company or Depository Participant / Depository / MUFG Intime India Private Limited, the Company's Registrar & Transfer Agent (RTA) and whose names appear on the Register of Members / List of Beneficial Owners as received from the National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) and Central Depository Services (India) Limited (CDSL) as on the closure of business hours on Friday, March 07, 2025. The members whose e-mail address is not registered with the Company / Depositories, to receive the postal ballot notice may register on or before 5.00 p.m. (IST) on Thursday, April 10, 2025 by emailing the same on the following email id: rnt.helpdesk@linkintime.co.in. In compliance with the requirements of the MCA Circulars, hard copies of Postal Ballot Notice along with Postal Ballot Forms and pre-paid business envelope will not be sent to the members for this Postal Ballot and the shareholders are requested to carefully read the instructions indicated in this Notice and communicate their assent (FOR) or dissent (AGAINST) through e-voting only.

- 3. In compliance with Sections 108 and 110 of the Act and the rules made there under, the MCA Circulars and Regulation 44 of the SEBI (LODR) Regulations, the Company has provided the facility to the shareholders to exercise their votes electronically and vote on the resolution through the e-voting service facility arranged by MUFG Intime India Private Limited.
- 4. The Postal Ballot Notice is available on the website of the Company at <u>www.paradeepphosphates.com</u> and on the website of the stock exchanges at <u>www.bseindia.com</u> and <u>www.nseindia.com</u> and also on the website of MUFG Intime India Private Limited (MUFG Intime), the agency engaged by the Company for providing the facility of Remote e-voting to the Members of the Company at <u>https://instavote.linkintime.co.in</u>.
- 5. Voting rights shall be reckoned on the paid-up value of shares registered in the name of the Members as on cut-off date i.e. Friday, March 7, 2025. The person who is not a member as on cut-off date should treat this Notice for information purpose only.
- 6. The resolution, if passed by requisite majority, shall be deemed to have been passed on **Wednesday, April 16, 2025**, i.e. last day specified for receipt of votes through e-voting process.
- 7. Members who have not yet registered their email ids, are hereby requested to register their email ids through respective Depository Participants (DPs).
- 8. A Member cannot exercise his/her vote by proxy on Postal Ballot (e-voting).
- 9. Mr. Shivaram Bhat, (Membership No. FCS 10454, COP No. 7853) has been appointed as Scrutinizer by the Board of Directors of the Company for conducting the Postal Ballot process in a fair and transparent manner.
- 10. The Scrutinizer shall submit his report to the Chairman of the Company or any other Director or Company Secretary of the Company upon completion of scrutiny of the votes cast through e-voting. The result of the voting through Postal Ballot will be announced on or before Friday, April 18, 2025 by 5.00 P.M.(IST) at the Registered Office of the Company and the same shall be displayed on the Notice Board at the Registered Office and on the website of the Company and RTA and will also be communicated to the Stock Exchanges.
- 11. All the material documents referred to in the Postal Ballot Notice and Explanatory Statement will be available for inspection by the Members at the registered office of the Company on all working days, (i.e. Monday to Friday) between 10.00 A.M. (IST) to 1.00 P.M. (IST) from the date of dispatch of the Notice up to the last date of remote e-voting.

Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013:

Item No.1: Re-appointment of Mr. Subhrakant Panda (DIN: 00171845) as a Non-executive Independent Director of the Company.

Mr. Subhrakant Panda (DIN: 00171845) was appointed as a Non-executive Independent Director of the Company in terms of Section 149, 152 read with Schedule IV and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ('the Act') for a period of three years with effect from January 31, 2022 to January 30, 2025, by the Board and approved by the Members of the Company through Postal Ballot on August 07, 2022.

Brief profile of Mr. Subhrakant Panda:

Mr. Subhrakant Panda is Managing Director of Indian Metals & Ferro Alloys Ltd (www.imfa.in) which was established in 1961 and is today the country's leading producer of value added ferro alloys with own chrome ore mines and captive power generation. He serves as Trustee of the Bansidhar & Ila Panda Foundation (www.bipf.org.in) which is the CSR arm of IMFA. He is Past President of the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce & Industry (FICCI), India's oldest apex business chamber.

The Nomination and Remuneration Committee has evaluated the performance of Mr. Subhrakant Panda based on the criteria of performance of duties and responsibilities /obligations, governance parameters, participation and contribution at the Board / Committees and fulfilment of independence criteria and maintaining independence from the management by him. Pursuant to the evaluation done by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and the Board and Considering his skills, experience, knowledge, the Board, subject to the approval of the shareholders, approved the re-appointment of Mr. Subhrakant Panda as a Non- executive Independent Director for a second term of 5 years w.e.f. January 31, 2025 till January 30, 2030, not liable to retire by rotation.

In the opinion of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee and the Board, Mr. Subhrakant Panda fulfils the conditions for his re-appointment as a Non- executive Independent Director as specified in the Act and the SEBI (LODR) Regulations and he is independent of the management.

A notice has been received in writing by a member under Section 160 of the Companies Act, 2013 proposing re-appointment of Mr. Subhrakant Panda as a Non- executive Independent Director of the Company.

The terms and conditions of his re-appointment is available for inspection by the Members at the Registered Office of the Company during business hours on all working days, until the last date of remote e-voting.

Additional information pursuant to the SEBI (LODR) Regulations and the Secretarial Standard on General Meetings in respect of Mr. Subhrakant Panda is given in <u>Annexure-A</u> to this Notice.

Except Mr. Subhrakant Panda, none of the Directors and Key Managerial Personnel (KMPs) of the Company or relatives of Directors and KMPs are, in any way, concerned or interested in the said resolution.

The Board of Directors recommends passing of a Special Resolution as set out at Item No. 1 of this Notice for the approval of the members.

By Order of the Board of Directors For Paradeep Phosphates Limited

Sd/-

Registered Office: 5th Floor, OSHWC Building, Pandit J N Marg, Bhubaneswar – 751 001 Date: 3rd February, 2025 Sachin Patil Company Secretary & Compliance Officer Membership No.: A31286

Annexure - A

Details required to be given pursuant to Regulation 36(3) of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and Secretarial Standard on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India in respect of Director proposed for re-appointment are as follows:

Name of the Director	Mr. Subhrakant Panda
DIN	00171845
Date of Birth	January 05, 1971
Age	54 Years
Nationality	Indian
Inter-se relationship	None
with Directors and KMP	
of the Company	
Date of First	January 31, 2022
Appointment	
Qualification	Bachelor's in science in the business administration stream from Boston University

Functional Expertise & Experience including brief resume.	 Mr. Subhrakant Panda is Managing Director of Indian Metals & Ferro Alloys Ltd.(IMFA),(www.imfa.in) which was established in 1961 and is today the country's leading producer of value added ferro alloys with own chrome ore mines and captive power generation. He serves as Trustee of the Bansidhar & Ila Panda Foundation (www.bipf.org.in) which is the CSR arm of IMFA. He is Past President of the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce & Industry (FICCI), India's oldest apex business chamber. He is a Past President (2017-18) of the International Chamber of Commerce - India Chapter and was only the third Indian to head the Paris-based International Chromium Development Association (2013-15). Mr. Panda graduated with honours from the Questrom School of Business, Boston University in 1993 with a dual concentration in Finance and Operations Management. He has been recognised for his outstanding scholastic achievement by being named to the Beta Gamma Sigma Honour Society for Collegiate Schools of Business, Golden Key National Honour Society. 			
Appointment/Re-	Re-appointment			
appointment Terms and Conditions	As par the resolution at its	No. 1 of this Nation	road with explanatory statement	
of re-appointment	As per the resolution at Item No.1 of this Notice read with explanatory statement thereto.			
Directorship held in	Indian Metals and Ferro Alloys Ltd			
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companies & Section 8	Utkal Coal Limited			
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February, 2025	JK Tyre & Industries Limited			
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REMOTE E-VOTING INSTRUCTIONS FOR SHAREHOLDERS

In terms of SEBI circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/PoD2/CIR/P/2023/120 dated July 11, 2023, Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode are allowed to vote through their demat account maintained with Depositories and Depository Participants.

<u>Shareholders are advised to update their mobile number and email Id correctly in their demat accounts to access e-</u> Voting facility.

Login method for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode is given below:

Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL

METHOD 1 - Individual Shareholders registered with NSDL IDeAS facility

Shareholders who have registered for NSDL IDeAS facility:

- a) Visit URL: https://eservices.nsdl.com and click on "Beneficial Owner" icon under "Login".
- b) Enter User ID and Password. Click on "Login"
- c) After successful authentication, you will be able to see e-Voting services under Value added services. Click on "Access to e-Voting" under e-Voting services.
- d) Click on "MUFG InTime" or "evoting link displayed alongside Company's Name" and you will be redirected to InstaVote website for casting the vote during the remote e-voting period.

OR

Shareholders who have not registered for NSDL IDeAS facility:

- a) To register, visit URL: <u>https://eservices.nsdl.com</u> and select "Register Online for IDeAS Portal" or click on <u>https://eservices.nsdl.com/SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp</u>
- b) Proceed with updating the required fields.
- c) Post successful registration, user will be provided with Login ID and password.
- d) After successful login, you will be able to see e-Voting services under Value added services. Click on "Access to e-Voting" under e-Voting services.
- e) Click on "MUFG InTime" or "evoting link displayed alongside Company's Name" and you will be redirected to InstaVote website for casting the vote during the remote e-voting period.

METHOD 2 - Individual Shareholders directly visiting the e-voting website of NSDL

- a) Visit URL: <u>https://www.evoting.nsdl.com</u>
- b) Click on the "Login" tab available under 'Shareholder/Member' section.
- c) Enter User ID (i.e., your sixteen-digit demat account number held with NSDL), Password/OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen.
- a) Post successful authentication, you will be re-directed to NSDL depository website wherein you will be able to see e-Voting services under Value added services. Click on "Access to e-Voting" under e-Voting services.
- b) Click on "MUFG InTime" or "evoting link displayed alongside Company's Name" and you will be redirected to InstaVote website for casting the vote during the remote e-voting period.

METHOD 1 - Individual Shareholders registered with CDSL Easi/ Easiest facility

Shareholders who have registered/ opted for CDSL Easi/ Easiest facility:

- a) Visit URL: <u>https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasitoken/Home/Login</u> or <u>www.cdslindia.com</u>.
- b) Click on New System Myeasi Tab
- c) Login with existing my easi username and password
- d) After successful login, user will be able to see e-voting option. The evoting option will have links of e-voting service providers i.e., MUFG InTime, for voting during the remote e-voting period.
- e) Click on "MUFG InTime" or "evoting link displayed alongside Company's Name" and you will be redirected to InstaVote website for casting the vote during the remote e-voting period.

OR

Shareholders who have not registered for CDSL Easi/ Easiest facility:

- a) To register, visit URL: <u>https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasitoken/Registration/EasiRegistration</u> / <u>https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasitoken/Registration/EasiestRegistration</u>
- b) Proceed with updating the required fields.
- c) Post registration, user will be provided username and password.
- d) After successful login, user able to see e-voting menu.
- e) Click on "Link InTime / MUFG InTime" or "evoting link displayed alongside Company's Name" and you will be redirected to InstaVote website for casting the vote during the remote e-voting period.

METHOD 2 - Individual Shareholders directly visiting the e-voting website of CDSL

- a) Visit URL: https://www.cdslindia.com
- b) Go to e-voting tab.
- c) Enter Demat Account Number (BO ID) and PAN No. and click on "Submit".
- d) System will authenticate the user by sending OTP on registered Mobile and Email as recorded in Demat Account
- e) After successful authentication, click on "Link InTime / MUFG InTime" or "evoting link displayed alongside Company's Name" and you will be redirected to InstaVote website for casting the vote during the remote evoting period.

Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with Depository Participant

Individual shareholders can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your depository participant registered with NSDL / CDSL for e-voting facility.

- a) Login to DP website
- b) After Successful login, user shall navigate through "e-voting" option.
- c) Click on e-voting option, user will be redirected to NSDL / CDSL Depository website after successful authentication, wherein user can see e-voting feature.
- d) After successful authentication, click on "Link InTime / MUFG InTime" or "evoting link displayed alongside Company's Name" and you will be redirected to InstaVote website for casting the vote during the remote evoting period.

Login method for shareholders holding securities in physical mode / Non-Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode

Shareholders holding shares in physical mode / Non-Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode as on <u>the cut-off date for e-voting</u> may register for InstaVote as under:

a) Visit URL: https://instavote.linkintime.co.in

Shareholders who have not registered for INSTAVOTE facility:

b) Click on "Sign Up" under 'SHARE HOLDER' tab and register with your following details:

A. User ID:

NSDL demat account – User ID is 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client ID. CDSL demat account – User ID is 16 Digit Beneficiary ID. Shareholders holding shares in physical form – User ID is <u>Event No + Folio Number</u> registered with the Company.

B. PAN:

Enter your 10-digit Permanent Account Number (PAN) (Shareholders who have not updated their PAN with the Depository Participant (DP)/ Company shall use the sequence number provided to you, if applicable.

C. DOB/DOI:

Enter the Date of Birth (DOB) / Date of Incorporation (DOI) (As recorded with your DP / Company - in DD/MM/YYYY format)

D. Bank Account Number:

Enter your Bank Account Number (last four digits), as recorded with your DP/Company.

*Shareholders holding shares in **NSDL form**, shall provide 'D' above **Shareholders holding shares in **physical form** but have not recorded 'C' and 'D', shall provide their Folio number in 'D' above

- Set the password of your choice (The password should contain <u>minimum 8 characters</u>, at least <u>one special Character</u> (!#\$&*), at least <u>one numeral</u>, at least <u>one alphabet</u> and at least <u>one capital letter</u>).
- Enter Image Verification (CAPTCHA) Code
- Click "Submit" (You have now registered on InstaVote).

Shareholders who have registered for INSTAVOTE facility:

- c) Click on "Login" under 'SHARE HOLDER' tab.
 - A. User ID: Enter your User ID
 - B. Password: Enter your Password
 - C. Enter Image Verification (CAPTCHA) Code
 - D. Click "Submit"
- d) Cast your vote electronically:
 - A. After successful login, you will be able to see the "Notification for e-voting".
 - B. Select 'View' icon.
 - C. E-voting page will appear.
 - D. Refer the Resolution description and cast your vote by selecting your desired option 'Favour / Against' (If you wish to view the entire Resolution details, click on the 'View Resolution' file link).
 - E. After selecting the desired option i.e. Favour / Against, click on 'Submit'. A confirmation box will be displayed. If you wish to confirm your vote, click on 'Yes', else to change your vote, click on 'No' and accordingly modify your vote.

Guidelines for Institutional shareholders ("Custodian / Corporate Body/ Mutual Fund")

STEP 1 – Custodian / Corporate Body/ Mutual Fund Registration

- a) Visit URL: https://instavote.linkintime.co.in
- b) Click on "Sign Up" under "Custodian / Corporate Body/ Mutual Fund"
- c) Fill up your entity details and submit the form.
- d) A declaration form and organization ID is generated and sent to the Primary contact person email ID (which is filled at the time of sign up). The said form is to be signed by the Authorised Signatory, Director, Company Secretary of the entity & stamped and sent to <u>insta.vote@linkintime.co.in</u>.
- e) Thereafter, Login credentials (User ID; Organisation ID; Password) is sent to Primary contact person's email ID. (You have now registered on InstaVote)

STEP 2 – Investor Mapping

- a) Visit URL: https://instavote.linkintime.co.in and login with InstaVote Login credentials.
- b) Click on "Investor Mapping" tab under the Menu Section
- c) Map the Investor with the following details:
 - A. 'Investor ID'
 - i. NSDL demat account User ID is 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client ID *i.e., IN00000012345678*
 - ii. CDSL demat account User ID is 16 Digit Beneficiary ID.
 - B. 'Investor's Name Enter Investor's Name as updated with DP.
 - C. 'Investor PAN' Enter your 10-digit PAN.
 - D. 'Power of Attorney' Attach Board resolution or Power of Attorney.

*File Name for the Board resolution/ Power of Attorney shall be – DP ID and Client ID or 16 Digit Beneficiary ID. Further, Custodians and Mutual Funds shall also upload specimen signatures.

E. Click on Submit button. (The investor is now mapped with the Custodian / Corporate Body/ Mutual Fund Entity). The same can be viewed under the "Report Section".

STEP 3 – Voting through remote e-voting

The corporate shareholder can vote by two methods, during the remote e-voting period.

METHOD 1 - VOTES ENTRY

- a) Visit URL: <u>https://instavote.linkintime.co.in</u> and login with InstaVote Login credentials.
- b) Click on "Votes Entry" tab under the Menu section.
- c) Enter the "Event No." for which you want to cast vote.
- Event No. can be viewed on the home page of InstaVote under "On-going Events".
- d) Enter "16-digit Demat Account No." for which you want to cast vote.
- e) Refer the Resolution description and cast your vote by selecting your desired option 'Favour / Against' (If you wish to view the entire Resolution details, click on the 'View Resolution' file link).
- f) After selecting the desired option i.e. Favour / Against, click on 'Submit'.
 A confirmation box will be displayed. If you wish to confirm your vote, click on 'Yes', else to change your vote, click on 'No' and accordingly modify your vote.

OR

METHOD 2 - VOTES UPLOAD

- a) Visit URL: <u>https://instavote.linkintime.co.in</u> and login with InstaVote Login credentials.
- b) After successful login, you will be able to see the "Notification for e-voting".
- c) Select "View" icon for "Company's Name / Event number".

- d) E-voting page will appear.
- e) Download sample vote file from "Download Sample Vote File" tab.
- f) Cast your vote by selecting your desired option 'Favour / Against' in the sample vote file and upload the same under "**Upload Vote File**" option.
- g) Click on 'Submit'. 'Data uploaded successfully' message will be displayed.
 (Once you cast your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify or change it subsequently).

Helpdesk:

Shareholders holding securities in physical mode / Non-Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode:

Shareholders holding securities in physical mode / Non-Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode facing any technical issue in login may contact INSTAVOTE helpdesk by sending a request at <u>enotices@in.mpms.mufg.com</u> or contact on: - Tel: 022 – 4918 6000.

Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode:

Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode may contact the respective helpdesk 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 : 022 - 4886 7000
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact CDSL helpdesk by sending a request at <u>helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</u> or contact at toll free no. 1800 22 55 33

Forgot Password:

Shareholders holding securities in physical mode / Non-Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode:

Shareholders holding securities in physical mode / Non-Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode have forgotten the USER ID [Login ID] or Password or both then the shareholder can use the "Forgot Password" option available on: <u>https://instavote.linkintime.co.in</u>

- Click on "Login" under 'SHARE HOLDER' tab.
- Click "forgot password?"
- Enter User ID, select Mode and Enter Image Verification code (CAPTCHA).
- Click on "SUBMIT".

In case shareholders have a valid email address, Password will be sent to his / her registered e-mail address. Shareholders can set the password of his/her choice by providing information about the particulars of the Security Question and Answer, PAN, DOB/DOI, Bank Account Number (last four digits) etc. The password should contain a minimum of 8 characters, at least one special character (!#\$&*), at least one numeral, at least one alphabet and at least one capital letter.

User ID:

NSDL demat account – User ID is 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client ID. CDSL demat account – User ID is 16 Digit Beneficiary ID. Shareholders holding shares in physical form – User ID is <u>Event No + Folio Number</u> registered with the Company.

In case Custodian / Corporate Body/ Mutual Fund has forgotten the USER ID [Login ID] or Password or both then the shareholder can use the "Forgot Password" option available on: <u>https://instavote.linkintime.co.in</u>

- Click on 'Login' under "Custodian / Corporate Body/ Mutual Fund" tab
- Click "forgot password?"

- Enter User ID, Organization ID and Enter Image Verification code (CAPTCHA).
- Click on "SUBMIT".

In case shareholders have a valid email address, Password will be sent to his / her registered e-mail address. Shareholders can set the password of his/her choice by providing information about the particulars of the Security Question and Answer, PAN, DOB/DOI etc. The password should contain a minimum of 8 characters, at least one special character (!#\$&*), at least one numeral, at least one alphabet and at least one capital letter.

Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL/ CDSL has forgotten the password:

Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode have forgotten the USER ID [Login ID] or Password or both, then the Shareholders are advised to use Forget User ID and Forget Password option available at above mentioned depository/ depository participants website.

- It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential.
- For shareholders/ members holding shares in physical form, the details can be used only for voting on the resolutions contained in this Notice.
- During the voting period, shareholders/ members can login any number of time till they have voted on the resolution(s) for a particular "Event".
