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September 02, 2023

To, BSE Limited Department of Corporate Services Floor 25, PJ Towers, Dalal Street Mumbai-400001 To, National Stock Exchange of India Limited Exchange Plaza, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400 051

**Scrip Code: 532740** 

Company Code: LOKESHMACH

Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub: Notice of 39<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Company pursuant to SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015.

Pursuant to regulation 34 of SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 read with other applicable regulations, we are enclosing herewith Notice of 39<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Company scheduled to be held on Thursday, **September 28**, **2023**, at 11:00 A.M. (IST) through Video conferencing ("VC") or other Audio-visual means ("OAVM").

The Notice of the 39<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting is being sent to all shareholders whose email IDs are registered with the Company/RTA/Depositories Participant and is also being made available on the Company's website at <a href="https://www.lokeshmachines.com/">https://www.lokeshmachines.com/</a>.

This is for your information and record.

Thanking You,

For Lokesh Machines Limited



Gurprit Singh Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Encl: a/a



### 39TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

#### NOTICE

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Thirty Nineth Annual General Meeting of the Members of **Lokesh Machines Limited** will be held on Thursday, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of September 2023 at 11:00 A.M. through Video Conferencing ("VC") or Other Audio-Visual Means ("OAVM") to transact the following business:

#### **ORDINARY BUSINESS:**

- To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Financial Statements of the Company for the financial Year ended March 31, 2023 together with the report of the Board of Directors and the Auditors' thereon.
- 2. To appoint a director in place of Ms. Mullapudi Likhitha (DIN: 08765043), who retires by rotation and being eligible offers herself for re-appointment.

#### **SPECIAL BUSINESS:**

3. Increase in borrowing limits from 100 Cr. to 200 Cr. or the aggregate of the paid-up capital, free reserves and securities premium of the Company, whichever is higher.

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

"RESOLVED THAT in supersession of the resolution passed by the shareholders of the Company at the Annual General Meeting held on September 30, 2014, and pursuant to the provisions of Section 180(1)(c) and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013, as amended from time to time, and the Articles of Association of the Company, the consent of the Company be and is hereby accorded to the Board of Directors of the Company (hereinafter referred to as the "Board" which term shall be deemed to include any committee thereof) for borrowing, from time to time, any sum or sums of monies which together with the monies already borrowed by the Company (apart from temporary loans obtained or to be obtained from the Company's bankers in the ordinary course of business) may exceed the aggregate of the paid-up capital of the Company, free reserves and securities premium, provided that the total amount so borrowed by the Board shall not at any time exceed 200 Cr (Rupees Two Hundred Crores Only) or the aggregate of the paid up capital free reserves and securities premium of the Company, whichever is higher;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board of Directors of the Company (including its committee thereof) of the Company be and are hereby severally authorised to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be deemed proper, necessary, or expedient, including

filing the requisite forms with concerned ROC, Ministry of Corporate Affairs or submission of documents with any other authority, for the purpose of giving effect to this resolution and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto."

 Creation of Charges on the movable and immovable properties of the Company, both present and future, in respect of borrowings.

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

"RESOLVED THAT in supersession of the resolution passed by shareholders of the Company at the Annual General Meeting held on September 30, 2014, and pursuant to the provisions of Section 180(1)(a) and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013, as amended from time to time, consent of the Company be and is hereby given to the Board of Directors of the Company (hereinafter referred to as the "Board" which term shall be deemed to include any committee thereof) to create such charges, mortgages and hypothecations in addition to the existing charges, mortgages and hypothecations created by the Company, on such movable and immovable properties, both present and future, and in such manner as the Board may deem fit, together with power to take over the substantial assets of the Company in certain events in favour of banks/financial institutions, other investing agencies and trustees for the holders of debentures/bonds/other instruments to secure rupee/foreign currency loans and/or the issue of debentures whether partly/fully convertible or non-convertible and/or securities linked to Ordinary Shares/ 'A' Ordinary Shares and/ or rupee/ foreign currency convertible bonds and/or foreign currency bonds and/or bonds with share warrants attached (hereinafter collectively referred to as "Loans") provided that the total amount of Loans together with interest thereon, additional interest, compound interest, liquidated damages, commitment charges, premium on pre-payment or on redemption, costs, charges, expenses and all other monies payable by the Company in respect of the said Loans for which the charge is to be created, shall not, at any time exceed 200 Cr. (Rupees Two Hundred Crores Only) or the aggregate of the paid up capital free reserves and securities premium of the Company, whichever is higher;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board of Directors of the Company (including its committee thereof) of the Company be and are hereby severally authorised

to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be deemed proper, necessary, or expedient, including filing the requisite forms with concerned ROC, Ministry of Corporate Affairs or submission of documents with any other authority, for the purpose of giving effect to this resolution and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto."

5. Revision in the remuneration of Mr. Mullapudi Lokeswara Rao (DIN: 00989447), Managing Director 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 further to the resolutions passed at the 37th Annual General Meeting held on September 28, 2021 ("37th AGM") for remuneration payable to Mr. Mullapudi Lokeswara Rao (DIN: 00989447), Managing Director of the Company, and pursuant to the provisions of Sections 197, 198 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") read with Schedule V of the Act, including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof and subject to the approval of the Central Government, as may be required, and such other permissions, sanction(s) as may be required, the consent of the Members of the Company, be and is hereby accorded for revision in the maximum remuneration payable to Mr. Mullapudi Lokeswara Rao, Managing Director of the Company with effect from April 01, 2023 for the remaining period of his present term of appointment upto September 30, 2024, including the remuneration to be paid to him in the event of loss or inadequacy of profits in any financial year during the aforesaid period as stated below, is hereby specifically sanctioned with the other terms and conditions of his appointment remaining the same, and with the liberty to the Board of Directors to alter, vary and modify the terms and conditions of the said appointment and/or remuneration, in such manner as may be agreed to between the Board of Directors and Mr. Mullapudi Lokeswara Rao within and in accordance with the Act or such other applicable provisions or any amendment thereto and, if necessary, as may be prescribed by the Central Government and agreed to between the Board of Directors and as may be acceptable to Mr. Mullapudi Lokeswara Rao:

- Consolidated remuneration of ₹ 500,000/- (Rupees Five Lakhs only) per month;
- All expenses relating to telephone, mobile bills, and travelling, boarding, lodging and other expenses incurred for the purpose of business of the Company;

c. Any other allowances, benefits and perquisites, as the Board may from time to time decide in accordance with the Companies Act, 2013 & the Rules made there under, Income Tax Act, 1961/ Rules made there under, FEMA Guidelines and as per RBI Regulations;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** in the event of loss or inadequacy of profits in any financial year, Mr. Mullapudi Lokeswara Rao shall be entitled to receive remuneration including perquisites, etc. upto the limit as approved by the members herein above, as minimum remuneration;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board shall have the discretion and authority to modify the aforesaid terms and remuneration within, however, the limit as approved by the members;

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT in the event of any statutory amendments, modifications or relaxation by the Central Government to Schedule V to the Companies Act, 2013, the Board of Directors be and is hereby authorised to vary or increase the remuneration (including the minimum remuneration) within such prescribed limit or ceiling and the terms and conditions of the said appointment as agreed to between the Board and Mr. Mullapudi Lokeswara Rao be suitably amended to give effect to such modification, relaxation or variation, subject to such approvals as may be required by law."

6. Approval for Continuation of Mr. K. Krishna Swamy (DIN: 00840887) as Non- Executive Director 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 Regulation 17(1A) of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) (Amendment) Regulations, 2018, consent of the members of the Company be and is hereby accorded to Mr. K. Krishna Swamy (DIN: 00840887) director of the Company to continue and hold office of non-executive director under the current tenure of appointment notwithstanding that he has attained the age of 75 years;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board of Directors of the Company (including its committee thereof) of the Company be and are hereby severally authorised to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be deemed proper, necessary, or expedient, including filing the requisite forms with concerned ROC, Ministry of Corporate Affairs or submission of documents with any other authority, for the purpose of giving effect to this resolution and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto."



7. Ratification of Remuneration of Cost Auditors.

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

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 148 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Act read with Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 as amended from time to time, the consent of the members be and is hereby given for payment of remuneration of ₹ 1,00,000/- (Rupees One Lakh Only) plus out of Pocket expenses upto ₹ 10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand Only) excluding GST and other applicable taxes., to M/S Naval & Associates, Cost Accountants (Firm Reg. No. 002319) to audit the cost records maintained by the Company for the financial year ending March 31, 2024;

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board of Directors of the Company (including its committee thereof) of the Company be and are hereby severally authorised to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things as may be deemed proper, necessary, or expedient, including filing the requisite forms with concerned ROC, Ministry of Corporate Affairs or submission of documents with any other authority, for the purpose of giving effect to this resolution and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto."

By Order of the Board For **LOKESH MACHINES LIMITED** 

**Date:** August 29, 2023

Place: Hyderabad

Registered Office:Sd/-B-29, EEIE, Stage- II, Balanagar,Gurprit SinghHyderabad-500037, TelanganaCompany Secretary

#### NOTES:

- 1) An Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 Ordinary & Special Business i.e., item 3 to 7, is annexed hereto. The relevant details (including profile and expertise in specific functional areas), pursuant to Regulation 36(3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosures Requirement) and as per Secretarial Standard on General Meeting issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India, in respect of directors seeking appointment/re-appointment at this AGM is also annexed. The Directors have furnished the requisite consent/declarations for their appointment / re-appointment as required under Companies Act, 2013 and the Rules there under.
- The Ministry of Corporate Affairs ("MCA") has vide its General Circular No. 10/2022 dated December 28, 2022, issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) and Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/PoD-2/P/CIR/2023/4 dated January 5, 2023 issued by Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Circulars") (read with previous circulars) in this regard permitted the holding of the Annual General Meeting ("AGM") through VC / OAVM, without the physical presence of the Members at a common venue. In compliance with the provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ("Act"), SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations") and MCA Circulars, the AGM of the Company is being held through VC / OAVM, without the physical presence of the members at a common venue. The deemed venue for the 39th AGM shall be the Registered Office of the Company. The Company

- has engaged National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) for facilitating voting through electronic means i.e., remote e-voting and voting at the AGM.
- 3) Pursuant to the provisions of the Act, a member entitled to attend and vote at the AGM is entitled to appoint a proxy to attend and vote on his / her behalf and the proxy need not be a Member of the Company. Since this AGM is being held pursuant to the aforesaid Circulars through VC / OAVM, physical attendance of Members has been dispensed with. Accordingly, the facility for appointment of proxies by the Members will not be available for the AGM and hence the Proxy Form and Attendance Slip are not annexed to this Notice.
- 4) Corporate members intending to send their authorised representatives to attend the AGM through VC / OAVM on its behalf and to vote through remote e-voting are requested to send to the Company a certified copy of the board resolution authorising their representative to the registered email address of the Company.
- 5) The Members attending the AGM through VC / OAVM shall be counted for the purpose of reckoning the quorum under Section 103 of the Act.
- 6) The Members can join the AGM through the VC/OAVM mode 15 minutes before and after the scheduled time of the commencement of the AGM by following the procedure mentioned in the Notice. The facility of participation at the AGM through VC/OAVM will be made available to the 1000 members on "First come First served" basis. This will not include large Shareholders (Shareholders holding 2% or more of the total number of shares of the Company as on the cut-off

date as defined), Promoters, Directors, Key Managerial Personnel, Institutional Investors, 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.

- In compliance with the aforementioned MCA & SEBI Circulars, the Notice of the 39th AGM along with the Annual Report for the year 2022-23 is being sent only through electronic mode to those Members whose email addresses are registered with the Company / Depositories. Members may note that the Notice and Annual Report for the year 2022-23 and other documents will also be available on the Company's website https://www.lokeshmachines.com/detailsof-requirements-mentioned-in-sub-regulation-2-ofregulation-46-of-listing-regulation.php, websites of the Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE Limited and National Stock Exchange of India Limited at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com respectively, and on the website of NSDL www.evoting.nsdl.com. Other than the above, no physical/hard copies of the Notice & Annual Report will be sent to shareholders.
- 8) Register of Directors and key managerial personnel and their shareholding maintained under section 170 of the companies Act, 2013 will be available for inspection by the members at the meeting.
- 9) Register of contracts or arrangements in which directors and Key managerial personnel are interested Maintained under Section 189 of the Companies Act, 2013 will be available for inspection by the members at the registered office of the Company.
- 10) Pursuant to the provisions of Section 124, 125 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with rules made thereunder (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactment thereof for the time being in force) the amount of dividend remaining unpaid for a period of seven years from the due date is required to be transferred to the Investor Education and Protection Fund (IEPF) constituted by the Central Government. Members who have not encashed their dividend are requested to contact the RTA of the Company in this regard. The amount so transferred to IEPF cannot be claimed from the Company. Further Shares on which dividend remain unclaimed for seven consecutive years will be transferred to IEPF as per Section 124 of the Companies Act, 2013 and the applicable Rules. The Company is providing/ hosting the required details of unclaimed amount/ shares referred to under Section 124 of the Act on its website https://www.lokeshmachines.com/investment-center. php?key=unpaidunclaimed-dividend. The concerned

- members/investors are advised to visit the web link: http://iepf.gov.in/iepfa/refund.html or contact our RTA M/s KFin Technologies Limited for lodging claims for refund of shares and /or dividend from the IEPF Authority.
- 11) Pursuant to the provisions of Section 91 of the Companies Act, 2013, The Register of Members and Share Transfer Books of the Company will remain closed from September 22, 2023, to September 28, 2023 (both days inclusive).
- 12) As per the provisions of Section 72 of the Act, facility for making nominations is now available to Individuals holding shares in the Company, Members holding shares in physical form may obtain the Nomination Form from the RTA of the Company. Members holding shares in electronic form must approach their Depository Participant(s) for completing the nomination formalities.
- 13) Members must quote their Folio Number/ Demat Account number and contact details such as email address, contact number etc in all correspondence with the Company/Registrar and Share Transfer Agents.
- 14) Members who have not registered their e-mail addresses so far, are requested to register their e-mail address for receiving all communication including Annual Report, Notices, Circulars, etc. from the Company.
- 15) Members are requested to update their preferred e-mail ids with the Depository Participants / Company's Registrar and Transfer Agents, which will be used for the purpose of sending the official documents through e-mail in future. The RTA address is given below:

M/s. KFin Technologies Limited, Unit: Lokesh Machines Limited Selenium Tower B, Plot No.31-32, Financial District, Nanakramguda Serilingampally, Hyderabad - 500 032,

Email ID: einward.ris@kfintech.com
Toll Free/ Phone Number: 1800 309 4001
WhatsApp Number: (91) 910 009 4099
KPRISM (Mobile Application): https://kprism.kfintech.com/
KFINTECH Corporate Website: https://www.kfintech.com
RTA Website: https://ris.kfintech.com
Investor Support Centre (DIY Link):
https://ris.kfintech.com/clientservices/isc

- 16) Shareholders are requested to immediately notify the Registrars and Share Transfer Agents or the Depository participants (in case of shares which have been dematerialised) of any change in their address and/ or bank account details to ensure correct and prompt receipt of the Dividend Warrants in case of declaration of dividend.
- 17) Pursuant to SEBI notification dated June 08, 2018, transfer of shares in physical mode is prohibited and mandates holding in Demat mode except in case of



transmission or transposition. Accordingly, members are requested convert physical holding to demat through depository participant. Members may contact Company via mail to <a href="mailto:cosecy@lokeshmachines.com">cosecy@lokeshmachines.com</a> or RTA for any assistance in the process of physical to demat shares.

18) Members holding shares in physical form, in their own interest, are requested to dematerialise the shares to avail the benefits of electronic holding/trading. SEBI vide its Circular Nos. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD\_RTAMB/P/ CIR/2021/655 dated November 03, 2021 and SEBI/ HO/MIRSD/MIRSD\_RTAMB/P/CIR/2021/687 dated December 14, 2021 read with SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD\_RTAMB/P/ CIR/2022/8 dated January 25, 2022, has mandated all shareholders holding shares in physical form ("physical shareholders") to furnish their PAN, Nomination and KYC details (PAN, Contact Details, Bank Account Details & Specimen Signature) with companies. Further linking of PAN and Aadhaar is also mandated by the Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT). Brief procedure for updation of PAN, Bank Account, KYC and nomination details is given hereunder:

Type of holder	Process to be followed		
Physical Shareholders	For availing the following investor services, send a written request in t forms to RTA by post (self-attested & dated) to KFin Technologies Pr Unit: Lokesh Machines Limited, Selenium Tower B, Plot 31-32, Gachibo District, Nanakramguda, Hyderabad — 500 032 & also scanned copy c E-mail: einward.ris@kfintech.com	ivate Limited, owli, Financial	
	Form to register PAN, e-mail address, bank details and other KYC details or changes/updation thereof for securities held in physical mode	Form ISR-1	
	Updation of signature of securities holder	Form ISR-2	
	For nomination as provided in the Rule 19(1) of the Companies (Share Capital and debenture) Rules, 2014	Form SH-13	
	Declaration to opt out nomination	Form ISR-3	
	Cancellation of nomination by the holder(s) (along with ISR-3)/ Change of Nominee	Form SH-14	
	Form for requesting issue of Duplicate Certificate and other service requests for securities held in physical mode	Form ISR-4	
Demat	Please contact your DP and register your email address and bank account details in your demat account, as per the process advised by your DP		

The Company has sent individual letters to all the Members holding shares of the Company in physical form for furnishing their PAN, KYC details and Nomination pursuant to the aforementioned SEBI Circular in Form ISR-1. The Form ISR-1 is also available on the website of the Company at <a href="https://www.lokeshmachines.com/investment-center.php?key=forms-and-downloads">https://www.lokeshmachines.com/investment-center.php?key=forms-and-downloads</a> Members holding shares of the Company in physical form are requested to go through and submit the said Form ISR-1 at the earliest no later than September 30, 2023.

Non-updation of KYC, Bank account details, linking of PAN and Aadhar and Nomination details on or before September 30, 2023, will result in freezing of the folio of the physical shareholders by the RTA and the same shall be reverted to normal status only upon receipt of all the KYC and Nomination details/ dematerialisation of such holdings.

The Physical Shareholders of the frozen folios shall be:

 eligible to lodge any grievance or avail service request from the RTA of the Company only after furnishing the complete documents / details as aforesaid.

- eligible for any payment including dividend, interest or redemption payment only through electronic mode upon complying with the stated requirements.
- referred by the RTA / Company to the administering authority under the Benami Transactions (Prohibitions) Act, 1988 and or Prevention of Money Laundering Act, 2002, if they continue to remain frozen as on December 31, 2025
- 19) The SEBI has mandated the submission of Permanent Account Number (PAN) by every participant in securities market. Members holding shares in electronic form are, therefore, requested to submit the PAN to their Depository Participants with whom they are maintaining their demat accounts. Members holding shares in physical form can submit their PAN details to the Company.
- 20) The Company's Equity shares are listed at BSE Limited and the National Stock Exchange of India Limited, Mumbai and the Company has paid the Listing Fees to the said Stock Exchanges.

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- 21) Electronic copy of the Annual Report and the Notice of the AGM inter-alia indicating the process and manner of e-Voting are being sent to all the Members whose e-mail IDs are registered with the Company / DPs for communication purposes.
- 22) Relevant documents and registers will be available for inspection by the members at the registered office of the Company. Members seeking any information with regard to the accounts or any other matter to be placed at the AGM are requested to write to the Company on or before Thursday, September 21, 2023 through email on cosecy@lokeshmachines.com. The same will be replied by the Company suitably.
- 23) As per the green initiatives issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, all companies are allowed to send official documents to their shareholders electronically. Henceforth, we propose to send documents like notice convening the general meetings, financial statements etc. to the email address registered with the Company.
- 24) Since the AGM will be held through VC / OAVM, the route map is not annexed in this notice.

We request you to register / update your email address with your depository participant / RTA to ensure that all documents reach you on your preferred email.

## THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR REMOTE E-VOTING AND VOTING AT THE MEETING ARE AS UNDER:

- 1. In compliance with provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013, Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 (including amendments thereto) and SEBI LODR, the Company is pleased to provide members facility to exercise their right to vote on resolutions proposed to be considered at the AGM by electronic means and the business may be transacted through e-voting services. For this purpose, the Company has entered into an agreement with National Securities Depository Limited (NSDL) for facilitating voting through electronic means, as the authorised agency. The facility of casting votes by a member using remote e-Voting system as well as voting at the meeting will be provided by NSDL.
- Pursuant to SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD/ CIR/P/2020/242 dated December 09, 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.

In terms of aforesaid SEBI Circular 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.

3. The remote e-voting period begins on Monday, September 25, 2023, at 9:00 A.M. (IST) and ends on Wednesday, September 27, 2023, at 5:00 P.M. (IST). The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter. The Members, whose names appear in the Register of Members / Beneficial Owners as on the record date (cut-off date) i.e., September 21, 2023, may cast their vote electronically. The voting right of shareholders shall be in proportion to their share in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on the cut-off date, being September 21, 2023. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the Member, the Member shall not be allowed to change it subsequently.



#### 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 for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode. In terms of SEBI circular dated December 09, 2020 on e-Voting joining virtual meeting 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.

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.

- Existing IDeAS user can visit the e-Services website of NSDL Viz. <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com">https://eservices.nsdl.com</a> either on a Personal Computer or on a mobile. On the e-Services home page click on the "Beneficial Owner" icon under "Login" which is available under 'IDeAS' section, this will prompt you to enter your existing User ID and Password. 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 and you will be able to see e-Voting page. Click on company name or e-Voting service provider 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.
- If you are 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
- Misit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: <a href="https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/">https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/</a> 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 i.e. NSDL** and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of NSDL for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period.
- Shareholders/Members can also download NSDL Mobile App "NSDL Speede" facility by scanning the QR code mentioned below for seamless voting experience.

#### **NSDL** Mobile App is available on









Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL

- Existing users who have opted for Easi / Easiest, they can login through their 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 <a href="https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/home/login">https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/home/login</a> or <a href="https://web.cdslindia.com">www.cdslindia.com</a> and click on New System Myeasi.
- After successful login of Easi/Easiest the user will be also able to see the E Voting Menu.
  The Menu will have links of e-Voting service provider i.e. NSDL. Click on NSDL to cast
  your vote.
- If the user is not registered for Easi/Easiest, option to register is available at <a href="https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/Registration/EasiRegistration">https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/Registration/EasiRegistration</a>
- 4. Alternatively, the user can directly access e-Voting page by providing demat Account Number and PAN No. from a link in <a href="www.cdslindia.com">www.cdslindia.com</a> 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., **NSDL** where the e-Voting is in progress.

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Type of shareholders	Login Method
Individual Shareholders (holding	You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your Depository
securities in demat mode)	Participant registered with NSDL/CDSL for e-Voting facility. upon logging in, you will be able to
login through their depository	see e-Voting option. Click on e-Voting option, you will be redirected to NSDL/CDSL Depository
participants	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

**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. 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 <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a> or call at toll free no.: 1800 1020 990 and 1800 22 44 30
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 022- 23058738 or 022-23058542-43

## B) Login Method for e-Voting 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 the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: <a href="https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/">https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/</a> 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 <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com/">https://eservices.nsdl.com/</a> 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.

4. Your User ID details are given below:

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
account with NODE.	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	16 Digit Beneficiary ID
account with CDSL.	For example if your Beneficiary ID is 12****** then your user ID is
	12******
c) For Members holding shares in Physical Form.	EVEN Number followed by Folio Number registered with the Company
TOTTI.	For example if folio number is 001*** and EVEN is 101456 then user ID is
	101456001***

- 5. Password details for shareholders other than Individual shareholders are given below:
  - a) If you are already registered for e-Voting, then you can user 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

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- 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 the .pdf file. The password to open the .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 <u>"Forgot User Details/Password?"</u> (If you are holding shares in your demat account with NSDL or CDSL) option available on <u>www.</u> <u>evoting.nsdl.com</u>.
  - b) <u>Physical User Reset Password?"</u> (If you are holding shares in physical mode) option available on <u>www.evoting.nsdl.com</u>.
  - 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.

## Step 2: Cast your vote electronically on NSDL e-Voting system.

## How to cast your vote electronically on NSDL e-Voting system?

1. After successful login at Step 1, you will be able to see all the companies "EVEN" in which you are holding shares and whose voting cycle

- 2. Select "EVEN" of company for which you wish to cast your vote during the remote e-Voting period
- 3. Now you are ready for e-Voting as the Voting page opens.
- Cast your vote by selecting appropriate options i.e. assent or dissent, verify/modify the number of shares for which you wish to cast your vote and click on "Submit" and also "Confirm" when prompted.
- Upon confirmation, the message "Vote cast successfully" will be displayed.
- 6. You can also take the printout of the votes cast by you by clicking on the print option on the confirmation page.
- 7. Once you confirm your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.

#### **General Guidelines for shareholders**

- 1. Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are required to send scanned copy (PDF/ JPG Format) of the relevant Board Resolution/ Authority letter etc. with attested specimen signature of the duly authorised signatory(ies) who are authorised to vote, to the Scrutiniser by e-mail to <a href="mailto:ldreddy2016@gmail.com">ldreddy2016@gmail.com</a> with a copy marked to <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a>. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential. Login to the e-voting website will be disabled upon five unsuccessful attempts to key in the correct password. In such an event, you will need to go through the <a href="mailto:evoting.nsdl.com">evoting.nsdl.com</a> to reset the password.
- 2. In case of any queries, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Shareholders and e-voting user manual for Shareholders available at the download section of <a href="https://www.evoting.nsdl.com">www.evoting.nsdl.com</a> or call on toll free no.: 1800 1020 990 and 1800 22 44 30 or send a request to Mr. Swapneel Puppala at <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a> / SwapneelP@nsdl.co.in

Process for those shareholders whose email ids are not registered with the depositories/ company for procuring user id and password and registration of e mail ids for e-voting for the resolutions set out in this notice:

In case shares are held in physical mode please provide Folio No., Name of shareholder, scanned copy of the share certificate (front and back), PAN (self-attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self-attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) by email to <a href="mailto:cosecy@lokeshmachines.com">cosecy@lokeshmachines.com</a>.

- 2. In case shares are held in demat mode, please provide DPID-CLID (16 digit DPID + CLID or 16 digit beneficiary ID), Name, client master or copy of Consolidated Account statement, PAN (self-attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAR (self-attested scanned copy of Aadhar Card) to cosecy@lokeshmachines.com. If you are an Individual shareholder holding securities in demat mode, you are requested to refer to the login method explained at step 1 (A) i.e. Login method for e-Voting for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode.
- Alternatively, shareholder/members may send a request to <u>evoting@nsdl.co.in</u> for procuring user id and password for e-voting by providing above mentioned documents.
- 4. In terms of SEBI circular dated December 09, 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 required to update their mobile number and email ID correctly in their demat account in order to access e-Voting facility.

# REGISTRATION OF E-MAIL ADDRESS BY SHAREHOLDERS WITH THE RTA & DETAILS FOR OBTAINING/ DOWNLOADING ELECTRONIC COPY OF ANNUAL REPORT AND AGM NOTICE.

On account of the continuing threat posed by COVID -19 pandemic and in terms of the MCA and SEBI Circulars, the Company has sent the Annual Report, Notice of AGM and e-Voting instructions only in electronic form to the registered e-mail addresses of the Shareholders. Therefore, those Shareholders who have not yet registered their e-mail address are requested to get their e-mail address registered by following the procedure given below:

- Those Shareholders who have registered/not registered their e-mail address and mobile number including address and bank details may please contact and validate/update their details with their Depository Participant in case of shares held in electronic form and with the Company's Registrar and Transfer Agent, M/s. Kfin Technologies Limited in case the shares are held in physical form.
- 2. Shareholders who have not registered their E-mail address and in consequence thereof, the Annual Report, Notice of AGM and e-voting instructions could not be served, may temporarily provide their e-mail address and mobile number to the Company's Registrar and Transfer Agent, M/s. Kfin Technologies Limited by writing to the e-mail id <a href="mailto:anandan.k@kfintech.com">anandan.k@kfintech.com</a> for

- sending the soft copy of the Annual Report, Notice of AGM and e-voting instructions along with the User ID and password. In case of any queries, Shareholders may write to <a href="mailto:anandan.k@kfintech.com">anandan.k@kfintech.com</a> or <a href="mailto:cosecy@lokeshmachines.com">cosecy@lokeshmachines.com</a>.
- Shareholders may also visit the website of the Company www.lokeshmachines.com for downloading the Annual Report and Notice of the AGM.
- 4. Alternatively, Shareholders may send an e-mail request at the e-mail id <a href="mailto:anandan.k@kfintech.com">anandan.k@kfintech.com</a> / <a href="mailto:cosecy@lokeshmachines.com">cosecy@lokeshmachines.com</a> along with scanned copy of the signed request letter providing the e-mail address, mobile number, self-attested PAN copy and Client Master copy, in case of electronic folio and copy of share certificates, in case of physical folio for sending electronically the Annual Report, Notice of AGM and the e-voting instructions.
- 5. Alternatively, member may send an e-mail request to <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a> for obtaining User ID and Password by proving the details mentioned above.

## THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEMBERS FOR e-VOTING ON THE DAY OF THE AGM ARE AS UNDER:

- The procedure for e-Voting on the day of the AGM is same as the instructions mentioned above for remote e-Voting.
- Only those Members / shareholders, who will be present in the AGM through VC / OAVM facility and have not cast their vote on the resolutions through remote e-Voting and are otherwise not barred from doing so, shall be eligible to vote through e-Voting system at the AGM.
- Members who have voted through Remote e-Voting will be eligible to attend the AGM. However, they will not be eligible to vote at the AGM.
- 4. The details of the person who may be contacted for any grievances connected with the facility for e-Voting on the day of the AGM shall be the same person mentioned for remote e-Voting.

## INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MEMBERS FOR ATTENDING THE AGM THROUGHVC/OAVM ARE AS UNDER:

1. Member will be provided with a facility to attend the EGM/ AGM through VC/OAVM through the NSDL e-Voting system. Members may access by following the steps mentioned above for Access to NSDL e-Voting system. After successful login, you can see link of "VC/OAVM link" placed under "Join General meeting" menu against company name. You are requested to click on VC/OAVM link placed under Join General Meeting menu. The link for VC/OAVM will be available in Shareholder/Member



login where the EVEN of Company will be displayed. Please note that the members who do not have the User ID and Password for e-Voting or have forgotten the User ID and Password may retrieve the same by following the remote e-Voting instructions mentioned in the notice to avoid last minute rush.

- 2. Members are encouraged to join the Meeting through Laptops for better experience.
- Further Members will be required to allow Camera and use Internet with a good speed to avoid any disturbance during the meeting.
- 4. Please note that participants connecting from Mobile Devices or Tablets or through Laptops connecting via Mobile Hotspot may experience Audio/Video loss due to fluctuation in their respective network. It is therefore recommended to use stable Wi-Fi or LAN connection to mitigate any kind of aforesaid glitches.
- 5. Members who would like to express their views/ask questions during the meeting may register themselves as a speaker and send their request mentioning their name, demat account number/ folio number, email id, mobile number at <a href="mailto:cosecy@lokeshmachines.com">cosecy@lokeshmachines.com</a> at least 5 days in advance before the start of the meeting i.e., by September 23, 2023 by 3.30 P.M. (IST). The same will be replied by the Company suitably.
- 6. Those members who have registered themselves as a speaker will only be allowed to express their views/ ask questions during the meeting.
- 7. Members can submit questions in advance with regard to the financial statements or any other matter to be placed at the AGM, from their registered e-mail address, mentioning their name, DP ID and Client ID number / folio number and mobile number, to reach the Company's e-mail address at <a href="mailto:cosecy@lokeshmachines.com">cosecy@lokeshmachines.com</a> at least 5 days in advance before the start of the meeting. Such questions by the Members shall be taken up during the meeting and replied by the Company suitably.

#### **General Guidelines for shareholders:**

- The Company has appointed Mr. L.D. Reddy, Practicing Company Secretary, Hyderabad (M. No.13104, CP No. 3752) as the Scrutiniser for conducting the E-voting process in a fair and transparent manner.
- 2. Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are required to send scanned copy (PDF/JPG Format) of the relevant Board Resolution/Authority letter etc. with attested specimen signature of the duly authorised signatory (ies) who are authorised to vote, to the Scrutiniser by e-mail <a href="mailto:ldreddy2016@gmail.com">ldreddy2016@gmail.com</a> with a copy marked to <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a>.

- 3. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential. Login to the e-voting website will be disabled upon five unsuccessful attempts to key in the correct password. In such an event, you will need to go through the "Forgot User Details/Password?" or "Physical User Reset Password?" option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com to reset the password.
- 4. A person, whose name is recorded in the Register of Members or in the Register of Beneficial Owners maintained by the depositories as on the cut-off date only shall be entitled to avail the facility of remote e-Voting or casting vote through e-Voting system during the meeting.
- 5. In case of any queries, Members may refer to the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Shareholders and e-Voting user manual for Shareholders available at the download section of <a href="www.evoting.nsdl.com">www.evoting.nsdl.com</a> or Members facing any technical issue in login can contact NSDL helpdesk by sending a request at <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a> or call at toll free no.: 1800 1020 990 and 1800 22 44 30
- 6. The Scrutiniser shall after the conclusion of e-Voting at the AGM, first download the votes cast at the AGM and thereafter unblock the votes cast through remote e-Voting and shall make a consolidated scrutiniser's report of the total votes cast in favour or against, invalid resolution has been carried or not, and such report shall then be sent to the Chairman or a person authorised in this regard, within 48 (forty eight) hours from the conclusion of the AGM, who shall then countersign and declare the result of the voting forthwith.
- 7. The results declared along with the report of the Scrutiniser shall be placed on the website of the Company at <a href="www.lokeshmachines.com">www.lokeshmachines.com</a> and on the website of NSDL at <a href="www.evoting.nsdl.com">www.evoting.nsdl.com</a> immediately after the declaration of results by the Chairman or a person authorised by him. The results shall also be forwarded to BSE Limited, Mumbai and The National Stock Exchange of India Limited, Mumbai.
- Pursuant to the Circulars issued by MCA and SEBI, owing to the difficulties involved in dispatching of physical copies of the Notice of the AGM and the Annual Report for the year 2022-23, the said documents are being sent only by email to the Members.
  - Therefore, those Members, whose email address is not registered with the Company or with their respective Depository Participant/s, and who wish to receive the Notice of the AGM and the Annual Report for the year

- 2022-23 and all other communication sent by the Company, from time to time, can get their email address registered by following the steps as given below: -
- a) For Members holding shares in physical form, please send scan copy of a signed request letter mentioning your folio number, complete address, email address to be registered along with scanned self-attested copy of the PAN and any document (such as Driving Licence, Passport, Bank Statement, AADHAAR) supporting the registered address of the Member, by email to the Company's email address at cosecy@lokeshmachines. com.
- b) For Members holding shares in demat form, please update your email address through your respective Depository Participant/s.

By Order of the Board For **LOKESH MACHINES LIMITED** 

Place: Hyderabad

Date: August 29, 2023

**Registered Office:** B-29, EEIE, Stage- II, Balanagar, Hyderabad-500037, Telangana Sd/-Gurprit Singh Company Secretary



#### **EXPLANATORY STATEMENT**

#### Pursuant to Section 102(1) of Companies Act, 2013

#### Item No. 3

To cater to the business requirements and considering the business plans and the growing fund requirements of the Company, it is proposed to increase the existing borrowing limit of the Company from ₹ 100 Cr. (Rupees One Hundred Crores) to ₹ 200 Cr. (Rupees Two Hundred Crores),

Further, the Board at its meeting held on August 29, 2023, has recommended to increase the borrowing limits to ₹ 200 Cr. (Rupees Two Hundred Crores) under Section 180(1) (c) of the Companies Act, 2013 subject to shareholders' approval at the 39th Annual General Meeting.

The Directors recommend the matter and the Special resolution set out under Item No. 3 for the approval of the Members.

None of the Directors and the Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives is concerned or interested, financial or otherwise, in this resolution.

#### Item No. 4

As explained above consequent to increase in the borrowing limits of the Company it would be necessary to revise the approval for creation of charge on properties etc., of the Company pursuant to the provisions of Section 180(1)(a) of the Companies Act, 2013.

The Board had in its meeting held on August 29, 2023, accorded consent to create security to secure borrowings up to ₹ 200 Cr. (Rupees Two Hundred Crores) Creation of security on the assets of the Company which may mean or include whole or substantially the whole of undertaking of the Company requires consent of shareholders. Accordingly, matter has been put forward for members' approval.

The Directors recommend the matter and the Special resolution set out under Item No. 4 for the approval of the Members.

None of the Directors and the Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives is concerned or interested, financial or otherwise, in this resolution.

#### Item No. 5

The Members of the Company at the 37th Annual General Meeting held on September 28, 2021 (37th AGM") had appointed Mr. Mullapudi Lokeswara Rao as the Managing Director of the Company effective from October 01, 2021, for a period of three years up to September 30, 2024.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 196, 197 and 198 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Schedule V, a company having inadequate/no profits, may subject to certain conditions including the passing of a special resolution, pay such remuneration to its managerial personnel as may be decided by the Board of Directors on the recommendation of Nomination and Remuneration Committee.

During the financial year 2021-22, the board of Directors with the approval of the Shareholders at the 37th Annual General Meeting held on September 28, 2021, revised the remuneration of Mr. Rao from ₹ 60,00,000/- (Rupees Sixty Lakhs Only) per annum to ₹ 12,00,000/- (Rupees Twelve Lakhs Only) per annum due to the impact of Covid-19 on the Company. Now, the Board of Directors are of the opinion that considering the experience and contribution made by Mr. Rao in the growth and profitability of the Company, the remuneration of Mr. Rao should again be revised and fixed at ₹ 60,00,000/- (Rupees Sixty Lakhs Only) per annum with effect from April 01, 2023, and which can be paid monthly, quarterly, Half-yearly and/or annually, save and except, all other existing terms and conditions of appointment and remuneration of Mr. Rao passed at the 37th AGM shall continue to remain in full force and effect.

Except Mr. M. Lokeswara Rao, Mr. M. Srinivas, Mr. M. Srikrishna & Ms. M. Likhitha none of the directors, Key Managerial Personnel or their relatives are in any way concerned or interested in the said Item No. 5 of the Notice for revision of Mr. Rao's remuneration.

Board recommends the resolution for your approval as a Special Resolution

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Mr. K. Krishna Swamy age about 80 years was appointed as non-executive director of the Company. As per the amended SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 which requires special resolution for appointment/continuation of any non-executive director who has attained the age of 75 years or more. Mr. Krishna Swamy has attained the age of 75 years during the term of his appointment. Hence this Special Resolution is placed before the shareholders.

He is working excellently, and Board believes his involvement is needed for enhancing the growth of the Company.

Accordingly, consent of the members is sought for passing a Special Resolution as set out at Item No. 6 of the Notice for continuation of his appointment.

#### Item 7

The Board, on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, has approved the appointment and remuneration of M/s. Naval & Associates., Cost Auditors to conduct the audit of the cost records of the Company for the financial year ending March 31, 2023, at a remuneration of ₹ 1,00,000/- (Rupees One Lakh Only) plus out of Pocket expenses upto ₹ 10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand Only) excluding GST and other applicable taxes.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 148 of the Act read with the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors has to be ratified by the shareholders of the Company.

Accordingly, consent of the members is sought for passing an Ordinary Resolution as set out at Item No. 7 of the Notice for ratification of the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors for the financial year ending March 31, 2023.

None of the Directors/ Key Managerial Personnel of the Company/ their relatives are in any way, concerned or interested, financially or otherwise, in the ordinary resolution set out in Item No. 7 of the Notice.

The Board recommends the resolution for your approval as an Ordinary Resolution.

By Order of the Board

For LOKESH MACHINES LIMITED

**Date:** August 29, 2023

Place: Hyderabad

**Registered Office:**B-29, EEIE, Stage- II, Balanagar,
Hyderabad-500037, Telangana

Sd/-Gurprit Singh Company Secretary



#### **PROFILE OF DIRECTORS**

#### (Details of Directors proposed to be appointed/ reappointed and/or whose remuneration is proposed to be increased)

As required by Regulation 36 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and as required under Secretarial Standard - 2, the particulars of Directors who are proposed to be appointed/ reappointed and/or whose remuneration is proposed to be increased at the 39th Annual General Meeting, are given below:

The details of Board and Committee Meetings attended by these Directors during the year 2022-23 are stated in the Corporate Governance Report.

The details of remuneration are provided in the respective resolutions and in the Explanatory Statement

Particulars	Mr. Mullapudi Lokeswara Rao	Ms. Mullapudi Likhitha	Mr. K. Krishna Swamy	
Age as on March 31, 2023	78 years	28 Years	82 years	
Brief resume of the Director including nature of expertise in specific functional areas	Mr. M. Lokeswara Rao aged about 76 years founded Lokesh Machines Limited, is a technocrat with more than 50 years vast experience in the machine tool industry. He has started his career with KCP Limited in 1965 and after a brief period joined Hindustan Machine Tools Limited (HMT) in 1966. While working at HMT for almost a decade, Mr. Rao has obtained a methodical understanding and insight of the machine tool industry. The insights into the machine tool industry supplemented with the entrepreneurial abilities prompted Mr. Rao to start LML.	her BE in Integrated 3+1 program in Mechanical Engineering from PSG institute of Advanced Studies, Coimbatore, India and University of Hartford, Connecticut, USA.	Mr. K Krishna Swamy has mor than 46 years of vast experience in designing. He started his careed with HMT during 1964 and after long stint in all its divisions, became the Chief Engineer in-charge of it design department during 1978 to 1983. Mr. Krishna Swamy, during his stay at HMT had receive training under experts in the Design field including Cross Company Incuration USA, and the then collaborator of HMT. He has designed a number of machines notable among ther being Rotary Indexing Machines, Linear Transfer Machines, Linear Transfer Machines, Linear Grand Machines etc. based on dee	
	Mr. Rao with his sheer hard work coupled with managerial abilities built a strong team and created good facilities. Mr. Lokeswara Rao has been an active member of Indian Machine Tool Manufactures' Association (IMTMA) for over a decade and served as a member of the Executive Committee for six years. He has also served as Chairman of the Regional Council (South) of IMTMA and was the President of the association. He was also the Vice President of the Auto Component Association in Hyderabad.		knowledge in designing machines that suit the requirements of customers. Mr. Krishna Swamy has been associating with LML and is presently Technical Director and has contributed significantly to the growth of LML.	
Date of First appointment on the Board	December 17, 1983	June 18, 2020	July 28, 1995	
Directorship held in other companies (excluding foreign companies & section 8 companies	MLR Motors Limited	MLR Motors Limited	NA	

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Particulars	Mr. Mullapudi Lokeswara Rao	Ms. Mullapudi Likhitha	Mr. K. Krishna Swamy
Membership/ Chairmanships of Committees of other public Companies (includes only Audit Committee and Stakeholders Relationship Committee	NIL	NIL	NIL
Inter-se Relationship between Directors	Related with Mr. M. Srinivas, Mr. M. Srikrishna & Ms. M. Likhitha	Related with Mr. M. Srinivas, Mr. M. Srikrishna & Ms. M. Lokeswara Rao	Not related with other directors
No. of Shares held in the Company (singly or jointly as first holder)		5,54,190	12,000