# DODLA DAIRY LIMITED

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Date: 10 June 2024

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Dalai Street, Fort	Bandra (East),
Mumbai - 400 001	Mumbai - 400 051.
Scrip Code : 543306	Scrip Code : DODLA

Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub: Notice of the 29<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Company for the Financial Year 2023-24

Ref: Regulation 30 and 34 of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

We enclosed herewith Notice of the 29<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Company scheduled to be held on Thursday, 04 July 2024 at 11:00 a.m. (IST) through Video Conference ("VC")/ Other Audio-Visual Means ("OAVM"). The said Notice forms part of the Annual Report of the Company for the financial year 2023-24.

The Notice of the 29<sup>th</sup> AGM forming part of the Annual Report is also available on the website of the Company at <a href="https://www.dodladairy.com">www.dodladairy.com</a>

This is for your information and records.

Thanking you,
Yours Faithfully,
For Dodla Dairy Limited

### Surva Prakash M

Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

# **Notice**

# Notice of the 29th Annual General Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the 29th Annual General Meeting (AGM) of Dodla Dairy Limited (CIN: L15209TG1995PLC020324) will be held on Thursday, 04 July 2024 at 11:00 A.M. (IST) through Video Conference ("VC") / Other Audio Visual Means ("OAVM") to transact the following business:

The proceedings of the AGM shall be deemed to be conducted at the Registered Office of the Company which shall be the deemed Venue of the AGM.

#### **ORDINARY BUSINESS:**

- To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Standalone Financial Statements of the Company for the year ended 31 March 2024 and the reports of the Board of Directors and Auditor thereon; and the Audited Consolidated Financial Statements of the Company for the year ended 31 March 2024 and the report of the Auditor thereon.
- 2. To appoint a director in place of Mr. Dodla Sunil Reddy (DIN: 00794889), who retires by rotation and being eligible, offers himself for re-appointment.

# **SPECIAL BUSINESS:**

# 3. To ratify the remuneration payable to Cost Auditors for the Financial Year 2024-25

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

**"RESOLVED THAT** pursuant to the provisions of Section 148 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 and the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014 [including any statutory modification(s) or amendment(s) thereto or reenactment(s) thereof for the time being in force] and pursuant to the recommendation of Audit Committee, the remuneration payable to M/s. J K & Co, Cost Accountants, Hyderabad (Firm Regd No. 004010), appointed by the Board of Directors of the Company as Cost Auditors to conduct the audit of the cost records of the Company for the Financial year

ended 31 March 2025, amounting to Rs. 1,50,000/-(Rupees One Lakh Fifty Thousand only) (plus GST and reimbursement of out-of-pocket expenses), be and is hereby ratified.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board of Directors of the Company be and are hereby authorised to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things and to take all such steps as may be required in this connection including seeking all necessary approvals to give effect to this Resolution and to settle any questions, difficulties or doubts that may arise in this regard.

# 4. To pay consultancy fees to Mr. Dodla Sesha Reddy (DIN: 00520448), Chairman and Non-executive Director of the company.

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

"RESOLVED THAT pursuant to the provisions of section 188(1)(f) of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Companies (Meeting of Board and Its Powers) Rules, 2014 and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 (including any statutory modification(s) or re- enactment thereof for the time being in force) and as per Regulation 23 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015 and other applicable regulations if any and as per recommendation of the Nomination Remuneration & Compensation Committee. Audit committee and the Board of Directors of the Company, the consent of the members be and is hereby accorded to continue to hold office or place of profit as consultant in the company and to pay consultancy fee of upto Rs. 10,00,000 per month (Indian Rupees ten lakhs only) to Mr. Dodla Sesha Reddy (DIN: 00520448), Chairman and Non-executive director, being relative of Managing Director (Mr Dodla Sunil Reddy DIN 00794889), for a period of five years with effect from 01 July 2024 as detailed in the Explanatory Statement.

**RESOLVED FURTHER THAT** the Board of Directors of the Company be and are hereby authorized to take such steps and to do all such acts, deeds, matters and things, settle any queries, difficulties, doubts arising from it, as may be considered necessary, proper, or expedient to give effect to this resolution and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto in the best interest of the Company

By Order of the Board of Directors
For Dodla Dairy Limited

Sd/-

# Surya Prakash Mungelkar

Company Secretary and Compliance Officer
M. No. A31877

#### **NOTES:**

- 1. The Explanatory Statement pursuant to Section 102 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act"), setting out material facts concerning the business under Item Nos. 3 and 4 of the accompanying Notice, is annexed hereto and forms part of this Notice. The Board of Directors of the Company at its meeting held on 18 May 2024 considered that the special business under Item Nos. 3 and 4 being considered unavoidable, be transacted at the 29th AGM of the Company.
- 2. Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) vide its General Circular No. 09/2023 dated 25 September 2023 read with the circulars issued earlier on the subject (collectively referred to as 'MCA Circulars') and SEBI vide its Circular No. SEBI/HO/DDHS/P/CIR/2023/0164 dated 06 October 2023 read with the circulars issued earlier on the subject (collectively referred to as "SEBI Circulars"), have permitted holding Annual General Meeting ("AGM") through VC/ OAVM, without physical presence of the Members at a common venue.

In compliance with the MCA Circulars and SEBI Circulars, the provisions of the Act and the SEBI Listing Regulations, the 29<sup>th</sup> AGM is being conducted through VC/OAVM herein after called as "e-AGM". In view of the same, the registered office of the Company shall be deemed to be the venue of the AGM.

The Company has appointed KFin Technologies Limited, Registrars and Transfer Agents, to provide Video Conferencing (VC) / Other Audio-Visual Means (OAVM) facility for the 29th Annual General Meeting and the attendant enablers for conducting of the e-AGM.

The Notice of AGM along with the Annual Report for FY24 is being sent by electronic mode to those members whose e-mail address is registered with the Company/Depositories, unless a member has requested a physical copy of the same. Members may note that the Notice of AGM and Annual Report for FY24 will also be available on the Company's website www.dodladairy.com, website of the Stock Exchanges i.e. BSE Limited (BSE) and National Stock Exchange of India Limited (NSE) at www.bseindia.com and www.nseindia.com, respectively and on the website of KFin Technologies Limited at the website address https://evoting.kfintech.com.

3. Since the AGM is being held through VC/OAVM, a route map to the venue is not required and therefore, the same is not annexed to this Notice.

- 4. Members attending the meeting through VC/OAVM shall be reckoned for the purpose of quorum under Section 103 of the Companies Act, 2013.
- 5. Members can join the e-AGM 15 minutes before and after the scheduled time of the commencement of the Meeting by following the procedure mentioned in the Notice.
- 6. Appointment of Proxy and Attendance Slip: Section 105 of the Act read with Rule 19 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 provides for appointment of proxy to attend and vote at a general meeting on behalf of the member who is not able to physically attend the AGM. Since the 29th AGM is being held through VC/OAVM and in accordance with the MCA Circulars, physical attendance of Members has been dispensed with. Accordingly, the facility of appointment of proxy would not be available to the Members for attending the 29th AGM and therefore proxy form and attendance slip are not annexed to this Notice.
- 7. Corporate shareholders/institutional shareholders intending to send their authorised representative(s) to attend and vote at the 29th AGM are requested to send from their registered e-mail address, scan copy of the relevant Board Resolution/ Authority Letter, etc. authorizing their representative(s) to vote, to the Scrutinizer on his e-mail ID at mnmandassociates@gmail.com with a copy marked to cs@dodladairy.com
- 8. Members who have not yet registered their e-mail addresses, bank account details and mobile number are requested to register the same with their Depository Participants ("DP") since the shares are held by them in electronic Form.
- 9. The relevant details, pursuant to Regulation 36(3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations"), as applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and Secretarial Standard on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India, in respect of Director seeking appointment/ re-appointment at this AGM are also annexed to this Notice.
- 10. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 124 of the Companies Act, 2013 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 and rules made thereunder, there are no unclaimed dividend amounts pending for transfer.
- 11. The Register of Members and Share Transfer Books of the Company will remain closed from 26 June 2024 to 04 July 2024 (both days inclusive).

12. Investor Grievance Portal maintained by Registrar and Transfer Agent (RTA).

Members are hereby notified that our RTA, KFin Technologies Limited, based on the SEBI Circular (SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD-PoD-1/P/CIR/2023/72) dated June 08, 2023, have created an online application which can be accessed at <a href="https://ris.kfintech.com/default.aspx">https://ris.kfintech.com/default.aspx</a> Investor Services > Investor Support.

Members are required to register / signup, using the Name, PAN, Mobile and email ID. Post registration, user can login via OTP and execute activities like, raising Service Request, Query, Complaints, check for status, KYC details, Dividend, Interest, Redemptions, eMeeting and eVoting Details.

Quick link to access the signup page: <a href="https://kprism.kfintech.com/signup">https://kprism.kfintech.com/signup</a>

# INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE MEMBERS FOR ATTENDING THE E-AGM THROUGH VIDEO CONFERENCE / OTHER AUDIO-VISUAL MODE:

- i. Attending the e-AGM: Members will be able to attend the AGM through VC/ OAVM or view the live webcast of AGM at https://emeetings.kfintech.com/ by using their remote e-voting login credentials and selecting the 'Event' for Company's AGM. 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. Further, Members can also use the OTP based login for logging into the e-voting system.
- ii. Members are encouraged to join the Meeting through Laptops with Google Chrome for better experience.
- iii. Further Members will be required to allow Camera, if any, and hence use Internet with a good speed to avoid any disturbance during the meeting.
- iv. Please note that Participants Connecting from Mobile Devices or Tablets or through Laptop 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.
- v. Facility of joining the AGM through VC/OAVM shall be open 15 minutes before the time scheduled for the AGM.
- vi. Those Members who register themselves as speaker will only be allowed to express views/ask questions

during the AGM. The Company reserves the right to restrict the number of speakers and time for each speaker depending upon the availability of time for the AGM.

vii. Submission of Questions/queries prior to e-AGM:

Members desiring any additional information with regard to Accounts/ Annual Reports or has any question or query are requested to write to the Company Secretary on the Company's investor emailid i.e., cs@dodladairy.com at least 2 days before the date of the e-AGM, so as to enable the Management to keep the information ready. Please note that, member's questions will be answered only if they continue to hold the shares as of cut-off date.

Alternatively, shareholders holding shares as on cut-off date may also visit <a href="https://evoting.kfintech.com/">https://evoting.kfintech.com/</a> and click on the tab "Post Your Queries Here" to post their queries/ views/questions in the window provided, by mentioning their name, demat account number/folio number, email ID, mobile number. The window shall be activated during the remote e-voting period and shall be closed 24 hours before the time fixed for the e-AGM.

- viii. Speaker Registration before e-AGM: Shareholders who wish to register as speakers at the AGM are requested to visit <a href="https://emeetings.kfintech.com">https://emeetings.kfintech.com</a> register themselves between 01 July 2024 (10.00 Hours IST) and 02 July 2024 (17.00 Hours IST).
- ix. Facility of joining the AGM through VC/OAVM shall be available for 1000 members on first come first served basis. However, the participation of members holding 2% or more shares, promoters, Institutional Investors, directors, key managerial personnel, chairpersons of Audit Committee, Stakeholders Relationship Committee, Nomination, Remuneration and compensation Committee and Auditors are not restricted on first come first serve basis.
- x. Members who need technical assistance before or during the AGM, can contact KFintech at https://evoting.kfintech.com/.
- xi. Corporate members intending to send their authorised representatives to attend the Annual General Meeting through Video Conferencing ("VC") / Other Audio-Visual Means ("OAVM") pursuant to the provisions of Section 113 of the Companies Act, 2013 are requested to send a certified copy of the relevant Board Resolution to the Company.

## **Instructions for E-Voting:**

# **Procedure for remote e-voting:**

- i. In compliance with the provisions of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act"), read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, as amended from time to time, Regulation 44 of the SEBI Listing Regulations and in terms of SEBI vide circular no. SEBI/HO/CFD/CMD/ CIR/P/2020/242 dated 09 December 2020 in relation to e-Voting Facility Provided by Listed Entities, the Members are provided with the facility to cast their vote electronically, through the e-Voting services provided by KFintech, on all the resolutions set forth in this Notice. The instructions for e-Voting are given herein below.
- ii. However, in pursuant to SEBI circular no. SEBI/HO/ CFD/CMD/CIR/P/2020/242 dated 09 December 2020 on "e-Voting facility provided by Listed Companies", e-Voting process has been enabled to all the individual demat account holders, by way of single login credential, through their demat accounts / websites of Depositories / DPs in order to increase the efficiency of the voting process.
- iii. Individual demat account holders would be able to cast their vote without having to register again with the e-Voting service provider (ESP) thereby not only facilitating seamless authentication but also ease and convenience of participating in e-Voting process. Shareholders are advised to update their mobile number and e-mail ID with their DPs to access e-Voting facility.
- iv. The remote e-Voting period commences from 09.00 Hours (IST) on 01 July 2024 to 17.00 Hours (IST) on 03 July 2024.
- v. The voting rights of Members shall be in proportion to their shares in the paid-up equity share capital of the Company as on 26 June 2024, the cut-off date.
- vi. Any person holding shares in demat/physical form and nonindividual shareholders, who acquires shares of the Company and becomes a Member of the Company after sending of the Notice and holding shares as of the cut-off date, may obtain the login ID and password by sending a request at <a href="mailto:evoting@Kfintech.com">evoting@Kfintech.com</a>.
  - However, if he / she is already registered with KFintech for remote e-Voting then he /she can use his / her existing User ID and password for casting the vote.
- vii. In case of Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode and who acquires shares of the Company and becomes a Member of the Company after sending of the Notice and holding shares as of the cut-off date may follow steps mentioned below under "Login method for remote e-Voting and joining virtual meeting for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode."
- viii. The details of the process and manner for remote e-Voting and e-AGM are explained herein below:

# Step 1:

Access to Depositories e-Voting system in case of individual shareholders holding shares in demat mode.

### Step 2:

Access to KFintech e-Voting system in case of shareholders holding shares in physical and non-individual shareholders in demat mode.

### Step 3:

Access to join virtual meetings(e-AGM) of the Company on KFin system to participate e-AGM and vote at the AGM.

# Details on Step 1 are mentioned below:

Login method for remote e-Voting for Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode.

Type of shareholders	Login Method			
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL	1.	Use	User already registered for IDeAS facility:	
		I.	Visit URL: https://eservices.nsdl.com	
		II.	Click on the "Beneficial Owner" icon under "Login" under 'IDeAS' section.	
		III.	On the new page, enter User ID and Password. Post successful authentication, click on "Access to e-Voting"	
		IV.	Click on company name or e-Voting service provider and you will be re-directed to e-Voting service provider website for casting the vote during the remote e-Voting period.	
	2.	Use	r not registered for IDeAS e-Services	
		l.	To register click on link: <a href="https://eservices.nsdl.com">https://eservices.nsdl.com</a>	
		II.	Select "Register Online for IDeAS" or click at https://eservices.nsdl.com/ SecureWeb/IdeasDirectReg.jsp	
		III.	Proceed with completing the required fields.	
		IV.	Follow steps given in point no.1	
	3.	Alte	rnatively by directly accessing the e-Voting website of NSDL	
		l.	Open URL: <a href="https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/">https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/</a>	
		II.	Click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholder/Member' section.	
		III.	A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID (i.e., your sixteen digit demat account number held with NSDL), Password / OTP and a Verification Code as shown on the screen.	
		IV.	Post successful authentication, you will be requested to select the name of the Company and the e-Voting Service Provider name, i.e., KFintech.	
		V.	On successful selection, you will be redirected to KFintech e-Voting page for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period.	

Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with CDSL

# 1. Existing user who have opted for Easi / Easiest

- Visit URL: <a href="https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/home/login or URL: www.cdslindia.com">https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasi/home/login or URL: www.cdslindia.com</a>
- II. Click on New System Myeasi
- III. Login with your registered user id and password.
- IV. The user will see the e-Voting Menu. The Menu will have links of ESP i.e., KFintech e-Voting portal.
- V. Click on e-Voting service provider name to cast your vote.

# 2. User not registered for Easi/Easiest

- I. Option to register is available at <a href="https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasinew/Registration/EasiRegistration">https://web.cdslindia.com/myeasinew/Registration/EasiRegistration</a>
- II. Proceed with completing the required fields.
- III. Follow the steps given in point 1

# 3. Alternatively, by directly accessing the e-Voting website of CDSL

- I. Visit URL: www.cdslindia.com
- II. Provide your demat Account Number and PAN No.
- III. System will authenticate user by sending OTP on registered Mobile & Email as recorded in the demat Account.
- IV. After successful authentication, user will be provided links for the respective ESP, i.e., KFintech where the e- Voting is in progress.

Individual Shareholder login through their demat accounts / Website of Depository Participant

- I. You can also login using the login credentials of your demat account through your DP registered with NSDL / CDSL for e-Voting facility.
- II. Once logged-in, you will be able to see e-Voting option. Once you click on e-Voting option, you will be redirected to NSDL / CDSL Depository site after successful authentication, wherein you can see e-Voting feature.
- III. Click on options available against company name or e-Voting service provider KFintech and you will be redirected to e-Voting website of KFintech for casting your vote during the remote e-Voting period without any further authentication.

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

Helpdesk for Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode for any technical issues related to login through Depository i.e., NSDL and CDSL.

Login type	Helpdesk details
Individual Shareholders holding securities in demat mode with NSDL	Members facing any technical issue in login can contact NSDL helpdesk by sending a request at <a href="mailto:evoting@nsdl.co.in">evoting@nsdl.co.in</a> or call at: 022 - 4886 7000 and 022 - 2499 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 <a href="mailto:helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com">helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com</a> or contact at toll free no. 1800 22 55 33

## Details on Step 2 are mentioned below:

Login method for e-Voting for shareholders other than Individual shareholders holding securities in demat mode and shareholders holding securities in physical mode.

Members whose email IDs are registered with the Company/Depository Participants (s), will receive an email from KFintech which will include details of E-Voting Event Number (EVEN), USER ID and password. They will have to follow the following process:

- Launch internet browser by typing the URL: <a href="https://emeetings.kfintech.com/">https://emeetings.kfintech.com/</a>
- ii. Enter the login credentials (i.e., User ID and password). In case of physical folio, User ID will be EVEN (E-Voting Event Number) xxxx, followed by folio number. In case of Demat account, User ID will be your DP ID and Client ID. However, if you are already registered with KFintech for e-voting, you can use your existing User ID and password for casting the vote.
- iii. After entering these details appropriately, click on "LOGIN".
- iv. You will now reach password change Menu wherein you are required to mandatorily change your password. The new password shall comprise of minimum 8 characters with at least one upper case (A- Z), one lower case (a-z), one numeric value (0-9) and a special character (@,#,\$, etc.,). The system will prompt you to change your password and update your contact details like mobile number, email ID etc. on first login. You may also enter a secret question and answer of your choice to retrieve your password in case you forget it. It is strongly recommended that you do not share your password with any other person and that you take utmost care to keep your password confidential.
- v. You need to login again with the new credentials.
- vi. On successful login, the system will prompt you to select the "EVENT" i.e., 'Dodla Dairy Limited Annual General Meeting" and click on "Submit"
- vii. On the voting page, enter the number of shares (which represents the number of votes) as on the Cut-off Date under "FOR/AGAINST" or alternatively, you may partially enter any number in "FOR" and partially "AGAINST" but the total number in "FOR/AGAINST" taken together shall not exceed your total shareholding as mentioned herein above. You may also choose the option ABSTAIN. If the Member does not indicate either "FOR" or "AGAINST" it will be treated as "ABSTAIN" and the shares held will not be counted under either head.

- viii. Members holding multiple folios/demat accounts shall choose the voting process separately for each folio/ demat accounts.
- ix. Voting has to be done for each item of the notice separately. In case you do not desire to cast your vote on any specific item, it will be treated as abstained.
- x. You may then cast your vote by selecting an appropriate option and click on "Submit".
- xi. A confirmation box will be displayed. Click "OK" to confirm else "CANCEL" to modify. Once you have voted on the resolution (s), you will not be allowed to modify your vote. During the voting period, Members can login any number of times till they have voted on the Resolution(s).
- xii. Corporate/Institutional Members (i.e., other than Individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are also required to send scanned certified true copy (PDF Format) of the Board Resolution/Authority Letter etc., authorizing its representative to attend the AGM through VC / OAVM on its behalf and to cast its vote through remote e-voting. Together with attested specimen signature(s) of the duly authorised representative(s), to the Scrutinizer at email id <a href="mailto:mnmandassociates@gmail.com">mnmandassociates@gmail.com</a> with a copy marked to <a href="mailto:evoting@kfintech.com">evoting@kfintech.com</a>. The scanned image of the above-mentioned documents should be in the naming format "Dodla Dairy Limited"

# Details on Step 3 are mentioned below:

Instructions for all the shareholders, including Individual, other than Individual and Physical, for attending the AGM of the Company through VC/ OAVM and e-Voting during the meeting.

- i. Member will be provided with a facility to attend the AGM through VC / OAVM platform provided by KFintech. Members may access the same at <a href="https://emeetings.kfintech.com/">https://emeetings.kfintech.com/</a> by using the e-voting login credentials provided in the email received from the Company/KFintech. After logging in, click on the Video Conference tab and select the EVENT of the Company. Click on the video symbol and accept the meeting etiquettes to join the meeting. 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 above.
- Facility for joining AGM though VC/ OAVM shall open at least 15 minutes before the commencement of the Meeting.

- iii. Members are encouraged to join the Meeting through Laptops/ Desktops with Google Chrome (preferred browser), Safari, Internet Explorer, Microsoft Edge, Mozilla Firefox 22.
- iv. Members will be required to grant access to the webcam to enable VC / OAVM. Further, Members connecting from Mobile Devices or Tablets or through Laptop 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.
- v. As the AGM is being conducted through VC / OAVM, for the smooth conduct of proceedings of the AGM, Members are encouraged to express their views / send their queries in advance mentioning their name, demat account number / folio number and email id.
- vi. The Members who have not cast their vote through remote e-voting shall be eligible to cast their vote through e-voting system available during the AGM. E-voting during the AGM is integrated with the VC / OAVM platform. The Members may click on the voting icon displayed on the screen to cast their votes.
- vii. A Member can opt for only a single mode of voting i.e., through Remote e-voting or voting at the AGM. If a Member cast votes by both modes, then voting done through Remote e-voting shall prevail and vote at the AGM shall be treated as invalid.
- viii. Facility of joining the AGM through VC / OAVM shall be available for at least 1000 members on first come first served basis.
- ix. Institutional Members are encouraged to attend and vote at the AGM through VC / OAVM.

### **OTHER INSTRUCTIONS:**

- I. **Speaker Registration:** The Members who wish to speak during the meeting may register themselves as speakers for the AGM to express their views. They can visit https://emeetings.kfintech.com/ and login through the user id and password provided in the mail received from Kfintech. On successful login, select 'Speaker Registration' which will be open from 01 July 2024 (09.00 Hours IST) to 02 July 2024 (17.00 Hours IST). Members shall be provided a 'queue number' before the meeting. The Company reserves the right to restrict the speakers at the AGM to only those Members who have registered themselves, depending on the availability of time for the AGM.
- II. **Post your Question:** The Members who wish to post their questions prior to the meeting can do the same

- by visiting https://emeetings.kfintech.com/. Please login through the user id and password provided in the mail received from Kfintech. On successful login, select 'Post Your Question' option which will be open from 01 July 2024 (09.00 Hours IST) to 02 July 2024 (17.00 Hours IST).
- III. In case of any query and/or grievance, in respect of voting by electronic means, Members may refer to the Help & Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) and E-voting user manual available at the download section of https://evoting.kfintech.com (KFintech Website) or contact evoting@kfintech.com/ einward. ris@kfintech.com or call KFintech's toll free No. 1-800-309-4001 for any further clarifications.
- IV. The Members, whose names appear in the Register of Members / list of Beneficial Owners as on 26 June 2024 (End of Day), being the cut-off date, are entitled to vote on the Resolutions set forth in this Notice. A person who is not a Member as on the cut-off date should treat this Notice for information purposes only. Once the vote on a resolution(s) is cast by the Member, the Member shall not be allowed to change it subsequently.
- V. In case a person has become a Member of the Company after dispatch of AGM Notice but on or before the cut-off date for E-voting, he/she may obtain the User ID and Password in the manner as mentioned below:
  - If e-mail address or mobile number of the member is registered against Folio No. / DP ID Client ID, then on the home page of <a href="https://evoting.kfintech.com/">https://evoting.kfintech.com/</a>, the member may click "Forgot Password" and enter Folio No. or DP ID, Client ID and PAN to generate a password.
  - i. Members who may require any technical assistance or support before or during the AGM are requested to contact KFintech at toll free number 1-800-309-4001 or write to them at evoting@kfintech.com/ einward.ris@kfintech. com.
- VI. The results of the electronic voting shall be submitted to the Stock Exchanges after the AGM. The results along with the Scrutinizer's Report, shall also be placed on the website of the Company.

### **GENERAL INFORMATION:**

 The Company's equity shares are Listed at (i) BSE Limited, Phiroze JeeJeebhoy Towers, Dalal Street, Mumbai- 400001, Maharashtra, India and (ii) National Stock Exchange of India Limited, Exchange Plaza,

- Floor 5, Plot No. C/1, Bandra (East), Mumbai 400051, Maharashtra, India and the Company has paid the Annual Listing Fees to the said Stock Exchanges for the year 2024-2025.
- 2. Members are requested to send all communication relating to shares to the Company's Registrar and Share Transfer Agent at KFIN Technologies Limited (Unit: Dodla Dairy Limited), Selenium Tower B, Plot 31-32, Gachibowli, Financial District, Nanakramguda, Hyderabad 500032, Telangana State, India.
- 3. Register of Directors and Key Managerial Personnel (KMP) and their shareholding under Section 170 of the Companies Act, 2013 and the rules made thereunder and Register of Contracts maintained under Section 189 of Companies Act, 2013 and the rules made thereunder are available for inspection at the registered office of the Company.
- 4. As required under Listing Regulations and Secretarial Standard 2 on General Meetings details in respect of Directors seeking appointment/ re-appointment at the Annual General Meeting, is separately annexed hereto. Directors seeking appointment/ reappointment have furnished requisite declarations under Section 164(2) and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 including rules framed thereunder.

#### **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:**

- (i) Members holding shares either in demat or physical mode who are in receipt of Notice, may cast their votes through e-voting.
- (ii) Members opting for e-voting, for which the USER ID and initial password are provided in a separate sheet. Please follow steps under heading 'INSTRUCTIONS FOR E-VOTING' above to vote through e-voting platform.

- (iii) The e-voting period commences from 9.00 A.M. (IST) on 01 July 2024 to 5.00 P.M. (IST) on 03 July 2024. During this period, the members of the Company, holding shares in demat, as on the cut-off date of 26 June 2024 may cast their vote electronically. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the member, the member shall not be allowed to change it subsequently.
- (iv) The Company has appointed M/s. MNM & Associates, Company Secretaries represented by Mrs. Sridevi Madati, Practising Company Secretary (Membership No.F6476 and CP No. 11694) as the Scrutiniser to conduct the voting process (e-voting and poll) in a fair and transparent manner.
- (v) The Scrutinizer shall, within a period not exceeding 2 working days from the conclusion of the Annual General Meeting unlock the votes in the presence of at least two (2) witnesses, not in the employment of the Company and make a Scrutinizer's Report containing the details with respect to votes cast in favour, against, neutral/ abstained, shall submit the Report to the Chairman of the Company.
- (vi) Subject to the receipt of sufficient votes, the resolution shall be deemed to be passed at the 29th Annual General Meeting of the Company scheduled to be held on Thursday, 04 July 2024, the results declared along with the Scrutinizer's Report shall be placed on the Company's website https://www.dodladairy.com/ and on the website of KFintech, https://evoting.kfintech.com/, within 2 working days of conclusion of the Annual General Meeting.

By Order of the Board of Directors
For Dodla Dairy Limited

Sd/-

Surya Prakash Mungelkar

Company Secretary and Compliance Officer
M. No. A31877

# EXPLANATORY STATEMENT IN RESPECT OF THE SPECIAL BUSINESS PURSUANT TO SECTION 102 OF THE COMPANIES ACT, 2013

As required under Section 102(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013, this Explanatory Statement contains relevant and material information, as detailed herein, to enable the Members to consider for approval of the Resolution No. 3 and 4

#### Item no. 3

The Board of Directors at their meeting held on 18 May 2024, upon the recommendation of the Audit Committee, approved the appointment of /s. J K & Co, Cost Accountants, Hyderabad (Firm Regd No. 004010), as Cost Auditors of the Company to conduct the audit of the cost records of the Company for the Financial Year 2024-25 at a remuneration of Rs. 1, 50,000/-(Rupees One Lakh Fifty Thousand only) (plus Goods and Services Tax and reimbursement of out of pocket expenses) subject to ratification in this Annual General Meeting.

Pursuant to Section 148 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with the Companies (Audit and Auditors) Rules, 2014, Members of a Company are required to ratify the remuneration payable to the cost auditors of the Company. Therefore, the Board proposes to ratify the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors of the Company for the Financial Year 2024-25.

Accordingly, consent of the Members is sought for passing an Ordinary Resolution as set out at Item No.3 of the Notice for ratification of the remuneration payable to the Cost Auditors for conducting the audit of the cost records of the Company for the Financial Year ending 31 March 2025.

None of the Directors, Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives are, in any way, concerned or interested, financially or otherwise in the Resolution set out at Item No. 3 of the Notice.

The Board recommends the Ordinary Resolution set out at Item No. 3 of the Notice for approval of the Members.

#### Item no. 4

Mr. Dodla Sesha Reddy (DIN: 00520448) is a Chairman and Non-executive Director of the company and relative of Mr. Dodla Sunil Reddy, Managing Director of the Company. He has been associated with the Company for the past 25 years and he has dairy industry experience of more than 25 years. He has extensive knowledge and understanding of the dairy business, and he has the expertise and vision to organically and inorganically scale up our business. He has led our Company through sustained period of growth and has also taken initiatives to improve our processes and efficiencies,

implementation of enterprise resource planning system in the year 2000 and replication of our India business model in Uganda and Kenya which led to our overseas operations turning profitable. He formulated a future growth strategy, further strengthening our corporate governance standards, entry into new line of VAPs, internal processes and controls. He also provides guidance and advice to senior management staff regularly.

Pursuant to recommendation of the Nomination. Remuneration & Compensation Committee and Audit Committee, and pursuant to provisions of Section 188 (1) (f) and other applicable provisions, if any, of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 15 of the Companies (Meetings of Board and its Powers) Rules. 2014 ("Act") (including any statutory modification(s) or re-enactments thereof for the time being in force), and Regulation 23 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations 2015 and other applicable regulations if any, the board of directors of the company at its Meeting held on 18 May 2024 have approved the continuation or holding of an office or place of profit as consultant in the company by Mr. Dodla Sesha Reddy (DIN: 00520448) Chairman and Non-executive Director of the company for a period of five years with effect from 01 July 2024 up to 30 June 2029 subject to the approval of the members.

Accordingly, consent of the Members is sought for passing an Ordinary Resolution as set out at Item No.4 of the Notice to pay consultancy fees to Mr. Dodla Sesha Reddy (DIN: 00520448), Chairman and Non-executive Director of the company.

None of the Director(s) and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company or their respective relatives, except

Promotor and Promoter Group to whom the resolution relates, are concerned or interested in the Resolution mentioned at Item No. 4 of the Notice.

The Board recommends the Ordinary Resolution set out at Item No. 4 of the Notice for approval of the Members.

By Order of the Board of Directors
For Dodla Dairy Limited

Sd/-

Surya Prakash Mungelkar

Company Secretary and Compliance Officer M. No. A31877

# **ANNEXURE TO THE NOTICE DATED 18 MAY 2024**

# Details of Directors seeking appointment/re-appointment at the Annual General Meeting

[Pursuant to Regulation 36(3) of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and Secretarial Standard 2 on General Meetings issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India]

# **Dodla Sunil Reddy:**

Particulars	Name of the Director	
Particulars	Dodla Sunil Reddy	
DIN	00794889	
Date of birth and Age	22-02-1968 and Age: 56 years	
Qualification	Bachelor's degree in engineering from Mangalore University	
Experience	He has been associated with our Company since incorporation and have more than 26 years of experience in the dairy industry. He is responsible for setting up our business strategy with a focus on accountability, competitive performance and value creation.	
Relationship with other Directors, Manager and other Key	Son of Mr. Dodla Sesha Reddy	
Managerial Personnel of the Company	Director and Charman	
Nature of appointment (appointment / re-appointment)	Retires by rotation and offers himself for re-appointment	
Terms and Conditions of appointment / re-appointment	Appointment as Managing Director	
Remuneration last drawn by such Person, if applicable and remuneration sought to be paid	Remuneration paid ₹ 45.17 million	
Date of first appointment on the Board	15/05/1995	
Shareholding in the company	Holds 76,57,434 Equity Shares	
The number of Meetings of the Board attended during the year	5 out of 5	
	Dodla Dairy Limited	
	Simply Fresh Private Limited	
	Global Vetmed Concepts India Private Limited	
	Dodla Enterprises Private Limited	
Directorship Details of the Board	Dodla Trusteeship Services Private limited	
Directorship betails of the board	Orgafeed Private Limited	
	Dodla Holdings Pte. Limited	
	Lakeside Dairy Limited	
	Dodla Dairy Kenya Limited	
	Country Delight Dairy Limited	
Name of listed entities in which person also holds the directorship and membership/ chairmanship of Committees of other Boards	Nil	

By Order of the Board of Directors
For Dodla Dairy Limited

Sd/-Surya Prakash Mungelkar

Company Secretary and Compliance Officer
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